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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

FRIDAY, December 8, 1899,
1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Thomas F. Woods, President.

ALDERMEN

William H. Gledhill, Vice-President,	Henry Geiger,	Lawrence W. McGrath,
Abraham L. Bennett,	Joseph Geiser,	James H. McInnes,
James J. Bridges,	Elias Goodman,	Stephen W. McKeever,
John L. Burleigh,	Frank Hennessy,	Charles Metzger,
George A. Burrell,	William T. James,	Robert Muh,
Francis J. Byrne,	Patrick H. Keahon,	Emil Neufeld,
Jeremiah Cronin,	William Keegan,	John S. Roddy,
John Diemer,	Patrick S. Keely,	William F. Schneider, Jr.,
Matthew E. Dooley,	Jeremiah Kennefick,	James J. Smith,
James J. Dunphy,	Francis P. Kenney,	David S. Stewart,
James F. Elliott,	John P. Koch,	John J. Vaughan, Jr.,
Frederick F. Fleck,	John T. Lang,	Jacob J. Velton,
Joseph A. Flinn,	Michael Ledwith,	Moses J. Wafer,
James E. Gaffney,	John T. McCall,	Joseph E. Welling,
	Thomas F. McCaul,	Collin H. Woodward.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes.

Alderman Ledwith moved that a further reading of the minutes be dispensed with and that they be approved as printed.

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

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

No. 2891.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
December 8, 1899.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return herewith, without my approval, a resolution adopted by you on November 24, 1899, giving permission to Paul B. Pugh & Co. to keep an iron and glass awning in front of No. 7 West Ninety-second street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

My objection to this resolution is that the use of the public sidewalk by a permanent structure of the character shown in the diagram accompanying this resolution, is not justified or required by any public necessity.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Paul B. Pugh & Co. to erect, place and keep an awning of iron and glass in front of the premises No. 7 West Ninety-second street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL.

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

No. 4014.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 7, 1899.

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

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith documents relative to matters which were adopted by the Council at their stated meeting on Tuesday, December 5, 1899, as scheduled below:

Int. Nos. 287, 844, 980, 1046, 1107, 1185, 1195, 1198, 1407, 2410, 1416, 1424, 1427, 1445, 1446, 1447, 1449, 1450, 1452, 1453, 1454½, 1543, 1544, 1718, 1719, 1911, 1988, 2036½, 2052, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2102, 2133, 2135, 2257, 2320 and 2321.

Very respectfully,

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

Which was ordered on file.

The papers above referred to are as follows:

No. 4015.

The Committee on Penal Institutions, to whom was referred the annexed resolutions in favor of permitting the Commissioner of the Department of Correction to enter into sundry contracts without public letting (page 708, Minutes, February 1, 1899), respectfully recommend that the said resolutions be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Commissioner of the Department of Correction to enter into a contract, without public letting, with the New York Telephone Company for telephone service for the current year, the amount of the contract, including additional service (line to Riker's Island), not to exceed five thousand five hundred dollars (\$5,500).

By Councilman Goodwin—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Correction be and he hereby is authorized to enter into a contract with the Brooklyn Union Gas Company for the supplying of gas to the Kings County Penitentiary for the year 1899, the estimated cost not to exceed three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

CONRAD H. HESTER, GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, JOSEPH CASSIDY, ADAM H. LEICH, Committee on Penal Institutions.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, February 20, 1899.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Municipal Council:

DEAR SIR—Permission is respectfully asked for this Department to enter into a contract with the New York Telephone Company for telephone service for the current year.

Bids were advertised for, to be opened to-day, but none were received. The New York Telephone Company did not bid, claiming that it was not necessary, as there was no competition. The amount of the contract, including additional service (line to Riker's Island), will not exceed \$5,500.

I desire also to enter into a contract with the Brooklyn Union Gas Company for gas for the Kings County Penitentiary for 1899. Proposals for same were to have been opened to-day, but the above-mentioned gas company was too late with its bid. Cost of this contract will not exceed \$3,000.

Respectfully,

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Penal Institutions.

No. 4016.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Thirteenth street (113th), Borough of Manhattan (page 549, Minutes, May 23, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Thirteenth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 10th day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of the carriageway of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, from Seventh avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation, with a guarantee of maintenance from the contractor for five years, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four thousand two hundred and seventy dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and eighty-five thousand dollars.

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

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, May 17, 1899.

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

SIRS—At the meeting of this Board held May 10 a resolution was adopted authorizing the paving of the carriageway of One Hundred and Thirteenth street with asphalt, from Seventh avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and in pursuance of said resolution, I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving same.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4017.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of closing and discontinuing Van Brunt's lane, Borough of Brooklyn (page 832, Minutes, June 13, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to close Van Brunt's lane, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing that portion of Van Brunt's or Bennett's lane, between Third avenue and Shore road, which is not included within Seventy-ninth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to close and discontinue the aforesaid lane, as follows:

First Parcel.

Beginning at a point on the western line of Third avenue, as the same is laid down on the Commissioner's Map of the Town of New Utrecht, distant 84.56 feet southerly from the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.

1st. Thence for 33.16 feet southerly along the western line of Third avenue.
2d. Thence westerly and deflecting 95 degrees 35 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 703.34 feet to the eastern line of Second avenue.
3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Second avenue for 33.16 feet.
4th. Thence easterly for 703.34 feet to the point of beginning.

Second Parcel.

Beginning at a point on the western line of Second avenue, as the same is laid down on the Commissioner's Map of the Town of New Utrecht, distant 8.28 feet southerly from the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Second avenue for 33.16 feet.
2d. Thence westerly and deflecting 95 degrees 35 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 425.65 feet to the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.
3d. Thence easterly for 339.01 feet along the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.
4th. Thence easterly for 85.02 feet to the point of beginning.

Third Parcel.

Beginning at a point where the eastern line of First avenue intersects the northern line of Seventy-ninth street, as the same are laid down on the Commissioner's Map of the Town of New Utrecht.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of First avenue for 0.19 feet.
2d. Thence easterly and deflecting 95 degrees 35 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 1.93 feet to the northern line of Seventy-ninth street.
3d. Thence westerly for 1.92 feet along the northern line of Seventy-ninth street to the point of beginning.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, MARTIN ENGEL, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 8, 1899.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 7th day of June, 1899, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing that portion of Van Brunt's or Bennett's lane, between Third avenue and Shore road, which is not included within Seventy-ninth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

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

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

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

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 7th day of June, 1899.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 17th day of May, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by closing and discontinuing that portion of Van Brunt's or Bennett's lane, between Third avenue and Shore road, which is not included within Seventy-ninth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 7th day of June, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed closing and discontinuing would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed closing and discontinuing would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers, for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 7th day of June, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record, and of the publishers of the corporation newspapers, that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers, for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 7th day of June, 1899; and

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

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing that portion of Van Brunt's or Bennett's lane, between Third avenue and Shore road, which is not included within Seventy-ninth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to close and discontinue the aforesaid lane as follows:

First Parcel.

Beginning at a point on the western line of Third avenue, as the same is laid down on the Commissioner's Map of the Town of New Utrecht, distant 84.56 feet southerly from the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.

- 1st. Thence for 33.16 feet southerly along the western line of Third avenue.
- 2d. Thence westerly and deflecting 95 degrees 35 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 703.34 feet to the eastern line of Second avenue.
- 3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Second avenue for 33.16 feet.
- 4th. Thence easterly for 703.34 feet to the point of beginning.

Second Parcel.

Beginning at a point on the western line of Second avenue, as the same is laid down on the Commissioner's Map of the Town of New Utrecht, distant 8.28 feet southerly from the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.

- 1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Second avenue for 33.16 feet.
- 2d. Thence westerly and deflecting 95 degrees 35 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 425.65 feet to the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.
- 3d. Thence easterly for 339.01 feet along the southern line of Seventy-ninth street.
- 4th. Thence easterly for 85.02 feet to the point of beginning.

Third Parcel.

Beginning at a point where the eastern line of First avenue intersects the northern line of Seventy-ninth street, as the same are laid down on the Commissioner's Map of the Town of New Utrecht.

- 1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of First avenue for 0.19 feet.
- 2d. Thence easterly and deflecting 95 degrees 35 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 1.93 feet to the northern line of Seventy-ninth street.
- 3d. Thence westerly for 1.92 feet along the northern line of Seventy-ninth street to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by closing and discontinuing Bennett's lane, Brooklyn, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4018.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of closing and discontinuing Bay street, Borough of Brooklyn (page 909, Minutes, June 20, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to close Bay street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing Bay street, between Bay Ridge avenue and Sixty-eighth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to close and discontinue the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Bay Ridge avenue, distant 176.80 feet northwesterly from the intersection of the western line of First avenue with the northern line of Bay Ridge avenue.

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of Bay Ridge avenue for 50 feet.
- 2d. Thence northeasterly for 290 feet to a point in the northern line of Sixty-eighth street, distant 202.09 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said line with the western line of First avenue.
- 3d. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of Sixty-eighth street for 50 feet.
- 4th. Thence southwesterly for 290 feet to the point of beginning.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 16, 1899.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436, of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by the direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 14th day of June, 1899, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing Bay street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

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

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

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

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 14th day of June, 1899.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 24th day of May, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing Bay street, between Bay Ridge avenue and Sixty-eighth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 14th day of June, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed closing and discontinuing would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed closing and discontinuing would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 14th day of June, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record, and of the publishers of the corporation newspapers, that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to 14th day of June, 1899; and

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

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by closing and discontinuing Bay street, between Bay Ridge avenue and Sixty-eighth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to close and discontinue the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Bay Ridge avenue, distant 176.80 feet northwesterly from the intersection of the western line of First avenue with the northern line of Bay Ridge avenue.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of Bay Ridge avenue for 50 feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly for 290 feet to a point in the northern line of Sixty-eighth street, distant 202.09 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said line with the western line of First avenue.

3d. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of Sixty-eighth street for 50 feet.

4th. Thence southwesterly for 290 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4019.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving the carriageway of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Macomb's Dam road to Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 1013, Minutes, June 27, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Fifty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt-block pavement of the carriageway of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Macomb's Dam road to Eighth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being five thousand and seventy-five dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is sixty-three thousand six hundred dollars.

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

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 14th instant, in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Nineteenth District, Borough of Manhattan, on April 7, 1898, copy of which resolution is also inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Local Board, Nineteenth District—Meeting held in Borough Office, City Hall, April 7, 1898, at 2 P. M.

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that One Hundred and Fifty third street, from Macomb's Dam road to Eighth avenue, be paved with asphalt-block pavement.

Adopted.

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.

Communication attached.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4020.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving Twelfth avenue, from Fiftieth street to Fifty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 46, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to pave Twelfth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 21st day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with granite-block pavement of the carriageway of Twelfth avenue, from Fiftieth to Fifty-eighth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being sixty-seven thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is four hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 27, 1899.

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

GENTLEMEN—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 21st day of June, 1899, providing for the repaving with asphalt of the carriageway of Twelfth avenue, from Fiftieth to Fifty-eighth street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

P.S. I also inclose copy of a communication from the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

J. H. M., Sec.

Local Board, Seventeenth District—Meeting held in Borough Office, City Hall, May 2, 1898, at 1 P. M.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend that Twelfth avenue, from Fiftieth to Fifty-eighth street, be paved as soon as possible, as street is graded but unpaved.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.

Communication attached.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4021.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Morris avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 61, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Morris avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 28th day of June,

1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, laying of crosswalks and erecting of fences where necessary; also that trees be planted on the sidewalks of Morris (Fleetwood) avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that the roadway between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Tremont avenue be paved with telford macadam, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being eleven thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and fifty-four thousand three hundred dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1899.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of recommendation made by the Local Board of the District (as per resolution inclosed) a resolution providing for the regulating and grading, etc., of Morris avenue, Borough of The Bronx, was adopted by this Board on June 28, and a form of ordinance covering said work was approved for transmission to the Municipal Assembly.

In accordance with this action of the Board, I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, the form of ordinance above referred to.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, February 9, 1899.

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

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

Resolved, That, on petition of Carrie E. Trask and others, duly advertised, and submitted this the 9th day of February, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Morris (Fleetwood) avenue be regulated and graded, curbstones set, sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary; that trees be planted on the sidewalks and the roadway paved with telford macadam between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Tremont avenue, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4022.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard or Concourse, Borough of The Bronx (page 65, Minutes, July 11, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 28th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, and the laying of crosswalks in East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being sixteen thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is sixty-three thousand two hundred dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, MARTIN ENGEL, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1899.

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

SIRS—Inclosed herewith please find form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held June 28, providing for the regulating and grading, etc., of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, Borough of The Bronx, which is transmitted for the action of your Honorable Body.

This improvement was recommended by the Local Board of the District, as per copy of resolution inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, December 15, 1898.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting, December 15, 1898, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of J. Romaine Brown and others, duly advertised, and submitted this the 15th day of December, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street be regulated and graded, sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof and crosswalks laid where necessary, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4023.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Jacobus place, Borough of Manhattan (page 392, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Jacobus place, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, setting of curbstones and flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, of Jacobus place (on Marble Hill, New York City), at the intersection of Van Corlear place with Terrace View avenue, South, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an

estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being eight thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is twenty-two thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Jacobus place, at the intersection of Van Corlear place with Terrace View avenue, South, in the Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement. Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

NEW YORK CITY, June 6, 1899.

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

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held June 6, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan approve the recommendation of the Common Council, adopted May 17, 1897, providing for the regulating, grading, curbing and flagging of Jacobus place, from Terrace View avenue to Van Corlear place.

Yours truly,

(Signed) JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4024.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Webster avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 396, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Webster avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and paving with vitrified brick on a concrete foundation of the carriageway of Webster avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being sixteen thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and seventy-six thousand five hundred dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the regulating and paving of Webster avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to Moshulu Parkway, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement. Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, July 29, 1898.

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

SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting July 28, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Noah C. Rogers and others, duly advertised and submitted this the 28th day of July, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that the roadway of Webster avenue be paved with vitrified brick, between Southern Boulevard and Moshulu Parkway, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4025.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, Borough of The Bronx (page 405, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay out East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 19th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Cypress avenue to Southern Boulevard, and from Locust avenue to the East river, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to lay out and extend the aforesaid street as follows:

(1.) East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, extending from Cypress avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

Beginning at a point in the western line of Cypress avenue distant 210 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Cypress avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence westerly and parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-second street for 375 feet.

3d. Thence northerly and parallel to Cypress avenue for 25.56 feet to the southern line of Southern Boulevard.

4th. Thence westerly along said line, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 1,482.90 feet radius for 361.93 feet.

5th. Thence easterly and parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-second street for 725.64 feet to the point of beginning.

(2.) East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, extending from Locust avenue to the East river.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Locust avenue distant 212.96 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Locust avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 446.14 feet to the bulkhead-line of the East river.

3d. Thence southerly deflecting 91 degrees 5 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 60.01 feet along the bulkhead-line of the East river.

4th. Thence westerly for 445 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-third street to be 60 feet wide.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you for your action thereon a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 19th of July, 1899, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out and extending East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

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

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

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 19th day of July, 1899.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 21st day of June, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Cypress avenue to Southern Boulevard and from Locust avenue to the East river, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 19th day of July, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and extending would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out and extending would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 19th day of July, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 19th day of July, 1899; and

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

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Cypress avenue to Southern Boulevard and from Locust avenue to the East river, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out and extend the aforesaid street as follows:

(1.) East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, extending from Cypress avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

Beginning at a point in the western line of Cypress avenue distant 210 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Cypress avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence westerly and parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-second street for 375 feet.

3d. Thence northerly and parallel to Cypress avenue for 25.56 feet to the southern line of Southern Boulevard.

4th. Thence westerly along said line, curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 1,482.90 feet radius for 361.93 feet.

5th. Thence easterly and parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-second street for 725.64 feet to the point of beginning.

(2.) East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, extending from Locust avenue to the East river.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Locust avenue distant 212.96 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Locust avenue for 60 feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 446.14 feet to the bulkhead-line of the East river.

3d. Thence southerly deflecting 91 degrees 5 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 60.01 feet along the bulkhead-line of the East river.

4th. Thence westerly for 445 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Thirty-third street to be 60 feet wide.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4026.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving, etc., Bradhurst avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 417, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to pave, etc., Bradhurst avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation of the carriageway of Bradhurst avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being fifteen thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and ninety-five thousand dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HERMAN SULZER, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the paving with asphalt-block pavement of Bradhurst avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of a resolution adopted by the Local Board, recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

NEW YORK CITY, May 16, 1899.

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

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held May 16, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough

of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that Bradhurst avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, be paved with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation.

Respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4027.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of reregulating, etc., Fifty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan (page 421, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to reregulate, etc., Fifty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the reregulating, regrading, recubing and reflagging of Fifty-seventh street, from a point two hundred and sixty feet west of Eleventh avenue to the line of Twelfth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being three thousand nine hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and fifty-seven thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

To the Honorable Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the reregulating, regrading, recubing, etc., of Fifty-seventh street, from a point 260 feet west of Eleventh avenue to the line of Twelfth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan.

This ordinance is instead of and to take the place of the one approved by this Board on December 5 last, and forwarded to your Honorable Body for action, which ordinance kindly return.

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

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

NEW YORK CITY, July 25, 1899.

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

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held July 25, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that Fifty-seventh street, from a point two hundred and sixty feet west of Eleventh avenue to the line of Twelfth avenue, be reregulated, regraded, recubed and reflagged.

Adopted.

Yours truly,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Map attached.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4028.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Jennings street, Borough of The Bronx (page 448, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Jennings street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and paving with granite-block pavement, and the laying of crosswalks where not already laid, of the carriageway of Jennings street, from Union avenue to Stebbins avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being nine thousand six hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and sixty-six thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HERMAN SULZER, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the regulating, paving, etc., of Jennings street, from Union avenue to Stebbins avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, May 13, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting May 12 last, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Property Owners' Association, Fox Estate and vicinity, and others, duly advertised and submitted this the 12th day of May, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly that the roadway of Jennings street be paved with block pavement, from Union avenue to Stebbins avenue, and crosswalks laid where necessary; and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly.

Respectfully,

(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4029.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx (page 450, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :
That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, laying of crosswalks and the erecting of fences where necessary, from Bainbridge avenue to Webster avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being thirteen thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is eighty thousand nine hundred dollars.

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

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street, from Bainbridge avenue to Webster avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, May 12, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting May 11, 1899, viz. :

Resolved, That, on petition of Sarah A. Morris and others, duly advertised and submitted the 11th day of May, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street, from Bainbridge avenue to Webster avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary ; and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4030.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Belmont avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 451, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Belmont avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Belmont avenue, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, laying of crosswalks, erecting of fences where necessary, planting of trees on the sidewalks and the paving of the roadway with telford macadam, from Tremont avenue to the lands of St. John's College, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being fifty-eight thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and ninety-nine thousand six hundred and fifty dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HERMAN SULZER, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—I herewith inclose, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant, regulating, grading, etc., of Belmont avenue, from Tremont avenue to the lands of St. John's College, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, January 26, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting January 26, 1899, viz. :

Resolved, That, on petition of Louis Eickwort and others, duly advertised and submitted this the 26th day of January, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly, that Belmont avenue be regulated and graded, curbstones set, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks and the roadway paved with telford macadam, from Tremont avenue to the lands of St. John's College ; and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4031.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., East One Hundred and Eightieth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 454, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Eightieth street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet in width, laying of cross-

walks where required, building of fences where necessary, planting of trees on the sidewalks and the paving of the roadway with macadam, between Third avenue and the Bronx river, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being ninety thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is three hundred and sixty-six thousand four hundred and eighty-six dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HERMAN SULZER, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant, providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, between Third avenue and the Bronx river, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, February 2, 1899.

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

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

Resolved, That, on petition of Rowland W. Thomas and others, duly advertised and submitted this the 2d day of February, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Eightieth street be regulated and graded, curbstones set, sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width, that crosswalks be laid where required and fences built where necessary ; that trees be planted on the sidewalks, and that the roadway be paved with macadam, between Third avenue and the Bronx river ; and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4032.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Wendover avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 455, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Wendover avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and paving with granite-block pavement of the carriageway of Wendover avenue, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, and the laying of crosswalks where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four thousand seven hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and fifty-three thousand dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the regulating, paving, etc., of Wendover avenue, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, April 22, 1898.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting on April 21 last, viz. :

Resolved, That on petition submitted of J. Altieri and others, and hearing given thereon this the 21st day of April, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly that the roadway of Wendover avenue, between Third avenue and Fulton avenue, be paved with granite block, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly.

Respectfully,
(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4033.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx (page 457, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of the carriageway with granite-block pavement, and the laying of crosswalks where necessary, of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Prospect avenue to Southern Boulevard, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being forty-five thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and eighty-three thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, HENRY FRENCH, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—I herewith inclose, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the paving and the laying of crosswalks of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Prospect avenue to Southern Boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, April 4, 1898.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting on March 31 last, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition submitted of Henry D. Tiffany and others, and hearing given thereon this 31st day of March, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly that the roadway of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Prospect avenue to Westchester avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement and crosswalks be laid where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4034.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Prospect avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 459, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Prospect avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and paving with telford-macadam pavement, and laying of crosswalks where not already laid, in Prospect avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being forty-three thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is five hundred and fifty-six thousand six hundred and ten dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1899.

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

SIRS—I herewith inclose, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 26th instant providing for the regulating, paving, etc., of Prospect avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, May 13, 1898.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting May 12 last, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of John H. Borgstede and others, duly advertised, and submitted this 12th day of May, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly that the roadway of Prospect avenue be paved with telford macadam, between Westchester avenue and Boston road, and crosswalks laid where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements and the Municipal Assembly.

Respectfully,
(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4035.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of construction of retaining-walls on Macomb's Dam road, Borough of Manhattan (page 461, Minutes, August 9, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the construction of retaining-walls on Macomb's Dam road, where necessary, between One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and the Macomb's Dam Bridge abutment, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 17th day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of retaining-walls on Macomb's Dam road, where necessary to sustain said road, between One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and the Macomb's Dam Bridge abutment, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is thirty-five thousand dollars.

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

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

NEW YORK CITY, February 21, 1899.

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

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Public Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held February 21, 1899, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that the proper department be directed to proceed to construct retaining-walls on Macomb's Dam road, where necessary to sustain said road, between One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and the Macomb's Dam Bridge abutment.

Respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4036.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving Chisholm place, in the Borough of The Bronx (page 593, Minutes, September 5, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the paving of Chisholm street, from Jennings street to Stebbins avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 16th day of August, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of Chisholm street, from Jennings street to Stebbins avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, with granite blocks, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being six thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is ninety-one thousand six hundred dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 19, 1899.

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

SIRS—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 16th instant authorizing the paving of Chisholm street, from Jennings street to Stebbins avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

This improvement was recommended by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, copy of whose resolution is also inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, April 14, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District at its meeting, April 13, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of Wm. C. Butler and others, duly advertised and submitted the 13th day of April, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Chisholm street, from Jennings street to Stebbins avenue, be paved with granite blocks, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4037.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of reregulating, etc., East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 595, Minutes, September 5, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for reregulating, regrading, etc., East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 16th day of August, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the reregulating and regrading of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Brook avenue and St. Ann's avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, resetting of curbstones, reflagging of sidewalks a space four feet in width through the centre thereof, relaying of crosswalks where necessary and erecting of fences where required, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being one thousand seven hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is twenty-nine thousand five hundred dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 19, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 16th instant, in accordance with resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx (copy of which is also inclosed herewith), providing for the reregulating and regrading, etc., of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, Borough of The Bronx.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, May 19, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting May 18, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Mary T. Upington, per George Upington and others, duly advertised and submitted the 18th day of May, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Brook avenue and St. Ann's avenue, be reregulated and regraded, curbstones reset, sidewalks reflagged a space four feet in width through the centre thereof, crosswalks relaid where necessary, and fences erected where required, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4038.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of providing an Engineer's house at the Gravesend Pumping Station, Borough of Brooklyn (page 786, Minutes, September 12, 1899), respectively

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE providing for erection of Engineer's house at the Gravesend Pumping Station, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 6th day of September, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the erection of an Engineer's house at the Gravesend Pumping Station, northeast corner of East Thirteenth street and Avenue V, in the Borough of Brooklyn, under the direction of the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the fund derived from the collection of water revenue in the Borough of Brooklyn."

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, September 11, 1899.

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

SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 6th instant providing for the erection of an Engineer's house at the Gravesend Pumping Station, Borough of Brooklyn.

This improvement is recommended by the Commissioner of Water Supply, and the expense is estimated at \$4,000, which will be paid from water revenues collected in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 4039.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of establishing the width of the sidewalks on Seventy-ninth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Hudson river, Borough of Manhattan (page 787, Minutes, September 12, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE establishing the width of sidewalks on West Seventy-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, at twenty feet.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 6th day of September, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, That, in pursuance of section 416, subdivision 2, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, the establishing the width of the sidewalks of West Seventy-ninth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Hudson river, in the Borough of Manhattan, at twenty feet, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved."

JOHN J. MURPHY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, September 11, 1899.

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

SIRS—Inclosed herewith please find form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 6th instant, establishing the width of the sidewalks of West Seventy-ninth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Hudson river, Borough of Manhattan, at twenty feet, which is transmitted to your Honorable Body for action.

This ordinance was approved on the recommendation of the Commissioners of Parks and the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

Respectfully,

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4040.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed preamble and resolutions in commendation of John Philip Sousa (page 21, Minutes, October 4, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said preamble and resolutions be adopted.

Whereas, One of the most memorable features of the magnificent tribute to Admiral George Dewey by The City of New York was the marvelously magnetic music rendered by the incomparable composer John Philip Sousa and the unrivaled band led by him; and

Whereas, This superb contribution of melody, which stirred the souls of acclaiming millions, was the free gift of the said John Philip Sousa;

Resolved, That this Municipal Assembly desires to place on record its appreciation of the generosity, no less than the skill, of this master of the mysteries of music, of whom his fellow-citizens are proud;

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to cause the foregoing preamble and resolutions to be suitably engrossed and framed and presented, duly signed by his Honor the Mayor and every member of the Municipal Assembly, and attested by the City Clerk, to John Philip Sousa, the expense for the same not to exceed one hundred and fifty (150) dollars, to be charged to the account of "City Contingencies."

FRANK J. GOODWIN, ADAM H. LEICH, HENRY FRENCH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Finance.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 4041.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Stebbins avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 355, Minutes, October 17, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Stebbins avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of March, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Stebbins avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1899.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 10, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the laying of water-mains in Stebbins avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, in accordance with resolution adopted by this Board on the 8th day of March, 1899.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, recommending that said water-mains be laid.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, February 2, 1899.

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

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

Resolved, That on petition of Margaret O'Neil and others, submitted this 2d day of February, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a water-main be laid in Stebbins avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Westchester avenue, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 4042.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., College avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets, Borough of The Bronx (page 476, Minutes, October 24, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., College avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of College avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks and the erecting of fences where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being one thousand four hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is seventy-one thousand dollars.

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

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1899.

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

SIRS—In accordance with a resolution adopted by this Board on the 11th instant, I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved on the above-named date, authorizing the regulating, grading, etc., of College avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets, Borough of The Bronx.

This improvement was authorized on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District by resolution adopted June 9, 1899, copy of which resolution is herewith inclosed.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, June 9, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting June 8, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of George J. Harlow and others, duly advertised and submitted the 8th day of June, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that College avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4043.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from St. Ann's to Prospect avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 496, Minutes, October 24, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to pave East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of the carriageway with granite blocks of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from St. Ann's avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being sixteen thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is six hundred and sixty-seven thousand seven hundred dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 11th instant providing for the paving with asphalt of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from St. Ann's to Prospect avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District of said borough recommending that the above street be paved.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, November 17, 1898.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting on November 17 last, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of George F. Johnson and another, dated September 12 last, from East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street paving with granite blocks, from St. Ann's avenue to Leggett's avenue, duly advertised and submitted this 17th day of November, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, finding that East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Prospect to Leggett's avenue, had been partly graded by the owners of the property, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street be paved with granite blocks from St. Ann's avenue to Prospect avenue only, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4044.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating and grading Kingsbridge road, between Webster avenue and the Harlem river, Borough of The Bronx (page 500, Minutes, October 24, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Kingsbridge road, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Kingsbridge road, between

Webster avenue and the Harlem river, Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide, laying of crosswalks, and erecting of fences where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being seventy-four thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one million two hundred and forty-four thousand two hundred and fifty dollars.

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

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 11th instant providing for the regulating and grading, etc., of Kingsbridge road, between Webster Avenue and the Harlem river, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of the resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District recommending the said improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, January 5, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting January 5, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of John E. Chambers and others, duly advertised, and submitted this 5th day of January, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Kingsbridge road be regulated and graded, curbstones set, and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, between Webster avenue and the Harlem river, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4045.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating and grading East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Park to Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 501, Minutes, October 24, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Park avenue to Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks, and erecting of fences where necessary, and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work of improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is sixty-four thousand five hundred dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, HENRY FRENCH, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 11th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Park to Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District recommending the said improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, May 12, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting, May 11, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of George J. Kuhn and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 11th day of May, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Park avenue to Third avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, and trees planted on the sidewalks, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4046.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Briggs avenue, from One Hundred and Ninety-fourth to Two Hundredth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 502, Minutes, October 24, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Briggs avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Briggs avenue, from One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Two Hundredth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks where required, building of fences where necessary, and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, and the paving of the roadway with telford macadam, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being thirty-five thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and ninety-four thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars.

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

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, HENRY FRENCH, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 11th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Briggs avenue, from One Hundred and Ninety-fourth to Two Hundredth street, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District recommending the same.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, March 30, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 30, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Henry Schweitzer and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 30th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Briggs avenue, from One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Two Hundredth street, be regulated and graded, curbstones set, sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid where required, and fences built where necessary; that trees be planted on the sidewalks, and that the roadway be paved with telford macadam, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4047.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Freeman street, from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx river, Borough of The Bronx (page 504, Minutes, October 24, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Freeman street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Freeman street, from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx river, Borough of The Bronx, and the paving of the roadway with telford macadam, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide, laying of crosswalks, erecting of fences where necessary, and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate, in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being forty-three thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and forty thousand eight hundred dollars.

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

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 11th instant providing for the regulating and grading, etc., of Freeman street, from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx river.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board, Twenty-first District, recommending the regulating and grading of the above-named street.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, May 19, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting, May 18, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of A. R. Baumann and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 18th day of May, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Freeman street, from the Southern Boulevard to Bronx river, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks and the roadway be paved with telford macadam, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4048.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out and extending West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Edgecombe road, Borough of Manhattan (page 547, Minutes, October 31, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay out and extend West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 25th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out and extending West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Edgecombe road, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out and extend the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant 879.50 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 217.88 feet to the westerly line of Edgecombe road; thence southerly along said line, and in a curved-line to the left, radius 335 feet, distance 44.92 feet; thence still southerly and in a reversed curve to the right, radius 230.06 feet, distance 16.88 feet; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 216.65 feet to the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas, thence northerly along said line, distance 54.45 feet, thence still along said line and deflecting to the right 4 degrees, 48 minutes and 20 seconds, distance 7.62 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Avenue St. Nicholas and Edgecombe road. JOHN J. MURPHY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HENRY FRENCH, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, October 26, 1899.

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

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

a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 25th of October, 1899, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out and extending West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Edgecombe road, in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

At a hearing in the matter given by the Board a protest was submitted, copy of which is herewith inclosed.

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

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 25th day of October, 1899.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 6th day of September, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out and extending West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Edgecombe road, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 27th day of September, 1899, at 2 o'clock P.M., at which such proposed laying out and extending would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out and extending would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 27th day of September, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 27th day of September, 1899; and

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

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out and extending West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Edgecombe road, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out and extend the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant 879.50 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, distance 217.88 feet to the westerly line of Edgecombe road; thence southerly along said line and in a curved line to the left, radius 335 feet, distance 44.92 feet; thence still southerly, and in a reversed curve to the right, radius 230.06 feet, distance 16.88 feet; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 216.65 feet to the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas, thence northerly along said line, distance 54.45 feet, thence still along said line and deflecting to the right 4 degrees, 48 minutes and 20 seconds, distance 7.62 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Avenue St. Nicholas and Edgecombe road. Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out and extending West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

(Copy.)

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

William A. Spencer, Charles G. Spencer and Wolcott G. Lane, as trustees under the will of Lorillard Spencer, deceased, for the benefit of Eleanor L. S. Cenci and remaindermen, the said William A. Spencer, Charles G. Spencer and Wolcott G. Lane, as trustees under the will of Lorillard Spencer and remaindermen, and the said William A. Spencer and Charles G. Spencer individually, being the owners as tenants in common of all the land lying in the northerly half of the proposed bed of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, between St. Nicholas avenue and Edgecombe road, and a strip of land about 15 feet in width on the northerly side of said proposed One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, and Eleanor L. S. Cenci, the owner of a lot of land situated on the easterly side of St. Nicholas avenue and immediately adjoining on the north the land last above mentioned, respectfully submit the following objections to the proposed opening of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Edgecombe road:

1st. There is no general demand for the opening of any such street, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth streets.

2d. If there is a demand for the opening of any such street between St. Nicholas avenue and Edgecombe road, the street which should be opened is One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, which is equidistant between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street.

3d. The opening of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street would be attended with less expense than the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, as there is a decidedly less grade and much less filling.

4th. Taxpayers have already paid considerable assessments on property in this immediate neighborhood, and will soon be subjected to further large assessments for the opening of Edgecombe road and should not at this time be further assessed for the opening of an unnecessary street.

5th. The petition to the President of the Borough of Manhattan is signed by John Creeden and is stated to be signed by five others without giving their names. This method of procedure is irregular and should not be countenanced by the Board of Public Improvements.

Dated NEW YORK, September 27, 1899.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM A. SPENCER, Trustee.
CHARLES G. SPENCER, Trustee.
WALCOTT G. LANE, Trustee.
By HOWARD C. TRACY, Attorney.
WILLIAM A. SPENCER,
By HOWARD C. TRACY, Attorney.
CHARLES G. SPENCER,
By HOWARD C. TRACY, Attorney.
ELEANORA L. S. CENCI,
By HOWARD C. TRACY, Attorney.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4049.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of paying bill of Samuel E. Warren for engrossing resolution presented to the Lord Mayor of Dublin and John E. Redmond, Esq., M.P. (page 587, Minutes, November 14, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted. Resolved, That the Auditor be requested to audit and the Comptroller to pay the bill of Samuel E. Warren, amounting to one hundred and twenty dollars, for engrossing and binding in morocco two sets of resolutions adopted by the Municipal Assembly and directed to be presented to the Right Honorable Daniel Tallon, Lord Mayor of Dublin, Ireland, and John E. Redmond, Esq., M.P., to be charged to the account of City Contingencies.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, CONRAD H. HESTER, ADAM H. LEICH, Committee on Finance.

NEW YORK, N.Y., November 8, 1899.

The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, To SAMUEL E. WARREN, Dr.

To engrossing and binding in morocco two (2) sets of resolutions tendered by the City to the Right Honorable Daniel Tallon and John E. Redmond, Esq., M.P., at \$60 each..... \$120 00

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 4050.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, November 6, 1899.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 1st instant, providing for the grading, guttering, etc., of Hinsdale street, between Atlantic and Sutter avenues, Borough of Brooklyn. I inclose herewith copy of communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, urging that this improvement be carried out.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to grade, etc., Hinsdale street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 1st day of November, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading, guttering, curbing and laying of crosswalks of Hinsdale street, between Atlantic and Sutter avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the paving of the carriageway with Belgian blocks, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twenty thousand three hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and thirty-two thousand one hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, in accordance with chapter 310, Laws of 1892, Twenty-sixth Ward Improvement Fund.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, July 25, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—In the absence of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, I submit for your consideration the inclosed resolution requesting the Comptroller to certify to your Board whether one-fifth of the total assessment has been paid by property-owners along the line of Hinsdale street, between Atlantic and Sutter avenues, for the grading and paving of said street, as required under the terms of the Twenty-sixth Ward Improvement Act before the contract can be let; and also requesting the Comptroller, in case he finds the required amount has been paid, to bring to the attention of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the necessity of at once authorizing the issuing of a-sessment bonds to meet the cost of said improvement.

This action, if approved, is in line with that followed by your Board in the matter of improving seven other streets pursuant to the Twenty-sixth Ward Improvement Act. When these proceedings were progressed by your Board (see Minutes, January 25, page 126), the necessary one-fifth of assessments had not been paid by Hinsdale street property-owners. Since then this amount has, I understand, been met, and as proceedings have been pending for several years, I wish to urge that there be no delay now in furthering them.

Very respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner of Bridges.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 4051.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of prohibiting peddling on certain streets (Minutes, November 28, 1899), respectfully

REPORT:

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

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

Section 1. No person shall peddle or hawk any wares in the streets of The City of New York within two hundred and fifty feet of any school or court-house, church or hospital, between the hours of eight o'clock in the morning and four o'clock in the afternoon of each day or at any time in the following-named streets: Nassau street, between Spruce and Wall streets; Chambers street, between Broadway and Centre street; Fulton street, between Broadway and the East river.

Sec. 2. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof by any magistrate, either upon confession of the party or by competent testimony, may be fined for each such offense any sum not less than one dollar or more than ten dollars, and in default of the payment of such fine may be committed to prison by such magistrate until the same be paid; but such imprisonment shall not exceed ten days.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, CHARLES H. EBBETS, FRANK J. GOODWIN, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Law Department.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

No. 4052.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,
NEW YORK, December 5, 1899.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President, Municipal Assembly:

DEAR SIR—Herewith I transmit resolutions authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York as follows:

Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, \$1,000,000, for the purpose of providing means for the construction of foundations for piers, etc., for a bridge over the East river between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, \$1,000,000, for the purpose of providing means for the construction of foundations for piers, etc., for a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens.

Which were adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held this day.

Very respectfully,

THOS. L. FEITNER, Secretary.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), for the purpose of providing means for constructing necessary foundations for piers for a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, according to the plans approved by the Board of Public Improvements at its meeting held November 29, 1899, and for other necessary expenses connected with the construction of said bridge, and that, subject to concurrence by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue such Corporate Stock to said amount and for the purposes aforesaid.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 5, 1899.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), for the purpose of providing means for constructing necessary foundations for piers for a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, according to the plans approved by the Board of Public Improvements at its meeting held November 29, 1899, and for other necessary expenses connected with the construction of said bridge, and that, subject to concurrence by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue such Corporate Stock to said amount and for the purposes aforesaid.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, December 5, 1899.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one million dollars for the purpose of providing means for constructing necessary foundations for piers for a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.

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

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in and approves of the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 5, 1899, reading as follows:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), for the purpose of providing means for constructing necessary foundations for piers for a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, according to the plans approved by the Board of Public Improvements at its meeting held November 29, 1899, and for other necessary expenses connected with the construction of said bridge, and that, subject to concurrence by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue such Corporate Stock to said amount and for the purposes aforesaid.

Sec. 2. The Comptroller of The City of New York is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of The Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), to provide for the payment of the expenses described in and authorized by the first section of this ordinance.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 4053.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one million dollars for the purpose of providing means for constructing necessary foundations for piers for a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens.

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

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in and approves of the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 5, 1899, reading as follows: Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for the purpose of providing means for constructing necessary foundations for piers for a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, according to the plans approved by the Board of Public Improvements at its meeting held November 29, 1899, and for other necessary expenses connected with the construction of said bridge, and that, subject to concurrence by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue such Corporate Stock to said amount and for the purposes aforesaid.

Sec. 2. The Comptroller of The City of New York is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) to provide for the payment of the expenses described in and authorized by the first section of this ordinance.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 4054.

By the President—

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

By the President—

Richard A. Rendich, Nos. 375 to 379 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
T. Darling, No. 142 West One Hundred and Eleventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Bailey—

Abraham H. Kaffenburgh, No. 89 Centre street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Burrell—

Joseph B. Weed, No. 1229 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Elliott—

William V. Elliott, No. 86 South Ninth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Geiser—

John J. Rensing, Glendale, Queens.

By Alderman Kennefick—

Charles J. Tourelle, No. 332 Greenwich street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Lang—

Robt. Nimmo, No. 70 Harmon street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Thos. F. McCaul—

Edward A. Hillebrand, No. 307 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McKeever—

Thomas J. Lyons, No. 796 Bergen street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Roddy—

David C. Taylor, No. 4 East Ninety-seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Smith—

Thomas McManus, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wafer—

Flavel N. Bliss, No. 534 Henry street, Brooklyn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Burrell, Cronin, Diemer, Dunphy, Elliott, Geiger, Geiser, Goodman, Hennessy, James, Keahon, Keegan, Keely, Kennefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, Ledwith, McCall, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, Muh, Roddy, Smith, Stewart, Vaughan, Velton, Wafer, Woodward, and the President—34.

No. 4055.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Shortell Association to parade with a tally-ho coach and music through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan on the evening of Saturday, December 9, 1899, under the direction of the Chief of Police.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 4056.

By Alderman Keahon—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Moses Straus to lay tracks from the New York Central Railroad across West street, at or near Hewitt avenue, West Washington Market, to No. 1 Hewitt avenue, West Washington Market, in the Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the rails to be of a pattern approved by the Commissioner of Highways, and to be laid and maintained flush with the surface of the street, so as not to interfere with the free use thereof by the public, all the work of laying the tracks, paving between the tracks and two feet outside the outside rails of the same, and maintaining the said pavement in good order to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Highways, to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

No. 4057.

By Alderman Goodman—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply be and he is hereby respectfully requested to remove the public watering-trough for man and beast, from the northwest corner of Park avenue and One Hundred and Eighteenth street, to the southwest corner of Park avenue and One Hundred and Nineteenth street, the same being consented to by the property-owners affected.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 4058.

By the same—

Resolved, That Sidney Klotz, of No. 64 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, be and he is hereby permitted to use the sidewalks of the city for the display of advertising matter carried on the shoulders of men; the same to be free from all objectionable features, and in no way to be an obstruction on said thoroughfares; the several men to be constantly moving from place to place, and who shall not interfere to any extent with the use of sidewalks by pedestrians. The same to be done at the expense of said Sidney Klotz, under the direction and control of the Chief of Police; this privilege not to extend beyond three months from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 4059.

By Alderman Muh—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Chuck Connor's Association to parade from Twenty-third street to Fifty-ninth street, from Sixth avenue to the North river, in the Borough of Manhattan, with a drum and fife corps and a truck, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until December 23, 1899.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

REPORTS.

No. 4060.—(S. O. 82.)

The Special Committee of Seven appointed to carry into effect the resolutions adopted on the death of Hon. Jacob D. Ackerman, Alderman from the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, in accordance with the provisions of the resolution on the death of Alderman Ackerman, a copy of which is hereto annexed, your Committee incurred expenses amounting to \$443, of which the following are the particular sums:

To C. H. Koster, for decorating and draping the Aldermanic Chamber, chair and desk, for thirty days	\$353 00
To James Weir's Sons, for a floral piece of the vacant chair design	40 00
To Samuel E. Warren, for engrossing and framing resolutions on the death of Alderman Jacob D. Ackerman, as per agreement	50 00

Total \$443 00

Your Committee therefore reports for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby respectfully requested to draw a warrant in favor of C. H. Koster for \$353, for decorating and draping the Aldermanic Chamber and the chair and desk of the late Alderman Jacob D. Ackerman for thirty days; to draw a warrant in favor of James Weir's Sons for \$40, for a floral design of the vacant chair, used at the funeral of

Hon. Jacob D. Ackerman, deceased; to draw a further warrant for \$50 in favor of Samuel E. Warren, for engrossing and framing resolutions on the death of the said Alderman Jacob D. Ackerman, the same to be paid out of the appropriation for "City Contingencies," 1899.

Whereas, The Board of Aldermen of The City of New York has sustained its fourth loss in less than two years by the death of Hon. Jacob D. Ackerman, Alderman from the Seventeenth Assembly District of the County of Kings; and

Whereas, Alderman Jacob D. Ackerman, during his incumbency of the office, by his sterling manhood, his clean and honorable record, commanded the esteem and friendship of every member of the Board; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Board of Aldermen, deplore the sudden demise of the said Hon. Jacob D. Ackerman, and present to his widow our heartfelt condolence for her irreparable bereavement;

Resolved, further, That the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen and the chair and desk occupied by our deceased colleague be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days, and that the members of the Board attend the funeral in a body; be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed and duly authenticated, be transmitted to the widow of the deceased; and be it further

Resolved, That a special committee of seven, of which the President shall be ex-officio a member, be appointed to carry these resolutions into effect.

Resolved, That as an additional mark of respect this Board do now adjourn.

In moving the adoption of the preamble and resolutions, Alderman John T. McCall spoke feelingly of the character and services of his colleague, followed by Alderman Woodward, who, in the same manner, seconded the same.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said preamble and resolutions.

Which was decided in the affirmative by a rising vote.

The President then appointed Aldermen John L. Burleigh, William Wentz, John S. Roddy, Oscar S. Bailey, Collin H. Woodward, Bernard Schmitt and John T. Lang a committee to carry the foregoing resolutions into effect.

JOHN L. BURLEIGH, COLLIN H. WOODWARD, JOHN S. RODDY, JOHN T. LANG, Special Committee on death of Alderman Ackerman.

Alderman Vaughan moved that the report be made a special order for Tuesday, December 12, 1899, at 2.30 o'clock P. M.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

At this point the President directed the Clerk to call the roll to ascertain how many members were present.

Which resulted as follows:

Present—Hon. Thomas F. Woods, President; Aldermen Abraham L. Bennett, James J. Bridges, John L. Burleigh, George A. Burrell, Jeremiah Cronin, John Diemer, James J. Dunphy, James F. Elliott, James E. Gaffney, Henry Geiger, Joseph Geiser, Elias Goodman, Frank Hennessy, William T. James, Patrick H. Keahon, William Keegan, Patrick S. Keely, Jeremiah Kennefick, Francis P. Kenney, John P. Koch, John T. Lang, Michael Ledwith, John T. McCall, Lawrence W. McGrath, James H. McInnes, Stephen W. McKeever, Robert Muh, John S. Roddy, James J. Smith, David S. Stewart, John J. Vaughan, Jr., Jacob J. Velton, Moses J. Wafer, and Collin H. Woodward—35.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 4061.

By Alderman Thomas F. McCaul—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Shea to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 2098 Third avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided that the said storm-door be erected in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

By unanimous consent Alderman Koch called up G. O. 37, being a report of the Committee on Parks, as follows:

No. 328.

The Committee on Parks, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance locating a public park bounded by Houston street, Avenue A, First street and First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend the following resolution for adoption:

Resolved, That the above-mentioned ordinance be referred to the President of the Borough of Manhattan to be presented to the Local Board of Improvements.

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

Section 1. That a public park and playground be provided in that portion of the city bounded by the northerly side of Houston street, corner of First avenue; thence running along said street eastwardly up to Avenue A; along Avenue A to First street; along First street to First avenue, and along First avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Sec. 2. That the Counsel to the Corporation is hereby authorized to institute condemnation proceedings on behalf of the City against the property-owners of said square block, and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby ordered to make all necessary provision for defraying the cost of said improvement.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

LAWRENCE W. McGRATH, P. TECUMSEH SHERMAN, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., FRANK HENNESSY, Committee on Parks.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt the accompanying resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent, Alderman Woodward called up G. O. 218, being a report of the Committee on Railroads, as follows:

No. 170.

NEW YORK, January 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

On February 8, 1898, the following proposed ordinance was referred to the undersigned, the Committee on Railroads:

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

Section 1. It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to smoke upon the platforms of any car, or within any car, operated by any railroad company in the boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx, in The City of New York, except as hereinafter provided. Each and every railroad company operating street surface cars in the said boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx shall provide cars in which smoking shall be permitted. Such cars shall be run between the termini at intervals of not less than one in every three cars between the hours of five and nine in the morning, and between the hours of five and seven in the afternoon, and during the remainder of the day and night such cars shall be run at intervals of not less than one in every four cars. Companies operating cars on elevated railroads shall provide, at the end of each train, a car in which smoking shall be permitted.

Sec. 2. Such cars as are intended to be herein provided for the use and accommodation of smokers shall have placed upon them signs reading "smoking car," or shall have painted upon them the words "smoking car," in conspicuous places over the front and rear platforms of each such car, or words to the same effect and having the same import.

Sec. 3. Any railroad corporation failing to supply cars for such use and purpose as hereinbefore set forth, on or before April 1, 1898, shall be liable as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 4. Any railroad corporation, or the superintendent or manager thereof, violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable to a penalty of one hundred dollars for each and every offense.

Sec. 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Reports on two proposed ordinances of similar character, presented by this Committee on this date, give the reasons for recommending the adoption of the following:

Resolved, That this Committee be and it is hereby discharged from further consideration of the proposed ordinance; which shall be and is placed on file.

FREDERICK F. FLECK, JOHN T. MCCALL, ELIAS GOODMAN, JAMES J. SMITH, PATRICK S. KEELY, Committee on Railroads.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt the accompanying resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent Alderman Woodward called up G. O. 317, being a report of the Committee on Railroads, as follows:

No. 39.

JANUARY 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

On January 18, 1898, the following proposed ordinance was referred to the undersigned, the Committee on Railroads:

By Alderman Hennessy—

AN ORDINANCE in relation to smoking on the cars of the railroad companies operating their lines in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to smoke upon the platforms or inside of any car operated by any railroad company in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, except as provided in this section. Such smoking may be permitted upon open surface cars, under such rules and regulations as may be conducive to the comfort of the passengers. During the season of the year when open cars are not run, each railroad company operating a street railroad in the Borough of Brooklyn shall, on each of its routes, provide cars in which smoking will be permitted. Such cars must be run at intervals of not less than one in every three cars in the morning between the hours of five and nine, and in the afternoon between the hours of five and seven; and during the remainder of the day at intervals of not less than one in every four cars. Railroad companies operating elevated railroad cars shall provide at the end of each train a car in which smoking will be permitted.

Sec. 2. Any railroad corporation or superintendent or manager thereof violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable to a penalty of one hundred dollars for each and every offense.

We have given due consideration to this ordinance, and are not disposed to report favorably thereon.

In another report on a similar proposition, we give our reasons for dissenting; which reasons prompt us to offer the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Railroads be and it is hereby discharged from further consideration of the subject, and that the proposed ordinance be placed on file.

FREDERICK F. FLECK, JOHN T. MCCALL, ELIAS GOODMAN, JAMES J. SMITH, PATRICK S. KEELY, Committee on Railroads.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt the accompanying resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent Alderman James called up G. O. 354, being a resolution, as follows:

No. 3258.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully directed and authorized to cause street lamps to be so placed that street signs thereon run parallel with the streets named.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent Alderman Woodward called up G. O. 216, being a report of the Committee on Railroads, as follows:

No. 1063.

NEW YORK, January 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

On July 12, 1898, the following communication from the office of the Corporation Counsel was referred to the undersigned, the Committee on Railroads:

LAW DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
July 11, 1898.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—There has been called to my attention the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby respectfully requested to at once take steps to stop the Nassau Railroad Company from laying out a new loop and terminus for its railway at or about South Eighth street and Wythe avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn."

"Adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 28, 1898."

"MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk."

Upon receipt of the above I caused an investigation to be made which disclosed the following facts: The Deputy Commissioner of Highways for the Borough of Brooklyn informs me that a careful investigation was made when the application was filed, that he recommended the granting of the permit; that the permit issued on May 27, 1898, and that the work was completed prior to June 28, 1898.

Under these circumstances it is, of course, impossible to stop the laying of the tracks, both because of the permit which was issued and because the work was finished before this resolution was adopted.

Awaiting your further pleasure, I am,

Respectfully yours,

CHAS. BLANDY, Acting Corporation Counsel.

Your Committee recognize fully that work completed could not be stopped, yet we feel that if such work was done without ample authority of law, some steps can and ought to be taken to compel due regard to statute and ordinance, in this instance and at all future times.

We offer the following:

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he hereby is requested to transmit to this Board an opinion:

First—Had the Nassau Railroad Company the legal right to lay out a new loop and terminus, as set forth in the resolution hereinbefore recited, without action of and consent duly given by the Municipal Assembly?

Second—If said railroad company did the work above-mentioned without ample legal authority, what steps are necessary to compel the undoing of said work, or what should be done to properly legalize it?

FREDERICK F. FLECK, JOHN T. MCCALL, ELIAS GOODMAN, JAMES J. SMITH, PATRICK S. KEELY, Committee on Railroads.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt the accompanying resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent Alderman Woodward called up G. O. 215, being a report of the Committee on Railroads, as follows:

No. 1648.

NEW YORK, January 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

On November 22, 1898, the following proposed ordinance was referred to the undersigned, the Committee on Railroads:

AN ORDINANCE to compel street surface and elevated railroad companies to provide shelter for their passengers while awaiting transfer from one point to another.

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

Section 1. On and after November 30, 1898, each and every street, surface or elevated railroad company operating in The City of New York shall be compelled to erect a suitable and adequate structure to protect its passengers from rain or the fall of snow or from any inclement weather, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each and every offense.

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

We have given very careful consideration to this subject. We fully realize the necessity of some protection for the traveling public in inclement weather, as contemplated in the proposed ordinance, but we fail to see a way clear to carry into effect the plan proposed. On our prominent thoroughfares it would be absolutely impracticable to locate shelters as indicated, or to use cars for such purpose. At points of transfer, the time of leaving one car and boarding another is so short that passengers would make no use of shelters, even if they were provided. We feel that, under these conditions, it would be unjust to impose upon railroad companies an obligation so general and sweeping in its character. There may be reason in particular instances for the structures as suggested, at given points, but no justification exists for affirmative action on this ordinance as proposed.

We offer the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Railroads be and it is hereby discharged from further consideration of the proposed ordinance, and that the same be placed on file.

FREDERICK F. FLECK, JOHN T. MCCALL, ELIAS GOODMAN, JAMES J. SMITH, PATRICK S. KEELY, Committee on Railroads.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt the accompanying resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent Alderman Woodward called up G. O. 214, being a report of the Committee on Railroads, as follows:

No. 481.

NEW YORK, January 31, 1899.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

On March 29, 1898, the following preamble and resolutions were referred to the undersigned, the Committee on Railroads:

Whereas, It is contemplated by the Nassau Railroad Company to lay out a new loop and terminus for its railway at or about the locality on South Eighth street, between Kent and Wythe avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn; and

Whereas, The property-owners and residents in the above vicinity are opposed to such design and work and contemplated work by said railway company; and

Whereas, Such contemplated design and work will prove dangerous in its operation, and a constant menace to human life, inasmuch as the hereinbefore mentioned locality is one of the principal thoroughfares to and from the Twenty-third Street, Grand Street and Roosevelt Street Ferries for vehicles and foot passengers;

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Board that such contemplated design and work will prove in its operation highly dangerous to human life as well as a public nuisance, and that such contemplated design and work be and the same is hereby disapproved; and it is further

Resolved, That if the said railroad company shall apply to this Board for permission to prosecute, construct and operate such work hereinbefore stated and described, that such permission shall be refused to said company.

The nature of the foregoing does not admit of definite action, as it contemplates a course which in purpose and effect would be inoperative. We cannot, by any action on our part at this time, bind the Board to a refusal as set forth. Furthermore, since this matter was committed to us, the loop and terminus referred to have been built and are now being operated on. In another report presented by this committee legal opinions are requested from the Corporation Counsel, bearing directly upon this matter, and where such opinions are reported the Board may be in position to take steps which will produce the results desired in the above resolutions. If, however, the said opinions are unfavorable to further legislation by the Board, nothing herein contained can in any manner possible receive affirmative consideration on our part.

We offer the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Railroads be and it is hereby discharged from further consideration of the subject, and the foregoing resolutions be placed on file.

FREDERICK F. FLECK, JOHN T. MCCALL, ELIAS GOODMAN, JAMES J. SMITH, PATRICK S. KEELY, Committee on Railroads.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt the accompanying resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent Alderman Burleigh called up G. O. 79, being a report of the Committee on Law, as follows:

No. 963.

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance entitled "An Ordinance prohibiting the throwing of orange or banana peel, etc., upon the streets, sidewalks or public places of the city," respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE prohibiting the throwing of orange or banana peel, etc., upon the streets, sidewalks or public places of the city.

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

Section 1. No person shall throw upon the streets, sidewalks or public places of this city any orange or banana peel or other substance likely to cause persons passing along the same to slip or fall thereon.

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

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

GEORGE A. BURRELL, MATTHEW E. DOOLEY, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, JOSEPH A. FLINN, Committee on Law.

Alderman Bridges moved that the report and ordinance be amended by striking therefrom the word "streets," wherever it may appear.

Which amendment was accepted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance as amended.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Burrell, Cronin, Diemer, Dunphy, Elliott, Geiger, Geiser, Goodman, Hennessy, James, Keahon, Keegan, Keely, Kenefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, Ledwith, McCall, McCaul, McGrath, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Roddy, Stewart, Vaughan, Velton, Wafer, Woodward, and the President—34.

By unanimous consent Alderman Burleigh called up G. O. 181, being a report of the Committee on Law, as follows:

No. 962.

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of "prohibiting the distribution of hand-bills, dodgers, etc., upon the streets, avenues or public places of the city," respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE prohibiting the distribution of hand-bills, dodgers, etc., upon the streets, avenues or public places of this city.

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

Section 1. No person shall distribute or cause to be distributed any hand-bill, dodger, card, circular or advertising sheet in or upon the streets, avenues or public places of this city.

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

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

GEORGE A. BURRELL, JOSEPH A. FLINN, BERNARD GLICK, JACOB J. VELTON, Committee on Law.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, a majority of all the members elected having failed to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Burleigh, Cronin, Dunphy, Flinn, Gaffney, Goodman, James, Keely, Kenefick, Lang, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, Muh, Roddy, Stewart, Velton, Woodward, and the President—19.

Negative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burrell, Diemer, Geiger, Geiser, Hennessy, Keahon, Keegan, Kenney, Koch, Ledwith, McCall, McCaul, Metzger, Neufeld, Oatman, Smith, Vaughan, and Wafer—20.

By unanimous consent Alderman Burrell called up G. O. 111, being a report of the Committee on Law, as follows:

No. 769.—(G. O. 111.)

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to permit the temporary occupation by trucks, carts and vehicles of the street in front of blacksmiths' and wheelwrights' shops in The City of New York," respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to permit the temporary occupation by trucks, carts and vehicles of the street in front of blacksmiths' and wheelwrights' shops in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. On and after June 1, 1898, owners or drivers of trucks, carts and vehicles shall be permitted to leave their trucks, carts and vehicles in front of any blacksmith or wheelwright shop, while the same are undergoing repairs, provided that not more than three unhitched trucks, carts or vehicles shall be permitted to remain on the carriageway at any one time. That the proprietors or owners of said blacksmith or wheelwright shop shall keep the carriageway thoroughly clean under said trucks, carts or vehicles while the same are in process of repair.

Sec. 2. The driver or owner of any truck, cart or vehicle may be permitted to leave his truck, cart or vehicle in front of any horseshoeing shop, while the horse belonging to the said vehicle is being shod, but not more than one truck, cart or vehicle shall be permitted to remain on the carriageway at any one time. The penalty for every violation of this ordinance shall be ten dollars.

Sec. 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

GEORGE A. BURRELL, JOSEPH A. FLINN, JACOB J. VELTON, JAMES H. MCINNES, Committee on Law.

Alderman Burrell moved that the ordinance be amended by striking out the words and figures "June 1st, 1898," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "January 1, 1900."

Alderman Wafer moved that the report and ordinance be again laid over and printed in full in the minutes.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By unanimous consent Alderman Velton called up S. O. 57, being a report of the Committee on Law, as follows:

No. 1230.

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of preventing sale of cigarettes to minors (Minutes of September 13, 1898), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to prevent the sale of tobacco or cigarettes to minors in the City of New York.

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

Section 1. Any person or persons who sells or causes to be sold or gives away tobacco or cigarettes, whether composed of tobacco or any other substance, to any child or minor under the age of eighteen years within the limits of the territory embraced in The City of New York as now constituted shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine of ten dollars or ten days' imprisonment in the City Prison, or both, within the discretion of the magistrates trying such offense.

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

Sec. 3. This ordinance will take effect immediately.

GEORGE A. BURRELL, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, MATTHEW E. DOOLEY, JACOB J. VELTON, JOSEPH A. FLINN, BERNARD GLICK, Committee on Law.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Bridges, Burleigh, Burrell, Byrne, Cronin, Diemer, Dooley, Dunphy, Elliott, Flinn, Geiger, Goodman, Hennessy, James, Keahon, Keegan, Keely, Kennefick, Kenney, Koch, Lang, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Roddy, Smith, Stewart, Vaughan, Velton, Water, Woodward, the Vice-President, and the President—38.
Negative—Aldermen Gaffney, McCall, and Schneider—3.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Muh moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, December 12, 1899, at 1 o'clock P. M.

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

LOCAL BOARD.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, held its meeting in temporary Borough Hall on November 17, 1899, at which was present, Councilmen David L. Van Nostrand and Joseph Cassidy and President of the Borough of Queens, Frederick Bowley.

Minutes of previous meeting approved.

Public hearing upon the application of Lalance & Grosjean Manufacturing Company, to close Biglow place, from University place to Atlantic avenue, in Woodhaven, Fourth Ward, this borough, was accorded, which right was exercised by Messrs. P. Allen and W. E. Clark, who expressed themselves in opposition to the desires of the petitioners. Two protests that were submitted were read and ordered on file and the hearing declared closed.

It was agreed that the Board as a Committee of the Whole proceed to Woodhaven on Friday next, to investigate the matter.

Adjourned to December 1, 1899.

JOSEPH FIESEL, Secretary.

LOCAL BOARD.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, held its meeting in temporary Borough Hall, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, on December 1, 1899, at which was present, Councilman David L. Van Nostrand, Alderman William T. James and President of the Borough, Frederick Bowley.

Minutes of the previous meeting approved.

The following was duly adopted:

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens did submit to this the Local Board thereof at a meeting held on December 1, 1899, a petition numerously signed by residents and property-owners at and in the neighborhood of the corner of Newtown avenue and Marc place in the First Ward, borough aforesaid, whereby they urgently request that the requirements of that section for additional lighting be responded to by the placing of an electric arc light at the corner aforesaid; and

Whereas, It appears to this Board that the reasonable demands of the petitioners should be complied with without delay; it is accordingly

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made thereof to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Also the following:

Whereas, At meeting of this the Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, held on December 1, 1899, petition was submitted to have an electric lamp erected on the corner of Marion and Noble streets, First Ward, borough aforesaid; and

Whereas, It appears to our satisfaction that such public lighting is needed at such point; therefore,

Resolved, That the desire as above stated be and hereby is recommended to the favorable consideration and prompt action of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Adjourned to December 8, 1899.

JOSEPH FIESEL, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Approved Papers for the Week Ending December 9, 1899.

No. 1157.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Engelmann to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 110 Pearl street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1158.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. M. Rogers to place, erect and keep storm-doors in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-third street, in The Borough of The Bronx, provided the dimensions of said storm-doors shall not exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1159.

Whereas, By the death of the late Colonel James E. Kerrigan, once a member of the Common Council of The City of New York, a member of Congress of the United States and a hero of the Mexican and Civil Wars, New York has lost a typical citizen; and

Whereas, The said Colonel James E. Kerrigan, by his strenuous defence of right against might, at all times won for himself the respect, love and admiration of thousands of American citizens; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, deplore the death of the said Colonel James E. Kerrigan, and direct that a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed and duly authenticated, be forwarded to the surviving members of his family.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1160.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Martin Will to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 121 West street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm-door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1161.

AN ORDINANCE to repave the carriageway of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Lenox to Seventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of January, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving of the carriageway of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Lenox to Seventh avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt pavement, on the present pavement, with a guarantee of maintenance for fifteen years by the contractor, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved; the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1899.

Adopted by the Council, September 26, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1162.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Fifty first street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 3d day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space of four (4) feet in width, and the laying of crosswalks, where necessary, in East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Robbins avenue and Beach avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being three thousand three hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is forty-eight thousand two hundred dollars.

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

Adopted by the Council, September 26, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1163.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Granite street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 3d day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating, grading and paving with granite-block pavement, and the furnishing, laying and setting of curb and crosswalk where necessary therein, of the carriageway of Granite street, from Bushwick avenue to Evergreen avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and the flagging of the sidewalks with bluestone flagging, five (5) feet in width, where required, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being six thousand four hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is forty-four thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars.

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

Adopted by the Council, September 26, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1164.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the regulating, grading, etc., of Mount Hope place, from Anthony to Jerome avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 3d day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space of four (4) feet in width, laying of crosswalks, where not already laid, building of fences, where required, and the constructing of approaches, where necessary, in Mount Hope place, from Anthony avenue to Jerome avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being seventeen thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and one thousand two hundred and twenty-five dollars.

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

Adopted by the Council, September 26, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1165.

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Fortieth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of the driveway of One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Hamilton place and the Boulevard, in the Borough of Manhattan, with granite blocks on a concrete foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four thousand four hundred and eighty dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and fifty-three thousand three hundred dollars.

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

Adopted by the Council, September 26, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1166.

AN ORDINANCE to repave East Eighty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 21st day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving with asphalt on the present pavement of the carriageway of Eighty-fourth street, from Second avenue to East End avenue, Borough of Manhattan, with a

fifteen years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," 1899, Borough of Manhattan.

Adopted by the Council, September 26, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1167.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of water-mains in Reade street, Borough of Manhattan. Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 21st day of June, 1899, be and the same is hereby approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of a water-main in Reade street, between Centre street and City Hall place, in the Borough of Manhattan, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1899.

Adopted by the Council, September 26, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1168.

AN ORDINANCE to grade, etc., Fifty-fourth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading of Fifty-fourth street, between Seventh avenue and Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the setting or resetting of the curb, paving of the gutters and setting of bridgestones, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being thirteen thousand seven hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is twenty-seven thousand seven hundred and eighty dollars.

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

Adopted by the Council, September 26, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1169.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Gun Hill road, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Gun Hill road (Olin avenue), setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet in width, laying of crosswalks where required, building of fences where necessary and the planting of trees on the sidewalks and the paving of the roadway with macadam, from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being seventy-one thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is three hundred and seventy-one thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

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

Adopted by the Council, September 26, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1170.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for laying a water-main in East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 12th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.: the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Cauldwell and Westchester avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, at an estimated cost of one thousand three hundred dollars, be and the same is authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for 1899."

Adopted by the Council, October 4, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1171.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., College avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 24th day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a guarantee of maintenance from the contractor for a period of five years, of College avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-sixth street to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being one thousand eight hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and seventy-six thousand one hundred dollars.

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

Adopted by the Council, October 10, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1172.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing water-mains in One Hundred and Sixty-third street, etc., Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 20th day of September, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Jackson and Forest avenues, in One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, between Third and Fulton avenues, in One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, between Sheridan and Mott avenues, and in Sheridan avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets, in the Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commis-

sioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx," for 1899."

Adopted by the Council, October 10, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1173.

AN ORDINANCE to grade, etc., Second avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading of Second avenue, between Fifty-ninth street and Sixty-fifth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the paving of the carriageway outside of the railroad tracks located on said avenue with asphalt pavement, with a guarantee of maintenance for five years from the contractor, the setting or resetting of the curbstones along said avenue, where necessary, and the laying by the owner of said tracks of granite-block pavement between its tracks and rails along said avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being sixteen thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and fifty-two thousand six hundred and ten dollars.

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

Adopted by the Council, October 17, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1174.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Trinity and Tinton avenues, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 16th day of August, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Trinity and Tinton avenues, Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1899.

Adopted by the Council, October 24, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1899.

No. 1175.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the American Manufacturing Company to erect, place and keep a bridge across the carriageway of Noble street, at a point about fifty feet west of West street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, connecting the mill of the said American Manufacturing Company on the southerly side of Noble street with the storehouse of the said company on the northerly side of Noble street; the said bridge to be used exclusively by the said American Manufacturing Company and in no way to be an obstruction to either vehicles or pedestrians; provided that the plans and specifications for the construction of said bridge be approved by, and filed in the office of, the Commissioner of Highways, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 5, 1899.

No. 1176.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Journeymen Bakers and Confectioners' National Union of North America to hold public meetings in the various thoroughfares in the Eighth, Tenth, Twelfth and Sixteenth Assembly Districts, New York County, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until January 1, 1900.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 28, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 28, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 5, 1899.

No. 1177.

Whereas, The Greater New York, the metropolis of the Western Hemisphere, offers unparalleled facilities for the holding of conventions and meetings of parties, associations and committees; and

Whereas, The hotel accommodations of The City of New York are unexcelled in any other town in the world; and

Whereas, The hospitable nature of the people, the many beautiful parks, exquisite works of art, the statues, the magnificent bay and harbor and the points of interest within a few miles of New York are unequalled; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, hereby earnestly and cordially invite the National Republican Committee and the National Democratic Committee to take steps to hold their next National Conventions of 1900 in The City of New York, where halls of sufficient magnitude exist to readily accommodate all delegates and their friends; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the Chairman of the National Republican Committee and the Chairman of the National Democratic Committee by the Clerk of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 1, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, December 1, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 5, 1899.

No. 1178.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Forty-fourth Street M. E. Church to place and keep transparencies in front of the church building, No. 463 West Forty-fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for one month from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 1, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, December 1, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 5, 1899.

No. 1179.

Whereas, Under Divine Providence, there has been removed from among this community one of our most eminent citizens, Frederick A. Schroeder, ex-Mayor of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That it is fitting that the Municipal Assembly should accord a proper recognition to his signal services for the common-weal, his noble example, his public spirit, his far-seeing sagacity and great executive ability.

He had not fully attained the palmists span of life, but had used the years of his manhood so completely that he has left monuments of achievement behind him which are imperishable. Born in Prussia in 1833, he was but a youth when the revolutionary troubles in Europe in 1848 were the cause of the immigration of his family. He encountered narrow fortunes at first, but with indomitable will, rose superior to circumstances and soon laid the foundation of a fortune, and established a reputation which led to repeated and continuous honors from his fellow-citizens. His first conspicuous elevation was to the Presidency of the Germania Savings Bank, which in turn led to his choice by the people to the office of Comptroller, where he inaugurated reforms in bookkeeping which greatly simplified the transaction of the public business. In 1875 he was elected Mayor of Brooklyn, and during his administration was erected the Municipal Building, so much under the appropriation that it is known to this day as "The most honest job ever put up in Brooklyn." The beginning of the Brooklyn Bridge and the foundation of the great system of elevated railroads were notable features of his administration. In 1878 he was elected State Senator and there worked to secure the proudest memorial of his career, the Brooklyn City Charter, which in its radical changes in the apportionment of power and responsibility was revolutionary, but which has been declared by publicists of all parties, abroad as well as at home, to be the most perfect instrument of the kind ever devised for Municipal Government. It is the bed rock on which were established the Consolidation Act of New York and the present Greater New York Charter.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly lament the loss of Frederick A. Schroeder, and extend their cordial sympathies to the surviving members of his family, who may find consolation

in the fact that their distinguished relative earned the tribute of admiration and respect from all who were ever brought into contact with him, and, in all his political career, was so conspicuously unassailable that he escaped the obloquy which often most unjustly has embittered the lives of many of our statesmen.

Resolved, That a Committee of seven each be appointed by the Presidents of the Council and the Board of Aldermen to attend the obsequies of the late Frederick A. Schroeder, and that the flags on all the City buildings be lowered to half-staff until after the interment.

Resolved, That a copy of this preamble and resolutions be suitably engrossed, duly authenticated, and presented to the family of the late ex-Mayor Schroeder.

Resolved, That, as a further mark of respect this Board do now adjourn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 1, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, December 1, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 5, 1899.

No. 1180.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Polak to place and keep a sign in front of his premises, No. 3743 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, provided said sign shall not extend more than three feet from the house line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1181.

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

By Alderman Gaffney—

Newspaper Stand—William Speckman, No. 187 Third avenue.

By Alderman Gledhill—

Newspaper Stand—Mary Hyland, No. 478 West Thirty-fourth street.

By Alderman Kennefick—

Newspaper Stand—John Meyer, No. 102 West street.

By Alderman Metzger—

Bootblack Stands—Frank Moretti, No. 458 Eighth avenue; Frank Papa, southeast corner Thirty-ninth street and Eighth avenue.

By Alderman Minsky—

Soda water Stand—Sam Kelderer, No. 64 Eldridge street.

By Alderman McCaul—

Newspaper Stands—Adolph Fondiller, No. 2158 Third avenue; Luigi Sabatino, No. 416 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

By Alderman McGrath—

Newspaper Stand—Jacob Levy, No. 2355 Second avenue.

By Alderman McMahon—

Newspaper Stand—Herman Weinstein, No. 29 Third avenue.

By Alderman Roddy—

Fruit Stand—William Heuer, No. 941 Columbus avenue.

By Alderman Woodward—

Newspaper Stand—Albert Stern, No. 301 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1182.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John T. Murphy to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises No. 604 Second avenue, on the northeast corner of Thirty-third street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1183.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert Cruit to erect, place and keep a corrugated iron awning in front of Nos. 46 and 48 Fulton street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said awning shall be erected so as to conform in every particular with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1184.

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

Corner of Park row and Roosevelt street;

Corner of Madison and Roosevelt streets;

Corner of Baxter and Worth streets;

Corner of Park and Pearl streets, and in front of the church edifice, No. 26 Roosevelt street;

—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, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1185.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the carriageway of East Eleventh street, between University place and Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt pavement upon the present pavement, and that the curbstones along the lines of said street be reset and repaired where necessary.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1186.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that three lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and lighted, in front of the Church of Saint Philip Neri, on the westerly side of Anthony avenue and Summit street, Bedford Park, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1187.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Doctor's Club to place transparencies on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of Manhattan, i. e.:

Northwest corner of Forty-third street and Eighth avenue;

Northwest corner of Fifteenth street and Eighth avenue;

Northwest corner of Nineteenth street and Ninth avenue;

Northwest corner of Forty-third street and Eighth avenue;

—the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until November 27, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1188.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Richards to place, erect and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 728 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1189.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph R. Reader to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the Elevated Railroad, on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Third avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1190.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Martino to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the southwest corner of Lexington and Sumner avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided said stand be erected in accordance with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1191.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John H. Smith to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, corner Brooklyn and Atlantic avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed ten feet in height and two feet wider than the doorway, and shall not extend more than five feet from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1192.

Resolved, That it is hereby respectfully recommended to the Board of Public Improvements that Park place, from Vanderbilt avenue to Washington avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with asphalt.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1193.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis A. Phillips to place and keep, temporarily, during inclement weather, a canopy in front of each of the entrances to the Lyceum Theatre, situated on the southeast corner of Montrose avenue and Leonard street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1194.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Italian-American Club of Greater New York to parade with an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until December 30, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 14, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1195.

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

By Alderman Keely—

Fruit stand—Salvatore Santelli, No. 289 Union avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McGrath—

Bootblack stand—Maltio Maresco, No. 534 Willis avenue.

By Alderman Oatman—

Fruit stand—Joseph Lombardi, southeast corner of Broadway and Forty-second street.

By Alderman Roddy—

Fruit stand—C. J. Drislane, No. 248 West One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1196.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Max Sameth to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises No. 328 East Houston street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1197.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to S. G. Whitehead to place, erect and keep a storm-door in front of the Brevort Savings Bank, No. 1108 Fulton street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed ten feet in height and two feet wider than the doorway and shall not extend more than five feet from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided by section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1198.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. H. Kamps to place, erect and keep a storm-door in front of his premises No. 1385 Atlantic avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed ten feet in height and two feet wider

than the doorway, and shall not extend more than five feet from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1199.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Dora Heinz to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the southwest corner of Myrtle avenue and Wyckoff avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1200.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Tide-water Building Company to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of their premises on the northeast corner of Grand and Crosby streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such cases made and provided, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1201.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Cary Spring Works to erect, place and keep a stairway, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of their premises No. 235 West Twenty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said stairway shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such cases made and provided, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1202.

Resolved, That upon the annexed petition, it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements that Garfield place, between Sixth avenue and Seventh avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with asphalt pavement.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1203.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to E. Greenbaum to erect, place and keep an awning in front of his premises No. 2503 Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said awning shall conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such cases made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1204.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sandtizer Verein to suspend a banner across East Houston street, Borough of Manhattan, from No. 305 to 304 East Houston, the consent of the property-owners having been obtained, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for thirty days from approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1205.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Lewy, of No. 1346 First avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, to parade with an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for thirty days from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1206.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. H. Ridnour to erect a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 75 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, provided said storm-door shall not exceed ten feet in height, two feet wider than the doorway, and not to extend more than five feet from the house line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 21, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 22, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1899, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 1207.

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

Abraham H. Kaftenburg, No. 89 Centre street, Manhattan.

William P. Rider, No. 128 Quincy street, Brooklyn.

Ethelyn M. Parfit, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.

Morris W. Cohen, No. 1236 Fulton avenue, Bronx.

Philip Wirth, No. 43 First avenue, Manhattan.

Frederick Fischer, No. 315 East Fifty-fifth street, Manhattan.

Myron Sulzberger, No. 320 Broadway, Manhattan.

Vincenzo Garofalo, No. 2235 First avenue, Manhattan.

Fred Roffe, No. 220 Broadway, Manhattan.

Valentine T. Ketcham, No. 1565 Broadway, Manhattan.

Louis Chapp, No. 117 Avenue D, Manhattan.

James P. Tossiny, No. 215 Reid avenue, Brooklyn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 5, 1899.

No. 1208.

Whereas, The proposed ordinance granting to the Fort George and Eleventh Avenue Railroad Company the franchise or right to maintain, construct and operate a street surface railway in, upon and along certain streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York, having been introduced, and having had its first reading in the Municipal Assembly, and having been referred by said Municipal Assembly to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Greater New York Charter; and

Whereas, Said Board of Estimate and Apportionment has returned said proposed ordinance to said Municipal Assembly with certain amendments thereto; and

Whereas, Said Board of Estimate and Apportionment has approved the terms as set forth in said proposed ordinance, as so amended by said Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by resolutions of said Board, entered upon the minutes or record thereof; now therefore it is

Resolved, That, if the Board of Aldermen concur, said proposed specific grant, as amended by said Board of Estimate and Apportionment, embodied in the form of an ordinance, with all of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges, shall be published at least twenty (20) days in the CITY RECORD, and at least twice in two daily newspapers published in the City, to be designated by the Mayor, at the expense of the proposed grantee.

Adopted by the Council, December 5, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 5, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 5, 1899.

No. 1209.

Whereas, The proposed ordinance granting to the Kingsbridge Railway Company the franchise of right to maintain, construct and operate a street surface railway in, upon and along certain streets, avenues and highways in The City of New York, having been introduced, and having had its first reading in the Municipal Assembly, and having been referred by said Municipal Assembly to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Greater New York Charter; and

Whereas, Said Board of Estimate and Apportionment has returned said proposed ordinance to said Municipal Assembly, with certain amendments thereto; and

Whereas, Said Board of Estimate and Apportionment has approved the terms as set forth in said proposed ordinance, as so amended by said Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by resolutions of said Board, entered upon the minutes or record thereof; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That, if the Board of Aldermen concur, said proposed specific grant, as amended by said Board of Estimate and Apportionment, embodied in the form of an ordinance, with all of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges, shall be published at least twenty (20) days in the CITY RECORD, and at least twice in two daily newspapers published in the City, to be designated by the Mayor, at the expense of the proposed grantee.

Adopted by the Council, December 5, 1899.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 5, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 5, 1899.

No. 1210.

Whereas, The crying and growing necessity for better Post-office facilities in this city has resulted in a general demand by the press and by the public for a new, commodious, and properly constructed General Post-office further up-town, and has been wisely suggested near the Grand Central Depot; and

Whereas, The present General Post-office building has outgrown its usefulness for the purposes for which it was erected, but could be well utilized for a large branch office for the commercial centre of lower New York; and

Whereas, The present tendency of business is toward the upper end of the Borough of Manhattan and the residential districts being mainly up-town; therefore

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly, recognizing the great advantages that would be gained by the proposed change, and concurring in the universal demand for this much needed improvement, hereby respectfully requests the proper authorities at Washington to give this matter early and favorable attention.

Resolved, That certified copies hereof be transmitted to his Excellency the President of the United States, to the Postmaster-General, to the President of the Senate and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, for their several and joint consideration and action.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 6, 1899.

No. 1211.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. N. Mahland to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 7 Fulton street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed ten feet in height and two feet wider than the doorway, and shall not extend more than five feet from the house line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 24, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 6, 1899.

No. 1212.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to I. H. Rosenfeld to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 156 Second avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said storm-door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such cases made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 28, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, November 28, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 6, 1899.

No. 1213.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank & Lustig, of No. 1950 Third avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, to have a man parade in the costume of Santa Claus up and down in front of their premises, from December 11 to December 23, inclusive, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until the last mentioned date.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 1, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, December 1, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, December 6, 1899.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM NOVEMBER 13 TO NOVEMBER 18, INCLUSIVE.

NOVEMBER 13, 1899.

OPENING OF PROPOSALS

in presence of the Commissioner and a representative of the Comptroller.

Affidavits as to due publication in the CITY RECORD of advertisements inviting proposals were read and filed and approved forms of contract submitted.

Proposals were received as follows:

FOR FURNISHING HAY, STRAW, OATS AND BRAN.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. John Moonan \$6,140 00
No. 2. Horace Ingersoll 6,367 80

—each with security deposit of \$150 in currency.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 1. A. & C. Ferguson \$9,245 00
No. 2. John Kipp 9,937 50

—each with security deposit in certified checks—the first for \$225, the second for \$300.

The contracts were awarded respectively to John Moonan and A. & C. Ferguson, they being the lowest bidders, subject to the approval of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties by the Comptroller. The unsuccessful bids were filed.

From the Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Transmitting certified copy of the following resolutions, adopted on the 10th instant:

1. Resolved, That the sum of twenty-one thousand four hundred dollars (\$21,400) be and hereby is transferred from the following appropriations made to the Fire Department, for the year 1899, and as follows:

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

"Salaries—Headquarters Pay-roll" \$2,000 00
"Salaries—Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll" 18,000 00
"Salaries—Building Superintendent Pay-roll" 1,400 00
\$21,400 00

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1899, entitled "Apparatus, Supplies, etc., Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," the amount of said appropriations being insufficient.

2. Resolved, That the sum of five hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$575) be and hereby is transferred from the fund for 1897, provided by chapter 76, Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 751, Laws of 1896, and as follows:

"For Placing Wires and Conduits of the Telegraph System Underground" \$450 00
"Additions and Alterations to Buildings" 125 00

\$575 00

—to the fund entitled "New Buildings," the amount of said fund being insufficient.

3. Resolved, That the sum of fifty-two thousand dollars (\$52,000) be and hereby is transferred from the following appropriations made to the Fire Department, for the year 1899, and as follows:

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

"Salaries—Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll".....	\$1,500 00
"Salaries—Fire Alarm Telegraph Pay-roll".....	400 00
"Salaries—Repair Shops Pay-roll".....	1,800 00
"Salaries—Hospital and Training Stables Pay-roll".....	3,300 00
"Salaries—Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll".....	45,000 00
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	\$52,000 00

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1899, entitled "Apparatus, Supplies, etc., Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

4. Resolved, That the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Fire Department for the year 1899, entitled "Salaries, Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1899, entitled "Salaries, Headquarters Pay-roll, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Originals forwarded Bookkeeper; copies of the third and fourth resolutions to the Deputy Commissioner and copies of the first three resolutions to the Chief of Department.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Submitting list of names of forty individuals eligible for appointment as ununiformed firemen on probation.

From the Department of Finance—Receipt for security deposits accompanying proposals opened this day.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the complaint of E. Girard of obstructed fire-escapes in rear of premises Fifty-sixth street and Ninth avenue, and submitting report from the Foreman of Engine 23 that the obstructions have been removed. Copy forwarded.

2. Respecting the request of the Fire Extinguisher Manufacturing Company (S. F. Hayward & Co., General Eastern Agents), for a further extension of time until November 10 for the completion of their contract, dated June 27, 1899, for furnishing one Babcock Turn-table Aerial Hook and Ladder Truck for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and recommending that the same be granted. Recommendation approved.

3. Respecting communication from Charles Rothenbach commending Fireman 2d grade Frank Sherman, Hook and Ladder 52, Borough of Brooklyn, for bravery alleged to have been displayed by him in stopping, on a recent date, a runaway horse in Bedford avenue, and submitting report from the Chief of the Twenty-fourth Battalion that there was nothing in any way meritorious in the act. Mr. Rothenbach notified.

From the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Report of operations of Bureau for week ending 11th instant.

From the Chief of Construction and Repairs to Apparatus—Reporting receipt, on 8th instant, from Fire Extinguisher Manufacturing Company (S. F. Hayward & Co., General Eastern Agents), of one Babcock Turn-table Aerial Hook and Ladder Truck, for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in conformity with the specifications of the contract.

From Foreman Engine 6—Reporting loss by him of two coat insignias. Usual fine imposed.

From Abraham Nelson, Attorney—Requesting to be informed whether the name of Emanuel Burlando was certified to the Commissioner for transmission to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under the provisions of chapter 686, Laws of 1899, as a member of Independent Engine Co. No. 1 of the late Volunteer Fire Department of Williamsbridge. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 18—Reporting insufficient means of escape in case of fire, premises No. 60 South Washington Square. To the Department of Buildings.

From Fireman 1st grade John W. Duane, Hook and Ladder 2 (Theatre Detail)—Reporting obstructed aisles on 11th instant at Weber & Fields' Music Hall. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the Manhattan Fire-alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect house of the Holy Family, No. 136 Second avenue, with street fire-alarm box No. 295. To the Chief of Department.

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

Norwegian Lutheran Hospital, Forty-sixth street and Fourth avenue, No. 166.

Sisters of the Visitation, No. 209 Clinton avenue, No. 387.

Hotel Muller, Alabama and Fulton avenues, No. 628.

To the Chief of Department.

From Mrs. J. Nova—Complaining of obstructed fire-escapes at No. 136 West One Hundred and Thirteenth street. To the Chief of Department.

From the Inspector of Combustibles—

1. Reporting chimney fires, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Back, with directions to enforce collection of the penalty.

2. Recommending remission of penalties for chimney fires, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Approved. Back.

3. Recommending prosecution for recovery of penalty for chimney fires, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From Foreman Engine 11—Reporting chimney fire at No. 55 Cannon street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 16—Reporting chimney fire at Nos. 334 to 336 East Twenty-third street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 38—Reporting chimney fire on premises in Audubon Park. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 54—Reporting chimney fire at No. 319 West Forty-seventh street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From William M. Ivins—Concerning fine for chimney fire at No. 55 East Twenty-fifth street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 56—Reporting defective flue at premises No. 238 Central Park, West. To the Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Engine 64, Borough of The Bronx—Reporting new horse on trial suitable for the service. To the Chief of Battalion in Charge of Hospital and Training Stables.

APPOINTED.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—As Ununiformed Firemen for a Probationary Period of Three Months, from November 14, with Compensation at the Rate of \$800 per Annum.

Name.	Assignment.
Daniel J. Fellows.....	Engine 4.
Dennis H. Slaterry.....	Engine 18.
Edward I. Smith.....	Hook and Ladder 20.

NOVEMBER 14, 1899.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Department of Finance—

1. Prescribing a form to be entitled "Schedule of Vouchers," for use after January 1, 1900, in transmitting claims for payment, and notifying the Department that requisitions should be drawn upon the Supervisor of the City Record for the number needed for use in the several boroughs. Requisition made accordingly.

2. Approving the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the proposal of John Moonan, for furnishing forage for use in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Contract ordered to be executed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Certifying that the transfer of Driver George McArdle, Repair Shops, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, to a Clerkship in said shops, may be made. Chief of Construction and Repairs to Apparatus notified.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the application of La France Fire-engine Company, for an extension of time until November 22, for the completion of contract dated June 22, 1899, for furnishing three Hayes Extension Ladder Trucks and Fire-escapes, for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and recommending that the same be granted. Recommendation approved.

2. Respecting the application of the Chairman of the Committee designated to pass upon the qualifications of all persons to use explosives for the assignment for the use of said committee of a room at headquarters occupied by the Telegraph Branch, and recommending that the same be denied, and that, in lieu thereof, a room be partitioned off in the rear of the Medical Officers' quarters, on the fifth floor of the Headquarters Building.

3. Recommending that the names of Fireman 1st grade James A. Regan and 3d grade William J. McCabe, both of Hook and Ladder 6, Borough of Manhattan, be placed on the Roll of Merit for meritorious conduct, unattended with personal risk, at fire Nos. 94, 96 and 98 Mott street, on the 3d instant. Recommendation approved.

4. Reporting death, on 14th instant, of Bell Ringer Michael F. Gregory, Borough of Brooklyn. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

5. Forwarding report of Foreman Hook and Ladder 22, in reference to complaint of Mrs. Boaz of improper use of fire-escapes at No. 64 West One Hundred and Eighth street, and reporting that the matter had been adjusted.

From the Chief of Construction and Repairs to Apparatus—Respecting the request of the Corporation Council for information concerning the claims of Harnessmakers Thomas Bell and John M. Hass, for additional compensation for alleged services at the Repair Shops, and reporting the facts in each case. Copy forwarded Corporation Counsel.

From Fireman Hook and Ladder 11—Reporting death, on 13th instant, of Fireman 1st grade Edward J. Condren of his command. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

From City Surveyor Francis W. Ford—Concerning the location of Department's lots in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, west of Cypress avenue, Borough of The Bronx, of which he has been employed to furnish a builder's survey. Reply communicated.

From Max Hamburger—Commending the work of the Uniformed Force at recent fire at No. 94 Mott street. Reply communicated. Chief of Department notified.

From Horgan & Slatery, architects—Reporting completion of plans and specifications for proposed new apparatus-houses in West Thirty-third and West Seventy-seventh streets, Borough of Manhattan, and on Prospect avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and stating that they are anxious that the work of construction begin as soon as possible. Chief of Department and Building Superintendent notified.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 24—Reporting dangerous condition of unoccupied building at No. 369 West street. To the Department of Buildings.

From Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder 18—Reporting dangerous condition of fire-escapes, premises Nos. 86 and 88 Pitt street. To the Department of Buildings.

From the Department of Docks and Ferries—Requesting that the Foreman of fire-boat "William F. Havemeyer" (Engine 43) confer with the Engineer-in-Chief of said Department in reference to proposed berth for said boat at foot of East Ninety-ninth street. To the Chief of Department.

From the Gleason & Bailey Manufacturing Company—Requesting further extension of time for the completion of various contracts, as follows:

Two first-size hose wagons, boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx, 15 days; one Dederick aerial hook and ladder truck, same boroughs, 50 days; three combination hook and ladder trucks and chemical engines, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, 40 days. To the Chief of Department.

From Cornelius Ferguson, attorney—Requesting a rehearing in the case of former 2d grade Fireman John E. Curran, Engine 16, Borough of Brooklyn, dismissed the service of the Department, to take effect from September 22, 1899, as the result of trial upon charges. To the Chief of Department.

From David Wilson—Complaining of obstructed aisles, evening of 7th instant, Metropolitan Theatre, One Hundred and Forty-second street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx. To the Chief of Department.

From the Department of Finance—Transmitting warrants for \$1,744 and \$3,265.49, deductions from September and October pay-rolls, 1899, for assessments, fines, etc. To the Bookkeeper, with directions to place same to credit of the Relief Fund.

From Burr, Coombs & Wilson, attorneys—Notice of lien against contract of Mapes-Reeve Construction Company for erection of Engine House at No. 119 Maiden lane, in favor of C. W. Wilson & Co., for \$282.49. To the Bookkeeper.

BILLS AUDITED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Schedule 201 of 1896—	
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	\$80 00

Schedule 165 of 1897—	
Fire Department Fund for Sites, Buildings and Telegraph System.....	\$5,291 25

Schedule 44 of 1899—	
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	\$15,761 21

Schedule 45 of 1899—	
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	\$4,800 5

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Schedule 47 of 1899—	
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	\$1,677 67

Schedule 48 of 1899—	
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	\$1,139 76

Schedule 49 of 1899—	
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	\$1,820 38

Borough of Queens—Maintenance of Volunteer System.

Schedule 47 of 1899—	
Woodhaven.....	\$1,015 26

Schedule 48 of 1899—	
Rockaway Beach.....	\$584 57

Schedule 49 of 1899—	
Richmond Hill.....	\$41 00

Schedule 50 of 1899—	
Whitestone.....	\$12 39

APPOINTED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—As Ununiformed Firemen, for a Probationary Period of Three Months from November 15, with Compensation at the Rate of \$800 per Annum.

Name.	Assignment.
John J. Kinne.....	Engine 1.
James McGeechan.....	Engine 1.
William Guderath.....	Engine 4.
Robert F. O'Connell.....	Engine 9.
Thomas J. Armstrong.....	Engine 12.
Otto J. Junkerman, Jr.....	Engine 14.
Richard F. Scannell.....	Engine 18.
Michael J. Healey.....	Engine 18.
Patrick McKeever, Jr.....	Engine 24.
Charles A. Masterson.....	Engine 26.
James C. Brennan.....	Engine 26.
Sebastian Schiel.....	Engine 28.
William H. Johnson.....	Engine 31.
Daniel J. Hicks.....	Engine 32.
James J. Weldon.....	Engine 33.
Thomas Florence.....	Engine 34.
Charles F. Wade.....	Engine 55.
Thomas Finch.....	Hook and Ladder 5.
William G. Trass.....	Hook and Ladder 10.
James Shaughnessy.....	Hook and Ladder 11.
James F. Degnan.....	Hook and Ladder 11.
Louis C. Bayer.....	Hook and Ladder 15.
Francis X. Carlin.....	Hook and Ladder 20.
James Golden.....	Hook and Ladder 20.

NOVEMBER 15, 1899.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Transmitting certified copy of the following resolution, adopted on the 10th instant:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute renewals of the leases of the following premises occupied by the Fire Department:

1. Premises No. 108 John street, Borough of Manhattan, for a term of one year from January 1, 1900, at an annual rental of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800), payable quarterly; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease thereof; Isabel R. Clark, lessor.

2. Premises No. 1 White Plains road, Borough of The Bronx (known on the records of the Bureau of the Chief of Department as No. 61 White Plains avenue), for a term of one year from February 1, 1900, at a monthly rental of seventy-five dollars (\$75); otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease thereof; Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Heilman, lessor.

3. Premises No. 253 Spring street, Borough of Manhattan, for a term of one year from January 1, 1900, at an annual rental of five hundred and forty dollars (\$540), payable quarterly, with the privilege of two renewals, each at the same rental and for the same period and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; Trinity Church Corporation, lessor.

4. No. 2801 Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, being premises in the rear of quarters of Engine 41, for a term of one year from January 1, 1900, at an annual rental of seventy-five dollars (\$75), payable quarterly, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; Emma Henneberger, lessor.

—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, deeming the said rents fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such leases be made.

Chief of Department and Bookkeeper notified.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the application of the Manhattan Fire-alarm Company for permission to connect the premises occupied by the Herald Square Hotel with street fire-alarm box No. 459, and recommending that the same be granted. Recommendation approved.

2. Respecting that application of Salter & Steinkamp, attorneys, for a reinspection of Curiel's Hall, Nos. 138 to 140 East Fifty-seventh street, in regard to equipment for fire protection, and reporting that the law has been complied with. Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, authorized to have judgment vacated.

3. Respecting the request of the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, for reinspection of the premises of the New York Turn Verein, at No. 150 East Eighty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, and Old Women's Home, Fulton street, between Georgia and Sheffield avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, and recommending, the law having been complied with by the latter, that the case be dismissed, and that, as to the former, legal proceedings be discontinued pending a reinspection. Recommendation approved.

4. Respecting the complaint of Mrs. Russell of dangerous ladder leading to scuttle opening in roof of premises No. 223 East Forty-fifth street, and reporting that said ladder has been replaced with an iron one. Notified accordingly.

From C. Bailey—Concerning the promotion of a member of the uniformed force. Reply communicated.

From the Building Superintendent—Recommending that requisition be made upon the Supervisor of the City Record for 50 copies form of contract and specifications for the erection of new apparatus house on East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, about 300 feet west of Cypress avenue, Borough of The Bronx. Recommendation approved.

Referred.

From L. Biggio—Complaining of the erection, in violation of law, of wooden structure in rear of premises No. 10 Macdougall street. To the Department of Buildings.

From the Department of Sewers—Requesting removal of combination signal post northeast corner of Walker and Elm streets and the subway electrical conduit running to engine-house in Elm street. To the Chief of Department.

From the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—Granting permit to take up pavement in Maiden lane, from manhole at Pearl street to new engine-house at No. 119 Maiden lane, in order to permit of the establishment of telegraphic connection therewith. To the Chief of Department.

American Fire Engine Company—Requesting a forty-five days' extension of time for the completion of contract, dated June 22, 1899, for furnishing one first-size Metropolitan steam fire-engine, for use in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. To the Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 39—Reporting defective flue at No. 939 Madison avenue. To the Fire Marshal.

From S. Passero—Complaining of dangerous flue at No. 300 East Seventy-first street. To the Fire Marshal.

From Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers—Transmitting check for \$65.25, net proceeds of sale, on 10th instant, of three horses no longer fit for the service. To the Bookkeeper, with directions to place same to credit of the Relief Fund.

From Phillips & Avery, attorneys—Notices of lien against contract of Mapes-Reeve Construction Company in favor of the following:

Raritan Hollow and Porous Brick Company, \$600; Lanowitz & Storch, \$350; Peter Androvetti, \$354. To the Bookkeeper.

From Burr, Coombs & Wilson, attorneys—Notice of lien against contract of Mapes-Reeve Construction Company for erection of engine-house at No. 119 Maiden lane, in favor of C. W. Wilson & Co., for \$282.49. To the Bookkeeper.

From Wilson, Barker & Wilson, attorneys—Notice of lien against contract of Mapes-Reeve Construction Company, for erection of engine-house at No. 119 Maiden lane, in favor of Andrew Blaurock, for \$1,100. To the Bookkeeper.

From Smith & Ryan—Notice of lien against contract of Mapes-Reeve Construction Company for erection of an engine-house at No. 119 Maiden lane, for \$2,675. To the Bookkeeper.

APPOINTED.

As Uniformed Firemen for a Probationary Period of Three Months from November 16, with Compensation at the Rate of \$800 per Annum.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Name.	Assignment.
August J. Franz.....	Hook and Ladder 1.
Henry F. Fox.....	Hook and Ladder 10.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Name.	Assignment.
Harry J. Camp.....	Engine 107.
Edward F. McNally.....	Engine 114.
Sylvester S. Shea.....	Engine 114.
David V. Church.....	Engine 140.
Edward M. Slater.....	Engine 141.
Wilford Leslie.....	Engine 149.
James B. Hunter.....	Engine 151.
Irving Foley.....	Engine 151.
Alexander M. Baillie.....	Engine 157.
John J. Clancy.....	Hook and Ladder 57.
George E. Walsh.....	Hook and Ladder 58.
George Lehman.....	Hook and Ladder 58.
Otto N. Gerlach.....	Hook and Ladder 59.
Lucien Du Flon.....	Hook and Ladder 64.

NOVEMBER 16, 1899.

TRIALS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Fireman 1st grade Thomas F. Rice, Engine 3, "absence without leave." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade James J. Cusick, Engine 17, "absence without leave." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Edward T. O'Hara, Engine 25, "absence without leave," "violation section 209, Rules and Regulations," and "conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline." Case dismissed.

Fireman 3d grade Edmond C. Crosby, Engine 25, "absence without leave" and "violation section 209, Rules and Regulations." Case dismissed.

Fireman 1st grade Robert McDonald, Engine 30, "disrespect to superior officer." Fined five days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade John Tackney, Engine 34, "absence without leave" (4 charges). Fined five days' pay each on the first two charges and ten days' pay each on the last two—thirty days' pay in all.

Fireman 1st grade William D. Rice, Jr., "absence without leave" and "conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline," fined one day's pay on first charge; second charge dismissed.

Fireman 1st grade Henry E. Hanley, Engine 38, "absence without leave." Fined two days' pay.

Engineer of Steamer Arthur W. Searle, Engine 55, "neglect of duty." Reprimanded.

Fireman 1st grade Samuel M. Quigley, Engine 62, "neglect of duty." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade James H. McGowan, Engine 62, "violation section 195, Rules and Regulations." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Samuel T. Warren, Engine 67, "neglect of duty." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Thomas J. D. Carrigan, Hook and Ladder 14, "neglect of duty." Fined one day's pay.

Fireman 1st grade George A. Hannan, Hook and Ladder 18, "absence without leave" (two charges). Fined five days' pay on the first charge and three days' pay on the second charge—eight days' pay in all.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Fireman 1st grade John J. Grant, Engine 105, "under the influence of liquor, drug or compound" and "violation section 195, Rules and Regulations." Fined two days' pay on the first charge and ten days' pay on the second charge—twelve days' pay in all.

Fireman 2d grade John Merk, Engine 105, "under the influence of liquor, drug or compound." Charge dismissed.

Fireman 1st grade Francis S. McKenna, Engine 112 (detailed to Hook and Ladder 66), "neglect of duty." Fined ten days' pay.

Fireman 4th grade John Morrissey, Engine 124, "absence without leave" (two charges), and "under the influence of liquor, drug or compound." Laid over on certificate of Medical Officer Robbins that accused was unable to appear.

Fireman 2d grade John R. Hanson, Engine 141, detailed to Engine 105, "under the influence of liquor, drug or compound." Fined ten days' pay.

Fireman 2d grade Alexander G. Roberts, Engine 147, "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay.

Fireman 4th grade James P. Higgins, Hook and Ladder 55, "violation section 237, Rules and Regulations." Fined one day's pay.

Fireman 1st grade George Kershaw, Hook and Ladder 64, "absence without leave" and "disrespect to superior officer." Fined one day's pay on each charge—two days' pay in all.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Deputy Commissioner—

1. Referring to the letter from the Corporation Counsel, of October 9, 1899, to the effect that Bell Ringers in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens have been judicially decided to be members of the Uniformed Force, and inquiring whether the widow of former Bell Ringer Michael F. Gregory, in view of said decision, is not entitled to a pension from the Relief Fund. Referred to the Corporation Counsel for his opinion.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Transmitting list of transfers in the uniformed force, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, from October 7 to date. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

2. Reporting he has been informed that section 157 of the new Building Code places upon this Department the duty of searching the debris of buildings destroyed by fire, where it is known or believed that bodies are buried in the ruins, and stating it as his opinion that the obligation should continue where it heretofore rested—in the Department of Buildings. Opinion of the Corporation Counsel requested as to the duty of this Department, in view of the fact that no money has been asked or appropriated for said purpose.

From the Buildings Superintendent—

1. Concerning the request of Horgan & Slattery, architects, that the matter of the preparations for the letting of contracts for new apparatus houses in West Thirty-third and West Seventy-seventh streets, Borough of Manhattan, and Prospect avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for which the specifications have been submitted, be proceeded with as expeditiously as practicable.

2. Reporting failure of the Mapes-Reeve Construction Company, contractors for the erection of an apparatus house for this department at No. 119 Maiden lane, Borough of Manhattan, and that the receiver of said concern will complete the contract.

From Foreman Engine 55—Reporting death on 15th instant of Fireman 1st grade Joseph P. Cox of his command. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

From Foreman Engine 119, Borough of Brooklyn—Reporting death on 14th instant of Bell Ringer Michael F. Gregory.

From Foreman Engine 149, Borough of Brooklyn—Reporting loss by Fireman 2d grade John J. Corey of his command of his fire-alarm box key No. 1012. Usual fine imposed.

From Francis A. McCloskey, attorney—Petitions and orders to show cause in the matter of the application of Medical Officers William A. De Long, Nathaniel A. Robbins and Joseph E. Smith for a writ of mandamus to compel the payment of their salaries at the rate of \$2,500 per annum, instead of \$2,000, which they are now receiving. Forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for proper attention, together with copy of facts in the case furnished by the Deputy Commissioner.

Referred.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 3—Reporting violation of the law relating to the equipment for fire protection at the Westmoreland Apartment House, Nos. 100 and 102 East Seventeenth street. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

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

No. 1075 Madison avenue, Institution of Mercy.
No. 175 West street, O'Brien's Hotel.
Nos. 1511 to 1521 Broadway, Mrs. Sefton.
To the Chief of Department.

From the Inspector of Combustibles—

1. Recommending remission of penalties for chimney fires, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Approved. Back.

2. Recommending prosecution for recovery of penalties for chimney fires, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From Murphy & Lloyd, attorneys—Requesting to be informed whether the plans and specifications for the new apparatus-house on Liberty street, Borough of Manhattan, and Grand avenue, Borough of The Bronx, prepared by their clients, N. Le Brun & Son, are on file in this Department. To the Buildings Superintendent.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 22—Reporting new horse on trial suitable for the service. To the Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables.

From the Deputy Commissioner—Transmitting warrants for \$2,328.78, deductions for assessments, fines, etc., October, 1899, pay-roll, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. To the Bookkeeper, with directions to place the same to the credit of the Relief Fund.

From J. C. Thompson, attorney—Notice of lien against contract of Mapes-Reeve Construction Company for erection of engine-house at No. 119 Maiden lane, in favor of James Hamilton Young, for \$627.50. To the Bookkeeper.

BILLS AUDITED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Schedule 46 of 1899—	
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	\$2,054 37

Schedule 47 of 1899—	
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	\$1,056 31

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Schedule 50 of 1899—	
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	\$7,463 11

Borough of Queens (Maintenance of Volunteer System).

Schedule 51 of 1899—	
Far Rockaway.....	\$294 03

Schedule 52 of 1899—	
Richmond Hill.....	\$77 75

EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Incidental expenses, office of Secretary, remainder of current year.....	\$350 00
Babcock rotary nozzle.....	970 00
Fuel cans.....	125 00
Harness.....	450 00
Reins, halters and bridles.....	597 50
Repairs to fireboat "The New Yorker".....	65 00

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

With the approval of the Deputy Commissioner—	
Incidental expenses, Bureau of Combustibles, quarter ending December 31.....	\$75 00
Rebuilding Hook and Ladder 52.....	869 00
Painting and varnishing Hook and Ladder 52.....	125 00
Repairing fireboat "Seth Low".....	575 00
Four horses.....	800 00

RETIRED ON HALF-PAY.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

On his own application, after more than twenty years' service, to take effect from December 1, 1899: Foreman William J. Colby, Engine 62.

Drivers.

NAME.	STABLE.	DAYS FINED.	NAME.	STABLE.	DAYS FINED.
James Murphy.....	B	2	Henry Himmer.....	A	1
William Brennan.....	B	1	William Bush.....	B	2
Thomas J. Greeley.....	B	2	Owen Daly.....	B	1
Michael Gilligan.....	B	1	George Korn.....	A	2
Michael Cunningham.....	A	1	John Marra.....	A	1
John T. Tyne.....	A	1	Patrick Rooney.....	A	1
Archibald McKewen.....	A	1	Jeremiah Rierdon.....	A	1
William Coughlin.....	A	2	Edmund Grant.....	K	2
Daniel J. Conway.....	K	2	Charles Cooke.....	A	2
Peter Wanamaker.....	A	2	Eugene O'Hea.....	G	2
John Condon.....	A	1			

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
Moneys

transmitted to City Chamberlain, as follows:

For privilege of dumping refuse foot of Gold street for week ending November 11, 1899. \$88 00

Bills and Pay-rolls

transmitted to Comptroller, as follows:

Schedule No. 148, Sundries—
Brooklyn Sanitary Company, removal of garbage..... \$10,000 00

Schedule No. 146, sundries—
Abrams, Maria, rent of store..... \$90 00
Bellew, Patrick, "..... 60 00
Curtis, N. Willard, "..... 75 00
Hanley, John, "..... 90 00
Hunter, Samuel D., "..... 75 00
McGarry, B., "..... 87 50
Morris, William J., executor, rent of store..... 90 00
Murphy, Peter J., rent of store..... 82 50
Nelson, John F., "..... 90 00
Pyburn, John J., "..... 75 00
Taft, Julius, attorney, rent of store..... 90 00
Tierney, Marcia A., executrix, rent of store..... 90 00
Wells, Abby L., Assn., rent of store..... 75 00
Rozell, H. W., agent, rent of store..... 75 00
\$1,145 00

Schedule No. 149, Sundries—
Benedict, Erastus D., hire of trucks and teams..... \$949 50
" " "..... 834 50
" " "..... 385 00
" " "..... 808 50
" " "..... 259 00
John M. Haley and Charles H. Keegan, hire of trucks and teams..... 226 00
" " "..... 903 00
" " "..... 903 00
" " "..... 954 00
" " "..... 636 00
Hill, Simon S., hire of trucks and teams..... 966 00
" " "..... 951 50
" " "..... 259 50
\$9,035 50

Schedule No. 147, Sundries—
Morrissey, John, horses..... \$350 00Schedule No. 157—
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, etc., for week ending November 16, 1899..... \$11,083 98Schedule No. 158—
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of hired carts for week ending November 16, 1899..... \$3,304 49Schedule No. 159—
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Drivers for week ending November 16, 1899..... \$82 19

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Pay-roll

transmitted to Comptroller, as follows:

Schedule No. 36—
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweeper, acting as Assistant to Foreman, for week ending November 16, 1899..... \$17 26F. W. GIBSON,
Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Borough of Manhattan,
Designated with full powers of Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SYNOPSIS OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 2, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 4, 1899.From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending December 2, 1899, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.
Central Office—Appointments, resignations, dismissals, etc., as per list attached.

ALMSHOUSE.

Salary Increased.

Dec. 1, 1899. Hughes, Patrick J., Night Watchman, from \$360 to..... \$500 00

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

Appointments.

Nov. 23, 1899. Mead, Annie, Hospital Helper..... \$120 00
" 29, " Link, Sarah, Hospital Helper..... 120 00
" 27, " Reed, Annie, Hospital Helper..... 120 00
" 28, " Conley, Lizzie, Hospital Helper..... 120 00
" 27, " O'Neill, Tessie, Hospital Helper..... 120 00

Dismissals.

Nov. 22, 1899. McCarroll, Katie, Hospital Helper (incompetency)..... \$120 00
" 27, " Ryan, Mary, Hospital Helper (absence without leave)..... 120 00
" 24, " Peterson, Hannah, Hospital Helper (absence without leave)..... 120 00
" 27, " McElroy, Cassie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave)..... 120 00
" 27, " Clark, Annie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave)..... 120 00
" 27, " Egan, Fannie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave)..... 120 00

CITY HOSPITAL.

Appointment.

Dec. 1, 1899. Hayes, Katie, Hospital Helper..... \$120 00

Salary Increased.

Dec. 1, 1899. Welstead, Kate, Hospital Helper, \$120 to..... \$144 00

Resignations.

Nov. 30, 1899. McElroy, Margaret, Hospital Helper..... \$144 00
" 30, " Cappers, Marian M., Cook..... 240 00

Dismissals.

Nov. 30, 1899. Green, Mary, Hospital Helper (incompetency)..... \$72 00
" 30, " Cappers, Geo. W., Cook (intoxication)..... 360 00

FORDHAM HOSPITAL.

Appointment.

Nov. 24, 1899. Smith, Mamie, Assistant Cook..... \$180 00

Resignation.

Nov. 23, 1899. Patterson, Jane, Assistant Cook..... \$180 00

Dropped from the Roll.

Nov. 1, 1899. Crowley, James, Hospital Helper (inability to perform duties)..... \$150 00

LODGING HOUSE.

Resignation.

Nov. 27, 1899. Spence, Arnot, Physician..... \$650 00

Dismissal.

Nov. 22, 1899. Wright, John, Hospital Helper (intoxication)..... \$120 00

METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL.

Appointments.

Dec. 1, 1899. Smith, Lillian, Waitress..... \$240 00
" 1, " Dugan, Agnes, Hospital Helper..... 150 00

Transfer.

Dec. 1, 1899. Mahony, Agnes P., Head Nurse (from Infants' Hospital)..... \$360 00

Resignation.

Nov. 30, 1899. Murphy, Margaret, Hospital Helper..... \$150 00

Dropped from Roll.

Nov. 28, 1899. Sherman, Georgie, Pupil Nurse (infraction of rule)..... \$180 00

NEW YORK CITY TRAINING SCHOOL.

Appointment.

Dec. 1, 1899. McNamara, Minnie, Matron (certified by Civil Service Nov. 20, 1899)..... \$420 00

INFANTS' HOSPITAL.

Transfer.

Dec. 1, 1899. Mahony, Agnes P., Head Nurse (to Metropolitan Hospital)..... \$360 00

J. MCKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, NOVEMBER 27 TO DECEMBER 2, 1899.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—List of prisoners received during week ending November 25, 1899, males 11, females 4; on file. List of 19 prisoners to be discharged from December 3 to 9, 1899; transmitted to Prison Association.

From State Civil Service Commission—Acknowledging communication from this Department of November 4, 1899, and transmitting copy of resolution adopted by the Commission, setting forth that all requests for amendments to the rules or classifications of the Civil Service Regulations of any municipality will be referred to the proper Municipal Commission for explanation, etc., and in compliance with above, communication (in relation to position of General Store-keeper) has been referred to the New York City Civil Service Commission. On file.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Amount of fines received during week ending November 25, 1899, \$52. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending November 25, 1899, of good quality and up to the standard; on file. Reports of Census, Labor and Punishments, for week ending November 25, 1899; on file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending November 25, 1899, \$95. On file.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending November 25, 1899, \$569. On file.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Warden transmits histories of six female inmates who are helpless from old age or infirmities, and asks that measures be taken for their discharge, so that efforts may be made to have them transferred to Almshouse. Discharges transmitted to committing Magistrates for signature.

From the Comptroller—Weekly statement of unexpended balances of appropriations to November 25, 1899. Referred to General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Reporting four deaths during week ending November 25, 1899. On file.

From Consulting Engineer, Board of Public Improvements—Stating that the supply of drinking water on Riker's Island that is furnished by the well is insufficient, and recommending that water from a city main be brought to the island as soon as possible. Referred to Board of Public Improvements, with request that the matter receive early attention.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending November 25, 1899. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn—List of prisoners received during week ending November 25, 1899, males 18, females 1; on file. List of 27 prisoners to be discharged from November 26 to December 2, 1899; on file.

Proposals Accepted.

John Early's Sons, for hydraulic lifting-jacks, dynamite cartridges, flower-pots, etc. \$113 88
Toch Brothers, for oil, naphtha, etc. 91 85
D. J. Barry & Co., for glass, lanterns, etc. 48 50
F. H. Leggett & Co., for lamp chimneys, lemons, nails, etc. 33 99
Bruce & Cook, for roofing tin, stove-pipe, iron, etc. 59 35
Edward G. Sheppard, for hardware, etc. 609 06
American Lumber Company, for shelving, board and joists..... 144 00

R. H. Luthin, for oil, japan dryer.....	\$10 70
M. Fiegel & Bro., for turpentine, metallic paint, etc.....	168 55
Robert C. Ogden, for hardware, dry goods, etc.....	39 33
W. P. Young & Bro., for lumber.....	147 01
F. N. Du Bois, for brass plug cocks.....	1 08
Union Rubber and Supply Company, for sewer pipe, anchor, etc.....	20 90
The Manhattan Supply Company, for 1 square yard 3/8 rainbow packing, at, per pound.....	0 50
1 square yard 1-10 rainbow packing, at, per pound.....	0 50
E. F. Keating, for valves, elbows, etc.....	4 75
J. R. Donnelly & Co., for glass.....	7 10
Repanno Chemical Company, for 1,000 feet slow-burning fuse, less 10 per cent., less 2 per cent.....	4 70

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, November 24, 1899.

In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending November 18, 1899:

PUBLIC LAMPS.

During the week 16 new lamps were erected and 23 lighted; 25 lamps were relighted and 1 discontinued; 71 lamp-posts were removed, 40 reset and 24 straightened; 3 columns were released and 1 refitted; 18 service and 3 stand pipes were refitted.

ELECTRICAL WIRING, INSPECTIONS, ETC.

314 certificates were issued for interior wiring; 154 permits were issued for outside electrical work; 1,179 inspections were made.

CHANGE IN FORCE.

Borough of Manhattan.

Appointments—1 Plumber, 1 Cleaner.
Reinstatements—3 Cleaners.
Removals—3 Bath Attendants (male).

Borough of Brooklyn.

Appointments—1 Inspector of Electrical Conductors, Michael H. Collins, \$1,200 per annum.
Removals—1 Cleaner.

REQUISITIONS ON COMPTROLLER.

The total amount of requisitions drawn on the Comptroller by this Department during the week is \$31,845.92.

HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
PARK ROW BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.,
December 2, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—You are hereby notified that James A. Fitzgerald, No. 922 Melrose avenue, Inspector of Masonry, has been temporarily transferred from bridge over Harlem river, between First and Willis avenues, to reconstruction of Blissville bridge over Newtown creek, at Greenpoint avenue, to take effect December 8, 1899.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA,
Commissioner of Bridges.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, December 1, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

The Corporation Counsel this day appointed Mr. Edward H. Sheehan, No. 25 East Twenty-fourth street, to be Private Secretary to the Corporation Counsel, at the yearly salary of three thousand and five hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

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Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

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

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

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

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

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RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council.
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PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.

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

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JAMES B. BOUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.

FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.

MATTHEW S. TULLY, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.

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ALEXANDER MEAKIM, Clerk of Markets.

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Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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Department of Street Cleaning.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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GEO. BEST, Deputy Commissioner for The Bronx.

WILLIAM WALTON, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.

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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.

THODORE CONNOLLY, W. W. LADD, Jr., CHARLES BLANDY, Assistants.

WILLIAM J. CARR, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES C. SPENCER, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street.

ADRIAN T. KIRKMAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

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JOHN P. DURN, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

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Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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Central Office.

Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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Central Office.

No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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SHERIFF'S OFFICE, KINGS COUNTY.

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

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, RICHMOND COUNTY.

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

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

REGISTER, KINGS COUNTY.

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

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CHARLES WELDE, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

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CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.
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NEW YORK COUNTY JAIL.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

KINGS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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CROWELL M. CONNER, Deputy.

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

KINGS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn.
Hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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QUEENS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY

GEORGE W. DAVISON, District Attorney.

RICHMOND COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY

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ANTHONY McOWEN, THOMAS M. LYNCH.

Borough of Brooklyn.

ANTHONY J. BURGER, GEORGE W. DELAP.

Borough of Queens.

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New County Court-house. Court opens at 10.30 A. M.; adjourns 4 P. M.
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Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway.
Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Chairman; WARREN W. FOSTER, CHARLES A. JACKSON, Commissioners.
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CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

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

SECOND DIVISION.

Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—No. 318 Adams street. JACOB BRENNER, Magistrate.
Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY BRISTOW, Magistrate.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TRALE, Magistrate.
Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
Fifth District—Even 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.
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County Court-house, Brooklyn.
GEORGE B. ABBOTT, Surrogate; MICHAEL F. MCGOLDRICK, Chief Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

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

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

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CITY COURT.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
General Term.
Trial Term, Part I.
Part II.
Part III.
Part IV.
Special Term Chambers will be held 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER, JOHN P. SCHUCHMAN and THEODORE F. HASCALL Justices. THOMAS F. SMITH, Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A. M.

Justices, First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second Division—Trial days—Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.
Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; CHARLES F. WOLZ, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

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

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

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth

street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 134 Clinton street.
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice.

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.

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

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

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

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.
Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

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

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

Borough of The Bronx.

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

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

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

JOHN M. TIERNY, Justice. HOWARD SPEAR, Clerk.

Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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

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

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. AILEN, Chief Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

ADOLPH H. GORTING, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

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

Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on Bath avenue and Bay Twenty-second street, Bath Beach.

CORNELIUS FURGUSON, 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 comprising five Wards). Court-room Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).
THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Third District—JAMES F. McLOUGHLIN, Justice; GEO. W. DAMON, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.

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

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

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

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

ALBERT 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.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK,
177TH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me and are on file in my office for inspection for:

Palisade avenue, opening, from Spuyten Duyvil parkway to Two Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.

Sedgwick avenue, sewer, from Fordham road to East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; with branch in East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Sedgwick avenue to Loring place.

One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, regulating and grading, from Sheridan avenue to Mott avenue, and from Walton avenue to River avenue.

One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, opening, from Southern Boulevard to Arthur avenue.

Prospect avenue, sewer and appurtenances, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to One Hundred and Eighty-second street.

Belmont place, sewer and appurtenances, between Hoffman street and summit south of Hoffman street.

Belmont place, regulating and grading, between Arthur avenue and Third avenue.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on December 21, 1899, at 2 P. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated DECEMBER 6, 1899.

LOUIS F. HAFFEN,

President.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK,
177TH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Local Board, Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, will, on the 21st day of December, 1899, at 2 P. M., in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, give a public hearing on the following matters:

Lawrence avenue, change of grade, from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Lind avenue, and in Graham square.

Exterior street, change of grade, from summit northerly of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street to Kingsbridge road.

East One Hundred and Forty-first street, asphaltizing, from Brook avenue to Cypress avenue.

Alexander avenue, regulating and grading, from East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the bulkhead-line of the Harlem river.

Dated DECEMBER 8, 1899.

LOUIS F. HAFFEN,

President.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—MAIN OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, November 24, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN PURSUANCE OF the provisions of section 541, of the Greater New York Charter, and subject to the conditions, limitations, and requirements of section 419 and 420 of said Charter, for furnishing new stock and plant for the Department of Street Cleaning, in the Borough of Brooklyn, will be received at the main office of the Department, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, until 12 M. on the

12TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1899.

The items to be bid for are:

- 28 Two-horse Sweeping Machines.
- 100 Can-carriers.

The form of agreement, including specifications and showing the manner of payment and surety required, may be seen and blank forms of proposals, with any further information desired, will be furnished upon application at the main office of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

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, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES McCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.**

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 10

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on November 28, 1899, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 27, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 7, 1899.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET.—SEWER, between Webster and Third avenues; also, SEWER IN THIRD AVENUE, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and street summit, north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; also, SEWER IN BATHGATE AVENUE, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Tremont avenue; also, SEWER IN WASHINGTON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Tremont avenue; also, SEWER IN VANDERBILT AVENUE, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Webster to Third avenue; both sides of Third avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to a point distant about 290 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; both sides of Park avenue, East, and Park avenue, West, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Tremont avenue; both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets; both sides of Bathgate avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth to One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets; both sides of Bathgate avenue, from a point distant about 200 feet south of One Hundred and Eighty-first street to a point distant about 200 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; both sides of Lafontaine avenue, from Tremont avenue to Quarry road; both sides of Arthur avenue, from Tremont avenue to a point distant about 340 feet north of Samuels street (One Hundred and Eighty-first street); both sides of Fulton avenue, from Fairmount place, West, to Tremont avenue; both sides of Tremont avenue, from Park avenue to Belmont avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Bathgate avenue to Lafontaine avenue; both sides of Lebanon street, from Bathgate avenue to Hughes street; both sides of Samuels street (One Hundred and Eighty-first street), from Bathgate avenue to Arthur avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Bathgate avenue to Third avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Bathgate avenue to Third avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on November 28, 1899, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 27, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 27, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 7, 1899.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

SIXTH WARD.

PRESIDENT STREET.—REPAVING, between Clinton and Court streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of President street, between Clinton and Court streets.

SIXTH AVENUE.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Thirty-ninth and Forty-first streets, area of assessment: Both sides of Sixth avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Forty-first streets, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets.

FORTY-FIRST STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-first street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, lots numbered 49 to 53, inclusive, of Block No. 247.

FORTY-FIRST STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Second and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-first street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-THIRD STREET.—GRADING, from Fifth avenue to old city line (excepting from Fifth to Seventh avenues). Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-third street, between Seventh avenue and old city line, and to the extent of half the blocks on both sides of Eighth avenue.

FORTY-FOURTH STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fourth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-FIFTH STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Second and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-SIXTH STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FORTY-EIGHTH STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, lots numbered 23 to 33, inclusive, of Block No. 225.

FIFTY-SECOND STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-second street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, lots numbered 104 and 111 of Block No. 222.

FIFTY-THIRD STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-FOURTH STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Second and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-FIFTH STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET.—GRADING AND PAVING, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

ELEVENTH WARD.

SOUTH ELLIOT PLACE.—REPAVING, between Atlantic avenue and Hanson place. Area of assessment: Both sides of South Elliot place, between Atlantic avenue and Hanson place.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

KINGSTON AVENUE.—SEWERS, between St. John's place and Eastern Parkway; also, SEWER IN ALBANY AVENUE, between Eastern Parkway and Union street; also, SEWER IN DEGRAU STREET, between Kingston and Albany avenues; also SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY, north and south sides, between Kingston and Albany avenues; also SEWER IN EASTERN PARKWAY, north and south sides, to summits, westerly, from Kingston avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Kingston avenue, from St. John's place to Eastern Parkway; both sides of Albany avenue, from Eastern Parkway to Union street; both sides of Degraw street, from Albany to Kingston avenue; both sides of Eastern Parkway, between Kingston and Albany avenues; both sides of Eastern Parkway, extending westerly from Kingston avenue about 351 feet; both sides of Albany avenue, from Eastern Parkway to Degraw street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on November 28, 1899, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 27, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 27, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 7, 1899.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),
NEW YORK, December 2, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1899 to pay the same to the Receiver of Taxes, at his office, in the borough in which the property is located, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan, No. 57 Chambers street, Manhattan, N. Y.

Borough of the Bronx, corner Third and Tremont avenues, The Bronx, N. Y.

Borough of Brooklyn, Rooms 2, 4, 6 and 8 Municipal Building, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Borough of Queens, corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, N. Y.

Borough of Richmond, Richmond Building, New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.

—before the 1st day of January, 1900, as provided by section 919 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 378, Laws of 1897).

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid after the 1st day of December, 1899, one per centum will be charged, received and collected, in addition to the amount thereof, and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the 1st day of January, 1900, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the 2d day of October, 1899, on which day the assessment-rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1899 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 916 of said act.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,
Receiver of Taxes.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS
AND ARREARS,
ROOMS 1 AND 3 MUNICIPAL BUILDING,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, December 1, 1899.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS for the "Third Installment" in the following entitled matters have been completed and are now due and payable and the authority for the collection of the various assessments mentioned therein, has been delivered to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and all persons liable to pay such assessments are required to pay the same without delay at his office, in the Borough of Brooklyn, under the penalty of the law.

Opening and Grading the Following-named Streets:

Fortieth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Forty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Forty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Forty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Forty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Forty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fiftieth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-third street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fifty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Eighth avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to the old city line.

Also for Grading and Paving:

Fortieth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Fortieth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-first street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Forty-first street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-fourth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-fifth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-sixth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-eighth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Forty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Forty-ninth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

Also for Opening, Grading and Paving:

Fortieth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-second street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-third street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-fourth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-fifth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

Forty-sixth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Forty-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-second street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-fourth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-fifth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Also for Opening:

Forty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Fiftieth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-first street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

Also for Grading:

Forty-second street, from Seventh avenue to the old city line.

Also for Grading, Paving and Street Basins:

Fifth avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to the old city line.

EXTRACTS FROM THE LAW.

Chapter 583, Laws of 1888, title 7, section 10, and title 19, section 9, as amended by chapter 599, Laws of 1892, and chapter 888, Laws of 1895, as amended by section 937, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

On all taxes and on all assessments except assessments for grading and paving, which shall hereafter be paid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, before the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall become due and payable, an allowance shall be made to the person or persons making such payments at the rate of seven and three-tenths per centum per annum, for the unexpired portion thereof. On all taxes, assessments and water rates paid after the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall have become due and payable, there shall be added to and collected as part of every such tax, assessment or water rate, interest at the rate of nine per cent. per annum, to be computed from the time the same became due and payable, to the date of said payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

M. O'KEEFFE,
Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears,

Borough of Brooklyn.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD.

NINETY-FOURTH STREET.—OPENING between First avenue and the Bulkhead Line, Harlem river. Confirmed October 23, 1899, entered November 24, 1899. Area of assessment: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being 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 Ninety-fourth street and Ninety-fifth street, from the easterly side of Fifth avenue to the bulkhead-line of the East river; on the south by the middle line of the blocks between Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, from the easterly side of Fifth avenue to the bulkhead-line of

the East river; on the east by the bulkhead-line of the East river, and on the west by the easterly side of Fifth avenue.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the "Greater New York Charter."

Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears," Room 88, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.; and on Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 23, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be charged interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the above date of entry of the assessment in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 25, 1899.

INTEREST ON BONDS AND STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE INTEREST DUE JANUARY 1, 1900, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York, of the late City of Brooklyn, of the County of Kings, and of corporations in Queens and Richmond Counties now included in The City of New York, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from November 20, 1899, to January 1, 1900.

The interest due January 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due January 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds of the late City of Brooklyn, will be paid on that day by the Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn, No. 26 Court street.

The interest due January 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds of corporations in Queens and Richmond Counties will be received on that day for payment by the Comptroller at his office, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 27, 1899.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS,
NEW YORK, December 11, 1899.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held at the offices of this Commission for the following positions, upon the dates specified:

Monday, December 11, 10 A. M. STEAM ENGINEER. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience. No notice to appear for this examination will be issued on any application filed after Monday, December 4, 1899.

Thursday, December 14, 10 A. M. CHIEF OF BERTILLON SYSTEM. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Friday, December 15, 10 A. M. BUILDING INSPECTOR, IRON AND STEEL CONSTRUCTION. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience; also an oral examination.

Monday, December 18, 10 A. M. ATTENDANCE OFFICER (female). Subjects of examination: Duties, experience and arithmetic.

Tuesday, December 19, 10 A. M. MECHANICAL DRAUGHTSMAN. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Tuesday, December 19, 10 A. M. DISINFECTOR AND ASSISTANT DISINFECTOR. Subjects of examination: Special paper, arithmetic, experience and handwriting.

Wednesday, December 20, 10 A. M. TYPEWRITERS. Subjects of examination: Handwriting, accuracy, arithmetic, spelling, punctuation and time. Candidates must furnish their own machines.

Friday, December 22, 10 A. M. CORONER'S PHYSICIAN. Subjects of examination: Technical knowledge and experience.

Wednesday, December 27, 10 A. M. INSPECTORS OF ELECTRICAL CONDUCTORS. Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Thursday, December 28, 10 A. M. MEDICAL OFFICER (Fire Department). Subjects of examination: Technical knowledge and experience.

Friday, December 29, 10 A. M. LAW CLERKS. Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, spelling, dictation and letter-writing, and a special paper.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 486 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, will give a public hearing, at a meeting of the said Board, to be held at the office of the said Board, as above, on Wednesday, December 27, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., to all persons affected by or interested in a "Map showing lands in the Towns of Lewisboro, Poundridge and Bedford, Westchester County, New York, to be acquired for the purpose of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure water, for the use of the City of New York," which said map has been prepared by the Commissioner of Water Supply and submitted to the said Board of Public Improvements for approval.

Dated New York, December 1, 1899.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
ROOM 9, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 7, 1899.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following Horses will be sold at public auction, at the salesrooms of Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, No. 130 East Thirteenth street, on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1899,
at 10 A. M.
Thirty-third Precinct—
"Fritz," No. 81.
Thirty-fourth Precinct—
"Reno," No. 111.
"Star," No. 351.
Thirty-eighth Precinct—
"Eddy," No. 168.
Fortieth Precinct—
"George," No. 104.
"Ben," No. 206.
"Fred," No. 227.
Forty-fifth Precinct—
"Jim," No. 247.
Sixty-second Precinct—
"Jim," No. 297.
Sixty-eighth Precinct—
"Fred," No. 139.
Sixty-ninth Precinct—
"Bobby," No. 337.
Seventieth Precinct—
"Billy," No. 344.
By order of the Board of Police.
ANDREW J. LALOR,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ANDREW J. LALOR,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS,
on behalf of the Fire Department, will offer for sale at public auction, at their sale stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirtieth street, Borough of Manhattan, **FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1899,** at 12 o'clock noon, the following property belonging to the Fire Department of The City of New York: Four horses, no longer fit for use in the Department, Nos. 695, 735, 841 and 1054.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
New York, December 1, 1899.
SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING
this Department with the FIRE HOSE below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10.30 o'clock A. M.,

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1899,
at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

1. Five thousand (5,000) feet 2½-inch Cotton, Rubber-lined Fire Hose, "Elephant" brand or equal thereto. The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars, and the time for delivery thirty days. No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the security required.

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

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

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

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
New York, December 2, 1899.
SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING
ANTHRACITE COAL IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, VIZ.:

800 Tons Egg Size.
200 Tons Broken Size.

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1899,
at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The coal is to be free-burning, of the first quality of either of the kinds known and mined as follows: "Lackawanna," by New York, Ontario and Western Railroad, or any other free-burning coal.

—all to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000) Dollars.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of One Hundred (100) Dollars.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
NEW YORK, December 1, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR DRUGS AND MEDICINES, DRUGGISTS' SUPPLIES AND GLASSWARE, SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Drugs and Medicines, Druggists' Supplies, and Glassware, Surgical Instruments, etc., from January 1, 1900, to July 1, 1900, 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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1899,

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 "Drugs, Medicines, etc.," with his or their name or names and address, which should also be written on the page of the specifications designated therefor, 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.

Bidders must state the price of each article per pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footing and awards made to the lowest bidder on the items combined under each class, but every item must be bid on.

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

If two or more bids are alike, the Department reserves the right to allot the article or articles among the bidders, or to award to any one of them. Bidders are not compelled to furnish more than 20 per cent. of any article in excess of the mentioned amount. But if they are willing, and the Department deems it advantageous, further purchases of the respective articles may be made, at the contract price, during the balance of the year.

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 Kings County Hospital, Flatbush, during office hours, until the bids are opened.

CLASS No. 23—DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.

852. 50 pounds Acacia Gum, Turkey, 2d selected, in 25-lb. bags.
853. 25 pounds Acacia Gum, powdered, in 5-lb. packages.
854. 260 tins Aether, fort, for anaesthesia, in 250-gm. tins, Squibb's.
855. 15 vials Amyl Nitrite, in 25-gm. vials, Squibb's.
856. 50 pounds Acidum Carbolium, crystals, Calvert's No. 2, in 1-lb. bottles.
857. 4 ounces Acidum Chromic, Merck's, 1-oz. vials.
858. 3 pounds Acidum Benzoicum, English, C. P., Howard's, in bottles.
859. 80 pounds Acidum Boricum, powdered, pure 5-lb. cartons, Squibb's.
860. ½ pound Acidum Gallicum, in 1-oz. vials.
861. 80 vials Acidum Hydrocyanicum, dilutum, in 5-gm. vials, Squibb's.
862. 30 pounds Acid Nitric, C. P., in 1 and 3-lb. bottles, P. & W.
863. 5 pounds Acidum Salicylic, in 1-lb. boxes, Schering's.
864. 20 pounds Acidum Citricum, granular, C. P., P. & W., in 1-lb. bottles.
865. 168 pounds Acid, Carbolic (good), cans of 56 lbs.
866. 15 pounds Acidum Muriaticum, C. P., 1 and 3-lb. bottles, P. & W.
867. 30 pounds Acidum Muriaticum, Commercial, 6-lb. bottles.
868. 35 pounds Acidum Aceticum, pure, U. S. P., Sp. gr. S. & Co., or Merck's, P. & W.
869. 15 pounds Acidum Sulphuric, C. P., P. & W., in 1 and 3-lb. bottles.
870. 125 pounds Acidum Oxalicum, in 1-lb. bottles, P. & W.
871. 50 pounds Acidum Oxalicum, Commercial.
872. 1 pound Acid Tannic, in 1-lb. boxes, P. & W.
873. 1 bottle Acid Tartaricum, powdered, Squibb's, 50-gm. bottles.
874. 6 ounces Acid Arsenious, crystals, C. P., 1-oz. vials, Merck's.
875. 10 ounces Acidum Chrysarobin, in 1-oz. cartons, Merck's.
876. 10 ounces Acid Camphoric, in 1-oz. vials, Merck's.
877. 1-6 dozen Arsenic Antidote, elements separate, Squibb's.
878. 4 ounces Antifebrin, in 1-oz. tins, Kalle, Merck's.
879. 210 pounds Aqua Ammonia, FFF, S. & Co., demijohns, 28 per cent.
880. 1 pound Alum Crystals.
881. 5 pounds Alumen, powdered, 5-lb. bottles, pure.
882. 8 bottles Alcohol, Absolute, Squibb's, in 2 kilo bottles.
883. 1 tin Aloes, red, S., powdered, C. P., in tins of 500 gm., Squibb's.
884. 25 ounces Argenti Nitris, crystals, P. & W.
885. 25 ounces Argenti Nitris, fusi, L. C., P. & W., in 1-oz. vials.
886. 3 pounds Ammonia, bromid., in 1-lb. bottles, P. & W.
887. 35 pounds Ammonia Chlorid, medicinal use, powdered C. P., in 5-lb. bottles, P. & W.
888. 15 bottles Ammonia carbonas, pure, Squibb's, in 500-gm. bottles.
889. 20 ounces Antipyrine, Farwerke, Vorm. Meister, Lucius & Brunning, Hocht, a-m., in 1-oz. tins.
890. 5 pounds Aurant Amari, cortex, fresh, No. 30 powder, in 10-lb. papers.
891. 1 ounce Atropine sulph., in ¼-oz. vials, Merck's.
892. 20 pounds Amylum Powder, in 5-lb. papers.
893. 2 ounces Antimonii et Potassii, tart., powd.
894. 5 pounds Asafetida, powdered.
895. 20 ounces Aristol, Bayer, 1-oz. packages.
896. 6 gallons Aqua Distillata, in 1 gallon demijohns.
897. 1 gallon Acetum Scillae.
898. 1 pound Acid Sulph., Aromat., 1-lb. bottles.
899. 1 pound Acid Phos. Dilut., 1-lb. bottles.
900. 8 ounces Acetanilid, powd. and cryst., in 4-oz. packages.
901. 5 tins Belladonnae, folio, in fine powder, Squibb's, 250-gm. tins.
902. 2 ounces Beta-Naphthol Bismuth, Merck's.
903. 1 pint Benzoin, Merck's.
904. 2 pint Benzoinol.
905. 2 pounds Benzine, Anthracid, B. Ph., 80° to 84°, 1-lb. bottles.
906. 16 ounces Bromoform, or Bromine, in 1-oz. vials.
907. 2 ounces Beta Naphthol, cryst., C. P., 1-oz. vials, Merck's.
908. 25 pounds Balsam Peru, true, in packages of 5-lb. tins.

909. 3 pounds Balsam Tolu, true, in 1-lb. porcelain pots.
910. 30 tins Bismuth subnitrate, in 1-lb. tins, Squibb's.
911. 3 tins Bismuth, subcarbon, in 500-gm. tins, Squibb's.
912. 2 ounces Bismuth, subiodide.
913. 4 ounces Bismuth, Basic Nitrate, Merck's.
914. 8 ounces Bismuth Subgallate, Merck's 1-oz. cartons.
915. 2 ounces Boro Thymol, 8-oz. bottles.
916. 25 pounds Calomel.
917. 5 tins Capsicum, powdered, in 500-gm. tins, Squibb's.
918. 10 pounds Calc., for liq., Calcis, in tin.
919. 1 ounce Calcium, Sulphide, 1-oz. vials, P. & W.
920. 500 pounds Cereal Milk, Hospital size.
921. 50 pounds Camphor, Gum, pure.
922. 10 pounds Chloral Hydrat, crystals, 1-lb. bottles, Schering's.
923. 35 pounds Chloroform, venale, in 5-lb. bot. for external use only, S. & Co., or McK & R.
924. 20 bottle Chloroform, purificat., in bottles, 500-gms., Squibb's.
925. ½ pound Cupri Sulphas, crystals.
926. 4 ounces Cupri Sulphas, crystals, C. P.
927. 4 ounces Codeia, German, Merck's, in 1-oz. vials.
928. 1 ounce Codeia, Sulphate, Merck's, in 1-oz. vials.
929. 100 vials Colloidum, flexile, in 25-gm. vials, Squibb's.
930. 20 vials Colloidum, cum Cantharides, in 25-gm. vials, Squibb's.
931. 4 tins Calumba, No. 20, powder, in 1-lb. tins.
932. 30 pounds Caustic Potassa, white, in 1-lb. bottles, P. & W.
933. 5 pounds Cardamomum, Malabar, short and fresh.
934. 30 pounds Cera Flava, pure.
935. 2 pounds Cera Alb., Star brand.
936. 5 pounds Ceratim Adipis.
937. 4 ounces Caffeine, Cit., 1-oz. vials, Merck's.
938. 5 pounds Carbo. Ligni, powdered, C. P., in 1-lb. cartons.
939. 5 pounds Carum.
940. 10 pounds Creta, Praeparata, English, powdered.
941. 6 tins Cinchona, Flava, in No. 60 powder, assayed, Squibb's, 500-gm. tins.
942. 2 ounces Cocculus.
943. 6 pounds Carophyllus pulv.
944. 5 pounds Caryophyllus.
945. 10 tins Cinchona, Rubra, in No. 60 powder, assayed, Squibb's, 500-gm. tins.
946. 1 pound Cinnamon, Ceylon.
947. 10 tins Cinnamon, Ceylon, powdered, in 500-gm. tins, Squibb's.
948. ½ pound Creosote, Carbonate, Schering's or Merck's.
949. 4 ounces Calamine (Calamina Lapis).
950. 5 pounds Catechu, strained M. C. powder.
951. 2 pounds Copaiba, in 5-lb. bottles.
952. 12 pounds Creosotum, English, ¼-lb. vials, Morson & Son.
953. 100 pounds Calx Chlorate, in 25-lb. boxes and packages, close.
954. 56 pounds Compressed Antiseptic Tablets, in 1-lb. bottles.
R 77 gr. Hydr. Chlor. Cor.
73 gr. Ammonia Chlor.
Sharp & Dohme.
955. 3 ounces Cocaine Hydroch., 1-oz. P. D. & Co.
956. 6 bottles Colloidum, flexible, in 250-gm. bottles, Squibb's.
957. 1 dozen Culture Peptones, Fairchild's.
958. 8 pound Digitalis, fol. English, Allen's, in 1-lb. tins, fresh, not musty.
959. 6 dozen Elixir Ferri et Quinin., et Strych., J. W. & Bro.
960. 3 yards Emplastum, Cantharides, 1 yard rolls, S. & J.
961. 40 rolls Emplastum, Adhesive, Rubber on cloth, 5-yard rolls, 12 inches wide, S. & J.
962. ¼ dozen Emplastum, Ichthyocallae, waterproof, Seabury & Johnson, on silk.
963. 8 gross Emplastum, Poor Man's Cloth, porous, Seabury & Johnson, 2 doz. in box.
964. 30 rolls Emplastum, Diachlyn, 12 in. wide, 5 yard rolls, S. & J.
965. 15 rolls Emplastum, Belladonnae, porous, 7 inches, 3 yard rolls, S. & J.
966. ½ dozen Etyl Chloride, Dr. Benque.
967. 5 grains Eserine.
968. 3 ounces Eucalyptol, 1-oz. vials.
969. 4 pounds Extract Aur. Cort. fluid, for making syrup.
970. 5 bottles Extract Buchu, fluid, Squibb's, in 500-gm. bottles.
971. 50 pounds Extract Cascara Sagrada, fluid, P. D. & Co., 1-lb. bottles.
972. 4 bottles Extract Coffee, fluid, R., Squibb's, 500-gm. bottles.
973. 2 pounds Extract Digitalis, fluid, P. D. & Co.
974. 2 pounds Extract Hydrastis, U. S. P., fluid, P. D. & Co., 1-lb. bottles.
975. 20 bottles Extract Gentian Comp. fluid, 1-lb. bottles, Squibb's or McK. & R.
976. 1 ounce Extract Canab. Indica, Alc., 1-oz. jars, Herring & Co., London.
977. 10 bottles Extract Canabis Indica, fluid, Squibb's, 250-gm. bottles.
978. 10 bottles Extract Senegae, fluid, Squibb's, in 500-gm. bottles.
979. 15 pounds Extract Grindelia Robusta, fluid, U. S. P., Sharp & Dohme, in 5-lb. bottles.
980. 40 pounds Extract Pruni Virg., fluid, for making syrup, P. D. & Co., 1-lb. bottles.
981. 38 pounds Extract Vanilla, fluid, No. 4, Hance Bros. & White, 1-lb. bottles.
982. 2 pounds Extract Hamamelis, Virg., fluid, Sharp & Dohme, 1-lb. bottles.
983. 3 bottles Extract Cimicifugae, in 500-gm. bottles, Squibb's.
984. 15 bottles Extract Cinchona, fluid, Compound, in 500-gm. bottles, Squibb's.
985. 10 bottles Extract Cinchona, fluid, in 1-lb. bottles, Squibb's or S. & D.
986. 10 bottles Extract Ergotae, fluid, in 1-lb. bottles, Squibb's or S. & D.
987. 2 bottles Extract Gilesemii, fluid, Squibb's, or S. & D., in bottles of 250 gm.
988. 15 bottles Extract Glycyrrhizae, fluid, Squibb's or S. & D., in 1-lb. bottles.
989. 2 bottles Extract Hyoscamii, fluid, Squibb's or S. & D., in 1-lb. bottles.
990. 2 bottles Extract Pilocarpus, fluid, 1-lb. bottles, Squibb's or S. & D.
991. 6 bottles Extract Rhei, fluid, Squibb's or S. & D., in 1-lb. bottles.
992. 10 bottles Extract Sennae, fluid, Squibb's or S. & D., in 1-lb. bottles.
993. 10 bottles Extract Sarsaparillae Comp., fluid, Squibb's or S. & D., in 1-lb. bottles.
994. 25 gallons Ferro Mangan Peptonate, S. & D., 1-gal. bottles.
995. 6 bottles Extract Scillae, fluid, Squibb's or S. & D., in 1-lb. bottles.
996. 1 pound Extract Saw-Palmetto, fluid, J. W. & Bros. or S. & D.
997. 1 pound Extract Arnicae, fluid.
998. ¼ pound Extract Kola Nut, fluid.
999. 4 bottles Extract Ipecacuanhae, fluid for Syrup, Squibb's or S. & D., in 1-lb. bottles.
1000. 2 bottles Extract Serpentinae for Syrup, fluid, Squibb's or S. & D., in 1-lb. bottles.

1001. 2 pounds Extract Rhei, Aromatic, fluid, S. & Co. or S. & D.
1002. 2 bottles Extract Belladonnae, Rad., Squibb's, 250-gm. bottles.
1003. 4 bottles Extract Belladonnae leaf, fluid, Squibb's or S. & D., 1-lb. bottles.
1004. 30 pounds Extract Carnis, Liebig's, London, England, in 1-lb. pots, imported.
1005. 30 pounds Extract Carnis, Armour's Chicago Brand, solid.
1006. 30 pounds Extract Glycyrrhizae, powdered, in 10-lb. tins.
1007. 2 bottles Extract Taraxci, fluid, in 1-lb. bottles, Squibb's or S. & D.
1008. 3 bottles Extract Valerian, fluid, Squibb's, bottle of 500 gm.
1009. 3 bottles Extract Viburnum Pruni, fol., fluid.
1010. 2 pounds Ferri et Ammon. Citras, P. & W., in 1-lb. bottles.
1011. 2 pounds Ferri et Quinine Citras, in 1-lb. bottles, P. & W.
1012. 2 pounds Ferri, Sub Carbonas, pure, in 1-lb. bottles, P. & W.
1013. 1 pound Ferri, Sulphas, in pure crystals, in 1-lb. bottles, P. & W.
1014. 5 pounds Foeniculum, powdered.
1015. 1 dozen Food, Mellen's, small.
1016. 600 pounds Glycerin, concentrated, in 50-lb. cases, C. P.
1017. 10 pounds Glycyrrhizae, Radix, fine powdered, in 5-lb. tin boxes.
1018. 10 pounds Guaiac, Gum, select M., coarse powdered.
1019. 10 pounds Hydrarg. Chlor., Mit. English, Howard & Sons, in 1-pound bottles.
1020. 30 pounds Hydrarg. Chlor. Cor. Crystals, P. & W. or Merck's, in 1-lb. bottles.
1021. 1 ounce Hydrarg. Sulph. Flava.
1022. 4 ounces Hydrarg. Iod. Rubr., 1-oz. vials.
1023. 1 ounce Hydrarg. Iod. Vir., ½-oz. vials.
1024. 2 ounces Hydrarg. Oxid. Flav., in 1-oz. vials.
1025. 25 pounds Ichthyol (ammon. sulph. ichthyol) Merck's or McK. & R., in 1-lb. vials.
1026. 20 pounds Iodoform, powdered, P. & W. or S. & Co., in ½-lb. bottles.
1027. 250 packages Imperial Granum, large.
1028. 2 pounds Iodum, resublimed, P. & W., 1-lb. bottles.
1029. 5 ounces Iodide of Ammonia, 1-oz. vials, Merck's.
1030. 20 pounds Insect Powder, Persian, S. & Co., or McK. & R., in 10-lb. tins.
1031. 8 bottles Liquor Potassii Arsenit. (Fowler's Solution), 1-lb. bottles, Squibb's or S. & D.
1032. 200 pounds Lini Farina, fresh, in sound barrels.
1033. 4 vials Lithum, Salicylate, 25-gm. vials, Squibb's.
1034. 5 pounds Linum.
1035. 35 pounds Lycopodium, in 5-lb. packages, Rus.
1037. 36 pounds Liq. Ferri, Chloride, 6-lb. bottles, Sharp & Dohme, for making tincture.
1038. 1 bottle Liquor Arsenit. et Hydr. Iodi. (Donovan's sol.), 250-gm. bottles, Squibb's.
1039. 8 dozen Liquid Peptonoids Beef, A. C. Co.
1040. 2 ounces Lithii, Carbonas, 1-oz. vials, Merck's.
1041. 2 pounds Liquor Ferri Iodide, ¼-lb. bottles, Smith & Kline, Phila.
1042. 60 dozen Malted Milk, H. Malted M. Co., regular size.
1043. 5 dozen Maltine, Maltine Co.
1044. 400 pounds Magnesia, Sulphas, in sound barrels.
1045. 8 dozen Malt Vinegar, pure, in pints, Crosse & Blackwell.
1046. 20 ounces Morphine, Sulphas, P. & W., 1-oz. vials.
1047. 5 pounds Magnesia, Carbonas, Jennings', in ¼-lb. papers.
1048. 10 dozen Meat Juice, Dr. S. Valentine, Richmond, Va., ½ doz. in box.
1049. 1 pound Myristica, sound.
1050. 20 pounds Naphthalene or tar camphor, in squares or balls.
1051. 20 tins Nucis Vomicae, powdered, for tincture, Squibb's, in tins of 500 gm.
1052. 40 gallons Oleum Olivae, Malaga, opt. in 10-gal. cases.
1053. 2 ounces Oleum Carri, 1-oz. vials.
1054. 1 gallon Oleum Gossypium sem., in 1-gal. cans.
1055. 4 ounces Oil Cinnamon, Ceylon, in 1-oz. vials.
1056. 24 pounds Oleum Gaultheriae, true, 1-lb. bottles, S. & Co. or McK. & R.
1057. 3 barrels Oleum Morrhuae, flava, Norwegian; 3 Fish, to be delivered in sound barrels as required, S. & Co.
1058. 120 pounds Oleum Ricini, Baker's Crystal, in 40-lb. cans.
1059. 2 vials Oleum Etherium, U. S. P., Squibb's, in 25-gm. vials.
1060. 1 gallon Oleum Adipis.
1061. 2 ounces Oleum Aconital, 1-oz. vials.
1062. 6 pounds Oleum Lavander, flowers, French Chris, in 1-lb. bottles.
1063. 1 pound Oleum Aurantii Corticis, in ½-lb. bottles.
1064. 1 ounce Oleum Senapis Volatile.
1065. 1 ounce Oleum Aurantii, flor.
1066. 2 ounces Oleum Phosphoratum, 1-oz. vials.
1067. 4 vials Oleum, Hydrargyri, Squibb's, 20 per cent., in 25-gm. vials.
1068. 1 pound Oleum Cade, ½-lb. bottles.
1069. 1 pound Oleum Cassia, 8-oz. bottles.
1070. 6 pounds Oleum Limonis, S. F. De Pasquale & Bro., in 1-lb. bottles.
1071. 20 gallons Oleum Lini, Raw, pure, in clean 5-gal. tin cans, for medical use.
1072. 1 ounce Oleum Rose Geraniun Ch.
1073. 2 pounds Oleum Menthae, Piperitae, English, ½-lb. bottles.
1074. 15 pounds Oleum Origani, fine, in 5-lb. tins.
1075. 2 ounces Oleum Juniperi, 1-oz. vials.
1076. 2 ounces Oleum Pimenta, 1-oz. vials.
1077. 2 ounces Oleum Pini Punilions.
1078. 4 ounces Oleat Hydr., 5 per cent., 1-oz. vials, S. & Co.
1079. 1 pound Oleum Amygdalae, Exp.
1080. 6 ounces Oleum Santalum, Turkish, true, in 2-oz. vials.
1081. 1 ounce Oleum Hedemoneae.
1082. 4 ounces Oleresin, Capsici, 1-oz. vials, Keith's.
1083. 6 vials Oleresin, Aspidii, felix, mas., Squibb's 25-gm. vials.
1084. 3 pounds Oleum Caryophylli, ½-lb. bottles.
1085. 2 ounces Oleum Myricae, in 1-oz. vials.
1086. 8 pounds Oleum Rosmarini, flowers, French, eperle, 1-lb. bottles.
1087. 4 pounds Oleum Theobromae, in ½-lb. cakes.
1088. 6 ounces Oleum Tigllii, in 2-oz. vials.
1089. 5 ounces Oxalate of Cerium, in 1-oz. vials, Merck's.
1090. 12 pounds Opium, Gum, best opt., assayed.
1091. 4 tins Opium, powdered, assayed in 100-gra. tins, Squibb's.
1092. 4 pounds Pimenta, Pulv.
1093. 4 dozen Peptogenic Milk Powder, F. B. & F., large size.
1094. 4 ounces Potassa Sulphuret.
1095. 35 pounds Potassii Acetas, in 1-lb. bottles, P. & W.
1096. 5 pounds Potassii Bicarbonas, pure, crystals, in 5-lb. bottles, P. & W.
1097. 30 bottles Potassii Citras, Squibb's, in 500-gm. bottles.
1098. 50 pounds Potassii, Iodidum, P. & W., in 5-lb. bottles.

1109. 50 pounds Potassium, Permang., pure, in 1-lb. bottles.	1186. 20 pounds Scilla, white, fresh, selected.	substance whatever. Goods specially described to be of the kind named, and no other kind or quality will be accepted. All goods to be delivered in original packages for which no charge shall be made.	1368. 2 rolls Oiled Silk, Opalescent green, 1-yard roll, J. Ellwood Lee & Co.
1100. 1 pound Potassii, Tartras.	1187. 2 ounces Scilla, white, powdered, select 1-oz. vials, Squibb's.	CLASS No. 24—DRUGGISTS' SUPPLIES.	1369. 150 pounds Oakum, U.S.N. in 50-lb. bundles, must be uniform, fresh and clean.
1101. 1 pound Paraldehyde, Merck's, in 1-lb. bottles.	1188. 2 tins Sinapis leaves, J. & J., in tins.	Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.	1370. 3,000 gallons Oxygen, pure, for medical use, in cylinders of 150 gallons each, King's Oxygen Works, or Walton's Oxygen Co., as required.
1102. 60 pounds Potassii, Promidum, Cryst., in 5-lb. bottles, P. & W.	1189. 20 dozen Syrupus Hypophos Comp., Fellows'.	1283. 1 dozen Alcohol Lamps, 4-oz., with metal burner and glass cap.	1371. 1-12 dozen Percolating Jars, graduated, 1/2 and gal., of each 1.
1103. 100 pounds Potassii et Sodii Tartras, in 10-lb. papers, Kidder.	1190. 1 ounce Phenolphthalein.	1284. 1 dozen Atomizers, with extra long tube, Delano, No. 558.	1372. 1-12 dozen Percolating Jars, graduated, 4 and 8 pints, of each 1.
1104. 20 tins Potassii, Chloras gran., in 500-gm. tins, Squibb's.	1191. 1 ounce Rosolic Acid.	1285. 1 copy American Druggist, Jan. 1 to July 1, 1900.	1373. 60 dozen Pipettes, French, bent and exact, 1 dozen in box, W. Tatum & Co.
1105. 25 pounds Potassii, Nitrates, crystal, pure, in 5-lb. bottles, P. & W.	1192. 1 ounce Potassium Ferricyanide.	1286. 1 dozen Basswood Coaptation Splints.	1374. 2 dozen Pharmacopoeia, U.S. sheep, 1898.
1106. 5 pounds Potassii, Nitrates, powdered, pure, in bottle, P. & W.	1193. 1 ounce Ferrocyanide, Potassium.	1287. 2 dozen Bed Pans, Agate, as per sample.	1375. 8 reams Paper, brown, wrapping, 23 x 36, 40 lbs. to ream, pure Manila, in quires.
1107. 2 tins Potassii, Bitart, powdered, 2-kilo. tins, Squibb's.	1194. 1/2 ounce Ammon. Molybdate.	1288. 75 Bed Pans, Eureka, as per sample.	1376. 8 reams Paper, prescription, white, 24 x 36, strong, fibre, well-sized and uniform quality, 30 lbs. to ream, in quires.
1108. 5 pounds Potassii, Carbonas, pure, in 5-lb. bottles, P. & W.	1195. 1 ounce Ammon. Oxalate.	1289. 10 dozen Brushes, Hand, No. 27, S. & Co.	1377. 200 dozen Paper, toilet, perforated rolls, S. P., W. P. Co., Albany, N. Y.
1109. 5 pounds Pepsine, Sacchi, Hawley's American, 1/2-lb. bottles.	1196. 1 ounce Ammon. Phosphate.	1290. 1 Bandage, rubber, 12 feet long, 2 1/2 inches wide, Martin's.	1378. 1/2 Pinch Cocks, for rubber tubing, 3 sizes, Squibb's, S. M. & L.
1110. 1 dozen Pencils, Cupri Sulph.	1197. 1 ounce Barium Carbonate.	1291. 1 Belocq's Canula, for epistaxis.	1380. 1 pound Pumice Stone, in fine power.
1111. 1 dozen Pencils, Alum, for treating eyelids.	1198. 1 ounce Barium Chloride.	1292. 6 dozen Bottle Brushes, assorted sizes, with strong brass-wire handles, to be selected.	1381. 100 pounds Plaster, Calcined, true, Dentists', sifted, 5-lb. bottles.
1112. 5 dozen boxes Peptonizing Tubes, Fairchild, boxes of 1 dozen.	1199. 1 ounce Barium Nitrate.	1293. 2 Bistoury's, straight, sharp pointed, metal handles.	1382. 6 6 dozen Rubber Water Bed, medium-size, Goodyear's.
1113. 35 ounces Phenacetine, Bayer, 1-oz. vials, S. & Co.	1200. 1 ounce Methyl Orange.	1294. 2 Bistoury's, straight, probe pointed, metal handles.	1383. 1 dozen Searcher, steel, Kelly's.
1114. 8 dozen Pepts., Mangan, Gude's.	1201. 1/2 ounce Ferrous Sulphide.	1295. 2 Bistoury's, curved, sharp pointed, metal handles.	1384. 10 dozen Suspensories, assorted, Hann's, 1 doz. in box.
1115. 20 pounds Prunus, Virginiana, select, No. 20, powder in 10-lb. papers.	1202. 1 ounce Corallin.	1296. 2 Bistoury's, curved, probe pointed, metal handles.	1385. 1/2 dozen Spatulas, steel, best quality, assorted, 3 to 10 inch, balanced handles.
1116. 20 tins Plumbi, Acetate, C. P., 500-gm. tins, Squibb's.	1203. 1 ounce Diphenylamine.	1297. 2 dozen Breast shield, pure rubber, Good years, 1 doz. in box.	1386. 2 pounds Sponges, surgeons' loose, Mediterranean or fine.
1117. 5 pounds Plumbi, Oxidum, pure.	1204. 1 ounce Fluorescin.	1298. 1 dozen Breast glasses, No. 2, improved, complete, Hagerly.	1387. 15 pounds Sponges, 5 or 6 to lb., good quality, clean, loose, not in bale, Venetian.
1118. 200 Pil Phosp. gr. 1-50, W. & Co., 100 in vial.	1205. 50 ounces Sulfonal, Bayer, 1-oz. cartons.	1299. 30 gross Boxes, pill, paper, Nos. 29, 30, 31, 2 to gross.	1388. 24 dozen Surgeons' Needles, straight and curved, medium, assorted sizes.
1119. 4,000 Pil Analgesine, gr. 5, 120 in vial, J. W. & Bro.	1206. 4 ounces Thyroids, desic., 1-oz. bottles, P. D. & Co.	1300. 5 gross Boxes, pill, paper, 2 oz.	1389. 1/2 dozen Scissors, curved on flat, blunt point, 6 in.
1120. 200 Pil Val. of Iron Quin. et Zinci, S. & Co., 100 in vial.	1207. 500 Tablets, Lithi Cit., gr. 5, 100 in vial, S. Wyeth & Bro. or S. & D.	1301. 1 Button, Murphy's, for intestinal anastomosis.	1390. 2-12 dozen Scissors, curved on flat, sharp point, 6 in.
1121. 18,000 Pil Cathart. Comp., U. S. P., Sharp & Dohme, G. C., 1-oz. in bottle.	1208. 20,000 Tablets, Strychnine, Sulph., gr. 1-50, 1,000 in vial, Sharp & Dohme or Fraser & Co.	1302. 250 yards Cross Bar Crinolin, for plaster bandages.	1391. 2-12 dozen Scissors, straight, sharp point, 6 in.
1122. 6,000 Pil Quinine Sulph. gel. coated, 2 grs., 500 in bottle, Sharp & Dohme.	1209. 500 Tablets, Agaricin, gr. 1-10, Sharp & Dohme, or S. W. & Co., 100 in vial.	1303. 3 dozen Catheters, rubber, assorted, Velvet eye, G. T. & Co.	1392. 1/2 dozen Scissors, straight, blunt point, 6 in.
1123. 10,000 Fil Quinine Sulph. gel. coated, 5 grs., 500 in bottle, Sharp & Dohme.	1210. 500 Tablets, Digitalis, gr. 1, 100 in vial, Fraser & Co. or S. & D.	1304. 3 Chloroform Inhalers, Esmarch's.	1393. 3 Stomach Tubes, with bulb and funnel attached.
1124. 100 Pil Opil, U. S. P., 1 gr., S. & Co., 100 in bottle.	1211. 1,000 Tablets, Argent. Nit., gr. 1/4, Fraser & Co. or S. & D.	1305. 6 dozen Catheters, glass, assorted.	1394. 1 Saw, bow, with two blades, 8 in., Charriere's.
1125. 5,000 Pil Hydr. Iod., Virid., 1-6 grain, G. C., S. & Co., 100 in vial.	1212. 5,000 Tablets, Comp. Hypodermic, Morph. sulph., 1/4 gr., Fraser & Co. or S. & D.	1306. 12 dozen Camel's hair pencils, of good quality, 3 1/2 inches long, in dozen bundles.	1395. 1 Saw, chain, Jeffrey's.
1126. 200 Pil Asafoetida, G. C., S. & Co., 100 in vial, 4 gr.	1213. 3,000 Tablets, Comp. Hypodermic, Rx. Morph. Sulph. 1-3 gr. et Atropia, sulph., 1-120, Fraser & Co. or S. & D., 100 in vial.	1307. 100 gross Corks, taper, best quality, for as follows: 1, 2, 4, 6, 8 and 16 oz. vials, in 5 gross bags.	1396. 1 Speculum, Graves' bivalve.
1127. 300 Pil Resin, Podoph., 1/4 gr., G. C., S. & Co., 100 in vial.	1214. 2,000 Tablets, Comp. Hypodermic, Atropia sulph., 1-100, 100 in vial, S. & D. or Fraser & Co.	1308. 3 dozen Chamomile skins, fine quality, whole, regular medium size.	1397. 1 dozen Syringes, Hypodermic, Fenestrated, G. T. & Co.
1128. 3 barrels Petrolatum, in barrels.	1215. 300 Tablets, Comp. & Hypodermic, Rx. Hyoscyanin, 1-60 gr., J. Wyeth & Bro. or S. & D.	1309. 100 gross Corks, taper, best quality, for as follows: 1, 2, 4, 6, 8 and 16 oz. vials, in 5 gross bags.	1398. 3 dozen Syringes, elastic, Goodyear's Union, No. 7.
1129. 500 Pil Quinine Ferri et Nucis Vom., S. & Co., 500 in bottle.	1216. 500 Tablets, Comp. Hypodermic, Rx. Hyoscyanin, 1-60 gr. et Morph. sulph., 1/4, J. Wyeth & Bro. or S. & D., 100 in vial.	1310. 1 gross Corks, taper, best quality, assorted, for demijohn.	1400. 20 dozen Syringes, glass, male and female, McElroy's patent, No. 3, 1 doz. in box.
R. Quinine sulph., 1 gr. } Ft. 1 pill, mass, 2 gr. } G. C.		1311. 1 gross Corks, specie, best quality, 4 to 5 in. diameter, 1/2 in. thick.	1401. 2 dozen coils Silver Wire, in coils, Nos. 25, 26, 27, G. T. & Co.
Ext. nucis vom., 1/2 gr. } Ft. 1 pill, mass, 2 gr. } G. C.		1312. 10 gross Corks, taper, best quality, for 1/2-gal. bottles.	1402. 12 bundles Silk Worm Gut, 1,000 Strands in bundle, to be selected, Spaulding Bros., N. Y.
1130. 6,000 Pil Phenacetin, Bayer, 5 grs., 100 in bottle, S. & Co.	1217. 3 ounces Strychnina, sulph., 1/4-oz. vials, Merck's or W. & W.	1313. 500 pounds Cotton, absorbent, in 1/4-lb. packages, in cases of 50 lbs., Johnson & Johnson or S. & J.	1403. 1 dozen Silk, black, twisted, Brainard & Armstrong, O., C. & E.
1131. 600 pounds Peroxide of Hydrogen, Marchand's solution, 1-lb. bottle, 24 pounds in box.	1218. 2 bottles Tinct. Veratir, Veridir, Squibb's, 500-gm. bottles.	1314. 1 Drill, Wyeth's with adjustable handle and six drill points.	1404. 4 dozen Trusses, single, right and left, good common, with steel spring, good leather covering, sizes to order.
1132. 6,000 Pil Ferruginous, Bland's 2d form, S. & Co., 500 in bottle.	1219. 8 pounds Tincture Benzoin, Comp., 1-lb. bottles.	1315. 1 copy Druggists' Circular, 1900, Jan. 1 to July 1, 1900.	1405. 2 dozen Trusses, double, good common, with steel spring, good leather covering, sizes, etc., stamped on truss.
R. Ferri sulph., 2 1-2 gr. } Ft. 1 pill, Potass. carb., 2 1-2 gr. } G. C.		1316. 1 Evacuator, silver, perforated bulb, Kelly's.	1406. 1 Tonsillitome, small.
R. Ferri sulph., 2 1-2 gr. } Ft. 1 pill, Potass. carb., 2 1-2 gr. } G. C.		1317. 200 Filters, round gray, No. 25, "Renforces Cornaille."	1407. 10 dozen Thermometer, clinic, Hick's, 5 inch, imported, best, with Kew or Yale certificate.
1133. 6,000 Pil Salol, 5 gr., 100 in vial, Sharp & Dohme.	1220. 6 pounds Tinct. Warburg's, with and without Aloes, 1/4-lb. bottles.	1318. 500 Filters, round, white, "Renforces Cornaille," 4 in. diam.	1408. 1-12 dozen Thermometers, chemical, for temp. of liquids, paper scale, grad. up to 270.
1134. 500 Pil Podophyllin Comp., 100 in bottle, McK. & R.	1221. 4 bottles Tinct. Cannabis Indica, Squibb's, 500-gm. bottles.	1319. 1,000 Filters, round, gray, Nos. 10, 13, 15, 18, 19 and 20 in. diam., of each 100, "Renforces Cornaille."	1409. 2 Tongue depressors.
R. Ext. resin podophylli, 1-2 gr. } Ft. 1 pill, Ext. nucis vom., 1-2 gr. } G. C.		1320. 300 Filters, round, white, 8, 10 and 12 in. diam., of each 100, "Renforces Cornaille."	1410. 100 feet Tubing, assorted, glass.
Ext. nucis vom., 1-2 gr. } Ft. 1 pill, Ext. nucis vom., 1-2 gr. } G. C.		1321. 1 dozen Forceps, artery, Halstead's.	1411. 150 feet Tubing, pure gum rubber, for drainage tubes, assorted sizes, G. R. C., not notched.
Ext. Hyoscyanin, 1 gr. } Ft. 1 pill, Ferri et Amon. cit., 1 gr. } G. C.		1322. 1 pair Forceps, mouse toothed, 9 1/2 in., Kelly's.	1412. 200 feet Tubing, rubber, best vulcanized, assorted sizes, 1/4 to 1 1/2 inch inside diameter, G. R. C.
1135. 2 gross Rubinat Water, Llorach Springs, yellow label.	1222. 2 gallons Tinct. Cardamon, Comp.	1323. 2 dozen Funnels, tin, assorted sizes, plain.	1413. 6 pounds Twine, Sea Island, assorted, "Peerless."
1136. 2,000 Tablets, Calomel and Soda, Bicarb. of each, 1 gr.	1223. 8 pounds Tinct. Catechu, Comp.	1324. 2 dozen Fehling's Solution, elements in separate vials, each 4 oz., Squibb's, of each 1-6 doz. in case.	1414. 8 dozens Urinals, porcelain, duck, male and female.
1137. 1,000 Tablets Acetanilid and Sodium Comp., No. 1, S. & D.	1224. 3 bottles Tinct. Ipecac and Opium, in 100-gm. bottles.	1325. 35,000 yards Gauze, bleached, 25 yard rolls, S. & J. or J. & J., 500 yards in case.	1415. 1 dozen Urinometers, large.
1138. 1,000 Tablets, Acetanilid, No. 1, Migraine, S. & D.	1225. 2 gallons Tinct. Lavandul, Comp.	1326. 300 yards Gauze, 10 fold, in 5 yard tin cases, S. & J.	1416. 2-12 dozen U. S. Dispensatory, sheep, 1899.
1139. 1 ounce Zinc Sulphocarbonate.	1226. 4 bottles Tinct. Opil, U. S. P., Squibb's, 500-gm. bottles.	1327. 4 nests Glass Breakers, with lips, nested, No. 2073, W. T. & Co.	1417. 1 Uterine Sound.
Pills and Granules.		1328. 10-12 dozen Graduates, metric, 15, 30, 60, 125 and 250 grams, of each two.	1418. 1 set Volkman's sharp spoons, 6 sizes.
1140. 200 Pil Atropial, 1-100 to 1-60 gr., G. C.	1227. 1 bottle Tinct. Opil Deodrata, Squibb's, 250-gm. bottles.	1329. 7 dozen Graduates, American, correctly graduated, as follows: 1/2, 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, and 32 oz., 12 each.	1419. 2 dozen Water Bottles, with handles, rubber, 4 qts.
1141. 5,000 Pil Aloin, Strychnina et Belladonnae, 2d form, 100 in vial, Sharp & Dohme.	1228. 5,000 Tablets, Hypod. Morph., 1/4 gr., J. W. & Bro.	1330. 6 dozen Graduates, English, correctly graduated, "M" tall, 120 drops.	1420. 2 sets Weights, aluminum grains, 1/2 to 5 grains, Trommer.
R. Aloin, 1-5 gr. } Ft. 1 pill, Strychnina, 1-60 gr. } G. C.		1331. 4 Glass Irrigating Nozzles, Valentine's.	1421. 4 dozen Acid Stirring Rods, 6 to 15 inches, glazed at both ends.
R. Aloin, 1-5 gr. } Ft. 1 pill, Strychnina, 1-60 gr. } G. C.		1332. 3 dozen Glass Irrigating Jars, 1 gal.	1422. 2 dozen Eye Shades, silk, single, W. H. Knight.
1142. 500 Granules Elaterin, 1-10 gr., Clutterbuck, 100 in vial, S. & Co.	1229. 5,000 Tablets, Hypod. Hyosc. Hydrobromate, 1-100 gr., Fraser & Co., 100 in bottle.	1333. 6 dozen Glass Spools, hollow, 1 in. and 1 1/2 in. long.	1423. 2 dozen Eye Shades, silk, double, W. H. Knight.
1143. 500 Granule Podophyllin, 1/4 gr., S. & Co.	1230. 2 bottles Tincture Guaiac, Squibb's, 500-gm. bottles.	1334. 6 dozen Glycerine Jelly Jars, 1/2 oz.	1424. 2,000 Empty Gelatine Capsules, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, P. D. & Co.
1144. 100 Pil Aloes et Myrrh, U. S. P., J. W. & Bro.	1231. 6 pounds Tincture Tolutana, McK. & R., or S. & Co., 1-lb. bottles.	1335. 25 dozen Glasses, medicine, 1 oz., graduated, plain, 1 doz. in box.	1425. 4 dozen Glass Funnels, 3 1/2, 4 1/2, 5 1/2, 6, 7, 8, 10 1/2 and 13 inches, 3 each, W. T. & Co.
1145. 2,000 Pilule Rhei Compositae, J. W. & Bro., 100 in bottle.	1232. 1 bottle Tinct. Myrrh, in bottles, of 500 gm., Squibb's.	1336. 1 Hard Rubber Oval Screw.	1426. 1 dozen Syringes Hypodermic, with case, P. D. & Co.
1146. 4,000 Pills, comp. Calomel, 1/2 gr., J. Wyeth & Bro., Phila., 100 in vial.	1233. 4 bottles Tinct. Nucis Vomica, Squibb's, in 500 gm. bottles.	1337. 1 Hoist Pelvimeter.	1427. 4 dozen Needles for Hypodermic Syringe, P. D. & Co.
1147. 20 pounds Pulv. Delphinium, in 5-lb. papers.	1234. 2 bottles Tinct. Aconitii, rad., Squibb's, in 500 gm. bottles.	1338. 1 Hydrometer, as used in U. S. C. House.	1428. 6 gross Tr. Bottles, glass stoppered, 1/2, 1, 2 and 3 oz.
1148. 100 pounds Calcium Chloride.	1235. 1 gallon Tinct. Calomel.	1339. 1 Hydrometer, for acid, Beaume.	1429. 1 1/2 dozen Clamps, for irrigating tubes, G. T. & Co.
1149. 1 ounce Vanillin.	1236. 2 pounds test for Esbach's Albuminometer.	1340. 1 Hydrometer, for acid, Beaume.	1430. 36 bundles Catgut, plain, assorted, 10 strings to bundle, strngs 10 feet long.
1150. 1 ounce Saccharin.	1237. 1 ounce Quinine Hydrochlorate.	1341. 1-6 dozen Hydrometer Jars, with lip on foot, 8 1/2 by 1 1/2 inch and 15 by 2 inches, of each 1.	1431. 1 Esmarch's Bandage, complete.
1151. 1 pound Pumice Stone, lump.	1238. 4 pounds Precipitated Calcium Phosphate, 1-16 bottles.	1342. 6 dozen Hydrometer Jars, with lip on foot, 8 1/2 by 1 1/2 inch and 15 by 2 inches, of each 1.	1432. 1 dozen Intratracheal Glass Duchoe Nozzles, G. T. & Co.
1152. 1 ounce Guaiacol Carbonate.	1239. 30 pounds Ungt. Hydrarg. in 1-lb. pots, 1-3 U. S. P. (porcelain pots with porcelain covers).	1343. 3 dozen Invalid rubber cushions, round or square, 14 in., 1/2 doz. in box, Hodg. R. Co.	1433. 5 dozen Eye shades, double, brass bound, W. H. Knight.
1153. 1 ounce Arsenic Br. mide.	1240. 1/2 ounce Urethran, Boehringer & Loehne, 1/2 oz. vials.	1344. 1 Knife, Liston's amputating, long, with hollow handle.	1434. 1/2 dozen Urinometer glasses, 4 1/4 inches long, 1/4 inch inside diameter.
1154. 100 ounces Quinae, Sulphas, in 1-oz. bottles, P. & W.	1241. 100 cases Vichy Water, in Siphons, Schultz.	1345. 1 Knife, Liston's amputating, medium, with hollow handle.	1435. 4 Syringes, fountain, H. R. S. T. C. N. "Alpha," 4 pints, soft rubber bulb.
1155. 2 ounces Quinine Bromide, in 1-oz. vials, S. & Co.	1242. 12 pints Vinum Colchici Sem. in pint bottles, English.	1346. 1 Knife, Liston's amputating, small, with hollow handle.	1436. 1/2 dozen Stomach Tubes, English, 24 in., large funnel end.
1156. 10 pounds Quassia, ground, for tinct., No. 40, powder.	1243. 3 dozen Veronica Water.	1347. 1 Knife, cutting, medium, with hollow handle.	1437. 2 dozen Zincs, complete, for electric bells, 7 in. long, including screws, about 1/4 in. diameter.
1157. 16 ounces Resorcin, pure cryst., in 1-oz. vials, Merck's.	1244. 20 pounds Vaseline, Cheeseborough Mfg. Co., in 5 lb. cans.	1348. 40 vials Litmus Paper, blue, in strips, 100 strips in vial, Squibb's.	1438. 3 dozen Steel ward chairs, to be repaired.
1158. 24 pounds Robinson's Barley, in lb. jars.	1245. 16 dozen Vaseline, Cheeseborough Mfg. Co. in 1 oz. compressible tubs.	1349. 40 vials Litmus Paper, Neutral, in strips, 100 strips in vial, Squibb's.	1439. 6 dozen Ideal feeding cups.
1159. 10 pounds Roach Lime, for Aqua Calcio.	1246. 1 gallon Witchhazel, in 1 gal. demijohns.	1350. 40 vials Litmus Paper, red, in strips, 100 strips in vial, Squibb's.	1440. 1/2 dozen Perfection hair mattress, 6 feet 3 inches by 3 feet.
1160. 6 pounds Sodii Bichromate, pure, in 1-lb. bottles.	1247. 60 pounds Zinc, Oxidum, pure.	1351. 175 pounds Lin. patent, No. 1, in 1-lb. bundles, Flax, W. G. Taylor, Chatford Mills, Broomsgrove, England.	1441. 1 Aspic wheel stretchers, No. 16578, Kny-Sheerer Co.
1161. 2 pounds Salol, S. & Co., in 1-lb. bottles.	1248. 2 ounces Zinc, Oxidum, 1-lb. bottles, C. P. Merck's.	1352. 2-3 dozen Jars, Precipitating, with lip 1/2, 1 and 2 gal., 2 of each.	1442. 1 Steel Trough, Kny-Sheerer Co., No. 16211.
1162. 30 pounds Sulphur, Lotum, in 10-lb. papers.	1249. 10 tins Zinc, Sulphas, C. P., Squibb's 500-gm. tins.	1353. 1-6 dozen Mortar, Wedgewood, English, best, No. 12, 15-in. top.	1443. 1/2 dozen Silver probes, long.
1163. 100 tins Saccharum Lactic, powd., in 500-gm. tins, Squibb's.	1250. 12 ounces Zinc, Compound Sterate.	1354. 1 Mallet, rawhide.	1444. 1 dozen Glass tops, for bedside tables, sample at Hospital.
1164. 1 ounce Spirits Glonoin, 1 per cent., 1-oz. vials, P. D. & Co.	1251. 12 tins Zingiber, powdered, Squibb's, 500-gm. tins.	1355. 1 Mouth Gap, O'Dwyer's.	1445. 1/2 dozen Major's Cement.
1165. 10 bottles Spiritus Ammoniae Aromaticus, in 500-gm. bottles, Squibb's.	1252. 10 tins Zingiber, powdered, Squibb's, 500-gm. tins.	1356. 4 Bandage Scissors, heavy, 4 m. blade, 9 m. long.	1446. 1-12 dozen Percolators, glass, heavy, 2 gal., with tin perf. diaph.
1166. 12 bottles Spiritus Aetheris Nitrosi, in 2-kilo. bottles, Squibb's.	1253. 5 pounds Zingiber, Cochian.	1357. 6 dozen Needles for Hypodermic Syringes, N. O. Fens' G. T.	1447. 1-6 dozen White Spirit Varnish, 2 1/2 or 3 oz. vials, F. W. D. & Co.
1167. 10 gross Seidlitz Powders, full weight, 1 blue and 1 white to each powder, fresh, 1 gross in box, not musty, U. S. P.	Tablet Triturates and Compressed, etc., Sharp & Dohme or Fraser & Co.	1358. 6 Nail Scissors, to be selected.	1448. 1 dozen Rubber Gloves, Kny-Sheerer Co., No. 19107.
1168. 200 pounds Salts, Glauber's.	1254. 100 Tablets, Menthol, Throat.	1359. 2 gross Needles, assorted sizes, Hagedorn's.	1449. 2 sets Bottles, Reagent, W. T. & Co.
1169. 2 pounds Salammoniac.	1255. 1,000 Tablets, Trit., Brown Mixture, 1 gr.	1360. 2 Needles, Aneurism.	1450. 1/2 dozen Binders for Am. Druggist and Pharm. Record.
1170. 1 dozen Sapo Viridis, in 1-lb. jars, Steffell's.	1256. 15,000 Tablets, Trit., Calomel, 1-10 gr., 1,000 in vial.	1361. 500 gallons Nitrous Oxide, Liquefied, in 100 gallon cylinders.	1451. 1 dozen Anatomical Jars, glass caps, metallic clamp and screw, sizes 6 x 8 and 9 x 8 inches, W. T. & Co.
1171. 10 pounds Senna, powdered, Alexandria, in 5-lb. papers.	1257. 5,000 Tablets, Trit., Morph., 1/4 gr.	1362. 6 gross Nipples, Rubber, Davidson's, assorted.	1452. 50 dozen Sputa Cups, as per sample.
1172. 1 pound Soapstone, pulv.	1258. 10,000 Tablets, Trit., Nitro-Glycerine, 1-100 gr.		1453. 2 dozen Hot Water Bags, as per sample.
1173. 5 pound Senna, Alexandria.	1259. 300 Tablets, Trit., Pepsin and Charcoal.		1454. 4 gross Tin Boxes, seamless, 2 oz.
1174. 2 tins Sapo Castile, white, scraped, in 500-gm. tins, Squibb's.	1260. 500 Tablets, Trit., Rhei et Sodii.		
1175. 100 pounds Sodii, Bicarbonas, in 10-lb. papers, Kidder's.	1261. 1,000 Tablets, Trit., Sodii Salicylat, 5 gr., 500 in bottle.		
1176. 2 ounces Sodii, Nitrite, in 1-oz. vials, Merck's.	1262. 2 pounds Unguentum Hydrargyr. Nitratis, 1 lb. porcelain pots.		
1177. 20 pounds Sodii, Salicylis, in 1-lb. bottles, Merck's.	1263. 100 Tablet Hypodermic Digitalis, gr. 1-100, Sharp & Dohme.		
1178. 5 pounds Sodii Sulphite, cryst., C. P., 1-lb. bottles, Merck's.	1264. 800 Tablet Hypodermic Apomorph Hydroch., gr. 1-10, Sharp & Dohme, 100 in vial.		
1179. 15 pounds Syrupus Ferri, Iodidi, U. S. P., 1-lb. bottles, Sharp & Dohme.	1265. 500 Tablet Hypodermic Ilocarpine Hydroch., gr. 1/4, Sharp & Dohme, 100 in vial.		
1180. 10 tins Sodii, Boras, powdered, fine, in tins of 2 kilos, Squibb's.	1266. 3,000 Tablet Hypodermic Nitro Glycerin, gr. 1-100, Sharp & Dohme, 100 in vial.		
1181. 5 pounds Sodii, Carbonas, cryst., C. P., P. & W., 1-lb. bottles.	1267. 2,000 Tablet Hypodermic Strych. Sulph., gr. 1-30, Sharp & Dohme, 100 in vial.		
1182. 6 ounces Sparteine, Sulph., cryst., Merck's, 1-oz. vials.	1268. 3,000 Tablet Hypodermic Strych. Sulph., gr. 1-60.		
1183. 15 pounds Sodii Bromidum, in 1-lb. bottles, P. & W.	1269. 4,000 Tablet Triturates Calomel, gr. 1/2, Sharp & Dohme, 100 in vial.		
1184. 0 pounds Sodii, Phosphas, crystal, in 1-lb. bottles, P. & W.	1270. 500 Tablet Triturates Agaricin, 1 gr., 100 in vial, Sharp & Dohme.		
1185. 0 pounds Sodii, Sulphas, cryst. and gran., C. P., P. & W., in 1-lb. bottles.	1271. 2 bottles Extract Aconiti, Rad., fluid, Squibb's, 250 gm. bottles.		
	1272. 32 ounces Guaiacol, pure, Gehe & Co., Merck, in 1 oz. vials.		
	1273. 4 ounces Lithii, Bromide, Merck, in 1 oz. vials.		
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1455. 6 gross Tin Boxes, seamless, 4 oz.
 1456. 1 set Metric Rx. Weights, 50 gm. to 1 centigram.
 1457. Metric Rx. Weights, 1 kilo to gm.
 1458. 1 set Reagent Bottles (40), W. T. & Co., 1/4 liter—5 1/4 in.
 1459. 2 pound Elastic Bands, No. 8.
 All surgical instruments to be of G. T. & Co. manufacture, unless otherwise designated. To be selected. No substituting will be allowed.

CLASS NO. 25—DRUGGISTS' GLASSWARE.

Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise will be declared informal.

1460. 5 gross Vials, glass, prescription, as per sample, 1/4 oz., Philadelphia ovals.
 1461. 5 gross Vials, glass, prescription, as per sample, 1 oz., Philadelphia ovals.
 1462. 12 gross Vials, glass, prescription, as per sample, 2 oz., Philadelphia ovals.
 1463. 36 gross Vials, glass, prescription, as per sample, 4 oz., Philadelphia ovals.
 1464. 6 gross Vials, glass, prescription, as per sample, 6 oz.
 1465. 10 gross Vials, glass, prescription, as per sample, 8 oz., Philadelphia ovals.
 1466. 6 gross Vials, glass, prescription, as per sample, 16 oz., Philadelphia ovals.
 1467. 1 gross Vials, glass, prescription, as per sample, 32 oz., Philadelphia ovals.
 1468. 500 Glass, Labels, to be selected.
 1469. 9 dozen Tincture Bottles, recess quart, glass stoppers.
 1470. 2 dozen Oil Bottles, quart, recessed, glass caps.
 1471. 2 dozen Syrup Bottles, recess quart, loose stoppers, dispensing.
 1472. 10 dozen Tincture Bottles, recess pint, glass stoppers.
 1473. 1/4 dozen Ether Bottles, pint, ground stoppers, glass caps.
 1474. Tincture Bottles, recess, 4 oz., glass stoppers.
 1475. 3 dozen Saltmouth Bottles, recess quart, glass stoppers.
 1476. 2 dozen Saltmouth Bottles, recess, 8 oz., glass stoppers.
 1477. 2 dozen Saltmouth Bottles, recess, 4 oz., glass stoppers.

The articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise are to be delivered, free of expense, at the Storehouse, Flatbush, 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.

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The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
 Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

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

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

Each bid or estimate of \$1,000 or over shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or security, trust or deposit companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the supplies by which the bids are tested. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
 ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
 JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
 Department of Public Charities

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
 BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
 FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
 NEW YORK, December 5, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HARDWARE, ETC., FOR LODGING-HOUSE FOR HOMELESS MEN FOR THE YEAR 1900.

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE ABOVE-MENTIONED SUPPLIES, IN CONFORMITY WITH SAMPLES AND SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CENTRAL OFFICE OF THIS DEPARTMENT, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

CLASS NO. 1—GROCERIES.

Bids to be made on each item in this class. Award will be made to the lowest bidder for the class complete.

1. 300 pounds Apples, dried.
2. 12 bushels Beans, dried; not older than crop of 1899, to weigh 62 lbs. net to the bushel.
3. 720 pounds Butter in tubs of about 60 lbs. each, net, known as Western Extra Creamery, fresh made.
4. 100 pounds Chicory.
5. 24 dozen Chow-chow, C. & B. pts.
6. 300 pounds Coffee, Maracaibo.
7. 2400 pounds Coffee, Rio.
8. 100 pounds Corn, canned.
9. 100 pounds Corn Starch.
10. 30 dozen Condensed Milk, "Eagle."
11. 180 pounds Farina, 1-lb. packages.
12. 2 barrels Flour, fine, Pillsbury's Best XXXX.
13. 120 pounds Hominy.
14. 250 pounds Lard, 50 lbs. net per tub (prime kettle-rendered lard).
15. 6 pounds Mustard, Coleman's English.
16. 300 pounds Oatmeal.
17. 120 pounds Prunes, dried, 60-70.
18. 200 pounds Rice.
19. 12 barrels Sal Soda (375 lbs. net each).
20. 6 barrels Salt (320 lbs. net each).
21. 12 dozen Sauce, Worcestershire, L. & P. pints.
22. 1,500 pounds Soap, Brown, as per sample.
23. 2,000 cakes Soap, White, as per sample.
24. 1,500 pounds Soap, White Chip, as per sample.
25. 48 dozen Scouring Soap, as per sample.
26. 6,000 pounds Sugar, brown.
27. 500 pounds Sugar, Cut Loaf.
28. 60 pounds Tea, fine, black.
29. 36 pounds Tea, fine, green.
30. 24 dozen Tomatoes, canned.
31. 24 dozen Tomato Catsup.

CLASS NO. 2—HARDWARE, ETC.

Bids to be made on each item in this class. Award will be made to the lowest bidder for the class complete.

32. 6 Cleavers.
33. 100 pounds Cord, sash, No. 8. "Silver Lake."
34. 12 dozen Handles, mop.
35. 6 pairs Knives and Forks, carving.
36. 20 dozen pairs Knives and Forks.
37. 24 dozen Mops, cotton.
38. 1 dozen Mop Wringers, sample.
39. 240 rolls Paper, Toilet.
40. 48 boxes Polishing Paste, 1-lb. boxes, as per sample.
41. 20 dozen Spoons, table, common.
42. 20 dozen Spoons, tea, common.
43. 60 Steels, butcher.
44. 72 pounds Twine, coarse.
45. 144 pounds Twine, medium.
46. 4 dozen Wooden Buckets, sample.

CLASS NO. 3—PAINTS, ETC.

Bids to be made on each item in this class. Award will be made to the lowest bidder for the class complete.

All deliveries in this class must conform to the specifications of 1899 of this Department for similar articles.

47. 15 pounds Lamp Black, dry, coach-makers.
48. 1 barrel Oil, boiled, Linseed.
49. 1 barrel Oil, cylinder.
50. 1 barrel Oil, machine.
51. 1 barrel Oil, raw.
52. 800 pounds Red Lead, in oil, in packages not to exceed 25 lbs. each.
53. 1 barrel Turpentine.
54. 60 gallons Varnish, Copal.
55. 1,600 pounds White Lead "Atlantic," in 25-lb. packages, as required.
56. 500 pounds White Enamel.

MISCELLANEOUS.

57. 72 pieces Bacon, smoked, average 6 lbs., prime quality, city cured.
58. 48 pieces Ham, smoked, average 14 lbs., prime quality, city cured.
59. 60 pieces Tongues, smoked, averaging 6 lbs., prime quality, city cured (no piece to weigh less than 5 lbs.).
60. 600 dozen Eggs, all to be fresh gathered; Western firsts and candled at the time of delivery, and to be furnished in cases of the usual size.
61. 60 barrels Potatoes, white, to be good, sound and fair size, to weigh 72 lbs. net to the barrel; barrels to be returned; to be delivered as required, 30 bbls. crop of 1899 and 30 bbls. crop of 1900.
62. 20 dozen Cups and Saucers, "Greenwood," heavy pattern.
63. 20 dozen Dinner Plates, W. G.
64. 20 dozen Soup Plates.
65. 400 tons Coal, Pea, 8,000 lbs. to the ton.
66. 30,000 pounds Ice, prime quality, to be not less than 10 inches thick; to be delivered in quantities as required; weights to be as received by the Department; weights to be billed monthly.
67. 2 barrels Lime, White Wash.
68. 100 yards Linen, table, damask, bleached.
69. 8 dozen Uniform caps, as per sample.
70. 1,460 loaves Vienna Bread, to be of the best quality and to be delivered as required; to weigh 1 1/2 lbs. each.

FLOUR SPECIFICATIONS.

71. 160 barrels Flour, No. 1, as per sample.
 - 160 barrels Flour, No. 2, as per sample.
- The said Flour to conform to the samples exhibited and to be delivered in sacks of 140 pounds net, each, as required during the year 1900. Empty sacks to be returned.

turned from Pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street.

The Flour to be delivered free of all expense at the Bakehouse Pier, Blackwell's Island, east side.

The Contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange; also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange that the Flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and which Certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour. The expense of each inspection and award to be borne by the Contractor, also a certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

Furnish Electric Current, lamps, carbon, etc. (6,000 kilowatts), for lighting the building No. 398 First avenue.

200,000 cubic feet Gas, Illuminating, delivered at building No. 398 First avenue; gas to be clean and of standard illuminating power.

164 pounds Yeast, compressed, 1 lb. packages; to be delivered as required.

All goods to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1900 free of expense.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except as herein specified, and none will be paid for by the Departments.

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

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The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
 Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article. (No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars.)

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

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

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the 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 wherein they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
 ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
 JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
 Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
 BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
 FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
 NEW YORK, December 5, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ADDITION TO THE PRESENT "PAVILION F," ON RANDALL'S ISLAND.

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Twenty Thousand (\$20,000) Dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained and plans seen at the office of Horgan & Slatery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions.

carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.
JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 5, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS FLOUR, COAL, GAS, ETC., FOR THE YEAR 1900.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-
ing the above-mentioned supplies, in conformity
with samples and specifications, will be received at the
Central Office of this Department, foot of East Twenty-
sixth street, until 12 o'clock noon.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

CLASS NO. 1—CANNED GOODS, FANCY GROCERIES, ETC.
Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

1. 50 dozen Apricots, canned.
2. 50 dozen Asparagus, canned.
3. 110 dozen Beans, Lima, canned.
4. 65 dozen Beans, String, canned.
5. 75 dozen Cherries, canned.
6. 170 dozen Corn, canned.
7. 170 dozen Peaches, canned.
8. 120 dozen Pears, canned.
9. 100 dozen Peas, canned.
10. 120 dozen Salmon, canned.
11. 400 dozen Tomatoes, canned.
12. 25 cases Sardines, ½s.
13. 5 dozen Capers.
14. 40 dozen Chow-chow, C. & B., pints.
15. 10 dozen French Mustard.
16. 30 dozen Gherkins, C. & B., pints.
17. 60 dozen Olives, Queen.
18. 10 dozen Olive Oil, quarts.
19. 30 dozen Pickled Onions, C. & B., pints.
20. 30 dozen Pickles, C. & B., pints.
21. 130 dozen Tomato Catsup.
22. 115 dozen Worcestershire Sauce, L. & P., pints.
23. 60 dozen Currant Jelly, 10 ounces.
24. 50 dozen Jams, assorted.
25. 100 dozen Marmalade, assorted.

CLASS NO. 2—COFFEE.
Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

26. 19,000 pounds Maracaibo, roasted.
 27. 50,000 pounds Rio, roasted.
- CLASS NO. 3—DRIED FRUITS.
Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

28. 11,000 pounds Apples, dried.
 29. 2,700 pounds Apricots, dried.
 30. 1,200 pounds Currants, dried.
 31. 14,000 pounds Prunes, dried, 60-70.
 32. 125 boxes Raisins, L. L.
- CLASS NO. 4—FARINACEOUS FOODS.
Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

33. 18,000 pounds Barley, No. 3.
34. 5,500 pounds Corn Starch, 1-lb. pkgs., 40-lb. boxes, first quality, "Kingsford's" or "Duryea's."
35. 1,000 pounds Farina, 1-lb. pkgs., 48-lb. boxes.
36. 600 pounds Flour, Buckwheat.
37. 800 pounds Flour, Graham.
38. 27,000 pounds Hominy.
39. 1,700 pounds Macaroni, 1-lb. pkgs., 25-lb. boxes.
40. 6,500 pounds Meal, fine.
41. 50,000 pounds Oatmeal.
42. 3,400 pounds Pearl Tapioca.
43. 40,000 pounds Rice.
44. 100 pounds Sago.
45. 6,800 pounds Wheaten Grits.

CLASS NO. 5—FLOUR.
Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

Flour Specifications.
The said Flour to conform to the samples
exhibited and to be delivered in sack of
140 pounds net, each, as required during
the year 1900. Empty sacks to be returned
from Pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street.
The Flour to be delivered free of all
expense at the Bakehouse Pier, Blackwell's
Island, east side.

The Contractor shall furnish a certi-
ficate of inspection by the Flour Inspector
of the New York Produce Exchange; also
an award from the Committee on Flour of
the Exchange that the Flour offered is
equal to the Standards of the Department,
and which Certificate shall accompany
each delivery of flour. The expense of
such inspection and award to be borne by
the Contractor, also a certificate of weight
and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

48. 125 barrels Flour, fine, Pillsbury's Best, XXXX.

CLASS NO. 6—PROVISIONS, ETC.
Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

49. 7,000 pounds Cheese, State factory full cream, fine, and bearing State Brand stenciled on each box.
50. 1,200 pieces Bacon, smoked, average 6 pounds, prime quality, city cured.
51. 1,500 pieces Hams, smoked, average 14 pounds, prime quality, city cured.
52. 60 barrels Mess Pork, best family, 1899, 20-lb. barrels.
53. 900 Tongues, smoked, averaging 6 pounds, prime quality, city cured. No piece to weigh less than 5 pounds.
54. 150 quintals Codfish, Salt, prime quality, Grand Bank, to be perfectly cured and to average not less than 5 pounds each, to be delivered as required in boxes of 4 quintals each.
55. 60 kits Mackerel, No. 1, new, good quality, 1899 (20 lbs. each).
56. 8 barrels Mackerel, No. 2, new, good quality, 1899, large, 200-lb. barrels.
57. 2,500 pounds Caviolene, 56 pounds net per tub.
58. 2,400 pounds Lard, 50 pounds net per tub (prime kettle rendered lard).

CLASS NO. 7—LAUNDRY SUPPLIES.
Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

59. 350 pounds Ball Blue, 1-lb. packages.
60. 15 dozen Bon Ami.
61. 200 pounds Caustic Potash, 98-99 per cent, pure, imported, Roessler & Hasselacher Chemical Co., in 10-lb. original drums.
62. 40 dozen Electro Silicon.
63. 25 boxes Pearl ne.
64. 360 barrels Soda, 375 pounds net each.
65. 400 dozen Sapoline, E. Morgan & Sons.
66. 200 dozen Scouring Soap, as per sample.
67. 280 dozen Soap, Ivory.
68. 9,500 pounds Starch, Laundry, 40-lb. boxes, Kingsford's or Duryea's.

CLASS NO. 8—SUGAR.

Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

69. 105,000 pounds Sugar, brown.
70. 10,000 pounds Sugar, cut loaf, standard.
71. 200,000 pounds Sugar, granulated, standard.

CLASS NO. 9—SUNDRIES.

Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

72. 10 pounds Allspice, whole.
73. 250 pounds Borax, powdered, 1-lb. pkgs.
74. 88 dozen Baking Powder, Cleveland, 1-lb. cans.
75. 650 bushels Beans, dried, not older than crop of 1899, to weigh 62 pounds net to the bu.
76. 140 pounds Citron.
77. 200 dozen Condensed Milk, "Eagle" brand.
78. 80 dozen Gelatine, Cox's.
79. 100 pounds Mince Meat.
80. 900 pounds Mustard, pure ground.
81. 10 pounds Nutmegs.
82. 550 bushels Peas, dried, not older than crop of 1899, to weigh 60 pounds net to the bu.
83. 400 pounds Pepper, ground, black, quarters in foil, pure.
84. 1,300 pounds Pepper, whole, black, sifted.
85. 50 dozen Sarsaparilla, American, prime quality, 320 pounds net each.
86. 350 pounds Saltpetre.
87. 12 cases Shredded Wheat Biscuit (50 cartons each).
88. 750 barrels Soda Crackers.
89. 320 pounds Stick Cany.
90. 50 dozen Thyme.
91. 1,200 pounds Tobacco, Plug, pocket pieces, 16s.
92. 240 pounds Tobacco, Smoking, 2-ounce packages.

CLASS NO. 10—TEA.

Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

94. 23,000 pounds Tea, common, black, Oolong, in ½ chests, free from all admixture and in original packages.
95. 1,000 pounds Tea, fine, black, in original packages, "Formosa Oolong."
96. 1,700 pounds Tea, fine, green, "Young Hyson," in original packages.

CLASS NO. 11—VEG-TABLES.

Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

97. 400 barrels Parsnips.
98. 30 barrels Potatoes, sweet.
99. 1,600 barrels Cabbage.
100. 800 barrels Carrots.
101. 1,400 barrels Onions.
102. 2,100 barrels Yellow Turnips.

CLASS NO. 12—HAY, STRAW, ETC.

Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

103. 400,000 pounds Hay, prime quality, "Timothy," to be not to exceed 3 pounds per bale, weight charged as received on Blackwell's Island.
104. 1,000 bags Bran, in bags of 50 pounds net, bags to be returned.
105. 60 bags Meal Oil, 100 pounds net.
106. 450 bags Meal, coarse, free from cobs, bags 100 pounds net, bags to be returned.
107. 12,000 bushels Oats, white No. 2, 32 pounds net to bushel, bags to be returned.
108. 140,000 pounds Straw, long, bright rye, weight and tare same as on Hay.

CLASS NO. 13—BREAD AND ROLLS.

Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

109. 4,400 dozen French Rolls, to be delivered to the various institutions as required.
110. 90,000 loaves Vienna Bread, to be of the best quality and to be delivered to the various institutions as required. To weigh 1½ pounds each.

CLASS NO. 14—ICE.

Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

111. 3,000 tons (more or less) prime quality Ice, to be not less than 10 inches thick. To be delivered at Blackwell's and Randall's Islands in quantities as required. Weights to be in all cases as received by the Department. Bidders to name price per ton of 2,000 pounds, all of which shall be delivered at the points named free of expense to the City.
112. 1,875 tons Ice (more or less), prime quality, to be not less than 10 inches thick. To be delivered in quantities as required and at institutions as named below. Weights to be as received by the Department. Bidders to name price per ton of 2,000 pounds. Deliveries to be made free of expense to the City.

CLASS NO. 15—DRY GOODS.

Hospital Supplies.

Bids to be made on each item in this
class. Award will be made to the lowest
bidder for the class complete.

113. 8,000 pounds Cotton Batting, "Manhattan."
114. 600 pieces Crinoline.
115. 14,000 yards Muslin, bleached, 4/4 "Shroud."
116. 180,000 yards Muslin, unbleached, 4/4 "Utica C." (bandage).
117. 600 pieces Oil Muslin.
118. 180 great gross Pins, Safety, Lindsay's, 80 No. 3 and 100 No. 3.
119. 400 gross Pins, Toilet, Class A, full count, S.C. MISCELLANEOUS.
120. 125 barrels Apples, good, sound and fair size, Russet No. 2, Baldwin or Greenings.
121. 325 boxes Lemons (30 dozen each).
122. 15 boxes Oranges (averaging 20 each).
123. 136,000 pound-Butter, in tubs of about 60 pounds each, net, known as Western Extra Creamery, fresh made.

124. 130,000 dozen Eggs, all to be fresh gathered Western firsts, and candled at the time of delivery, and to be furnished in cases of the usual size.
125. 9,000 pounds Cocoa, 1-lb. packages.
126. 650 pounds Chocolate, "Baker's Premium."
127. 50 barrels Pickles, 2,000 to barrel of 40 gallons.
128. 40 barrels Vinegar, averaging 45 gallons each.
129. 5,000 barrels Potatoes, White, of the crop of 1899, to be good, sound and fair size to weigh 172 pounds net to the barrel. Barrels to be returned.
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131. 150,000 pounds Brown Soap, of the grade known to the trade as "Commercially Pure Family Soap," to be delivered in lots not less than 40,000 pounds and all to

be delivered within 90 days after contract is awarded. The soap to be delivered in boxes of about 20 pounds and the weight to be determined on its arrival at the Storehouse, Blackwell's Island, an average tare being based upon the weight of 20 boxes, selected at random from each delivery. The soap must be free from added carbonate of soda, silica, mineral soap stock or other foreign material; it must be of good firmness, soluble in 10 parts alcohol of 94 per cent, and contain not more than 30 per cent. of water nor more than ½ per cent. of free caustic alkali (Na.O.H.) and not more than 25 per cent. of resin. In color it must not be darker than the sample exhibited. Empty soap boxes to be returned.

132. 175 boxes S. ap, White Castile, Conti & Co., Leghorn, genuine, imported, in original boxes. To be delivered not less than 25 boxes at a time, tare to be ½ pounds.
133. 90 gallons Syrup, Maple, ½-gal. cans.
134. 50 barrels Syrup, averaging 50 gallons.
135. 5,000 pounds Yeast, compressed, 1-lb. packages, to be delivered as required.
136. 55 dozen Electrozone.
137. 400 dozen Kumys.
138. 120 gallons Liquid Peptonoids, 1-gal. packages.
139. 40 dozen Liquid Peptonoids, 1-lb. bottles.
140. 12 barrels Sugar of Milk, 225 pounds net, "Marengo" brand, powdered.
141. 400 dozen Zoalak.
142. 330 tons Coal, Egg, White Ash, to be delivered as required at the following institutions (quantity estimated):
Fordham Hospital..... 170 tons.
Gouverneur Hospital..... 90 "
Harlem Hospital..... 70 "
143. 110 tons Coal, St. ve, White Ash, to be delivered as required at Harlem Hospital.
144. 600 tons Gas Coal (run of mine), to be delivered on Randall's Island as required; Pennsylvania Coal Company, Westmoreland Coal Company, or Young-hoghen River Coal Company.
145. 12 cords Split Kindling Wood, to be delivered as required at Fordham Hospital, Gouverneur Hospital, Harlem Hospital, 4 cords each.
146. 144 cords Virginia Pine Wood, to be delivered in not more than two lots, as required at Blackwell's Island Bakery Dock.
147. 12,045,000 cubic feet Illuminating Gas, delivered in various buildings on Blackwell's Island; Gas to be clean and of standard illuminating power.
148. 7,780,600 cubic feet Illuminating Gas, delivered in various buildings at Bellevue Hospital; Gas to be clean and of standard illuminating power.
149. 1,026,000 cubic feet Illuminating Gas, delivered in various buildings at Fordham Hospital; Gas to be clean and of standard illuminating power.
150. 923,600 cubic feet Illuminating Gas, delivered in various buildings at Gouverneur Hospital; Gas to be clean and of standard illuminating power.
151. 1,052,000 cubic feet Illuminating Gas, delivered in various buildings at Harlem Hospital; Gas to be clean and of standard illuminating power.
152. 116,000 cubic feet Illuminating Gas, delivered at Central Office; Gas to be clean and of standard illuminating power.
153. Furnish Electric Current, Lamps, Carbons, etc., for lighting the various buildings and grounds of Bellevue Hospital, also Central Office and Pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street; also for furnishing Electric Current required for power motors at present installed or that may be installed in said premises for the year 1900.

The Contractor to deliver approxi-
mately 100,000 kilo-watts (more or less),
of two-phase alternating current suit-
able for operating the motors, incan-
descent lamps and arc lamps belonging
to the City at present installed on the
premises. He shall furnish all neces-
sary poles, wires, underground ducts
and cables, etc., necessary to conduct
the current from the street to a central
point on the Hospital grounds; thence
to the service cut-outs in each building,
and shall there make connection to the
present house wiring.

The Conductors shall be of sufficient
size to supply the following lamps,
motors, etc., equivalent to about 1,400
16-candle-power lamps, and such excess
as future necessities are likely to re-
quire:

	Incan- descent.	Arc.	Motor.
Main Building....	210	..	3 HP
Insane Pavilion....	60	..	....
Alcoholic Ward....	50	..	....
Old Morgue.....	60	..	....
Wash-house.....	10	..	....
Bath-room.....	22	..	....
Old Isolated Ward	65	..	....
Boiler-house.....	94	..	....
New Isolated Ward	40	..	....
Erysipelas Ward..	100	..	....
Pier.....	209	8	....
New Morgue.....	136	8	....
Total.....	1,056	16	3 HP
Total 16 C. P., equivalent	....	..	450

All primary or high-tension circuits,
i. e., circuits having a difference of po-
tential or more than 400 volts between
any two wires, shall be underground.
Wires carrying circuits whose potential
is less than 400 volts may be placed on
poles or underground.

The contractor shall furnish, free of
charge, the meters necessary for meas-
uring the electrical energy, shall renew
all standard incandescent lamps when
same are exhausted by use of the cur-
rent, and shall furnish and hang about
90 arc lamps; he shall also furnish car-
bon, and retrim all arc lamps when
necessary, and replace all breakage.

All goods to be delivered in installments as may be
required during the year 1900, free of expense.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or
contractors, except as herein specified, and none will be
paid for by the Department.

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

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as
practicable after the opening of the bids.
Delivery will be required to be made from time to
time and in such quantities as may be directed by the
said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be
engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must
have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the
person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded
will be required to give security for the performance of
the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient
sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent.
of the bid for each article. No bonds or deposit
required on bids under One Thousand Dollars.)

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name
and place of residence of each of the persons making the
same, the names of all persons interested with him or
them therein, and if no other person be so interested it
shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without
any connection with any other person making an esti-
mate 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 esti-
mate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the
party or parties making the estimate that the several
matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where
more than one person is interested, it is requisite that
the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the
parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the
consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders
in the City of New York, with their respective places of
business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be
awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on
its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its
faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse
to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation
any difference between the sum to which he would be
entitled on its completion and that which the Cor-
poration 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 accom-
panied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of
the persons signing the same that he is a householder
or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the
amount of the security required for the completion of this
contract over and above all his debts of every nature
and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or
otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in
good faith and with the intention to execute the bond
required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordi-
nances 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 accom-
panied by either a certified check upon one of the
National or State banks of the City of New York,
drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the
amount of five per centum of the amount of the
security required for the faithful performance of
the contract. Such check or money must not be
included in the sealed envelope containing the esti-
mate, 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 suc-
cessful 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 to be retained by the City of
New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or
refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the
time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be re-
turned to him.

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

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

Bidders must state the price of each article per
pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will
be tested. The extensions must be made and footed
up, as the bids will be read from the total footing and
averages made to the lowest bidder on each item or
class.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications,
and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained
at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor,
foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are
cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions
carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist
upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MEATS FOR THE DEPART- MENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1900.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE
below-mentioned Meats, in conformity with speci-

fications, will be received at the Central Office of this Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, until 12 o'clock noon.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

For all Institutions.

Chucks of Beef.....	1,500,000 pounds.
Extra Diet Beef, about.....	40,300 "
Chucks of Mutton.....	290,000 "
Roasting Pieces of Beef, about.....	140,500 "
Beefsteak, Sirloin, about.....	90,700 "
Corned Beef, Rump, and Plates or Navel, about.....	54,500 "
Mutton, Hindquarters, about.....	170,400 "
Pork, Loins, about.....	18,200 "
Veal, Cutlets and Loins, about.....	48,400 "

Total..... 2,353,000 pounds, more or less.

"All Beef, Lamb, Mutton, and Veal used by this Department, to be from animals killed and dressed in New York State." See specifications for full details.

Deliveries to be free of all expense.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1900 for the Department of Public Charities," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

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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 furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities, 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 THOUSAND (\$50,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR 27,100 TONS (52,920 POUNDS) EACH OF WHITE ASH AND SOFT COAL FOR 1900.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AS MAY BE REQUIRED THE BELOW-MENTIONED COAL, IN CONFORMITY WITH SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CENTRAL OFFICE OF THIS DEPARTMENT, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

6,000 tons Grate.	
3,000 tons Egg.	
600 tons Chestnut.	
3,000 tons Sive.	
8,000 tons Buckwheat No. 1.	
6,500 tons Bituminous Coal, Victor Mine or equal.	

27,100 tons, more or less, to be delivered at the following-named places:

Blackwell's Island.
Randall's Island.
Pier foot of Twenty-sixth street, East River.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 27,100 Tons of White Ash and Soft Coal," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of FORTY THOUSAND (\$40,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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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.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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ADOLPH SIMIS, 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, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH FISH, ETC., FOR 1900.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE BELOW-MENTIONED FRESH FISH, ETC., IN CONFORMITY WITH SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CENTRAL OFFICE OF THIS DEPARTMENT, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

FRESH FISH, ETC.

120,000 pounds Common Fish.	
29,000 pounds Boston Steak Cod.	
15,000 pounds Blue Fish.	
3,000 pounds Black Fish.	
4,000 pounds Fresh Mackerel (No. 1).	
30,000 pounds Halibut.	
5,000 pounds Shad.	
3,000 pounds Smelts.	
22,000 pounds Salmon Trout.	
2,000 pounds Flounders.	
3,000 pounds White Fish.	
4,000 pounds Sheephead.	
4,000 pounds Red Snapper.	
4,000 pounds Pompano.	
2,000 pounds Sea Bass.	
4,000 pounds Lobster.	
52,400 Hard Clams.	
3,600 Soft Clams.	
15,000 Box Oysters.	
90,000 Culls.	
600 quarts Scallops.	
300 dozen Soft Shell Crabs.	

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Fish, etc., for the year ending December 31, 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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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 furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities, 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 TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR 1,150,000 QUARTS FRESH COWS' MILK FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1900.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE-MENTIONED FRESH COWS' MILK WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CENTRAL OFFICE OF THIS DEPARTMENT, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

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 or Estimate for Fresh Cows' Milk for the Year 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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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 a 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 TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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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.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY FOR THE YEAR 1900.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING POULTRY FOR THE YEAR 1900, VIZ., 120,000 pounds Chickens, 70,000 pounds Turkeys, 2,000 pounds Geese, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the Central Office of this Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, until 12 o'clock noon.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry for the year 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received

will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the Poultry 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 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 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 to execute the same, notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR 125,000 QUARTS CONDENSED COWS' MILK FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1900.

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above-mentioned Condensed Cows' Milk will be received at the Central Office of this Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, until 12 o'clock noon,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899,

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 or Estimate for Condensed Cows' Milk, 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business and must

have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS.

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Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
NEW YORK, December 1, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, DRY GOODS, COAL, HEADSTONES, ENGINEERS AND PLUMBERS' SUPPLIES, AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Groceries, Provisions, Dry Goods, etc., from January 1, 1900 to July 1, 1900, 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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1899,

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 "Miscellaneous Supplies," with his or their name or names and address, which also should be written on the page of the specifications designated therefor, 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 (see also note at end of specifications for supplies).

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.

Bidders must state the price of each article per pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footing and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item, from No. 1 to No. 131, inclusive. In classes, very item must be bid on, and award will be made to lowest bidder for class.

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

If two or more bids are alike, the Department reserves the right to allot the article or articles among the bidders, or to award to any one of them. Bidders are not compelled to furnish more than 20 per cent. of any article in excess of the mentioned amount. But if they are willing, and the Department deems it advantageous, further purchases of the respective articles may be made, at the contract price, during the balance of the year.

Samples will be on exhibition at the Storehouse, Flatbush, during office hours, until the bids are opened.

All goods to be delivered as directed, at Storehouse, Flatbush, Borough of Brooklyn (unless otherwise stated in specifications), weight, etc., allowed as received at institutions.

1. 7,000 pounds Beans, in original packages, as per sample.
2. 3,500 pounds Crackers, soda, fresh, good quality.
3. 70,000 quarts Milk, fresh and pure.
4. 600 quarts Cream, fresh, in pint jars.
5. 18,500 quarts Condensed Milk.

The Milk to be of such quality that one quart thereof, when mixed with three quarts of pure water, will equal four quarts of liquid milk of a quality equal to the best pure country milk. Such milk must be perfectly and absolutely pure at the time of delivery, in a condensed form, free from all adulteration and be subject to test as to quality as specified. No milk will be received that has been made or manufactured from skimmed cow's milk, or that has been subjected to such process as to impair its flavor after dilution.

6. 8,000 dozen Eggs, fresh, new laid.
7. 900 pounds Leaf Lard, strictly pure, kettle rendered.

No compound or adulterated lard will be accepted.

8. 150 gallons Vinegar, cider, pure.
9. 70 sacks Salt, Hamilton's, factory filled, free from wet or stain.
10. 10 bushels Salt, Turk's Island.
11. 480 pounds Compressed Yeast, Fleischmann & Co.'s, in one-pound packages, to be delivered as may be required.

400 tons Ice, prime quality, not less than 10 inches thick, to be delivered at institutions, Flatbush, Central Office, and Morgue, in quantities as required. The weight to be in all cases as received by Department. Bidders to name price per ton of 2,000 pounds.

13. 4,000 pounds Sal Soda, in strong barrels.
14. 50 pound Snuff, Scotch, as per sample.

Snuff to be of best quality, not salty, and free from impurities.

15. 3,000 pounds Tobacco, plug, as per sample, 8 pieces to lb.
16. 50 pounds Tobacco, smoking, "Honest."
17. 2 boxes Clay Pipes.
18. 3,000 pounds Bacon, good quality.
19. 4,000 pounds Hams, fresh smoked, sound, sugar cured, not to weigh more than 15 lbs. each.

20. 110 barrels Pork, extra prime, new, 1898 or 1899, in 200-lb. barrels.
21. 250 Smoked Beef, knuckle pieces.
22. 500 pounds Smoked Tongues, prime quality, city cured, average 6 pounds.
23. 200 pounds Sausage, Bologna, good quality, fresh smoked.

24. 40 barrels Mackerel, No. 2, new, good quality, 1898 or 1899, large, in large 200-lb. bbls.
25. 34,000 pounds Hake, salt, fresh pickled, 2 to 4 lbs.
26. 31,000 pounds Butter, best quality.
27. 500 pounds Cheese, factory, full cream, State brand.

28. 4 barrels Sugar, cut loaf, standard.
29. 25,000 pounds Sugar, white, domestic, granulated, standard.
30. 1,000 pounds Sugar, white, powdered, standard.
31. 100 gallons Molasses, New Orleans, centrifugal, good quality, in bbls., as required.

32. 450 gallons Syrup, as per sample.
33. 4,500 pounds Coffee, Java, as per sample.
34. 11,000 pounds Coffee, Mocha, as per sample.

All coffee to be delivered in the green berry and roasted by the Department, at the expense of the contractor, as required, as to time, quantity and place, prices to include cost of roasting.

35. 500 pounds Tea, Black, Formosa, as per sample.
36. 50 boxes Oranges, sound and sweet, averaging 200 to box.
37. 25 bunches Bananas, sound, 125 to bunch.
38. 250 gallons Disinfectant, Little's Soluble Phenyle, in small barrels.
39. 20 gallons Disinfectant, Little's Soluble Phenyle, in 1-gal. cans.
40. 400 pounds Sole Leather "Oak."
41. 2 gallons Shoe Ink.
42. 600 Bedspreads, 11-4 Bates crochet.
43. 800 yards English Long Cloth, as per sample.
44. 100 yards Linoleum, cross-bar, sample at Hospital.

45. 100 yards India Muslin, sample at Hospital.
46. 300 yards Linen, table, unbleached, as per sample, 60 in.
47. 300 yards Linen, table, damask, as per sample, 62 in.
48. 35 dozen Linen Napkins, 28 in. sq., same quality as above.
49. 1,500 yards Prints, Merrimac, D., patterns to be selected.
50. 5,500 yards Prints, American, indigo blue, heavy 32 inch.
51. 2,500 yards Denims, blue, Odis, A. X. A.
52. 100 yards Flannels, white, sample at Hospital.
53. 2,000 yards Flannel, gray, same quality and width as sample.
54. 3,500 yards Flannels, cotton, Amoskeag, A. A., unbleached.
55. 100 yards Flannel, red, as per sample.
56. 1,000 yards Flannellette, white.
57. 500 yards Odis Co.'s apron stripes and checks, patterns to be selected.
58. 1,500 yards Jeans, Kentucky, Humboldt's do-skins.
59. 500 yards White Duck, as per sample.
60. 1,000 yards Muslin, bleached, 4-4, Utica, Non-pareil.
61. 16,000 yards Muslin for bandages, unbleached, Utica C.
62. 12,000 yards Muslin for bandages, unbleached, Enterprize E.E.
63. 1,000 yards Mosquito Netting, white.
64. 100 yards brilliantine, as per sample.
65. 300 yards Pique White, sample at Hospital.
66. 800 yards Gingham, sample at Hospital.
67. 300 yards Marbleized Oil Cloth, as per sample.
68. 8,000 yards Sheetting Brown, 4-4 Atlantic A.
69. 2,000 yards Sheetting Brown, 6-4 Pequot.
70. 2,000 yards Sheetting, bleached, 8-4 Utica.
71. 1,500 yards Sheetting, bleached, 5-4 Utica.
72. 500 yards Sheetting, bleached, 6-4 Utica.
73. 25 dozen Shawls, women's, Greenville, 40 x 40.
74. 50 yards Silesia Black, as per sample at Hospital.
75. 4 dozen pairs White Cotton Gloves, as per sample at Hospital, sizes to be selected.
76. 50 dozen pairs Mittens, men's, as per sample.
77. 50 dozen pairs Mittens, women's, as per sample.
78. 50 dozen Hoods, women's, as per sample.
79. 60 dozen Straw Hats, men's, as per sample No. 1.
80. 20 dozen Straw Hats, as per sample No. 2.
81. 80 dozen Straw Hats, women's, as per sample.
82. 12 dozen Towels, as per sample at Hospital.
83. 1,200 yards Diaper, 24-inch, as per sample.
84. 8 Doctor's Uniforms, as per sample.
85. 8 Uniform Caps, Ambulance Surgeons', as per sample.
86. 25 yards Red Rubber Cloth, double-faced, as per sample.
87. 800 yards Rubber cloth, white and black, 5-4 best extra thick.
88. 2 American Flages, 16 feet.
89. 1,000 yards Kersey, white, as per sample.
90. All Dry Goods, etc., to be of the kind and quality specified. Where articles are called for by sample, the deliveries of the same must be fully equal in all respects to the sample; other articles not specified by name or trade mark to be of good quality and a fair merchantable article.

91. 250 yards Carpets, Body Brussels, Bigelow's or Lowell 5-frame body, made, laid and lined, patterns to be selected.
92. 75 yards Carpets, for stairs, Bigelow's or Lowell 5-frame body, laid with pads, patterns to be selected.
93. 50 yards Linoleum, laid, patterns to be selected, as per sample.
94. 2 Awnings, as per specification.
95. 100 Window Shades, with patent rollers, as per sample.
96. 5 barrels Boiler Cleaning Compound, as per sample.
97. 1,000 feet Metal Lath, sample at Storehouse.
98. 600 pounds Ground Bone, raw, ground pure.
99. 1,000 pounds Rubber Matting, corrugated, as per sample.
100. 12 Hose Reels, as per sample at Almshouse.
101. 2 dozen Night Chairs, sample at Idiot Pavilion.
102. 80 Orchestra Chairs, sample at Hospital.
103. 1 dozen Hose Nozzles, as per sample at Almshouse.
104. 500 Headstons, as per specification, etc., at Central Office.
105. 1,000 Postage stamps, 1c.
106. 6,000 Postage stamps, 5c.
107. 500 Postage stamps, 10c.
108. 2,000 Postage stamps, 4c.
109. 8 Horses, to be not less than 15½ hands high, nor less than 1,100 lbs. weight; warranted sound and kind; Bays, Chestnut or Black. One week's trial of each horse required.
110. 8 Horse Collars, as per sample.
111. 36 sets Horseshoe Pads.
112. 1/2 dozen Coach Aprons, rubber.
113. 2 dozen Halters, leather, as per sample.
114. 2 dozen Surcingle, as per sample.
115. 2 sets Harness, single, as per sample.
116. 2 sets Harness, double, as per sample.
117. 1 Ambulance, as per sample.
118. 1 Undertaker's wagon, as per plan and specification.
119. 1 dozen pairs Rubber Boots, pure rubber.
120. Electric Light Supply for year 1900, for Kings County Hospital, Administration Buildings, Nurses' Homes, Infants' Hospitals, Stable, Storehouse, Consumptives' Home, and all other buildings that are now wired for electric lighting purposes.
121. Electric Light Supply for Male and Female Almshouses and Idiots' Pavilion, when wired.
122. Gas Supply Flatbush, per M. feet.
123. Gas Supply, Central Office and Morgue, per M. feet.
124. Water Supply, for Hospital and Almshouse Departments, Flatbush.
125. Furnish all material and labor necessary to keep in repair all Electric Bells and Private Telephones now in use in the various Buildings, comprising the Kings County Hospital, Infants' Hospital, Idiot Hospital, Stable, Storehouse and Almshouses, from January 1st to July 1st, 1900.
126. Furnish all labor and material necessary to move to internal telephones from their present location in rear corridors and nurses' quarters at Kings County Hospital, to points in the new wings to be designated by Medical Superintendent, and leave entire system in complete working order.
127. Furnish all labor and material necessary to equip the food laboratory at Infants' Hospital, as per plans and specifications at Storehouse at Flatbush.
128. Furnish all labor and material necessary to apply Chamberlains' metal weather strips to 25 windows.
129. 5,000 square feet of pressed metal for ceilings, samples at Kings County Almshouse.
130. 500 linear feet 12-inch metal cove for ceiling work, patterns to be selected.
131. 1,150 square feet vitrified tile, laid complete, as per sample at Kings County Hospital. Concrete foundation to be furnished by Department, and work to be guaranteed for 3 years.
132. 2,160 square feet of glazed tile, with cap, colored bordered and sanitary base, laid complete and guaranteed for 3 years, walls to be made ready by Department.
133. Furnish all labor and material necessary to wire for electric lighting Male and Female Almshouses and Idiot Hospital, as per specifications at Kings County Hospital.
134. Shoeing Horses, Flatbush, per shoe.
135. Resetting Horseshoes, per shoe.
136. Transportation and burial of pauper dead, Borough of Brooklyn.
137. Transportation and burial of pauper dead, Borough of Queens.

A deposit of \$100 will be required on all bids for items 135 and 136.

CLASS No. 1—FLOUR FOR INSTITUTIONS, FLATBUSH.

Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.

137. 2,000 barrels Flour, bakers' spring wheat, extra as per sample A.
138. 1,000 barrels Flour, bakers' winter wheat, extra, as per sample B.
139. 70 barrels flour, best family, for officers' use, as per sample C.

All of the above Flour to be of good quality, and to produce a sweet and wholesome bread. Weight 196 lbs. net per barrel, and to be delivered at the Storehouse of the County Buildings, at Flatbush, as required. All to be delivered as above in well-coopered barrels in good order free of expense. Each barrel to be distinctly marked with Inspectors stamp, and all deliveries to correspond with samples. Flour to be judged and tested by quality and not exclusively by brand.

CLASS No. 2—VEGETABLES.

Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.

140. 40 bushels Potatoes, sweet, good and sound.
141. 9,000 pounds Onions.
142. 20,000 pounds Russia Turnips.
143. 25,000 pounds Cabbage, good and sound.
144. 2,500 pounds Carrots.
145. 30 barrels Apples, russets, baldwin or greenings.
146. 20 bushels Cranberries, good quality, in crates.
147. 4,000 bushels Potatoes, 60 lbs. to bushel, good size and quality, delivered in good condition.

CLASS No. 3—FANCY GROCERIES, ETC.

Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.

148. 10 pounds Allspice, best quality, ground or whole.
149. 10 pounds Cloves, ground or whole.
150. 15 pounds Nutmegs, No. 1.
151. 450 pounds Pepper, black, pure, in the grain, price to include the cost of grinding.

All pepper to be delivered whole, and ground by the Department, at the expense of the contractor, as required, as to time, quantity and place.

152. 5 pounds Indigo, as per sample.
153. 145 pounds Mustard, Coleman's Durham, English, 10-lb. cans.

154. 15 pounds Ground Ginger, pure African.
 155. 12 dozen Gelatine, Cooper's.
 156. 16 dozen Olives, Hazzard's, Selected, 36-oz. bottles.
 157. 25 dozen Chili Sauce, Shrewsbury, pints.
 158. 10 dozen Salad Dressing, Durkee's, pints.
 159. 44 dozen Worcestershire Sauce, Lea & Perrin, pints.
 160. 40 dozen Chow Chow, Heinz, qt. bottles.
 161. 40 dozen Gerkins, Heinz, qt. bottles.
 162. 14 dozen Olive Oil, Charles Voilleque, pint bottles.
 163. 10 dozen Shredded Wheat Biscuit.
 164. 2 doz n Howell's Fancy Curry Powder.
 165. 10 dozen Pineapple Ch ese, 4 in case.
 166. 5 gross Matches, S. C. & B., parlor, 80s.
 167. 10 gross Matches, Colonial, parlor, 65s.
 168. 50 gross Matches, Beecher, No. 2.
 169. 20 gross Matches, Vulcan Superior Safety, Tidholm.
 170. 400 pounds Dried Apples, new, good quality.
 171. 150 pounds Dried Currants, new, good quality.
 172. 150 pounds Peaches, evaporated, new, good quality, peeled, in boxes.
 173. 1,500 pounds French or California Prunes, 60s.
 174. 400 dozen Lemons, good size.
 175. 24 boxes Raisins, London layer, new, full-sized.
 176. 250 pounds Baking powder, best quality, in 5 or 10 pound tins, Royal, Redhead's, Hecker's or Cleveland's, at buyer's option.
 177. 100 pounds Chocolate, Baker's No. 1.
 178. 20 pounds Candles, coach, as per sample.
 CLASS No. 4—CANNED GOODS.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 179. 125 dozen Canned Corn, as per sample.
 180. 130 Canned Peaches, as per sample.
 181. 130 dozen Canned Bartlett Pears, as per sample.
 182. 220 dozen Canned Peas, as per sample.
 183. 60 dozen Canned Salmon, as per sample.
 184. 30 dozen Canned Lobster, as per sample.
 185. 220 dozen Canned Tomatoes, as per sample.
 186. 75 dozen Canned Sardines, as per sample.
 187. 60 dozen Canned Lima Beans, as per sample.
 188. 6 dozen Canned Pumpkins, as per sample.
 189. 55 dozen Canned Plums, as per sample.
 190. 25 dozen Canned Pine Apples, as per sample.
 191. 60 dozen Canned Apricots, as per sample.
 192. 70 dozen Canned Cherries, as per sample.
 193. 29 dozen Canned Asparagus, as per sample.
 194. 20 dozen Canned Chicken Soup, as per sample.
 195. 34 dozen Canned Ox Tail Soup, as per sample.
 Canned goods to be delivered strictly in accordance with samples. No inferior quality will be accepted.
 CLASS No. 5—ROLLED OATS, FARINA, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 196. 150 pounds Buckwheat, best quality, crop 1899.
 197. 1,200 pounds Farina, first quality, in bbls., Hecker's.
 198. 600 pounds Hominy, Pearl, new, 5-lb. packages.
 199. 10,000 pounds Rolled Oats, per sample.
 200. 8,000 pounds Pearl Barley, per sample.
 201. 700 pounds Starch Wheat.
 202. 1,150 pounds Starch, Kingsford's or Duryea's, in boxes, name on box.
 203. 300 pounds Corn Starch, first quality, in 1-lb. packages, Kingsford's or Duryea's.
 204. 300 pounds Tapioca, flake.
 205. 225 pounds Macaroni, Italian, 1 lb. packages, best quality, imported.
 206. 5,500 pounds Rice, as per sample.
 CLASS No. 6—SOAP, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 207. 125 dozen Sapolio, Enoch Morgan's Sons, cakes.
 208. 100 pounds Axle Grease, Fraser's.
 209. 25 boxes Ivory Soap, toilet size.
 210. 3 dozen Buchanan's Carbolic Toilet Soap.
 211. 7 dozen Electro Silikon.
 212. 10 pounds Shaving Soap, Williams', in cakes.
 213. 10 boxes Harness Soap, Miller's, as per sample.
 214. 3,500 pounds Soap, the Friedman-Doscher, or brand equal in quality, pure laundry, in boxes, bidder to submit sample.
 215. 6,000 pounds Soap, hard, Colgate's Mahogany, or brand equal in quality, in 1-lb. lumps, in boxes, bidder to submit sample.
 216. 25,000 pounds Soap, Chip, Colgate.
 217. 250 pounds Soap, Castile, White, Conti & Co., Leghorn.
 CLASS No. 7—BRANDY, WHISKY, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 218. 20 gallons Brandy, Hennessy, vintage 1892, in bond.
 219. 70 gallons Whisky, rye, not less than two years old, standard brand.
 220. 20 gallons Wine, sherry, standard brand.
 221. 300 gallons Alcohol.
 The Whisky to be supplied must be of two-stamp copper distilled, Pure Rye Whisky, to be delivered free of all charges to this department, in lots of not less than two barrels at a time. The Whisky is not to be less than two years old from the date of the warehouse entry stamp, and to be shipped direct from a United States distillery warehouse, and to be consigned by bill of lading to Commissioner of Public Charities. Upon arrival of each shipment in The City of New York, it shall be gauged at the dock or depot, at the expense of the contractor, who shall then cause it to be at once delivered to the proper agent for said department. The gauger's certificate is, in all cases, to be attached to the bill. The bidder is to make his bid on the basis of proof gallons, and irrespective of any disposal to be made of the empty barrels.
 Any alteration in the United States Internal Revenue Tax on Distilled Spirits, during the year 1900, shall cancel so much of this contract as may remain unfulfilled at the time when the act making such alteration shall go into effect.
 Brandy to be delivered from bond, duty paid. Wine to be delivered in good order and condition, in well-coopered barrels, for which no charge shall be made, to be accompanied in all cases with the United States Inspector's Certificate as to quantities.
 Alcohol to be 168 degs., and to be accompanied with the United States Inspector's Certificate at the time or times of delivery in well-coopered iron-bound barrels, for which no charge shall be made.
 CLASS No. 8—BEEF AND MUTTON.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 222. 165,000 lbs. Beef.
 223. 27,000 lbs. Mutton.
 224. 2,000 lbs. Veal, in carcass or halves.
 225. 5,700 lbs. Fresh Pork, in carcass or halves.
 226. 1,200 lbs. Beef Liver, fresh.
 Beef to be delivered at the storehouse of the County Buildings, Flatbush, from time to time as required and after being weighed, taken to the several institutions as directed. All deliveries to be in quarters, in the proportion of two (2) forequarters to one (1) hindquarter and to be of good quality Steer Beef. The forequarter to weigh not less than one hundred and fifty

- pounds nor more than two hundred, and the hindquarters not less than one hundred and thirty pounds nor more than one hundred and seventy pounds.
 Mutton (lights and livers excluded) to be delivered by the carcass. Mutton to weigh not less than thirty-five nor more than seventy pounds when dressed and ready for delivery.
 All the meats to be in good merchantable condition, fresh killed at the time of delivery, and to be from animals in good keeping and fit to slaughter.
 CLASS No. 9—POULTRY.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 227. 5,000 pounds Chickens, fresh, young, dressed, 1st quality.
 228. 3,000 pounds Turkeys, fresh, young, dressed, 1st quality, weighing not less than 6 lbs. each.
 229. 500 pounds Ducks.
 Poultry to be delivered as required.
 CLASS No. 10—FRESH FISH AND CLAMS.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 230. 1,200 pounds Codfish.
 231. 700 pounds Halibut.
 232. 800 pounds Smelts.
 233. 800 pounds Shad (with Roe) in season.
 234. 900 pounds Bluefish.
 235. 700 pounds Weakfish.
 236. 1,000 pounds Whitefish.
 237. 25,000 Hard Clams, large, to be delivered freshly opened, in prime order, with liquor, in weekly quantities, as directed.
 238. 10,000 Box Oysters, in shell, large, fresh, to be delivered as ordered.
 239. 200 quarts Scallops.
 All of the above fish to be of the best quality of the kind specified, and in the best merchantable order at the time of delivery, cleaned and dressed. The substitution of one kind of fish for another will not, under any circumstances, be allowed.
 CLASS No. 11—HAY, STRAW, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 240. 1,800 bushels Oats, white, No. 2, per bushel of 32 pounds, as per sample.
 241. 2,000 pounds Meal, Indian, fine white, granulated, bbls., no charge for barrels.
 242. 35 bags Fine Feed, bags, 60 pounds each.
 243. 35 bags Fine Feed, bags, 40 pounds each.
 244. 200 pounds Oil Meal.
 245. 25 bushels Yellow Corn.
 All the articles enumerated above to be of the kind and quality described. Bags with Oats, Meal, Rye and Feed to be returned to the contractor.
 246. 60,000 pounds Hay, in bales, Timothy, best quality.
 247. 3,000 pounds Hay, cut.
 248. 50,000 pounds Straw, rye, baled, best quality.
 249. 125 pounds Rock Salt, for horses.
 CLASS No. 12—DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 250. 1 dozen cards Hooks and Eyes, De Long's, white, sample at Hospital.
 251. 25 pounds Darning Cotton.
 252. 18 boxes Tape, white, 1/4 to 1 inch wide, assorted.
 253. 1,400 pounds Cotton Batting, best quality, 1/2 pound bats, Eastern or Western Star.
 254. 150 yards Oil Silk, best quality, in yd. rolls.
 255. 100 pounds Thread, linen, white and black, Nos. 30 to 40, in hanks, Marshall's or Harbours' best, in paper boxes.
 256. 6 gross Thimbles, steel, women's, as per sample at Hospital.
 257. 25 gross Buttons, pearl, as per sample.
 258. 62 great gross Buttons, agate, porcelain, No. 40.
 259. 15 gross Buttons, rubber, vest.
 260. 17 gross Buttons, rubber, coat, No. 30.
 261. 10 gross Buttons, overcoat.
 262. 47 great gross Buttons, pants, 27 horn, first quality.
 263. 110 dozen Combs, strong, raw horn, dressing, 1 inch teeth, 2 D's, 5 1/2 inches long.
 264. 110 dozen Combs, United States Comb Co., No. 11 S.S.
 265. 6,000 Needles, Milward's Helix, assorted Nos.
 266. 125 packs Pins, Plume & Atwood's or Wind-Oakville Co., best quality, in packs, S.C. & F., 3/16.
 267. 300 dozen Spool Cotton, white and black, Clark's O. N. T. and Barstow Thread Co., assorted numbers.
 268. 1 dozen Spool Silk, black, for machine.
 269. 45 gross Laces, women's glaze braid half round, 6-8.
 270. 10 gross Buckles, pants, as per sample.
 271. 50 packs Hair Pins, good quality, 12 oz. packs.
 272. 150 gross Pins, safety, assorted sizes, Clinton or Stewart's Duplex Shield, nickel-plated.
 273. 200 yards Black Elastic, 1/2 in., for Garters.
 274. 85 gross Laces, leather, men's round, 3/4 yard.
 275. 5 dozen Sewing Machine Needles.
 276. 5 dozen Brushes, shaving, as per sample.
 All Dry Goods, etc., to be of the kind and quality specified. Where articles are called for by sample, the deliveries of the same must be fully equal in all respects to the sample; other articles not specified by name or trad. mark to be of good quality and a fair, merchantable article.
 CLASS No. 13—BRICK, CEMENT, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 277. 25,000 No. 1 Haverstraw or best up-river hard brick.
 278. 25 barrels Rosendale Cement.
 279. 30 barrels Common Lime.
 280. 30 barrels Rockland Finishing Lime.
 281. 200 barrels Portland Cement, Atlas, Heyn, Hemmoor, Breitenberger or Teutonia.
 282. 12 barrels Plaster Paris.
 283. 200 Oven Tile, 12 x 12, best quality.
 284. 5,000 Fire Brick, for baker's oven or furnace, No. 1.
 285. 200 Fire Brick, arched for furnace.
 286. 10 barrels Fire Clay, best quality, in barrels.
 287. 10 bushels Goat's Hair.
 288. 100 yards Lime Stone Screenings.
 CLASS No. 14—PAINTS, OILS, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 289. 50 pounds Common Glue, best quality.
 290. 20 pounds White Glue, best quality.
 291. 300 pounds Putty.
 292. 25 gallons Varnish, asphalt.
 293. 7,000 pounds White Lead, in oil, Atlantic or Brooklyn.
 294. 800 pounds Prince's Metallic, dry.
 295. 200 pounds Venetian Red, first quality, dry and in oil.
 296. 20 pounds Vermillion Red, in oil.
 297. 100 pounds Ultra Marine Blue, in oil (5-lb. cans).
 298. 50 pounds Ultra Marine Blue, dry.
 299. 20 pounds Bronze, gold, best.
 300. 20 pounds Bronze, Aluminum, best.
 301. 50 pint s Paris White, English.
 302. 300 gallons Pure Linseed Oil, raw.
 303. 300 gallons Pure Linseed Oil, boiled.
 304. 10 gallons Neatsfoot Oil.
 305. 100 gallons Kerosene Oil, 150 deg. test, water white.
 306. 2 pounds Aniline, Blue.
 307. 10 gallons Benzine.
 308. 800 gallons Spirits Turpentine.

309. 10 gallons Spirits Turpentine, in gallon-cans, perfectly pure.
 310. 10 quires Sand Paper, assorted sizes.
 311. 20 boxes Window Glass, first quality, 50 ft. per box, assorted sizes.
 312. 15 pounds Wax, Japan.
 313. 15 pounds W. X. Sperrin.
 314. 3 Paint Brushes, 6 O. Martin's super extra.
 315. 1 dozen Varnish Brushes.
 316. 40 pounds Concentrated Lye, 1-lb. cans, Colgate or Babbitts.
 317. 2 dozen Fitches, assorted sizes.
 318. 2 Glaziers' Diamond.
 319. 2 dozen Sash Tools, 6 to 10, super extra, Martin's.
 320. 40 pounds Chrome, yellow, in oil, in 1-pound cans.
 321. 60 pounds Yellow Ochre, in oil, in 5-lb. cans.
 322. 10 pounds Cobalt Blue, in oil, in 5-lb. cans.
 323. 40 pounds Raw Sienna, in oil, in 5-lb. cans.
 324. 40 pounds Burnt Sienna, in oil, in 5-lb. cans.
 325. 40 pounds Burnt Umber, in oil, in 5-lb. cans.
 326. 40 pounds Raw Umber, in oil, in 5-lb. cans.
 327. 10 gallons Furniture Varnish.
 328. 40 pounds Prussian Blue.
 329. 10 pounds Imperial Green, in oil, in 1-lb. cans.
 330. 30 pounds Enamel Paint.
 331. 200 pounds Dark Chrome Green, in oil, in 1-lb. cans.
 332. 200 pounds Beeswax.
 333. 50 pounds Indian Red.
 334. 25 pounds White wood Filler.
 335. 5 gallons Brown Shellac and Grain Alcohol.
 336. 5 gallons White Shellac.
 337. 20 gallons Liquid Dye, "Lizska Terebine".
 338. 10 gallons Wood Alcohol.
 339. 100 pounds Paris Green, dry.
 340. 30 pounds Lamp Black, in oil, 5 lb. cans.
 341. 30 pounds Lamp Black, dry.
 342. 50 gallons Machine Oil, as per sample.
 343. 50 gallons Cylinder Oil, as per sample.
 344. 80 barrels Charcoal.
 345. 4 barrels Flour of Sulphur.
 346. 1 gross Tailors' Crayons.
 CLASS No. 15—LUMBER, TIMBER, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 347. 8,000 feet Pine Shelving, good quality, 7 1/2-inch when planed on both sides, for coffins, 16 to 22 in. wide.
 348. 4,000 feet Pine Slevings, good quality, 3/4-inch when planed on both sides, for coffins, 16 to 22 inches.
 349. 100 Pine Ceiling, 1 by 9, good quality, planed on both sides.
 350. 3,000 feet Clear Pine Lumber, 1 to 3 inches thick when planed on both sides.
 351. 500 feet White Wood, 1/2-inch, assorted widths.
 352. 2,000 feet White Wood, 7/8-inch when dressed on both sides from 8 to 18 inches wide.
 353. 1,000 feet Spruce Plank, 8 to 10 inches wide.
 354. 100 feet Spruce Joist, 2 by 4, dressed.
 355. 2,000 Spruce Lath.
 356. 5,000 feet Georgia Pine Flooring, 3/4 by 2 1/2, clear.
 357. 100 Pine Boards, sound, 1 by 10, 13 feet long, planed on one side, tongued and grooved.
 358. 1,500 feet Ash, for screens, 2 by 3/4.
 359. 1,000 feet Ash, for screens, 3/4 by 3/4.
 360. 1,000 feet Ash, for screens, 3 by 3/4.
 361. 2,500 feet North Carolina Pine Ceiling, 1/2 by 2 1/2, edge beaded, dressed one side, tongued and grooved.
 362. 500 feet Yellow Pine Timber, sizes as called for.
 363. 200 feet Spruce Timber, 3 by 9 inches and under wide, 23 feet and under long.
 364. 300 feet Spruce Timber, 3 by 10 inches and over wide, any length.
 365. 100 Oak, planed on one side, 3/4.
 366. 100 Hemlock Joist, 3 by 4, 13 feet long.
 CLASS No. 19—HARDWARE, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 367. 6 Pennsylvania Lawn Mowers, 15 in., cut, high wheel.
 368. 50 pounds Hemp Twine, as per sample.
 369. 35 pounds Linen Twine, Barbour's Hand Spun, No. 3, 6 cord, gray.
 370. 13 pounds Cotton Twine, as per sample.
 371. 100 pounds Sash Cord, as per sample.
 372. 5 dozen Shoe Blacking, Bixby's No. 4.
 373. 8 dozen Stove Polish, Dixon's.
 374. 16 boxes Bath Brick, 4 doz. per box.
 375. 15 dozen Mop Heads, cotton, 10 lbs. per dozen.
 376. 4 dozen Mop Handles.
 377. 2 dozen Cocoa Mats, as per sample.
 378. 50 gross Clothes Pins, wooden.
 379. 2 Barber's Clippers, Brown & Sharp, No. 1 and 2, as per sample.
 380. 35 dozen Knives and Forks, as per sample.
 381. 4 dozen Knives, as per sample.
 382. 1/2 dozen Knives, Meat, 1 1/2 inch.
 383. 1/2 dozen Knives, Meat, 7 inch.
 384. 1 Carving Knife and Fork, 18 in.
 385. 2 Butcher's Steel, 18 in.
 386. 1 Butcher's Saw, 18 in.
 387. 1 Butcher's Cleaver, 18 in.
 388. 1/2 dozen Knives, Carving, as per sample.
 389. 1/2 dozen Forks, Carving, as per sample.
 390. 3 dozen Knives, Plated, as per sample.
 391. 1 dozen Forks, Plated, as per sample.
 392. 1 dozen Teaspoons, Plated, as per sample.
 393. 1 dozen Tablespoons, Plated, as per sample.
 394. 5 Bread Cutters, as per sample.
 395. 2 doz. Razors, Wade & Butcher, concave best.
 396. 3 dozen Scissors, steel, trimming, 7-in., good quality.
 397. 20 rolls Picture Wire, No. 3.
 398. 5 dozen Picture Hooks, Brass.
 399. 1/2 dozen Step-ladders, 10 feet.
 400. 1/2 dozen Step-ladders, 12 feet.
 401. 30 dozen Screen Lifts, sample at Hospital.
 402. 4 dozen Shade Tacks, for window.
 403. 20 dozen Carpet Tacks, 6, 8 or 10-oz., as required.
 404. 15 kegs Nails, cut, 4d. to 6d.
 405. 10 kegs Nails, finishing, 6, 8, 10 and 12d.
 406. 3 kegs Nails, wire, 1, 1 1/2 and 2-in.
 407. 2 kegs Nails, Lath.
 408. 1 keg Nail, roofing, tinned.
 409. 1 dozen Thermometers, C. J. Tagliabue, 10-in., name on face.
 410. 1 Horse Clipper, as per sample.
 411. 200 Brass Nosing, for stairs, 30-in., sample at Hospital.
 412. 1 dozen Dietz Dead Locks, No. 352.
 413. 2 dozen Mortise Locks, No. 5.
 414. 2 dozen Mortise Locks, No. 6.
 415. 3 dozen Draw Locks, Brass, 2 x 2 1/2.
 416. 1 dozen Spades, Steel, short handles.
 417. 50 lbs. Sash Weights.
 418. 5 gross Brass Screws, 3/4 in.
 419. 2 dozen Mineral Door Knobs.
 420. 12 Gas Stoves, sample at Hospital.
 421. 5,000 feet Wire Cloth, 30, 36, 40 and 42 in. wide.
 422. 4 dozen Saw Files, assorted 3, 4, 6 and 8 in. each, 1 dozen.
 423. 10 gross Screw Eyes, No. 111, sample at Hospital.
 424. 10 gross Screw Eyes, sample at Hospital.
 425. 1 dozen Rat Traps, as per sample.
 426. 200 boxes Fly Paper, Tanglefoot, 25 double sheets to box.
 427. 25 dozen Spectacles, assorted, convex, as per sample.
 428. 1 dozen Shoemaker's Rasps.
 429. 5 pounds Shoemaker's Thread.
 430. 60 dozen Tablespoons, Tinned, No. 40.
 431. 1 dozen Shoemaker's Sharpening Stone.
 432. 40 dozen Teaspoons, Tinned, No. 305.
 433. 2 dozen Dusters, ostrich feathers, 12 inch.
 434. 30 gross Wood Screws, sizes as called for.

435. 25 pounds Shoe Nails, quality as called for.
 436. 1/2 dozen Curry Combs.
 437. 1 dozen Fire Axes, with handles, sample at Hospital.
 438. 400 feet Garden Hose, 3/4-inch, 3 ply, with couplings and brass nozzles.
 439. 1 1/2 dozen Clocks, Seth Thomas, octagon eight day.
 440. 1 dozen Cork Screws, as per sample.
 441. 1 Mitchel Plow, Oliver Chilled No. 4.
 442. 1 Harrow, 6 beam.
 443. 1-3 dozen Carpet Sweepers, Bissell's Grand Rapids Cyclobearing.
 444. 100 Bed Card Cases, as per sample, Almshouse.
 445. 1/2 dozen Potato Forks, 4 prong.
 446. 1 dozen Grass Hooks.
 447. 9 dozen boxes Toothpicks, wooden, as per sample.
 448. 1 dozen Ice Picks, as per sample.
 CLASS No. 17—CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 449. 2 dozen Vegetable Dishes, covered, 10-inch, as per sample.
 450. 3 dozen Butter Dishes, covered, as per sample.
 451. 2 dozen Slop Jars, crockery, with lid.
 452. 4 dozen Chambers, with covers, as per sample.
 453. 5 dozen Chambers, children's, without covers, as per sample.
 454. 10 dozen Gas Globes, porcelain, as per sample.
 455. 3 dozen Gas Globes, red, as per sample.
 456. 4 dozen Holders for Gas Globes, as per sample.
 457. 25 dozen Tumblers, as per sample.
 458. 25 dozen Goblets, as per sample.
 459. 15 dozen Sauce Plates, as per sample.
 460. 10 dozen Desert Plates, as per sample.
 461. 10 dozen Tea Plates, as per sample.
 462. 20 dozen Dinner Plates, as per sample.
 463. 25 dozen Soup Plates, as per sample.
 464. 4 dozen Pie Plates, earthen, as per sample.
 465. 25 dozen Cups and Saucers, coffee, as per sample.
 466. 20 dozen Cups and Saucers, tea, as per sample.
 467. 4 dozen Pitchers, pint, as per sample.
 468. 4 dozen Pitchers, quart, as per sample.
 469. 4 dozen Pitchers, 2 quarts, as per sample.
 470. 4 dozen Pitchers, 4 quarts.
 471. 4 dozen Sugar Bowls, 1 quart, as per sample.
 472. 10 dozen Individual Butter Dishes, as per sample.
 473. 10 dozen Individual Vegetable Dishes, as per sample.
 474. 5 dozen Bowls, stone, china, quarts, extra heavy, as per sample.
 475. 5 dozen Bowls, stone china, pints, extra heavy, as per sample.
 476. 1 dozen Soup Tureens, as per sample.
 477. 2 dozen Wash Pitchers, as per sample.
 478. 2 dozen Wash Basins, as per sample.
 479. 10 dozen Glass Salt and Pepper Shakers, metal tops.
 480. 1/2 dozen Bowls, yellow earthenware, 2 gals. each.
 481. 1/2 dozen Bowls, yellow earthenware, 3 gals. each.
 482. 1 dozen Squeezers, Lemon, glass.
 483. 6 dozen Salt Cellars, glass, as per sample, K. C. H.
 484. 1/2 dozen Water Pitchers, samples of following items at K. C. H.
 485. 1/2 dozen Pickle Dishes.
 486. 1/2 dozen Gravy boats.
 487. 1/2 dozen Soup Tureens.
 488. 1/2 dozen Sauce Tureens.
 489. 2 dozen Meat Platters.
 490. 10 dozen Preserve Dishes.
 491. 10 dozen Dinner Plates.
 492. 10 dozen Breakfast Plates.
 493. 10 dozen Tea Plates.
 494. 10 dozen Bread and Butter Plates.
 495. 10 dozen Soup Plates.
 496. 10 dozen Oatmeal Dishes.
 497. 10 dozen Coffee Cups and Saucers.
 498. 1 dozen Oval Vegetable Dishes, covered.
 499. 1 dozen Round Vegetable Dishes, covered.
 500. 1 dozen Round Vegetable Dishes, uncovered.
 501. 1/2 dozen Salad Bowls.
 502. 1/2 dozen Fruit Dishes.
 503. 1/2 dozen Covered Butter Dishes.
 504. 8 dozen Egg Cups.
 505. 2 dozen Sugar Bowls.
 506. 1/2 dozen Cream Pitchers.
 CLASS No. 18—TINWARE, ETC.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 507. 1/2 dozen Coal Hods, galvanized iron, 18 in., as per sample.
 508. 2 dozen Chamber Pails, covered, gal. iron, as per sample.
 509. 6 Frying Pans, 14 in.
 510. 2 1/2 dozen Shovels, No. 2, Rowland, square or round pointed.
 511. 2 dozen Coal Scoops, Rowland, No. 5, as per sample.
 512. 2 Agateware Tea Pots, 2 qts., as per sample.
 513. 2 Cooking Pots, porcelain lined, 5 gallon.
 514. 2 Cooking Pots, porcelain lined, 3 gallon.
 515. 4 dozen Agate Trays, as per sample.
 516. 2 Saucepans, porcelain lined, 3 gallons.
 517. 2 Saucepans, porcelain lined, 2 gallons.
 518. 2 dozen Agate Foot Baths, as per sample.
 519. 12 dozen Agate Wash basins, as per sample.
 520. 3 dozen Agate Coffee Pails, 5 gallons, with lid, as per sample.
 521. 1 dozen Agate Coffee Pots, 4 qts. each.
 522. 6 dozen Washboards, double zinc, as per sample.
 523. 1/2 dozen Can Openers.
 524. 1/2 dozen Agate Colanders, sample at Hospital.
 525. 1/2 dozen Agate Kettles, 2 qts., sample at Hospital.
 526. 1/2 dozen Agate Tea Kettles, 3 quart, sample at Hospital.
 527. 2-12 dozen Agate Fish Kettles, 3 gal.
 528. 2-3 dozen Water Cooler, porcelain lined, 5 gallons, sample at Hospital.
 529. 500 feet Copper Sash Chain Cable, as per sample.
 530. 1 dozen Picks.
 531. 1 dozen Steel Rakes, 14 teeth.
 532. 1 dozen Steel Hoers.
 533. 1 1/2 dozen Scythe Stones, Rifles.
 534. 1 dozen Scythe and Sheath.
 535. 1 set Rubber Tires for Ambulance.
 536. 1 dozen Agate Pails, porcelain lined, 4 gal.
 537. 1 dozen Agate Pitchers, 1 gal.
 538. 2 dozen Agate Pails, 1 gal.
 539. 1 dozen Agate Saucepans, 1 qt.
 540. 500 Agate Bowls, as per sample.
 541. 500 Agate Pans, as per sample.
 542. 1/2 dozen Strainers, wire handled, sample at Hospital.
 543. 6 seis Skewers, steel, sample at Hospital.
 544. 3 dozen Dish Covers, wire, assorted sizes, sample at Hospital.
 545. 2 dozen Match Safes, for safety matches, hanging, bronzed iron.
 CLASS No. 19—COAL.
 Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.
 546. 2,250 tons Coal, Pea, No. 1.
 547. 650 tons Coal, Stove.
 548. 25 tons Coal, Egg.
 The above coal to be of either of the following kinds: Lehigh Valley Coal Company's "Babylon" or "Wyoming," Pennsylvania Coal Company's "Pittston," Delaware, Lackawanna and Western

Railroad Company's "Scranton," Cox Brothers & Company's "Cross Creek," Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company's "Wilkesbarre," or Delaware and Hudson Railroad Company's "Lackawanna."

To be free from dust, dirt, slate or other impurities. To be delivered at the Central Office, Morgue or Institutions at Flat-bush, as directed by the proper authorities, and to be accompanied at the time or times of delivery with the original bills of lading, showing the date of shipment, and from what mine shipped. The bills of lading in all cases to accompany the original bills as presented.

All coal to be subject to inspection, and when any part is rejected thereof on account of quality, the cost of inspection to be chargeable to the Contractor.

Receipts will be given for weights as received by the different institutions.

CLASS NO. 20.—PLUMBERS' SUPPLIES.

Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.

- 549. 2 coils Lead Pipe, 1/2 A. A.
- 550. 1 coil D. Waste Pipe, 1 1/2.
- 551. 500 feet Iron Pipe, galv., 3/4.
- 552. 500 feet Iron Pipe, galv., 1/2.
- 553. 10 dozen T. Branches, galv., 3/4 x 1/2.
- 554. 10 dozen T. Branches, galv., 1/2.
- 555. 10 dozen Elbows, galv., 3/4.
- 556. 10 dozen T. Branches, galv., 1/2.
- 557. 10 dozen Elbows, galv., 1/2.
- 558. 200 feet Iron Pipe, light sewer, 5 inch.
- 559. 200 feet Iron Pipe, light sewer, 4 inch.
- 560. 200 feet Iron Pipe, light sewer, 3 inch.
- 561. 200 feet Iron Pipe, light sewer, 2 inch.
- 562. 2 dozen Bends, 1/2, 5 inch.
- 563. 2 dozen Bends, 1/2, 4 inch.
- 564. 2 dozen Bends, 1/2, 3 inch.
- 565. 2 dozen Bends, 1/2, 2 inch.
- 566. 2 dozen Bends, 1/2, 1 1/2 inch.
- 567. 2 dozen Bends, 1/2, 1 inch.
- 568. 2 dozen Bends, 1/2, 3/4 inch.
- 569. 2 dozen Bends, 1/2, 1/2 inch.
- 570. 1 dozen Branches, Half Y, 5 x 4.
- 571. 1 dozen Branches, Half Y, 5 x 3.
- 572. 1 dozen Branches, Half Y, 5 x 2.
- 573. 1 dozen Branches, Half Y, 4 x 3.
- 574. 1 dozen Branches, Half Y, 4 x 2.
- 575. 1 dozen Branches, Half Y, 3 x 2.
- 576. 1 dozen Branches, Half Y, 3 x 1.
- 577. 1 dozen Branches, Half Y, 3 x 1/2.
- 578. 75 feet Earthen Pipe, 6 inch.
- 579. 75 feet Earthen Pipe, 5 inch.
- 580. 75 feet Earthen Pipe, 4 inch.
- 581. 2 dozen Brass Ferrules, light, 2 inch.
- 582. 3 dozen Brass Unions, light, 1/2 inch.
- 583. 3 dozen Brass Unions, light, 3/4 inch.
- 584. 1 dozen Brass Ferrules, light, 1 inch.
- 585. 1/2 dozen S. Traps, 2 inch, extra heavy

- 586. 400 feet Gas Pipe, 1/2 inch, black iron.
- 587. 400 feet Gas Pipe, 1/2 inch, black iron.
- 588. 100 pounds Elbows, gas, 1/2 inch.
- 589. 100 pounds Elbows, gas, 3/4 inch.
- 590. 100 pounds Elbows, gas, 1 inch.
- 591. 100 pounds T. Elbows, gas, 1/2 inch.
- 592. 100 pounds T. Elbows, gas, 3/4 inch.
- 593. 100 pounds T. Elbows, gas, 1 inch.
- 594. 2 dozen Caps, gas, 1/2 inch.
- 595. 2 dozen Caps, gas, 3/4 inch.
- 596. 2 dozen Caps, gas, 1 inch.
- 597. 2 dozen Plugs, gas, 1/2 inch.
- 598. 2 dozen Plugs, gas, 3/4 inch.
- 599. 2 dozen Plugs, gas, 1 inch.
- 600. 3 dozen Bushings, 1/2 x 3/4.
- 601. 3 dozen Bushings, 3/4 x 1/2.
- 602. 3 dozen Bushings, 1/2 x 1/2.
- 603. 3 dozen Bushings, 1/2 x 1/2.
- 604. 4 dozen Drop Ells, 3/4 inch.
- 605. 4 dozen Drop T, 3/4 inch.
- 606. 2 dozen Double Swing Brackets.
- 607. 2 dozen Single Swing Brackets.
- 608. 3 gross Lava Gas tips, all sizes.
- 609. 3 gross Gas Pillars.
- 610. 2 dozen L. Burner Cocks, 3/4 inch.
- 611. 2 dozen L. Burner Cocks, 1/2 inch.
- 612. 1 set Armstrong's Dies, from 1/4 to 1 inch, right.
- 613. 1 set Armstrong's Dies, from 1/4 to 1 inch, left.

- 614. 2 dozen Wheels, Armstrong Cutters, No. 2.
- 615. 1 dozen Hack Saw, with 1 doz. blades.
- 616. 2 Wrenches, Stilson, 14 inch.
- 617. 2 Wrenches, Stilson, 12 inch.
- 618. 2 Wrenches, Stilson, 18 inch.
- 619. 2 Brass Oil Cans.
- 620. 2 Washer Cutter, small.
- 621. 2 dozen Soldering Nipples, 3/4 inch, heavy brass, male.
- 622. 2 dozen Soldering Nipples, 3/4 inch, heavy brass, female.
- 623. 2 dozen Soldering Nipples, 1/2 inch, heavy brass, female.
- 624. 2 dozen Soldering Nipples, 1/2 inch, heavy brass, male.

- 625. 3 dozen Globe Valves, 3/4 inch, Jenkins.
- 626. 3 dozen Globe Valves, 1/2 inch, Jenkins.
- 627. 3 dozen Compression Draw Cocks for Iron Pipe, 3/4 inch, plain, Bibbs.
- 628. 2 dozen Compression Draw Cocks for Iron Pipe, 1/2 inch, plain, Bibbs.
- 629. 2 dozen Compression Draw Cocks for Iron Pipe, 3/4 inch, hose, Bibbs.
- 630. 2 dozen Compression Draw Cocks for Iron Pipe, 1/2 inch, hose, Bibbs.

- 631. 300 Boss Washers, 3/4 inch.
- 632. 300 Boss Washers, 1/2 inch.
- 633. 100 pounds Cook Bros. No. 1 Solder.
- 634. 24 balls Lamp Wick.
- 635. 6 dozen Fuller Washer, 3/4 inch.
- 636. 6 dozen Fuller Washer, 1/2 inch.
- 637. 1 dozen Fuller Sink Cocks, 3/4 inch.
- 638. 2 dozen Henry Huber's Self-Closing Cocks for bar in, 3/4 inch.

- 639. 1/2 dozen Common Overflow Basin Bowls.
- 640. 3 yards Canvas Rubber, 1-16 inch.
- 641. 1 dozen Brass Cleanout Screw Ferrules, 4 inch.
- 642. 1 dozen Brass Cleanout Screw Ferrules, 3 inch.
- 643. 1 dozen Brass Cleanout Screw Ferrules, 2 inch.

- 644. 6 dozen Pipe Hooks, large and small, from 3/8 to 1 inch.
- 645. 5 dozen Straps, galvanized, 1/4 inch.
- 646. 5 dozen Straps, galvanized, 3/8 inch.
- 647. 5 dozen Straps, galvanized, 1/2 inch.
- 648. 5 dozen Straps, galvanized, 3/4 inch.
- 649. 5 dozen, 1 roll, Straps, galvanized, 1 inch.
- 650. 1 roll Copper Wire for plumber's use.
- 651. 5 gallons Lard Oil.
- 652. 1 dozen Ri ketts, rubber connections, 1 1/4 inch pipe long.

- 653. 1/2 dozen Ricketts, rubber connections, 2-inch pipe long.
- 654. 3 dozen Branches T, galvanized, 3/4 x 1/2.
- 655. 1 Gas Fitter's Alcohol Torch, brass.
- 656. 1 box Nickel Plated Chain.
- 657. 100 feet Cast Iron Pipe, 5 inches, extra heavy, single hub.

- 658. 50 feet Cast Iron Pipe, 5 inches, extra heavy, double hub lengths.
- 659. 6 Branches, 5 x 4, extra heavy.
- 660. 12 Bends, 1/2, 5 inches, extra heavy.
- 661. 12 Bends, 1/2, 4 inches, extra heavy.
- 662. 12 Bends, 1/2, 3 inches, extra heavy.
- 663. 12 Bends, 1/2, 2 inches, extra heavy.
- 664. 6 Branches, T, 5 x 4, extra heavy.
- 665. 6 Branches, V, 5 x 3, extra heavy.
- 666. 12 Bends, 1/2, 3 inches, extra heavy.
- 667. 12 Bends, 1/2, 2 inches, extra heavy.
- 668. 12 Branches, T, 4 x 4, extra heavy.
- 669. 6 Vent Caps, 4 inches.
- 670. 75 feet Cast Iron Pipe, 3-inch, extra heavy, single hub.

- 671. 75 feet Cast Iron Pipe, 4-inch, extra heavy, single hub.
- 672. 30 feet Cast Iron Pipe, 3-inch, extra heavy, double hub.
- 673. 30 feet Cast Iron Pipe, 4-inch, extra heavy, double hub.
- 674. 1 Cast Iron Running Trap, 5 inches, extra heavy, with cleanout and vent.
- 675. 12 T Branches, 3/2, extra heavy.
- 676. 6 T Branches, 5/2, extra heavy.
- 677. 12 Brass Ferrules, 4 inches, extra heavy.
- 678. 6 Heavy Brass Cleanout Screw Ferrules, 4 inches.
- 679. 6 Heavy Brass Cleanout Screw Ferrules, 3 inches.

- 680. 24 Pipe Hooks, 5 inches.
- 681. 24 Pipe Hooks, 4 inches.
- 682. 24 Pipe Hooks, 3 inches.
- 683. 24 Pipe Hooks, 2 inches.
- 684. 50 feet Stove Pipe, 5-inch.
- 685. 12 Elbows, 5-inch.
- 686. 100 feet Galvanized Pipe, 2-inch.
- 687. 100 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1 1/2-inch.
- 688. 1 dozen Galvanized Elbows, 2-inch.
- 689. 1 dozen Galvanized Elbows, 1 1/2-inch.
- 690. 1 dozen T Branches, 2-inch.
- 691. 1 dozen Soldering Nipples, 2-inch, male.
- 692. 1 dozen Soldering Nipples, 1 1/2-inch, male.
- 693. 3 dozen T Branches, galvanized, 3/4 x 1/2.
- 694. 400 pounds Sheet Lead, 6-lb.
- 695. 1/2 dozen Zinc, sheets.
- 696. 1 Plumber's Sheet Iron Furnace.
- 697. 1 bale Oakum.

CLASS NO. 21.—ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES.

Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.

- 698. 600 feet Nonpareil Cork, covering 1 1/4 inches.
- 699. 100 feet Nonpareil Cork, covering 1/2 inch.
- 700. 470 feet Nonpareil Cork, covering 1 1/2 inches.
- 701. 55 feet Nonpareil Cork, covering 1 inch.
- 702. 50 feet Nonpareil Cork, covering 3/4 inch.
- 703. 2 dozen Nipples, 1 x 4 inches long.
- 704. 2 dozen Nipples, 3/4 x 4 inches long.
- 705. 2 dozen Nipples, 1/2 x 4 inches long.
- 706. 2 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 1/2 x 4 inches long.

- 707. 2 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 3/4 x 4 inches long.
- 708. 2 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 1 x 4 inches long.
- 709. 2 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 1 1/4 x 4 inches long.
- 710. 1 dozen Shoulder Nipples, 1 1/2 to 4 inches long.

- 711. 1 dozen Caps, 2-inch (shoulder).
- 712. 1 dozen Caps, 1 1/2-inch.
- 713. 1 dozen Caps, 1 1/4-inch.
- 714. 1 dozen Caps, 1-inch.
- 715. 1 dozen Caps, 3/4-inch.
- 716. 1 dozen Caps, 1/2-inch.
- 717. 1/2 dozen Asbestos Packed, Slowout Cocks.
- 718. 1 dozen Single Thread Air Cock, 1/2-inch.
- 719. 1 dozen Flame Plates, as per sample.
- 720. 4 sets Furnace Door Shields.
- 721. 1/2 dozen 2-inch Wrought Iron Flange, to be riveted to boilers.

- 722. 50 feet Double Leather Oak Tanned Belting, 1 1/4 inch.
- 723. 50 feet Double Leather Oak Tanned Belting, 2 1/4 inch.
- 724. 200 feet Cut Belt Lacing.
- 725. 2 Screw Wrenches, 6-inch.
- 726. 2 Screw Wrenches, 12-inch.
- 727. 2 Screw Wrenches, 14-inch.
- 728. 1 dozen Round Iron Bars, 3/8-inch.
- 729. 1 dozen Round Iron Bars, 1/2-inch.
- 730. 1 dozen Round Iron Bars, 3/4 inch.
- 731. 1 dozen Round Iron Bars, 1 inch.
- 732. 1/2 dozen Flat Iron Bars, 1 1/4 x 1/4.
- 733. 1/2 dozen Flat Iron Bars, 1 1/2 x 1/4.
- 734. 1/2 dozen Square Iron Bars, 3/4 inch.
- 735. 1/2 dozen Square Iron Bars, 1/2 inch.
- 736. 1/2 dozen Square Iron Bars, 3/8 inch.
- 737. 1/2 dozen Square Iron Bars, 1/4 inch.
- 738. 2 1/2 dozen Chisel Steel, 3/4 inch.
- 739. 100 pounds White Waste.

- 740. 2 dozen Unions, rough brass, 1 1/2 inch.
- 741. 1 dozen Engineer's Oil Cans, brass.
- 742. 1 dozen Engineer's Lanterns, white.
- 743. 1 Valve Stem for engine at Almshouse.
- 744. 1/2 dozen Swing Check Valves, 1/4 inch.
- 745. 1 barrel Machine Oil.
- 746. 1 Armstrong Pipe Cutting and Threading Machine to cut from 1-inch to 4-inch pipe, with adjustable nipple; chucks from 1-inch to 4-inch.

- 747. 3 gallons Axle Oil.
- 748. 200 feet Wrought Iron Steam Pipe, 3/8 inch.
- 749. 400 feet Wrought Iron Steam Pipe, 1/2 inch.
- 750. 600 feet Wrought Iron Steam Pipe, 3/4 inch.
- 751. 1,000 feet Wrought Iron Steam Pipe, 1 inch.
- 752. 600 feet Wrought Iron Steam Pipe, 1 1/4 inch.
- 753. 200 feet Wrought Iron Steam Pipe, 2 inch.
- 754. 100 feet Wrought Iron Steam Pipe, 3 inch.
- 755. 100 feet Wrought Iron Steam Pipe, 4 inch.
- 756. 200 feet Wrought Iron Steam Pipe, 1 1/2 inch.

- 757. 3 dozen Elbows, 1 1/2-inch.
- 758. 6 dozen Elbows, 1 1/2-inch.
- 759. 5 dozen Elbows, 1-inch.
- 760. 5 dozen Elbows, 3/4-inch.
- 761. 1 dozen Elbows, 2-inch.
- 762. 2 dozen Elbows, 3/4-inch.
- 763. 1 dozen Elbows, 1-inch.
- 764. 2 dozen Elbows, irregular, 1 1/2 x 1 1/4.
- 765. 2 dozen Elbows, irregular, 1 1/4 x 1.
- 766. 2 dozen Elbows, irregular, 1 x 1 1/2.
- 767. 2 dozen Elbows, irregular, 1 1/2 x 1.
- 768. 2 dozen Elbows, irregular, 1 1/4 x 3/4.
- 769. 2 dozen Tees, 2 1/2-inch.
- 770. 3 dozen Tees, 2-inch.
- 771. 2 dozen Tees, 1 1/2-inch.
- 772. 2 dozen Tees, 1 1/4-inch.
- 773. 5 dozen Tees, 3/4-inch.
- 774. 2 dozen Tees, 3/8-inch.
- 775. 1 dozen Elbows, 45 degrees, 2 1/2 inch.
- 776. 1 dozen Elbows, 45 degrees, 2 inch.
- 777. 1 dozen Elbows, 45 degrees, 1 1/2 inch.
- 778. 1 dozen Elbows, 45 degrees, 1 1/4 inch.
- 779. 1 dozen Elbows, 45 degrees, 1 1/2 inch.
- 780. 1 dozen Elbows, 45 degrees, 1 inch.
- 781. 1 dozen Elbows, 45 degrees, 3/4 inch.
- 782. 1 dozen Irregular Tees, 2 x 2 x 1 1/2.
- 783. 1 dozen Irregular Tees, 1 1/2 x 1 1/2 x 1 1/4.
- 784. 1 dozen Irregular Tees, 1 1/4 x 1 1/4 x 1.
- 785. 1 dozen Irregular Tees, 2 x 1 1/2 x 2.
- 786. 1 dozen Irregular Tees, 1 1/2 x 1 x 1 1/2.
- 787. 1 dozen Irregular Tees, 1 1/4 x 3/4 x 1 1/4.
- 788. 1 dozen Irregular Tees, 2 1/2 x 1 1/4 x 3.
- 789. 2 dozen Plugs, 2-inch.
- 790. 3 dozen Plugs, 1 1/2-inch.
- 791. 5 dozen Plugs, 1 1/4-inch.
- 792. 5 dozen Plugs, 1-inch.
- 793. 5 dozen Plugs, 3/4-inch.
- 794. 5 dozen Plugs, 3/8-inch.
- 795. 4 dozen Plugs, 3/4-inch.

- 796. 4 dozen Bushings, 1 1/2 x 1 1/4.
- 797. 7 dozen Bushings, 1 1/4 x 1.
- 798. 5 dozen Bushings, 1 x 3/4.
- 799. 5 dozen Bushings, 1 x 1/2.
- 800. 2 dozen Bushings, 1 1/2 x 1/2.
- 801. 2 dozen Bushings, 1 1/4 x 3/4.
- 802. 1 dozen Bushings, 3 x 2 1/2.
- 803. 1 dozen Bushings, 3 x 2.
- 804. 1 dozen Bushings, 2 x 1 1/4.
- 805. 1 dozen Bushings, 3/4 x 1/2.
- 806. 2 dozen Bushings, 1/2 x 3/4.
- 807. 2 dozen Bushings, 3/4 x 1/2.
- 808. 1 dozen Bushings, 2 x 1 1/2.
- 809. 1 dozen Union Flanges, 4 inches.
- 810. 1 dozen Union Flanges, 3 inches.
- 811. 1 dozen Union Flanges, 2 1/2 inches.
- 812. 1 dozen Union Flanges, 2 inches.
- 813. 3 dozen Jenkins Bros. Globe Valves, 1 inch.
- 814. 3 dozen Jenkins Bros. Globe Valves, 3/4 inch.
- 815. 2-12 dozen Jenkins Bros. Globe Valves, 2 1/2 inches.

- 816. 1 dozen Jenkins Bros. Globe Valves, 1/2 inch.

CLASS NO. 22.—FARM AND GARDEN SEEDS.

Bidder to name price on each item in this class, otherwise bid will be declared informal.

- 817. 1 peck New Bush Lima, Hendersons.
- 818. 1 peck Yosemite Mammoth Wax.
- 819. 1 pound Beet, Edmund's Blood Turnip.
- 820. 1 pound Red Onion, Wethersfield.
- 821. 1 pound White Onion, Silver Skin.
- 822. 1/2 pound Radish, Red Rocket.
- 823. 1/2 pound Radish, White Tipped Rocket.
- 824. 10 pounds Spinach, Norfolk Savoy leaved.
- 825. 10 pounds Spinach, long standing.
- 826. 1 pound Flag Leaf.
- 827. 1 pound Parsnips, Long Smooth.
- 828. 2 pounds Carrots, New York Market.
- 829. 1/2 pound Parsley, Moss Curled Champion.
- 830. 1/2 pound Pumpkin.
- 831. 1/2 pound Squash, Cream Colored Crook Neck.
- 832. 1/2 pound Cucumber, New Everbearing.
- 833. 2 ounces Celery, White Plume.
- 834. 2 ounces Celery, Golden Dwarf.
- 835. 4 ounces Cabbage, Drumhead Savoy.
- 836. 4 ounces Cabbage, Flat Dutch Late.
- 837. 16 ounces Lettuce, Mignonette.
- 838. 8 ounces Lettuce, New York.
- 839. 2 ounces Tomato, Dwarf Champion.
- 840. 2 ounces Tomato, Mikado.
- 841. 1 ounce Egg Plant, Black Pekin.
- 842. 1 package Cauliflower, "Dwarf Erfurt."
- 843. 3 bushels Red Onion Sets.
- 844. 2 bushels White Onion Sets.
- 845. 1/2 bushel Corn.
- 846. 1/2 bushel Corn.
- 847. 4 bushels Lawn Grass Seed.
- 848. 3/4 bushel Pease, Horsford's Market Garden.
- 849. 3/4 bushel Pease, Prosperity.
- 850. 1 lb. Melon Musk, Perfected Delmonico.
- 851. 1 lb. Melon, Musk, Newport.

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

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

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids are 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 110, CHAPTER 38, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate of \$1,000 or over shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or security, trust or deposit companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the 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 law, 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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

AN ADJOURNED SESSION OF THE BOARD of Trustees of the Normal College of The City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, on Wednesday, December 13, 1899, at 3.45 o'clock P. M.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, December 7, 1899.
JOSEPH J. LITTLE,
Chairman.

A. EMERSON PALMER,
Secretary.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Executive Committee for the care, etc., of the Normal College of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, until 3 o'clock P. M. on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1899,

for improving the sanitary condition of the Training Department Building, at Lexington avenue, Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS

may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Borough of Manhattan.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required when the amount of the bid is less than two thousand dollars. Whenever the bid exceeds two thousand dollars the surety for the performance of the contract shall be a fidelity or surety company authorized to transact business by the laws of the State of New York, and authorized to become surety on such contract by a resolution of its Board of Directors.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Trustees render their responsibility doubtful.

It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon or a certificate of deposit of one of the State or National Banks or Trust Companies of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Trustees, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when such proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the said Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

GEORGE M. VAN HOESEN,
RICHARD H. ADAMS,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,
JOHN GRIFFIN, M. D.,
F. DE HASS SIMONSON,
HENRY W. MAXWELL,
JOSEPH J. KITTLE,
J. EDW. SWANSTROM,
THOMAS HUNTER.

Executive Committee.

New York, December 2, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

PHILIP A. SMYTH, AUCTIONEER, WILL sell on behalf of the Board of Docks, on

An order will be given for the material purchased.
Dated November 24, 1899.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
PARK ROW BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.,
December 7, 1899.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Bridges, in the Park Row Building, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, in the Borough of Manhattan, until 3 o'clock P. M.,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899.

FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES WITH 1,200 TONS (2,000 pounds to the ton) OF STOVE-SIZE RED ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, FOR USE OF THE BRIDGES OVER THE HARLEM RIVER AND IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, DURING THE YEAR 1900.

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

Blank forms of proposals, forms of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and surety required, with any further information desired, will be furnished upon application at the office of the Department of Bridges, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN L. SHEA,
Commissioner of Bridges.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
NASSAU AND WASHINGTON STREETS,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
November 29, 1899.

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 the office of the Commissioner of Bridges in the Park Row Building, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, in the Borough of Manhattan, until 3 o'clock P. M.,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1899.

for the following work in the Borough of Brooklyn: PLACING ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT FOR THE HANDLING OF CARROLL STREET BRIDGE.

PLACING ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT FOR THE HANDLING OF WASHINGTON AVENUE BRIDGE.

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

Blank forms of proposals, forms of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and surety required, with any further information desired, will be furnished upon application at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Bridges, No. 179 Washington street, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN L. SHEA,
Commissioner of Bridges.

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 BROOKLYN.

List 5893, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and placing fences in Franklin avenue, from Third avenue to Crotona Park, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 6052, No. 2—Grading and paving Sixth avenue, from Forty-fourth street to old city line, with cobblestones.

List 6053, No. 3—Grading Sixth avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to old city line.

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 Franklin avenue, from Third avenue to Crotona Park and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Sixth avenue, from Forty-fourth street to the old city line and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Sixth avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to the old city line, 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 January 1, 1900, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD MCCUE,
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Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
December 8, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 11, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, PAINTS, OILS, LUMBER, IRON, ETC., FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, PAINTS, OILS, LUMBER, IRON, ETC., for the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, during the year 1900, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in the City of New York,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1899,

until 11 A. M., sharp. All goods to be delivered to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, free of expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

Bidders must foot up total amount of bid without fail.

Deliveries to be more or less.

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, ETC.

92. 2,000 yards Brown Sheetings.
93. 2,000 yards Blue Denim.
94. 2,000 yards Burlaps.
95. 570 gross Porcelain Buttons.
96. 72 gross Black Bone Buttons.
97. 6 gross Rubber Overcoat Buttons.
98. 25 gross large Nickel Pants Buttons.
99. 25 gross small Nickel Pants Buttons.
100. 18 gross Pants Buckles.
101. 150 dozen Spool Cotton, Clark's O. N. T., Nos. 30, 36, 40 and 50, white.
102. 150 dozen Spool Cotton, Clark's O. N. T., Nos. 30, 36, 40 and 50, black.
103. 150 yards Brown Gingham.
104. 15 dozen Men's Felt Hats.
105. 75 yards Damask Table Linen.
106. 24 yards Damask Napkins Linen.
107. 200 yards Bleached Muslin.
108. 5,000 Millward's Needles, 1 to 5 and 5 to 10.
109. 1,200 yards Farmer Satin.
110. 300 yards Sleeve Lining.
111. 400 yards Black Silesia.
112. 15 gross Men's Leather Shoe Laces.
113. 5 gross Women's Cotton Shoe Laces.
114. 1 gross Spool Silk, Button-hole Twist.
115. 1 gross White Linen Thread.
116. 1 gross Dark Blue Thread.
117. 5 dozen Uniform Straw Hats.
118. 2 dozen Tailor's Tape Measures.
119. 8 gross Collar Buttons, long shank.
120. 18 boxes Wax Tapers.
121. 50 gross Clothes Pins.
122. 2 gross Fine Combs.
123. 2 gross Coarse Combs.
124. 1 dozen Flour Sieves (fine).
125. 12 boxes each Red, White and Blue Tailor's Chrome.
126. 5 gross Lamp Chimneys.
127. 5 gross Lamp Wicks.
128. 1 gross Lantern Burners.
129. 4 dozen Lantern Globes.
130. 1 gross Lantern Wicks.
131. 50 pounds Sailmaker's Twine.
132. 300 feet Manila Rope, 13 by 16.
133. 250 feet Manila Rope, 1 inch in diameter.
134. 250 feet Garden Hose.
135. 3 Loads Sawdust.
136. 1 Cord Stick Hickory.
137. 4 Cords Stick Oak.
138. 12 sets Ring for Bramhall-Deane Co.'s Range.
139. 1 Double Block and Fall for Rope, 1 inch in diameter.

CROCKERY.

140. 6 dozen Pitchers (pints).
141. 6 dozen Pitchers (quarts).
142. 6 dozen Pitchers (2 quarts).
143. 6 dozen Pitchers (4 quarts).
144. 6 dozen Vegetable Dishes.
145. 4 dozen Butter Dishes, covered.
146. 12 dozen Dinner Plates.
147. 12 dozen Dessert Plates.
148. 2 dozen Wash Pitchers.
149. 2 dozen Wash Basins.

PAINTS, OILS, ETC.

150. 2,000 pounds, White Lead, pure in oil.
151. 100 gallons Raw Oil.
152. 100 gallons Boiled Oil.
153. 100 gallons Turpentine.
154. 3 barrels Lamb Black.
155. 3 barrels Whiting.
156. 10 gallons White Shellac.
157. 10 gallons Copal Varnish.
158. 5 gallons Light Japan Dryer.
159. 300 pounds Putty.
160. 25 pounds Yellow Ochre.
161. 25 pounds Ultra Marine Blue.
162. 10 pounds Burnt Umber, ground in oil.
163. 10 pounds Dark French Green.
164. 2 pounds Burnt Sienna.
165. 2 pounds Raw Sienna.
166. 50 gallons Benzine.
167. 60 barrels Kerosene Oil.
168. 250 gallons Crude Oil.
169. 300 gallons Machine Oil.
170. 200 gallons Cylinder Oil.
171. 50 gallons Lard Oil.
172. 3 barrels disinfectant, "Gaskells" or equal.

LUMBER, ETC.

173. 100 pieces Best White Pine Ceiling, 7/8-in. x 9-in. x 16-ft., Beaded, T. & G., D.B.S.
174. 100 pieces Best White Pine, 7/8-in. x 9-in. x 16-ft., T. & G., D.I.S.
175. 100 pieces Spruce Joist, 2-in. x 4-in. x 16-ft., dressed all sides.
176. 1,000 feet Best North Carolina Yellow Pine Flooring, 7/8-in. x 4-in., truly matched.
177. 1,000 feet Best North Carolina Yellow Pine Flooring, 1 1/4-in. x 4-in., truly matched.
178. 10 pieces Best Spruce Timber, 3-in. x 12-in. x 21-ft.
179. 10 pieces Best Spruce Timber, 3-in. x 8-in. x 21-ft., straight and true.
180. 300 feet Quartered Oak, dressed two sides, 1/4-in. thick, 8-in. wide and over.
181. 300 feet 7/8-in. Quartered Oak, D. B.S., 8-in. wide and over.
182. 300 feet 1 1/4-in. Quartered Oak, D. B.S., 8-in. wide and over.
183. 300 feet Quartered Oak, D. B.S., 2-in. thick, 8-in. wide and over.
184. 300 feet 3-in. Oak, Best Plain, D. B.S., 12-in. wide and over.
185. 300 feet 4-in. Oak, Best Plain, D. B.S., 12-in. wide and over.
186. 1,000 feet 7/8-in. Best Clear White Pine, D. B.S.
187. 1,000 feet 1 1/4-in. Best Clear White Pine, D. B.S.
188. 500 feet 3/4-in. Best Clear White Pine, D. B.S.

ENGINEERS AND PLUMBERS' SUPPLIES.

189. 6 J. L. Motts, Iron Trap Water Closets, fittings for same.
190. 10 Square Yards, 1-in. Hair Felt.
191. 2 1/4-in. Pipe Dies.
192. 2 1/4-in. Pipe Dies.
193. 2 1/4-in. Pipe Dies.
194. 2 1/4-in. Pipe Dies.
195. 2 1/4-in. Pipe Dies.
196. 2 1/4-in. Pipe Dies.
197. 1 1/4-in. Pipe Tap.
198. 1 1/4-in. Pipe Tap.
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200. 1 1/4-in. Pipe Tap.
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209. 1 1/4-in. Pipe Tap.
210. 1 1/4-in. Pipe Tap.
211. 1 1/4-in. Pipe Tap.
212. 100 pounds Light Castings.
213. 100 pounds Pipe Cement.
214. 25 pounds Albany Grease.
215. 2 1/4-in. x 6-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
216. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 8-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
217. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 6-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
218. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 4-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
219. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 8-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
220. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 6-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
221. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 4-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
222. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 6-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
223. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 4-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
224. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 4-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
225. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 2 1/2-in. Lag Screws and Washers.

226. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 3-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
227. 2 dozen 3/4-in. x 2-in. Lag Screws and Washers.
228. 1 dozen 3/4-in. Stop and Waste Cocks for Iron Pipe.
229. 1 dozen 1-in. Stop and Waste Cocks for Iron Pipe.
230. 2 dozen 3/4-in. Water Faucets for Iron Pipe, Lever Handles.
231. 1 dozen 3/4-in. Water Faucets for Iron Pipe, Lever Handles.
232. 1 dozen 4-in. Tube Brushes.
233. 1 dozen 3/4-in. Tube Brushes.
234. 3 10-in. Stilson Wrenches.
235. 3 14-in. Stilson Wrenches.
236. 3 18-in. Stilson Wrenches.
237. 3 24-in. Stilson Wrenches.
238. 12 3/4-in. by 18-in. Water Gauge Glasses for Steam Boilers.
239. 12 3/4-in. by 16-in. Water Gauge, with Washers.
240. 25 pounds Rabbit Metal.
241. 3 quires Emory Cloth, No. 00.
242. 3 quires Emory Cloth, No. 0.
243. 3 quires Emory Cloth, No. 1.
244. 25 3/4-in. by 3 1/2-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
245. 25 3/4-in. by 3 1/2-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
246. 25 3/4-in. by 4-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
247. 25 3/4-in. by 6-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
248. 25 3/4-in. by 2 1/2-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
249. 25 3/4-in. by 3 1/2-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
250. 25 3/4-in. by 4-in. Machine Bolts and Washers.
251. 3 2-in. Steam Cocks.
252. 3 1 1/2-in. Steam Cocks.
253. 3 1 1/4-in. Steam Cocks.
254. 3 1-in. Steam Cocks.
255. 1 4-in. Globe Valve.
256. 1 3-in. Globe Valve.
257. 3 2-in. Globe Valves.
258. 6 1 1/4-in. Globe Valves.
259. 6 1 1/2-in. Globe Valves.
260. 12 1-in. Globe Valves.
261. 6 3/4-in. Globe Valves.
262. 6 3/4-in. Globe Valves.
263. 6 3/4-in. Globe Valves.
264. 6 1/2-in. Globe Valves.
265. 6 1-in. Angle Valves.
266. 6 3/4-in. Angle Valves.
267. 2 1 1/4-in. Vertical Check Valves.
268. 6 3/4-in. Check Valves.
269. 6 1/2-in. Check Valves.
270. 6 4-in. by 3-in. Bushings.
271. 6 3-in. by 2-in. Bushings.
272. 6 3-in. by 2 1/2-in. Bushings.
273. 6 2 1/2-in. by 2-in. Bushings.
274. 12 2-in. by 1 1/2-in. Bushings.
275. 12 1 1/2-in. by 1 1/4-in. Bushings.
276. 12 1 1/4-in. by 1-in. Bushings.
277. 24 1-in. by 3/4-in. Bushings.
278. 24 3/4-in. by 1/2-in. Bushings.
279. 24 1/2-in. by 3/4-in. Bushings.
280. 24 1/4-in. by 1/2-in. Bushings.
281. 24 1/2-in. by 3/4-in. Bushings.
282. 12 1 1/2-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left.
283. 12 1 1/4-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left.
284. 12 1-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left.
285. 24 3/4-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left.
286. 24 3/4-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left.
287. 24 3/4-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left.
288. 24 3/4-in. Steam Couplings, Right and Left.
289. 6 Elbows, 4-in.
290. 6 Elbows, 3-in.
291. 12 Elbows, 2-in., Right.
292. 12 Elbows, 2-in., Right and Left.
293. 24 Elbows, 1 1/2-in., Right.
294. 24 Elbows, 1 1/2-in., Right and Left.
295. 24 Elbows, 1 1/4-in., Right.
296. 24 Elbows, 1 1/4-in., Right and Left.
297. 24 Elbows, 1-in., Right.
298. 24 Elbows, 1-in., Right and Left.
299. 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right.
300. 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right and Left.
301. 24 Elbows, 1/2-in., Right.
302. 24 Elbows, 1/2-in., Right and Left.
303. 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right.
304. 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right and Left.
305. 24 Elbows, 1/2-in., Right.
306. 24 Elbows, 1/2-in., Right and Left.
307. 24 Elbows, 3/4-in., Right.
308. 6 Tees, 3-in.
309. 24 Tees, 2-in.
310. 24 Tees, 1 1/2-in.
311. 24 Tees, 1 1/4-in.
312. 24 Tees, 1-in.
313. 24 Tees, 3/4-in.
314. 24 Tees, 1/2-in.
315. 24 Tees, 3/4-in.
316. 24 Tees, 1/2-in.
317. 24 Tees, 3/4-in.
318. 3 4-in. Plugs.
319. 6 3-in. Plugs.
320. 12 2-in. Plugs.
321. 12 1 1/2-in. Plugs.
322. 12 1 1/4-in. Plugs.
323. 24 1-in. Plugs.
324. 48 3/4-in. Plugs.
325. 48 1/2-in. Plugs.
326. 48 3/4-in. Plugs.
327. 48 1/2-in. Plugs.
328. 24 1/4-in. Plugs.
329. 3 4-in. Flange Unions.
330. 6 3-in. Flange Unions.
331. 12 2-in. Flange Unions.
332. 12 1 1/2-in. Flange Unions.
333. 12 1 1/4-in. Flange Unions.
334. 24 1-in. Flange Unions.
335. 12 3/4-in. Flange Unions.
336. 12 Galvanized Couplings, 2-in., Right and Left.
337. 12 Galvanized Couplings, 2-in., Right.
338. 12 Galvanized Couplings, 1 1/2-in., Right and Left.
339. 12 Galvanized Couplings, 1 1/2-in., Right.
340. 12 Galvanized Couplings, 1 1/4-in., Right and Left.
341. 12 Galvanized Couplings, 1 1/4-in., Right.
342. 12 Galvanized Couplings, 1-in., Right and Left.
343. 24 Galvanized Couplings, 1-in., Right.
344. 24 Galvanized Couplings, 3/4-in., Right and Left.
345. 24 Galvanized Couplings, 3/4-in., Right.
346. 24 Galvanized Couplings, 1/2-in., Right and Left.
347. 24 Galvanized Couplings, 1/2-in., Right.
348. 24 Galvanized Couplings, 3/4-in., Right and Left.
349. 24 Galvanized Couplings, 3/4-in., Right.
350. 6 1 1/4-in. Galvanized Unions.
351. 12 1-in. Galvanized Unions.
352. 12 3/4-in. Galvanized Unions.
353. 12 1/2-in. Galvanized Unions.
354. 12 1-in. Galvanized Unions.
355. 12 1-in. Return Bends.
356. 12 1/2-in. Return Bends.
357. 6 1 1/4-in. Headers, 4 Pipe.
358. 6 1-in. Headers, 4 Pipe.
359. 500 feet 2-in. Steam Pipe.
360. 500 feet 1 1/2-in. Steam Pipe.
361. 500 feet 1 1/4-in. Steam Pipe.
362. 1,000 feet 1-in. Steam Pipe.
363. 500 feet 3/4-in. Steam Pipe.
364. 500 feet 1/2-in. Steam Pipe.
365. 500 feet 1/4-in. Steam Pipe.
366. 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 2-in.
367. 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1 1/2-in.
368. 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1 1/4-in.
369. 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1-in.
370. 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 3/4-in.
371. 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 1/2-in.
372. 500 feet Galvanized Pipe, 3/4-in.

373. 5 pounds 2 1/2 by 4 Garlocks, Steam Packing.
374. 5 pounds 2 1/4 by 1 1/4 Garlocks, Steam Packing.
375. 30 feet 1/2-in. Square, Tucks Packing, Rubber Back.
376. 30 feet 1/4-in. Round, Tucks Packing, Rubber Core.
377. 30 feet 3/4-in. Round, Tucks Packing, Rubber Core.
378. 30 feet 1/2-in. Round, Tucks Packing, Rubber Core.
379. 3 square yards 3-16-in. Genuine Rainbow Sheet Packing.
380. 4 square yards 1/2-in. Genuine Rainbow Sheet Packing.
381. 4 square yards 1-16-in. Genuine Rainbow Sheet Packing.
382. 3 square yards 1-32-in. Genuine Rainbow Sheet Packing.
383. 12 Arch Plates.
384. 12 Furnace Door Linings.
385. 3 dozen Single Pendant Cocks, 1/4-in. by 1/2-in.
386. 1 gross Gas Pillars.
387. 1 gross Gas Taps, 6 Feet.
388. 1 gross Gas Taps, 4 Feet.
389. 6 sides Belt Lacing.
390. 12 Man Hole Gaskets, 15 by 11.
391. 12 Hand Hole Gaskets, 4 1/2 by 3.
392. 12 Hand Hole Gaskets, 5 by 3 1/2.
393. 12 Hand Hole Gaskets, 6 by 4.
394. 12 Hand Hole Gaskets, 3 1/2 by 2 1/2.
395. 6 barrels Fire Clay.
396. 200 Arch Fire Brick.
397. 600 Fire Brick.
398. CARPENTER SHOP SUPPLIES.
399. 4 dozen Axe Handles.
400. 2 pairs Lacquered, 3/4 x 3/4, Wrought Steel Loose Pin Butts.
401. 2 pairs Lacquered, 4 1/4 x 4 1/4, Wrought Steel Loose Pin Butts.
402. 2 pairs Lacquered, 2 1/2 x 2 1/2, Wrought Steel Loose Pin Butts.
403. 2 dozen 4-in. Rim Locks, 2 keys each.
404. 2 dozen 6-in. Heavy Mortise Locks, 2 keys to each. Each with 1 pair White Porcelain Knobs.
405. 100 3/4-in. x 4-in. Machine Bolts.
406. 100 3/4-in. x 4-in. Machine Bolts.
407. 100 3/4-in. x 3-in. Machine Bolts.
408. 100 3/4-in. x 3-in. Machine Bolts.
409. 100 3/4-in. x 4-in. Carriage Bolts.
410. 100 3/4-in. x 4-in. Carriage Bolts.
411. 100 3/4-in. x 3-in. Carriage Bolts.
412. 100 3/4-in. x 3-in. Carriage Bolts.
413. 4 gross 3-in. Wood Screws, No. 16.
414. 4 gross 3-in. Wood Screws, No. 12.
415. 10 gross 2-in. Wood Screws, No. 10.
416. 10 gross 2-in. Wood Screws, No. 8.
417. 10 gross 2-in. Wood Screws, No. 6.
418. 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 10.
419. 10 gross 1 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 8.
420. 10 gross 1 1/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 10.
421. 10 gross 1 1/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 8.
422. 10 gross 1 1/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 6.
423. 10 gross 1 1/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 4.
424. 10 gross 1 1/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 12.
425. 10 gross 1 1/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 10.
426. 10 gross 1 1/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 8.
427. 10 gross 1 1/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 6.
428. 10 gross 1 1/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 4.
429. 10 gross 1-in. Wood Screws, No. 12.
430. 10 gross 1-in. Wood Screws, No. 10.
431. 10 gross 1-in. Wood Screws, No. 8.
432. 10 gross 1-in. Wood Screws, No. 6.
433. 10 gross 1-in. Wood Screws, No. 4.
434. 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 10.
435. 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 8.
436. 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 6.
437. 10 gross 3/4-in. Wood Screws, No. 4.
438. 10 gross 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 6.
439. 10 gross 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 4.
440. 10 gross 1/2-in. Wood Screws, No. 3.
441. 10 pounds 8-oz. Blued Carpet Tacks.
442. 10 pounds 6-oz. Blued Carpet Tacks.
443. 10 pounds 4-oz. Blued Carpet Tacks.
444. 10 pounds 2-oz. Blued Carpet Tacks.
445. TIN SHOP SUPPLIES.
446. 6 boxes, 14 by 22 inches, XX English Bright Plate Tin.
447. 3 boxes, 14 by 22 inches, X English Bright Plate Tin.
448. 25 boxes, 14 by 20 inches, Merchant's Old Method Roofing Tin.
449. 100 pounds 16-oz. Sheet Tinned Copper, in sheets, 3 feet by 5 feet.
450. 2 Pigs Block Tin.
451. 2 Pigs Lead.
452. 100 pounds Zinc, 30 inches wide, in one roll.
453. 5 bundles Galvanized Iron, 2 feet 6 inches by 8 inches, No. 26.
454. 2 bundles Galvanized Iron, 2 feet 6 inches by 8 inches, No. 28.
455. 3 bundles Galvanized Iron, 2 feet 6 inches by 8 inches, No. 24.
456. 3 bundles Galvanized Iron, 2 feet 6 inches by 8 inches, No. 20.
457. 2 bundles Galvanized Iron, 2 feet 6 inches by 8 inches, No. 18.
458. 3 bundles Electro Plate Copper Wire, No. 10.
459. 2 bundles Electro Plate Copper Wire, No. 6.
460. 1 bundle Electro Plate Copper Wire, No. 12.
461. 2 bundles Electro Plate Copper Wire, No. 14.
462. 1 bundle Galvanized Wire, No. 6.
463. 1 bundle Tinned Wire, No. 12.
464. 2 rings Copper Wire, No. 14.
465. 3 pounds 8-oz. Tinned Rivets.
466. 3 pounds 12-oz. Tinned Rivets.
467. 3 pounds 1-lb. Tinned Rivets.
468. 3 pounds 1 1/2-lb. Tinned Rivets.
469. 3 pounds 2-lb. Tinned Rivets.
470. 3 pounds 4-lb. Tinned Rivets.
471. 3 pounds 8-lb. Tinned Rivets.
472. 5 pounds 16-lb. Tinned Rivets.
473. 3 pounds 3/4-in. Rivets with Burrs.
474. 1 set Solid Punches.
475. 1 set Cast Shank Round Punches.
476. 1 set Rivet Sets and Headers.
477. 1/2 dozen Scratch Awls.
478. 1 Improved Tin Roofing Folder.
479. 1 Side Cutting Solid Steel Pliers, with 5 by 7 Cutters.
480. 3 pairs Wing Dividers, 6 inch., 12 inch., 18 inch. long.
481. 1 pair No. 0 Improved Cutting Nippers.
482. 2 pairs No. 80 Roofing Shears, Hand Cut, 3 1/2 inch.
483. 1 pair Newtown's Patent Circular Shears, with 2 pairs of dies each, 2 1/2 by 5 1/4 inch, in diameter, to cut circles from 3 to 14 inch, in diameter.
484. BLACKSMITHS' SHOP AND STABLE.
485. 10 bars Flat Iron, 1/4 by 1 inch.
486. 10 bars Flat Iron, 1/2 by 2 inch.
487. 10 bars Flat Iron, 1/2 by 2 1/4 inch.
488. 10 bars Round Iron, 3/4 inch.
489. 10 bars Round Iron, 1/2 inch.
490. 10 bars Round Iron, 3/4 inch.
491. 10 bars Round Iron, 1/2 inch.
492. 10 bars Round Iron, 3/4 inch.
493. 100 barrels Portland Cement.
494. 100 barrels Saylor's or Atlas Cement.
495. 25 barrels Finishing Lump Lime.
496. 2 Barrels Plaster.
No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars. Awards will be made on the lowest items.
No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or

contractors; to be delivered in installments, as required, except such as are designated in the specifications.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods, etc., for the Kings County Penitentiary," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Correction, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 him, or his 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, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or James J. Kirwin, Deputy Commissioner, Room 22 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX,
December 11, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, HARDWARE,
PAINTS, LEATHER AND MISCELLANEOUS
ARTICLES FOR YEAR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Dry Goods, Hardware, Paints, Leather and Miscellaneous Articles during the year 1900, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M. Thursday, December 28, 1899.

All goods to be delivered on dock foot of Twenty-ninth street, for Blackwell's Island Storehouse, and quantities allowed as received by storekeeper.

Bidders must foot up total amount of bid without fail.

Deliveries to be more or less—

- DRY GOODS, ETC.
- 215 gross Coar Buttons.
 - 960 gross Suspender Buttons.
 - 600 gross Brace Buttons.
 - 600 gross Pants Buckles.
 - 600 yards 18-inch Bunting, Red, White and Blue.
 - 40 dozen Women's Wool Hoods.
 - 800 yards Huckabuck Toweling.
 - 300 yards Unbleached Table Linen.
 - 35,000 yards 4-4 Brown Muslin.
 - 8,000 yards 4-4 Bandage Muslin (Utica C).
 - 800 yards 4-4 Bleached Muslin (Anchor Brand).
 - 1,200 yards 8-4 Bleached Muslin (Anchor Brand).
 - 10 pieces Oiled Muslin.
 - 6 dozen Linen Napkins.
 - 50 Rubber Coats (Assorted Sizes).
 - 75 pairs Rubber Boots (Assorted Sizes).
 - 50 Oilskin Suits with Hats.
 - 1,600 yards No. 4 24-inch Cotton Duck.
 - 25,000 yards Ticking.
 - 11,150 yards Awning Stripes.
 - 50 packs Pins.
 - 10 gross Safety Pins, No. 3.
 - 10 gross Safety Pins, No. 2.
 - 100 pounds Black Linen Thread, No. 30 (skeins).
 - 370 pounds Black Linen Machine Thread, No. 50 (Barbour's).
 - 200 pounds Wd. Brown Linen Thread, No. 50 (Barbour's).
 - 200 dozen White Basting Cotton, No. 30.
 - 100 dozen Fine Combs.
 - 150 dozen Plantation Combs, 6 1/2 by 1 1/4.
 - 90 dozen Spectacles (Assorted).
 - 125 gross 5-4 Cotton Shoe Laces.
 - 200 bunches 5-4 Leather Shoe Laces.
 - 200 dozen O. N. T. Spool Cotton, No. 36 (100 white, 100 black).
- HARDWARE.
- 6 dozen Peg Awl Hafts.
 - 10 dozen Pick Axes.
 - 4 dozen Can Openers.
 - 5 reams Sandpaper (Assorted).
 - 30 dozen 14-inch F. B. Files.
 - 10 dozen 14-inch 1/2-round Files.
 - 9 dozen 3-inch Taper Saw Files.
 - 9 dozen 4-inch Taper Saw Files.
 - 8 dozen Glass Cutters.
 - 2 dozen Hay Forks.
 - 5 kegs 6d. Cut Nails.
 - 15 kegs 8d. Cut Nails.
 - 15 kegs 10d. Cut Nails.
 - 1 keg 30d. Cut Nails.
 - 2 kegs 40d. Cut Nails.
 - 5 kegs 6d. Finishing Nails.
 - 2 kegs 8d. Wire Nails.
 - 3 boxes Horseshoe Nails, Nos. 1-7, 1-8, 1-9.
 - 150 Stone Breaker's Hammers.
 - 4 dozen Garden Hoes.
 - 24 Axe Handles.
 - 200 Sledge Handles.
 - 300 Pick Axe Handles.
 - 10 Striking Hammer Handles.
 - 80 dozen Combined Mop and Scrub Handles.
 - 2 dozen Butcher Knives.
 - 9 dozen Iron Padlocks, W 2 Keys.
 - 9 dozen Sand Stones.
 - 6 dozen S. y. Stone.
 - 3 dozen Barber's Shears.
 - 5 dozen Scissors 8-inch Trimmers.
 - 200 dozen Table Spoons.
 - 10 dozen Tea Spoons.
 - 10 dozen Scrop Shovels, No. 4.
 - 43 dozen Flat Shovels, No. 2.
 - 5 dozen Spades.
 - 10 kegs Horseshoes F. & H. 2 each Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7.
 - 300 gross Screws (Assorted).
 - 5 dozen W. & B. Razors, No. 753.
 - 200 2-foot Carpenter's Rules.
 - 3 dozen Hay Rakes.
 - 5 dozen Garden Rakes.
 - 4 dozen Ward Thermometers.
 - 10 dozen Papers Lined Tacks (Assorted).
- OILS, PAINTS, ETC.
- 135 barrels Kerosene Oil.
 - 5 barrels Raw Linseed Oil.
 - 2 barrels Cylinder Oil.
 - 1 barrel Engine Oil.
 - 1 barrel Lard Oil.
 - 1 barrel Machine Oil.
 - 1 barrel Neatsfoot Oil.
 - 9 barrels Marine Journal Oil.
 - 1 barrel Signal Oil.
 - 35 barrels Turpentine.
 - 33,000 pounds White Lead in Oil.
 - 4,000 pounds Prince's Metallic Paint, Dry.
 - 100 pounds Prussian Blue in Oil, 20 one-pound, 10 two-pound, 12 five-pound cans.
 - 200 pounds Venetian Red in Oil, 25 one-pound, 25 two-pound, 25 five-pound cans.
 - 300 pounds Indian Red in Oil, 25 one-pound, 50 two-pound, 15 five-pound cans.
 - 100 pounds Burnt Sienna in Oil, 20 one-pound, 10 two-pound, 12 five-pound cans.
 - 100 pounds Raw Sienna in Oil, 20 one-pound, 10 two-pound, 12 five-pound cans.
 - 300 pounds Chrome Green in Oil, 25 one-pound, 50 two-pound, 35 five-pound cans.
 - 100 pounds Chrome Yellow in Oil, 20 one-pound, 10 two-pound, 12 five-pound cans.
 - 50 pounds Emerald Green in Oil, 10 one-pound, 20 two-pound, 4 five-pound cans.
 - 200 pounds French Yellow Ochre in Oil, 25 one-pound, 25 two-pound, 25 five-pound cans.
 - 150 pounds Burnt Umber in Oil, 20 one-pound, 20 two-pound, 18 five-pound cans.
 - 100 pounds Raw Umber in Oil, 20 one-pound, 10 two-pound, 12 five-pound cans.
 - 150 pounds Drop Black in Oil, 20 one-pound, 20 two-pound, 18 five-pound cans.
 - 100 pounds Patent Drier in Oil, 20 one-pound, 10 two-pound, 12 five-pound cans.
 - 1 barrel Japan Drier.
 - 1 barrel Liquid Drier.
 - 100 pounds of Lampblack "Dry."
 - 200 barrels Whiting.
 - 40 barrels Chloride of Lime.
 - 150 barrels Charcoal.
- BRUSHES.
- 3 dozen Feather Dusters.
 - 50 dozen W. G. Saucers.
 - 50 dozen W. G. Pitchers (3-quart).
 - 50 dozen W. G. Dinner Plates.
 - 3 dozen W. G. Meat Platters.
 - 3 dozen Male Urinals.
- LEATHER AND FINDINGS.
- 250 pounds Shoe Tacks, 2-ounce.
 - 200 pounds Shoe Tacks, 2 1/2-ounce.
 - 25 boxes Shoe Eyelets (10,000 each box).
 - 600 pounds 6/8 Iron Shoe Nails.
 - 300 pounds 5/8 Swede Shoe Nails.
 - 200 pounds 6/8 Swede Shoe Nails.
 - 200 pounds 7/8 Swede Shoe Nails.
 - 300 pounds 4 1/2 Brass Corrugated Shoe Nails.
 - 300 pounds 5/8 Brass Corrugated Shoe Nails.
 - 300 pounds 6/8 Brass Corrugated Shoe Nails.
 - 300 pounds 7/8 Brass Corrugated Shoe Nails.
 - 50 pounds Shoe Wax.
 - 100 pounds Beeswax.
 - 32 ounces Shoe Brakes.
 - 30 dozen Shoe Ink (Champion).
 - 32 pounds Shoe Thread, No. 12, Barbour's.
 - 15,000 feet Waxed Upper Leather.
 - 5,000 feet Waxed Kip Leather.

- 25,000 pounds Sole Leather.
 - 5,000 pounds Offal Leather.
 - 4 sides Harness Leather.
- MISCELLANEOUS.
- 80 dozen Cotton Mops.
 - 50 gross Safety Matches (Vulcan).
 - 80 gross Clothes Pins.
 - 8 cases Toilet Paper, 100 rolls in each case, 1,000 sheets to roll.
 - 25 dozen Wooden Pails.
 - 1,000 pounds Wrapping Paper.
 - 500 boxes Polishing Paste (Turpentine).
 - 300 pounds Black Lead.
 - 6 dozen Wash Boards.
 - 525 pounds Frazier's Axle Grease, 25-pound pails.
 - 24 dozen Carpenter's Pencils.
 - 25 Chamois Skins.
 - 300 pounds Calcimine Glue.
 - 300 pounds Resin.
 - 60 coils 9-thread Manila Rope.
 - 15 coils 15-thread Manila Rope.
 - 3 coils 2 1/2-inch Manila Rope.
 - 3 coils 3-inch Manila Rope.
 - 3 coils 3 1/2-inch Manila Rope.
 - 3 coils 4-inch Manila Rope.
 - 2 coils 4 1/2-inch Manila Rope.
 - 3 coils 5 1/2-inch Manila Rope, soft laid.
 - 300 pounds Cotton Cord.
 - 400 pounds Sail Twine.
 - 40 sheets Zinc, 40 by 84 inches.
 - 1,500 pounds Solder, 1/2 by 1/2.
 - 20 boxes X Tin, 14 inches by 20 inches.
 - 20 boxes XX Tin, 14 inches by 20 inches.
 - 12 boxes XXX Tin, 14 inches by 20 inches.
 - 40 boxes Roofing Tin, 14 inches by 20 inches.
 - 25 bundles Galvanized Iron, No. 24, 24 inches by 84 inches.
 - 10 bundles Galvanized Iron, No. 26, 30 inches by 84 inches.
 - 15 bundles R. G. Iron, No. 24, 24 inches by 84 inches.
 - 10 bundles R. G. Iron, No. 26, 30 inches by 84 inches.
 - 10 stones Bright Brush Wire.
 - 10 stones Bright Broom Wire.
 - 14 bundles Bright Iron Wire (Assorted).
 - 15 bales Broom Corn.
 - 72 cords Wood (stick pine).
- All goods to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1900, free of expense. No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars. Awards will be made on the lowest items.
- THE COMMISSIONER OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 419, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.
- No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.
- The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
- Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.
- Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article.
- Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.
- Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.
- No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.
- Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, or his 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, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
December 4, 1899.

BID MUST BE MADE COLLECTIVELY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Ice during the year 1900, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M. of

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899.

To be delivered on Blackwell's Island, Hart's Island and Riker's Island, and weight allowed as received there.

1,600 tons Prime Quality Ice (2,000 lbs to the ton). The ice to be delivered as called for at Blackwell's Island, Hart's Island and Riker's Island, free of all expense to the Department, and the same not to be less than 10 inches thick and of prime quality. Weight to be paid for as received at Blackwell's Island, Hart's Island or Riker's Island.

250 tons (more or less) prime quality ice (2,000 lbs. to the ton).

The ice to be delivered as called for to the following Institutions, free of all expense to the Department, and the same not to be less than 10 inches thick and of prime quality. Weight to be paid for as received by the different institutions. Deliveries to be billed monthly.

Central Office.
City Prison.
Second District Prison.
Third District Prison.
Fourth District Prison.
Fifth District Prison.
Seventh District Prison.

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

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Thirty-five Hundred (35,000) Dollars.

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

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

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

neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLYING GAS TO KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, FOR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR GAS WILL be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899,
until 11 A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Supplying Gas to Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent.

All bids to be at the rate of so much per 1,000 cubic feet.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIFTEEN HUNDRED (\$1,500) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, security or trust companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is 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 Seventy-five Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

Blank forms of proposal can be obtained at the office of General Bookkeeper and Auditor, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE ELECTRIC CURRENT NECESSARY TO SUPPLY THE ELECTRIC LIGHTS OF THE CITY PRISON FOR THE YEAR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ELECTRIC current to supply electric lights will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, in The City of New York, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899,
until 11 A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for furnishing the Electric Current, etc., for City Prison for year 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner or his duly authorized agent.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of Fifteen Hundred (\$1,500) Dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, security or trust companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is 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 Seventy-five Dollars being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Payment will be made by requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained at the office of General Bookkeeper and Auditor, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR GAS FOR CITY PRISONS, ETC., UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GAS for the following Prisons, etc.: City Prison, Second District, Third District, Fourth District, Fifth District and Seventh District Prisons; also Central Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street, will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899,
until 11 A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Supplying Gas for the Department of Correction Institutions in New York City for the year 1900," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent.

All bids to be at the rate of so much per 1,000 cubic feet.

THE COMMISSIONER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE

PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained at the office of General Bookkeeper and Auditor, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, December 4, 1899.

FOR TELEPHONE SERVICE FOR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR TELEPHONE service for the Department of Correction, will be received at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899,
until 11 A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Telephone Service for year 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$2,500).

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

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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 One Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars, 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 be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Payments will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained at the office of General Bookkeeper and Auditor, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLYING GAS ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND FOR THE CORRECTION INSTITUTIONS, 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR GAS will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899,
until 11 A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Supplying Gas on Blackwell's Island for the Correction Institutions for the year 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner or his duly authorized agent.

All bids to be at the rate of so much per 1,000 cubic feet.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800).

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, security or trust companies, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is 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 Ninety Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained at the office of General Bookkeeper and Auditor, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
NEW YORK, December 4, 1899.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING 12,000 loaves, more or less, of Vienna Bread, to be of the best quality and to be delivered to the various Correction Institutions daily, as called for, each loaf to average 1½ pounds each, deliveries to be billed monthly during the year 1900, in conformity with samples or specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899.
To be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1900.

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

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

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.

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner, Department of Correction.

NEW YORK, December 4, 1899.
PROPOSALS FOR 2,500 POUNDS, MORE OR LESS, OF COMPRESSED YEAST. Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing and delivering free of all expense, at the Bakeshop, Blackwell's Island, Compressed Yeast. Bids will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899,
at 11 o'clock A. M., the said Yeast to be delivered as required during the year 1900.

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

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the names and places 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.

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

The quality of the Yeast must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the Yeast, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 4, 1899.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ICE FOR 1900, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR 250 tons prime quality ICE, 2,000 pounds to the ton, not to be less than 12 inches thick, for Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn. will be received at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899,
until 11 o'clock A. M.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of Six Hundred (600) Dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or security, or trust or deposit companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is 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 thirty dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner of Correction.

been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City; also James J. Kurwin, Deputy Commissioner, Room No. 22, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, WITH COMPRESSED YEAST FOR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING 500 pounds, more or less, Compressed Yeast, in 1-pound packages, to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, at 11 A. M., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899.

All goods to be delivered to the Kings County Penitentiary free of expense and as required during the year 1900.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

No bonds required when bids amount to less than One Thousand Dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX,
November 29, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR WHISKEY AND BRANDY TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

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

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1899.

All goods to be delivered to Dr. Charles A. Rice, Chemist, Department of Public Charities, at the General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, east of First avenue.

4 barrels Pure Rye Whiskey, copper-distilled, two-stamp, not less than four years old from date of warehouse entry stamp, to be consigned by bill of lading to the Department of Correction. Upon its arrival in the City at the terminal of the Transportation Company, the contractor is to notify the Department, which will provide for its cartage. All expenses, except cartage from terminal, to be borne by contractor. A gauger's certificate is to accompany the bill. Price per proof gallon.

25 gallons (more or less, California Brandy, not less than four years old, in quantities of 4½ gallons, as required. Price per proof gallon.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

MEATS.

PROPOSALS FOR ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED FOR THE YEAR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING all the Meats required for the year 1900 to the Department of Correction, in the City and County of New York, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M.,

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899,

and to be as follows, viz.:

750,000 pounds, more or less, of beef.

Deliveries to be 5 forequarters to 3 hindquarters.

To be of good merchantable quality well fattened native steer beef, New York State dressed, forequarters not to weigh less than 185 pounds, hindquarters not to weigh less than 155 pounds.

No Bull or Cow Beef will be received.

150,000 pounds more or less of Mutton by the carcass to weigh not less than 45 nor more than 60 pounds.

No Bucks or stags will be received.

4,000 pounds more or less of Veal by the carcass to weigh not less than 100 pounds nor more than 150 pounds.

All to be more or less.

ALL BEEF, MUTTON AND VEAL USED BY THIS DEPARTMENT TO BE FROM ANIMALS KILLED AND DRESSED IN NEW YORK STATE.

See specifications for full details.

Deliveries to be free of all expense.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1899," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in The City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWENTY THOUSAND (\$20,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the articles 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 One Thousand Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, November 27, 1899.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner, Department of Correction.

PROPOSALS FOR 1,000 TONS WHITE ASH COAL, 2,240 POUNDS TO THE TON FOR THE YEAR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING 1,000 tons Coal for the year ending December 31, 1900, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 1,000 Tons Coal for the year 1900," and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and

that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

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

Dated New York, November 27, 1899.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,

CITY OF NEW YORK,

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,

NEW YORK, November 23, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Groceries, Provisions, etc., during the year 1900, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1899.

All goods to be delivered on Dock (foot of East Twentieth street), for Blackwell's Island Storehouse, free of all expense, and weights allowed as received at Storehouse.

Bidders must foot up total amount of bid without fail.

1. 20 pounds Ground Allspice.
2. 13,000 pounds Bologna Sausage.
3. 16,000 pounds Barley No. 3.
4. 14,000 pounds Fine Butter, known as Western Extra Creamery or Fancy State Creamery.
5. 100 pounds Powdered Borax.
6. 1,400 pounds Bacon, prime quality, City Cured, to average 6 pounds to piece.
7. 600 bushels Dried Beans, not older than crop of 1899, and to weigh 62 lbs. net to the bushel.
8. 10 dozen Bon Ami.
9. 160 dozen Tomato Catsup.
10. 4 dozen Canned Cherries.
11. 40 dozen Canned Corn.
12. 10 dozen Canned Peas.
13. 20 dozen Canned Peaches.
14. 20 dozen Canned Sardines.
15. 12 dozen Canned Salmon.
16. 60 dozen Canned Tomatoes.
17. 125 dozen Chow-chow.
18. 150 Quintals, prime quality, Grand Bank Codfish to be perfectly cured, and to average not less than 5 pounds each. To be delivered in boxes of 4 quintals each.
19. 60 barrels Soda Biscuits (empty barrels to be returned).
20. 3,700 pounds Cheese State Factory full Cream Fine and bearing State Brand stenciled on box.
21. 100 pounds Cocoa in 1-lb. packages.
22. 20 pounds Ground Cinnamon.
23. 20 pounds Ground Cloves.
24. 25 pounds Chocolate (Baker's, in 1-pound packages).
25. 10,000 pounds Rio Coffee (roasted).
26. 5,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee (roasted).
27. 45,000 pounds Broken Coffee (roasted).
28. 5,000 pounds Chocory.
29. 500 pounds Dried Currants.
30. 50 pounds Citron.
31. 8,000 dozen Eggs are to be fresh and candled at time of delivery, to be furnished in cases of usual size.
32. 35 dozen Extract of Lemon.
33. 40 dozen Extract of Vanilla.
34. 3,600 barrels No. 1 Flour, as per sample.
35. 3,400 barrels No. 2 Flour, as per sample.

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the committee on floor of the Exchange, that the flour offered is equal

to the standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor; also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery. Flour will be received in barrels only.

7,000 empty barrels to be returned to and delivered from Pier foot East Twentieth street, and the price at which said empty barrels are awarded to the contractor to be deducted from the price of the flour.

36. 30 barrels Pillsbury Best Flour.
37. 100 pounds Farina in 1-pound packages.
38. 10,500 pounds Hams, prime quality, City Cured, to average 14 pounds to a ham.
39. 35,000 pounds Currant Jelly in 30-pound pails.
40. 12 dozen Currant Jelly.
41. 3,000 pounds Prime Kettle Rendered Lard in packages of 50 pounds each.
42. 56 boxes Lemons.
43. 100 pounds Macaroni (1-pound packages).
44. 600 pounds Fine Meal.
45. 300 pounds Pure Mustard.
46. 20 pounds Nutmeg.
47. 10 dozen Best Olive Oil (quarts).
48. 20,000 pounds Oatmeal.
49. 800 pounds Whole Pepper (sifted).
50. 100 pounds Ground Pepper (pure in 1/4-pound tins).
51. 600 bushels Peas, not older than crop of 1899, and to weigh 60 pounds net to the bushel.
52. 4,000 pounds Prunes.
53. 3,000 barrels White Potatoes to be good, sound, fair size, and to weigh 172 lbs. net to the barrel, empty barrels or sacks to be returned.
54. 12 barrels Pickles, 40 gallon barrel, 2,000 to the barrel, empty barrels to be returned.
55. 10,000 pounds Rice.
56. 40 boxes Raisins.
57. 120 dozen Worcestershire Sauce (L. & P.).
58. 60 dozen Sea Foam.
59. 60 dozen Sapolio, "Morgan's."
60. 25,000 pounds Brown Sugar, "Standard."
61. 27,000 pounds Granulated Sugar, "Standard."
62. 1,000 pounds Cut-Loaf Sugar, "Standard."
63. 600 pounds Powdered Sugar, "Standard."
64. 250 barrels Prime Quality American Salt in barrels, 300 pounds net.
65. 600 pounds Rock Salt.
66. 300 barrels Syrup.
67. 60,000 pounds Brown Soap, of the grade known to trade as "Commercially Pure Scented Family Soap," to be delivered within 90 days after the award has been made. The soap to be delivered in boxes holding about 80 pounds, and the weight to be determined on its arrival at the Storehouse, Blackwell's Island, an average tare being placed upon the weight of twenty boxes selected at random from each delivery. The soap must be free from added carbonate of soda, silicate of soda, mineral soap stock, or other foreign material. It must be of good firmness, soluble in ten parts alcohol of ninety-four per cent., and contain not more than thirty three per cent of water. Empty soap boxes to be returned and the price bid for same to be deducted from bills by the contractor.

68. 60 dozen Ivory Soap.
69. 25 dozen Toilet Soap.
70. 800 pounds Corn Starch, 1-pound packages.
71. 2,000 pounds Laundry Starch.
72. 5,500 pounds Oolong Tea, Black, in half chests, free from all admixtures and in original packages.
73. 3,500 pounds Fine Oolong Black Tea, in half chests, free from all admixtures and in original packages.
74. 500 pounds Fine Green Tea, in half chests, free from all admixtures and in original packages.
75. 1,050 pounds Smoked Tongues, prime quality, City Cured, to average 6 pounds to each tongue.
76. 400 pounds Tapioca.
77. 6,000 pounds Plug Tobacco, 1-ounce pieces.
78. 400 pounds Smoking Tobacco, 2-ounce pieces.
79. 500 barrels Malt Vinegar, prime quality, empty barrels to be returned.
80. 120 barrels Sal Soda, prime quality, about 340 pounds to barrel.
81. 800 barrels Onions (150 pounds to the barrel). Empty barrels to be returned.
82. 800 barrels Turnips (White and Russia), 135 pounds to the barrel. Empty barrels to be returned.
83. 500 barrels Carrots (150 pounds to the barrel). Empty barrels to be returned.
84. 25,000 heads of Cabbage, good size and solid heads. Empty barrels to be returned.
85. 1,700 pounds Bran (empty bags to be returned).
86. 135,000 pounds A No. 1 Timothy Hay, weight allowed as received on B. I.
87. 40,000 pounds Long Bright Rye Straw, weight allowed as received on B. I.
88. 4,000 bushels No. 1 Oats 32 pounds net to the bushel, empty bags to be returned.
89. 16,000 pounds Coarse Meal.

All goods to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1899, free of expense.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner, Department of Correction.

CONDENSED COWS' MILK.

PROPOSALS FOR CONDENSED COWS' MILK, 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING 24,000 quarts, more or less, Condensed Cows' Milk for the year 1900, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 24,000 Quarts Condensed Cows' Milk, 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.

Each 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.

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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 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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Dated New York, November 27, 1899.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

FRESH COWS' MILK.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH COWS' MILK FOR THE YEAR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING 50,000 quarts, more or less, Fresh Cows' Milk for the year ending December 31, 1900, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 50,000 quarts Fresh Cows' Milk for the year 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.

Each 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.

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Dated New York, November 27, 1899.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

TEN THOUSAND TONS COAL.

PROPOSALS FOR TEN THOUSAND (10,000) TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL FOR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Department of Correction, during the year 1900, as may be required, and in accordance with the specifications ten thousand (10,000) tons (2,240 pounds each) of White Ash Coal, consisting of grate or broken, egg and stove coal; deliveries to be made to Blackwell's, Riker's and Hart's Islands alongside, free of all expense and no allowance for demurrage (see specifications for full details), will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 10,000 Tons of White Ash Coal," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND (10,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or trust or security companies, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the articles 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 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment or other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, November 27, 1899.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, November 27, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR CONDENSED AND FRESH COWS' MILK FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, FOR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, with 9,000 quarts Condensed and 6,000 quarts Fresh Cows' Milk during the year 1900, as per contract and specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department. Quantities allowed as received at the Kings County Penitentiary.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899,

at 11 A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Condensed and Fresh Cows' Milk for 1900 for the Kings County Penitentiary," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of EIGHT HUNDRED (800) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or trust or security companies, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the Condensed and Fresh Cows' Milk 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 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications and showing the manner of payment and other details, can be obtained at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or Deputy Commissioner of Brooklyn, James J. Kirwin, Room 22, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are especially cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

FISH

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH FISH, ETC., FOR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING during the year ending December 31, 1900 the following Fresh Fish, etc.:

Common Fish	100,000 pounds.
Boston Steak Cod	5,000 "
Blue Fish	2,000 "
Black Fish	1,000 "
Fresh Mackerel, No. 1	1,000 "
Halibut	5,000 "
Shad	3,000 "
Smelts	1,000 "
Salmon Trout	5,000 "
Flounders	2,000 "
White Fish	2,000 "
Sea Bass	2,000 "
Lobsters	1,000 "
Hard Clams	30,000 "
Soft Clams	2,000 "
Box Oysters	10,000 "
"Culls"	20,000 "
Scallops	200 quarts.

All to be more or less (see specifications for full details), will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Fish, etc., for the year ending December 31, 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in The City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded; to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of the Department of Correction, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWO THOUSAND (2,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or trust or security companies, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the Fresh Fish, etc., 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 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

Bidders will 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, from time to time as the Commissioner may determine.

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

Dated New York, November 27, 1899.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, November 23, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC., FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY (BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN), 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Groceries, Provisions, etc., for the Kings County Penitentiary (Borough of Brooklyn), during the year 1900, in conformity with Samples and Specifications, will be received at the office of The Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1899,
at 11 A. M. sharp.

All goods to be delivered to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, free of expense, and quantities allowed as received there.

Bidders must foot up total amount of bid without fail.

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC.

1. 15 pounds Allspice.
2. 800 pounds Barley, No. 3.
3. 200 pounds Baking Powder (Royal).
4. 4,000 pounds Butter, known as Western Extra Creamery or Fancy State Creamery.
5. 1,500 pounds Bacon, prime quality City Cured, to average 7 pounds each.
6. 28,000 pounds Beans, not older than the crop of 1899.
7. 25 pounds Ground Cinnamon.
8. 1,800 pounds Cheese, State Factory, full cream, fine, and bearing State Brand stenciled on box.
9. 150 pounds Corn Starch (1 pound Packages).
10. 15 pounds Cloves.
11. 100 pounds Dried Currants.
12. 16,000 pounds Rio Coffee (roasted).
13. 4,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee (roasted).
14. 75 barrels Cracker. (Empty barrels to be returned.)
15. 150 dozen Canned Corn.
16. 150 dozen Canned Peas.
17. 150 dozen Canned Peaches.
18. 150 dozen Canned Pears.
19. 50 dozen Canned Salmon.
20. 625 dozen Canned Tomatoes.
21. 30 dozen Chili Sauce.
22. 1,500 dozen Eggs, are to be fresh and candled at time of delivery, to be furnished in cases of usual size.
23. 5,200 pounds Ham, prime quality, City cured, to average 14 pounds each.
24. 7,500 pounds Currant Jelly (in 30-pound pails).
25. 6,500 pounds Lard Prime Kettle rendered, in packages of about 50 pounds each.
26. 30 pounds Ground Ginger.
27. 12 dozen Gelatine.
28. 100 dozen Thyme.
29. 6 dozen Extract of Lemon.
30. 6 dozen Extract of Vanilla.
31. 150 barrels Pillsbury's Best Flour.
32. 250 barrels No. 1 Flour.
33. 250 barrels No. 2 Flour.

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange, that the Flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of Flour; the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor; also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery. Flour will be received in barrels only.

500 empty barrels to be returned to and delivered from Kings County Penitentiary, and the price at which said empty barrels are awarded to the contractor to be deducted from the price of the Flour.

34. 75 pounds Pure Mustard.
35. 5 pounds Nutmegs.
36. 600 pounds Prunes.
37. 12 boxes Raisins.
38. 13,000 pounds Rolled Oats.
39. 250 pounds Ground Pepper (pure in 1/4 pound tins).
40. 125 sacks Salt (Fine).
41. 40 bushels Salt (coarse).
42. 1,800 pounds Rice.
43. 40,000 pounds Granulated Sugar (Standard).
44. 4,000 pounds Powdered Sugar (Standard).
45. 600 gallons Syrup.
46. 4,000 pounds Oolong Tea, Black, in 1/2 chests, free from all admixtures and in original packages.
47. 10 dozen Olive Oil.
48. 500 gallons Malt Vinegar, prime quality, empty barrels to be returned.
49. 50 barrels Apples, good and sound.
50. 13,000 heads Cabbage, good size and solid heads.
51. 20 bushels Cranberries.
52. 260 dozen Lemons.
53. 32,000 pounds Onions.
54. 6,000 bushels White Potatoes, to be good, sound, fair size, 60 pounds to bushel, empty barrels or sacks to be returned.
55. 75 bushels Sweet Potatoes, to be good, sound, fair size.
56. 15,000 pounds Turnips (White and Russia).
57. 100 pounds Salspeter.
58. 2 dozen Bath Brick.
59. 3 barrels Chloride of Lime.
60. 15 pounds Indigo.
61. 60 bags Charcoal.
62. 50 barrels Sal Soda, prime quality, about 340 pounds each.
63. 48 dozen Sapolio (Morgan's).
64. 240 pounds Laundry Starch.
65. 200 pounds Castile Soap.
66. 3,000 pounds Laundry soap, of the grade known to the trade as "Commercially Pure settled Family Soap," to be delivered within 90 days after the award has been made. The soap to be delivered in boxes holding about 80 pounds, and the weight to be determined on its arrival at the Kings County Penitentiary, an average tare being based upon the weight of twenty boxes selected at random from each delivery. The soap must be free from added carbonate of soda, silicate of soda, mineral soap stock, or other foreign material. It must be of good firmness, soluble in ten parts alcohol of ninety-four per cent., and contain not more than thirty-three per cent. of water. Empty soap boxes to be returned and the price bid for same to be deducted from bills by the contractor.

67. 8,000 pounds Soap Chips.
68. 200 pounds Plug Sulphur.
69. 4,000 pounds Plug Tobacco.
70. 20,000 pounds Best English Hay, weight allowed as received at Kings County Penitentiary.
71. 12,000 pounds Rye Straw, long, bright, tare not to exceed 3 pounds per bale, weight allowed as received at Kings County Penitentiary.

72. 200 bushels No. 1 Oats, bags to be returned.
73. 50 Bags Wheat Bran (50 pounds to bag).
74. 24 cakes Stove Polish.
75. 24 boxes Shoe Blacking.
76. 25 boxes Tanglefoot Fly Paper.
77. 32,000 pounds, more or less, Salt Pork, in barrels, including barrels, cooperage, salting and packing, of a grade known as "Family Mess."
78. 8,000 pounds Bologna Sausage.

Goods to be delivered as required during the year 1900.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors; to be delivered in installments, as required, except such as are designated in the specifications.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioner may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, or James J. Kirwin, Deputy Commissioner, No. 22 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, November 27, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR 2,000 TONS PEA COAL, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, with 2,000 tons Pea Coal, during the year 1900, as per contract and specifications. All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department. Weights allowed as received at the Kings County Penitentiary.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899,

until 11 A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 2,000 tons Pea Coal, for the Kings County Penitentiary, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of THREE THOUSAND (3,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, or Deputy Commissioner of Brooklyn, James J. Kirwin, Room 22, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, November 27, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR FISH, ETC., FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, FOR 1900.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, with Fish, etc., consisting of

- 300 pounds Boston Steak Cod.
- 300 pounds Blue Fish.
- 300 pounds Black Mackerel.
- 3,000 pounds Salt Mackerel, No. 1.
- 300 pounds Halibut.
- 500 pounds Shad.
- 300 pounds Smelts.
- 400 pounds Salmon Trout.
- 300 pounds Flounders.
- 200 pounds White Fish.
- 300 pounds Sea Bass.
- 165,000 Hard Clams.
- 67,000 Oysters, medium size.

—all more or less, during the year 1900, as per contract specifications. All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department, and weights allowed as received at the Kings County Penitentiary.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899,

at 11 A. M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Fish, etc., for the Kings County Penitentiary, for the year ending December 31, 1900," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in The City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE THOUSAND (1,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or trust or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the Fresh Fish, etc., 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 Fifty Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and other details, can be obtained at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or James J. Kirwin, Deputy Commissioner of Brooklyn, Room 22, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, November 27, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MEATS FOR 1900, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, with MEATS during the year 1900, as per contract and specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department, and weights allowed as received by the Kings County Penitentiary.

150,000 pounds, more or less, of beef.
Deliveries to be 5 forequarters to a hindquarters.
To be of good merchantable quality of well-fatted native steer beef. New York State dressed forequarters to weigh not less than 185 pounds, and hindquarters to weigh not less than 155 pounds.

No Bull or Cow Beef will be received,
30,000 pounds more or less of mutton, by the carcass, to weigh not less than 45 nor more than 60 pounds.

No Bucks or stags will be received.
All to be more or less.
See specifications for full details.

ALL BEEF, MUTTON AND VEAL USED BY THIS DEPARTMENT TO BE FROM ANIMALS KILLED AND DRESSED IN NEW YORK STATE.

Deliveries to be free of all expense. Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899,

at 11 o'clock A. M. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1899 for the Kings County Penitentiary," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent of said Department, and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.

Any bidder for this contract must furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, 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 SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and at office of Deputy Commissioner of Brooklyn, James J. Kirwin, Room 22, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, DECEMBER 4, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR DESTRUCTION AND BANNISHMENT OF ALL ROACHES AND WATER BUGS FROM THE INSTITUTIONS OF THIS DEPARTMENT MENTIONED DURING THE YEAR 1900.

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ABOVE-mentioned work at the institutions as named, viz.: City Prison, Franklin and Centre streets, N. Y. Second District Prison, Tenth street and Sixth avenue, N. Y. Third District Prison, Essex, near Grand street, N. Y.

Fourth District Prison, Fifty-seventh street, near Third avenue, N. Y. Fifth District Prison, One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Sylvan place, N. Y. Seventh District Prison, Fifty-third street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, N. Y. Workhouse on Blackwell's Island. Storehouse, Blackwell's Island. Butcher Shop, Blackwell's Island. Penitentiary on Blackwell's Island. Kings County Penitentiary, Brooklyn, N. Y. —and all small buildings connected with these institutions, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M.,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899,

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Destruction and Bannishment of All Roaches and Water-bugs, etc., etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

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

FRANCIS J. LANTY,
Commissioner.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

AN ADJOURNED SESSION OF THE BOARD of Trustees of the College of The City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, on Wednesday, December 13, 1899, at 3.30 o'clock P. M.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 7, 1899.
JOSEPH J. LITTLE,
Chairman.

A. EMERSON PALMER,
Secretary.

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

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of

"damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in The City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in The City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, April 17, 1899.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
WARREN W. FOSTER,
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, December 8, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, in Room No. 1601, until 11 o'clock A. M.,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1612, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, at the hour above-mentioned.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS, VIZ.:

No. 1.
AGATE COURT, Atlantic avenue to 150 feet north.
ALICE COURT, Atlantic avenue to 150 feet north.
BERKLEY PLACE, Fourth avenue and Sixth avenue.
CLINTON AVENUE, Myrtle avenue and Fulton street.
CUMBERLAND STREET, Park avenue and Myrtle avenue.
EIGHTH AVENUE, Flatbush avenue and Linc in place.
FIRST STREET, Seventh to Eighth avenue.
GARDEN PLACE, State street and Joralemon street.
GATES AVENUE, Vanderbilt avenue and Waverley place.
GATES AVENUE, Classon avenue and Franklin avenue.
GREENE AVENUE, Bedford avenue and Nostrand avenue.
HANCOCK STREET, Nostrand avenue to Throop avenue.
HICKS STREET, Montague and Joralemon streets.
JEFFERSON AVENUE, Nostrand avenue to Tompkins avenue.
LINCOLN PLACE, Fifth to Sixth avenue.
REMSEN STREET, Clinton and Court streets.
SIXTH AVENUE, Atlantic avenue and Flatbush avenue.
SIXTH AVENUE, Union street and Garfield place.
SYDNEY PLACE, Joralemon street and Livington street.
ST. JAMES PLACE, Gates avenue and Fulton street.
ST. MARK'S PLACE, Fifth avenue to Vanderbilt avenue.
STERLING PLACE, Fifth and Sixth avenues.
WILLOUGHBY AVENUE, Washington Park and 100 feet east.
WYCKOFF STREET, Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

No. 2.
BALTIC STREET, Clinton street and Henry street.
BERKLEY PLACE, Sixth avenue and Plaza street.
CLIFTON PLACE, St. James place and 150 feet east.
CLINTON AVENUE, Fulton street and Atlantic avenue.
COLUMBIA HEIGHTS, Orange street and Pineapple street.
EIGHTH AVENUE, Lincoln place and Union street.
FIRST PLACE, Henry street to Court street.
FLATBUSH AVENUE, Brighton Beach Tunnel to Paedegat.
GRAND AVENUE, Willoughby avenue and 340 feet south.
HARRISON STREET, Clinton street and Strong place.
LAFAYETTE AVENUE, St. James place and Ryerson street.
LEE AVENUE, Ross street and Rodney street.
LINCOLN PLACE, Sixth avenue and Plaza street.
LIVINGSTON STREET, Clinton street to Boerum place.
PARK PLACE, Sixth avenue to Vanderbilt avenue.
RED HOOK LANE, Fulton street and Livingtons street.
ROSS STREET, Bedford avenue and 120 feet west.
RYERSON STREET, Willoughby avenue and Lafayette avenue.
SEVENTH AVENUE, Flatbush avenue and Twelfth street.
SIXTH AVENUE, Flatbush avenue and Union street.
ST. JAMES PLACE, Lafayette avenue and Gates avenue.

No. 3.
BEDFORD AVENUE, Division avenue to Hayward street.
BEDFORD AVENUE, DeKalb avenue to Quincy street.
BEDFORD AVENUE, Atlantic avenue to St. Mark's avenue.
BREVOORT PLACE, Franklin avenue to Bedford avenue.
DIVISION AVENUE, Bedford avenue to Lee avenue.
HENRY STREET, Montague street to Fourth place.
JORALEMON STREET, Hicks street to Court street.
PIERREPONT STREET, Fulton street to 50 feet west of Willow street.
SCHERMERHORN STREET, Clinton street to Court street.

No. 4.
CLINTON STREET, Pierrepont street and Atlantic avenue.
CUMBERLAND STREET, DeKalb to Atlantic avenue.
FLATBUSH AVENUE, west side, Fifth avenue and Seventh avenue.
SCHERMERHORN STREET, Nevins street and Flatbush avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF BEDFORD AVENUE, from Quincy street to Atlantic avenue.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Third to Lexington avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING WADSWORTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Eleventh avenue.

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 be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of 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. 1601, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, December 7, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, in Room No. 1601, until 11 o'clock A. M.,

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1612, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, at the hour above-mentioned.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF BEDFORD AVENUE, from Heyward street to DeKalb avenue.

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. 1636, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, December 8, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1899, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read.

For the following works in the

Borough of The Bronx.

- No. 1. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN VALENTINE AVENUE, from Fordham road to East One Hundred and Ninety-second street.
No. 2. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN CLINTON PLACE, between Aqueduct avenue, East, and Jerome avenue.

Borough of Brooklyn.

- No. 3. SEWER IN BLEECKER STREET, between Wyckoff avenue and St. Nicholas avenue.
No. 4. SEWER IN BLAKE AVENUE, between Hinsdale street and Snediker avenue; SNEDIKER AVENUE, between Sutter avenue and a point 227 feet south of Blake avenue.
No. 5. THE REPAIRING OF SEWERS IN WARREN STREET, from Bond street to Smith street; in SMITH STREET, from Warren street to Atlantic avenue; in HOYT STREET, from Warren street to Pacific street, and in WYCKOFF STREET, from Smith street to Court street.

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

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

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

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

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

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

JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, December 1, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1899, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read.

For the following works in the

Borough of Manhattan.

- No. 1. SEWER IN SEVENTH AVENUE, WEST SIDE, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets, connecting with sewer in One Hundred and Forty-third street.

Borough of The Bronx.

- No. 2. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, from existing sewer in

River avenue to Walton avenue, and in Walton avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

- No. 3. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN CRANE STREET, from Concord avenue to Robbins avenue, and in ROBBINS AVENUE, from St. Joseph's street to Dater street.

Borough of Brooklyn.

- No. 4. SEWERS IN REID AVENUE, from Putnam avenue to DeKalb avenue, in STUYVESANT AVENUE, between Greene and Gates avenues, and in MONROE STREET, between Ralph and Patchen avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained as to the Borough of Manhattan, at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, 13 to 21 Park row; as to the Borough of Brooklyn, in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, and as to the Borough of The Bronx, in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third Avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 4, 1899.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1899, AT 10 o'clock A.M., the Department of Sewers will sell at public auction, by Philip A. Smyth, Auctioneer, the following articles, viz:

Rubber boots, scrap iron, broken locks, oak pails, iron pails, shovels, mauls, pick handles, lanterns, oil cans, fire-hose, horses, wagons, harness and whips.

The sale will be held at the Corporation Yard, No. 567 Mount Hope place, Borough of The Bronx.

TERMS OF SALE:

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of the articles by the purchaser or purchasers within five days after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to remove the articles within the time specified, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the articles purchased.

JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 4, 1899.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1899, AT 2 o'clock P.M., the Department of Sewers will sell at public auction, by Philip A. Smyth, Auctioneer, the following articles, viz:

Cast-iron scrap, 1 spring box wagon, old brass cylinder lining and piston rods, oil cans, 1 sheet-iron truck car, iron oval tub, old hose and 1 horse.

The sale will be held at the Sewer Repair Yard, North Portland avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and then at Sewage Disposal Station, No. 2, Coney Island.

TERMS OF SALE:

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of the articles by the purchaser or purchasers within five days after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to remove the articles within the time specified, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the articles purchased.

JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,
No. 2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 8, 1899.

PROPOSALS TO FURNISH THE COURTS AND DEPARTMENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK WITH BLANK, PRINTED OR LITHOGRAPHED BOOKS, DOCKETS, LIBERS, BINDING COVERS, BINDING, ETC., FOR 1900.

TO BOOKBINDERS AND STATIONERS.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE City Government with Blank, Printed or Litho-

graphed Books, Dockets, Libers, etc., will be received at this office until 12 M. on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1899,

at or about which time said estimates will be publicly opened and read at a meeting of the Board of City Record, to be held in the Mayor's office.

Each person making an estimate shall inclose it in a sealed envelope, sealed with sealing wax, marked "Estimate for Furnishing Blank Books, etc.," and with his name and the date of its presentation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person 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 preliminary security required, and in the proposals stated, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. A guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, may sign the said consent in place of householders or freeholders. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of The City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

The amount of security required upon the execution of the contract will be in each case fifty per cent. of the estimated cost of the articles awarded to each contractor. The amount of preliminary security to be given until such award shall be not less than three per centum nor more than five per centum of the amount of the bond required.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of the said three per centum or five per centum. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the Supervisor of the City Record, 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 Supervisor 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 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 bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he accepts but does not execute the contract and give the proper security, he shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised as aforesaid, as provided by law.

No estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation, and no estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person not having at the time of making his estimate full, suitable and sufficient facilities for performing the work specified in his estimate.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the undersigned city officers to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

A contract will be made with the lowest bidder for the books required by any Court or Department, or for any item in the specifications involving an expenditure of more than five hundred dollars, or for any item or items for which the Board of City Record may decide to let a separate contract or contracts. Bidders must therefore give not only their bids by items, but also the aggregate bid for the work for any department or departments on which bids are offered.

The making and delivery of all the books must be completed within one hundred and twenty days from the execution of the contract, unless delayed by the Courts, Departments, or Bureaus. They must be made and delivered in the order to be prescribed by the Supervisor of the City Record, to the end that the immediate needs of the Departments shall be supplied.

For particulars of the quantities of books required resort must be had to the specifications on file in the office of the Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, or to be procured from the Supervisor of the City Record, No. 2 City Hall.

By order of

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,

Mayor;

JOHN WHALEN,

Corporation Counsel;

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.

WM. A. BUTLER,
Supervisor of the City Record.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,
No. 2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 7, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING AND DISTRIBUTING THE CITY RECORD.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR PRINTING, folding, binding and distributing the CITY RECORD for one year from January 2, 1900, in accordance with specifications filed in the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, City Hall, New York, will be received in the office of the Supervisor until 12 o'clock M., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1899,

at or about which time they will be publicly opened and read in the office of The Mayor of The City of New York. The award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and his place of business, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other 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 work, and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be made in strict conformity to the ordinances of the city and the specifications; it must be verified by the oath of the party making the same, accompanied by the consent and oath or affirmation of two sureties, householders or freeholders of The City of New York, and placed in a sealed envelope. A guaranty or surety company, duly authorized by law to act as surety, may sign the said consent in place of householders or freeholders. The envelope must be indorsed "Estimate for Printing and Distributing the CITY RECORD," together with the name and place of business of the party making the estimate, and the date of its presentation. The security required on the contract will be Thirty-seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the Supervisor of the City Record or Clerk who has charge of the estimate box, at the office of the CITY RECORD, No. 2 City Hall, 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 RECORD to be a paper in size and general form like the publication of 1899, and to contain such matter only as is authorized and required by law to be published therein, and at the times and in the manner required by the present laws, and matter that may be required during the year by any new or amended laws.

A contract will not be made upon an estimate unless it appears that the party making the estimate has a printing establishment, with adequate facilities, in The City of New York.

The undersigned officers reserve the right to reject any or all proposals if, in their judgment, the same may be for the best interests of the City.

Copies of the specifications and the form of contract to be entered into may be had at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, No. 2 City Hall.

By order of

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,

Mayor,

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller,

JOHN WHALEN,

Corporation Counsel.

WM. A. BUTLER,
Supervisor of the City Record.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York will sell at public auction, under the direction of Peter F. Meyer & Co., Auctioneers, the following described buildings now standing within the purchase line of the New Croton Reservoir.

Sale to commence at Pine's Bridge at 10.30 o'clock A.M.

Parcel No.	DESCRIPTION.	FORMER OWNER.	Minimum Price.	LOCALITY.
169	House.....	C. Seeley.....	\$30 00	Kitchawan.
	Barn.....	".....	"	"
157	House.....	Solis Vantine.....	15 00	"
	Barn.....	".....	5 00	"
	W o o d - house.....	".....	"	"
143	House.....	M. Connolly.....	30 00	Pine's Bridge
	".....	".....	"	"
	Barn.....	".....	10 00	"
144	House.....	Mrs. Crawford.....	15 00	"
66	House.....	Silas Tompkins.....	35 00	Huntersville
	Barn.....	".....	"	"
	Cow-house.....	".....	"	"
	W a g o n - house.....	".....	"	"
	Wash-house.....	".....	"	"
	W o o d - house and pig-pen.....	".....	"	"
65	House.....	J. M. Tompkins.....	35 00	"
	Barn.....	".....	"	"
	Cow-house.....	".....	"	"
	Took house.....	".....	"	"
	T e n a n t - house.....	".....	"	"
58	House.....	Phoebe Tompkins.....	20 00	"
	W a g o n - house.....	".....	"	"
	Ice-house.....	".....	5 00	"
59	House.....	Sarah Green.....	5 00	"
	Chick e n - house.....	".....	"	"
303	Barn.....	Geo. Teed.....	10 00	"
	Ice-house.....	".....	"	"
39	House.....	Mrs. H. G. Tompkins.....	10 00	Dixie valley.
	Barn.....	Mrs. H. G. Tompkins.....	5 00	Dixie valley.
64	House and barn.....	Heirs Jas. Wilson.....	10 00	Huntersville

TERMS OF SALE.

First—The purchase money must be paid on the day of sale.

Second—The buildings will be sold to the stone foundations.

Third—The buildings must be moved off the City's property by April 1, 1900.

Fourth—No building will be sold for less than the minimum price given in the CITY RECORD and in the posters.

Fifth—The buildings must be moved to new sites which are at least two hundred and fifty feet from the Croton river or any of its affluents or any drain emptying therein.

Sixth—If any building or part of the same is left on the property of The City of New York on or after the first day of April, 1900, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the buildings or any part of building so left, and also

to the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale, and the Aqueduct Commissioners may at any time on or after the 1st day of April, 1900, resell said buildings or parts of buildings or remove or destroy the same.

The Aqueduct Commissioners reserve the right to exclude from such sale any building or buildings that may be designated by the Division Engineer.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of The City of New York.

JOHN J. RYAN, President.
HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1899.

THE SALE TO COMMENCE AT 10 O'CLOCK A.M.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York will sell at public auction, under the direction of Peter F. Meyer & Co., Auctioneers, in the Engineer's Office at Katonah, Westchester County, N. Y., the following-described buildings now standing within the purchase line of the New Croton Reservoir:

Parcel No.	FORMER OWNER.	DESCRIPTION.	Minimum Price.
510 W.	Edward B. Brady.	Stable and shed	\$5 00
	"	Carriage house	5 00
	"	Corn-crib and store-house	5 00
498	Antoinette Turner	Dwelling	15 00
405	Niles F. Smith.	"	30 00
236	M. E. Church.	Barn	5 00
228	"	Dwelling	325 00
218	"	Shed	10 00
	"	Church, including organ, and all fixtures	650 00
133	John Mullhall.	Shed	15 00
	"	Dwelling	2 00
	"	Shed	1 00

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, November 28, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 21 Park Row, in Room No. 1536, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1899.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department at the hour above-mentioned.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN BOULEVARD AND PARK AVENUE, AND IN EIGHTY-SIXTH, EIGHTY-FIFTH AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREETS, AND IN TRANSVERSE ROAD NO. 3, ACROSS CENTRAL PARK.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY WITH TAPS, CALKING YARN, LEAD, SHOVELS, COMPOSITION AND IRON CASTINGS, FIRE-HYDRANT CAPS AND NOZZLES.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, HAY, STRAW, OATS, FEED, OIL MEAL AND CORN MEAL.

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 WATER SUPPLY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTEREST 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. 1521.

WILLIAM DALTON,
Commissioner of Water Supply.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

AN ORDINANCE granting to the Fort George and Eleventh Avenue Railroad Company the right or franchise to construct and operate a street surface railroad in, upon and along certain streets, avenues, parkways and highways in The City of New York.

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

WHEREAS, THE FORT GEORGE AND ELEVENTH AVENUE RAILROAD COMPANY has duly presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, by presenting and filing with each house thereof, its application, in writing, for a grant of the franchise or right to use the streets, avenues, parkways and highways in The City of New York, hereinafter mentioned, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad in or upon the surface of the same; and

Whereas, The said Municipal Assembly, by resolution adopted November 22, 1898, approved by the Mayor on the 5th day of December, 1898, gave public notice of such application, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber, in the City Hall of The City of New York, on the 22d day of December, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, such application of said railroad company would be first considered and a public hearing had thereon, which notice was published daily for at least fourteen days prior to the hearing, in two daily newspapers published in The City of New York, viz., in the "New York World" and in the "New York Journal and Advertiser," which papers were first designated, in writing, by the Mayor of said City, on the said 5th day of December, 1898; and

Whereas, After public notice given as aforesaid and a public hearing duly held in pursuance of such notice, whereat all persons so desiring were given an opportunity to be heard and were heard, such application was first considered by the Railroad Committees of both houses of said Municipal Assembly;

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York hereby grants to the Fort George and Eleventh Avenue Railroad Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and franchise to use the streets, avenues, parkways and highways of the city, and to construct, maintain and operate a double-track street surface railroad in and upon the following streets, avenues, parkways and highways, viz.:

Commencing at the intersection of One Hundred and Thirtieth street and the Boulevard, or Eleventh avenue, now known as Broadway, and connecting there with the railroad of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company at present constructed on the Boulevard; running thence northerly along said Boulevard, or Eleventh avenue, now known as Broadway, to the intersection of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and Eleventh avenue, including that portion of the Boulevard or Eleventh avenue, now known as Broadway, which is situated between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, which was also known as the Boulevard Lafayette; and also from the junction of said Boulevard, or Eleventh avenue, now known as Broadway, with One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; running thence easterly through, upon and along One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to the Harlem river; all in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, together with the necessary connections, switches, sidings and turnouts required for the accommodation and operation of said railroad.

Sec. 2. The grant of said franchise or right to use said streets, avenues, parkways and highways, is made subject to the following conditions:

First—That the said right, privilege and franchise to construct and operate its said railway shall be held and enjoyed by said railroad company, its lessee or successors, for the term of twenty-five years with the privilege of a renewal of said grant for the further period of twenty-five years upon a fair revaluation of the right, such revaluation to be of the right, privilege and franchise to maintain and operate said railroad by itself, and not to include any value derived from the ownership, control or operation of any other railroad, line or tracks by the grantee, its successors or assigns; provided, however, that the consent of the owners of one-half in value of the property bounded on such streets, avenues, parkways and highways shall be first obtained, or in lieu thereof the favorable determination of three Commissioners, approved by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, that such railroad should be constructed and operated.

Second—Upon the termination of the said franchise or right, whether original or renewed, there shall be a fair valuation of the plant and property of the grantee in the streets, avenues, parkways and highways aforesaid, with its appurtenances, and the said plant and property shall be and become the property of the City on the termination of the grant on paying the grantee such valuation. Such payment shall be at a fair valuation of the said plant and property as property, excluding any value derived from the franchise.

Third—The mode of determining the valuations and revaluations herein provided for shall be as follows: One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the railroad company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder; the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the valuations and revaluations aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least sixty days prior to the expiration of the grant, or of the renewal hereof, and their report shall be filed with the Comptroller of the City not more than thirty days thereafter. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators; they may base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigation without the presence of either party; they shall have the right to examine the books of the railroad company. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties.

Fourth—The said Fort George and Eleventh Avenue Railroad Company shall for and during the first five years after the commencement of the operation of any portion of its railroad annually, on November 1st, pay into the treasury of the City, to the credit of the Sinking Fund thereof, three per cent. of its gross receipts for and during the year ending September 30th next preceding; and after the expiration of such five years make a like annual payment into the treasury of the City to the credit of the same fund, of five per cent. of its gross receipts, as required by section 95 of the Railroad Law.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment having among other things made inquiry and determined said above mentioned percentage to be inadequate, and on December 8th, 1899, fixed and adopted as the money value of said privileges or franchises, as follows:

Four per centum of the gross receipts during the first five years of operation;

Six per centum of the gross receipts during the second five years of operation;

Eight per centum of the gross receipts during the third five years of operation, and

Ten per centum of the gross receipts during the remaining years of operation.

The said Fort George and Eleventh Avenue Railroad Company in addition to the percentages first herein set forth, as required to be paid by the Railroad Law, after commencement of the operation of any portion of its railroad, shall pay into the treasury of the City, to the credit of the Sinking Fund, percentages of its gross receipts as follows:

For and during the first five years one per cent. of such gross receipts.

For and during the second five years one per cent. of such gross receipts.

For and during the third five years three per cent. of such gross receipts, and thereafter five per cent. of such gross receipts.

That but one fare shall be exacted for passage over the railroad constructed under this grant and over the lines of any railroad system operated in connection therewith, and that the gross receipts from joint business shall be divided in the proportion that the length of said railroad operated hereunder shall bear to the entire length of the railroad system which shall be operated in connection therewith, and of the railroad to be constructed thereunder.

Fifth—The said railroad may be operated by underground electrical power substantially similar to the system of underground electrical traction now in use on the railroads in Second, Sixth, Eighth, Lenox and Madison avenues in this city, and by any other move power except locomotive steam power, which may be approved by the Board of Railroad Commissioners and consented to by the owners of property, in accordance with the provisions of the Railroad Law.

Sixth—The said railroad shall be constructed and maintained subject to the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Highways and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, of The City of New York, in all matters with respect to which said Commissioners are respectively invested with the power of regulation and control by the Charter of said city.

Sec. 3. The said grant is also upon the further conditions, namely:

First—The said railroad shall be constructed and operated in the latest improved manner of street railway construction, and the railroad and property of said company shall be maintained in good condition throughout the full term of this grant.

Second—The rate of fare for any passenger upon said railroad shall be five cents; and said company shall not charge any passenger more than said sum for one continuous ride from any point on its road or any road, line or branch operated by it or under its control, to any point thereon or any connecting branch thereof within the limits of The City of New York. The cars on said railroad shall be run as often as the public convenience may require.

Third—The said railroad company shall apply to each car a proper tender and wheel-guard conformably to such laws and ordinances as may hereafter be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities.

Fourth—All cars of said railroad company shall be heated during cold weather conformably to such laws and ordinances as are now in force or may hereafter be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, and each car shall be well lighted either by the Pintsch gas system or by electricity, or by some system of lighting equally efficient.

Fifth—In case of any violation or breach of or failure to comply with any of the provisions of this section, this grant may be forfeited by suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten days to the said railroad company.

Sec. 4. This grant is also upon the further and expressed condition that the provisions of article IV. of the Railroad Law applicable thereto be complied with.

Sec. 5. The said company shall at all times keep the street between its tracks and for a distance of two feet beyond the rails upon either side thereof free and clear from ice and snow.

Sec. 6. The said railroad company, so long as it shall continue to use any of its tracks upon said streets, avenues or public places, shall have and keep in permanent repair that portion of such streets, avenues and public places between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and two feet in width outside of its tracks, under the supervision of the proper local authorities and whenever required by them to do so and in such manner as they may prescribe.

Sec. 7. This grant is also upon the further condition that if the right to construct and operate a railway on the Boulevard now known as Broadway, between Manhattan street and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, shall also be acquired by any other railroad company under a grant for which application was pending on the 22d day of November, 1898, such other company shall have an equal right in and to the railway tracks constructed thereon and to the structure appurtenant to the tracks, upon paying one-half of the cost of construction; the said companies to adjust and arrange their respective rights and interests in said property and the ownership thereof as they may deem most beneficial to their interest and convenient for the operation of their respective railroads, it being the intent and purpose of this provision to restrict the number of tracks on said portion of the Boulevard now known as Broadway to two, allowing, however, to each company its separate slot and conduit construction with necessary switches and connections.

Sec. 8. This grant shall not become operative unless, within ten days after the passage thereof, the said railroad company shall duly execute under its corporate seal an instrument in writing, wherein said company shall promise, covenant and agree on its part and behalf to pay the compensation and to conform to, abide by and perform all the conditions and requirements in this ordinance fixed and contained, and file the same in the office of the Comptroller of The City of New York.

Sec. 9. This ordinance shall take effect immediately. Published in accordance with resolution adopted by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York on the 5th day of December, 1899, and approved by his Honor the Mayor on the same day.

P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

AN ORDINANCE granting to the Kingsbridge Railway Company the right or franchise to construct and operate a street surface railroad in, upon and along certain streets, avenues, parkways and highways in The City of New York.

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

WHEREAS, THE KINGSBRIDGE RAILWAY COMPANY has duly presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, by presenting and filing with each house thereof, its application, in writing, for a grant of the franchise or right to use the

streets, avenues, parkways and highways in The City of New York, hereinafter mentioned, and for the construction, maintenance and operation of a double-track street surface railroad in or upon the surface of the same; and

Whereas, The said Municipal Assembly, by resolution adopted November 22, 1898, approved by the Mayor on the 5th day of December, 1898, gave public notice of such application, and that at the Councilmanic Chamber, in the City Hall of The City of New York, on the 22d day of December, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, such application of said Railway Company would be first considered and a public hearing had thereon, which notice was published daily for at least fourteen days prior to the hearing, in two daily newspapers published in The City of New York, viz., in the "New York World" and in the "New York Journal and Advertiser," which papers were first designated, in writing, by the Mayor of said city on the said 5th day of December, 1898; and

Whereas, After public notice given as aforesaid, and a public hearing duly held in pursuance of such notice, whereat all persons so desiring were given an opportunity to be heard, and were heard, such application was first considered by the Railroad Committees of both houses of said Municipal Assembly;

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York hereby grants to the Kingsbridge Railway Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and franchise to use the streets, avenues, parkways and highways of the city, and to construct, maintain and operate a double track street surface railroad in and upon the following streets, avenues, parkways and highways, viz.:

Commencing at the intersection of the southerly side of Manhattan street and the Boulevard, or Eleventh avenue, now known as Broadway, and running thence with double tracks through, along and upon said Boulevard or Eleventh avenue, now known as Broadway, to the Kingsbridge road or near One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, including that portion of the Boulevard or Eleventh avenue, now known as Broadway, which is situated between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, which was also known as the Boulevard Lafayette, and connecting with the proposed tracks on the Kingsbridge road and Broadway.

Also commencing at the junction of the Kingsbridge road and the easterly side of Amsterdam avenue at or near One Hundred and Sixty-second street and extending thence with double tracks through, along and upon the Kingsbridge road to its intersection with Broadway at or near One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and extending thence with double tracks through, along and upon said Broadway upon the bridge over the Harlem Ship canal and upon the proposed bridge, when constructed, over Spuyten Duyvil creek to the northernmost point of intersection of West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street (formerly known as Riverdale avenue) with Broadway; thence westerly from the junction of Broadway with Two Hundred and Thirtieth street (formerly known as Riverdale avenue), through, along and upon West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street (formerly known as Riverdale avenue), to Riverdale avenue; thence northerly through, along and upon Riverdale avenue to the northerly boundary line of The City of New York; together with the necessary connections, switches, sidings and turnouts required for the accommodation and operation of said railway.

Sec. 2. The grant of said franchise or right to use said streets, avenues, parkways and highways, is made subject to the following conditions:

First—That the said right, privilege and franchise to construct and operate its said railway shall be held and enjoyed by said railway company, its lessee or successors, for the term of twenty-five years with a privilege of a renewal of said grant for the further period of twenty-five years upon a fair revaluation of the right, such revaluation to be of the right, privilege and franchise to maintain and operate said railroad by itself, and not to include any value derived from the ownership, control or operation of any other railroad, line or tracks by the grantee, its successors or assigns; provided, however, that the consent of the owners of one-half in value of the property bounded on such streets, avenues, parkways and highways shall be first obtained, or in lieu thereof, the favorable determination of three commissioners, approved by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, that such railroad should be constructed and operated.

Second—Upon the termination of the said franchise or right, whether original or renewed, there shall be a fair valuation of the plant and property of the grantee in the streets, avenues, parkways and highways aforesaid with its appurtenances, and the said plant and property shall be and become the property of the city on the termination of the grant on paying the grantee such valuation. Such payment shall be at a fair valuation of the said plant and property as property, excluding any value derived from the franchise.

Third—The mode of determining the valuations and revaluations herein provided for shall be as follows: One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the railway company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder; the three so chosen shall act as appraisers, and shall make the valuations and revaluations aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least sixty days prior to the expiration of the grant, or of the renewal thereof, and their report shall be filed with the Comptroller of the City not more than thirty days thereafter. They shall act as appraisers, and not as arbitrators; they may base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigation without the presence of either party; they shall have the right to examine the books of the railway company. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties.

Fourth—The said Kingsbridge Railway Company shall for and during the first five years after the commencement of the operation of any portion of its railroad annually, on November 1st, pay into the treasury of the City, to the credit of the sinking fund thereof, three per cent. of its gross receipts for and during the year ending September 30th next preceding; and after the expiration of such five years make a like annual payment into the treasury of the City to the credit of the same fund, of five per cent. of its gross receipts, as required by section 95 of the Railroad Law.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment having, among other things, made inquiry and determined said above mentioned percentage to be inadequate, and on December 5th, 1899, fixed and adopted as the money value of said privileges or franchises as follows:

Four per centum of the gross receipts during the first five years of operation;

Six per centum of the gross receipts during the second five years of operation;

Eight per centum of the gross receipts during the third five years of operation; and

Ten per centum of the gross receipts during the remaining years of operation.

The said Kingsbridge Railway Company, in addition to the percentages first herein set forth, as required to be paid by the Railroad Law, after commencement of the operation of any portion of its railroad, shall pay into the treasury of the City to the credit of the Sinking Fund, percentages of its gross receipts as follows:

For and during the first five years one per cent. of such gross receipts.

For and during the second five years one per cent. of such gross receipts.

For and during the third five years three per cent. of such gross receipts, and thereafter five per cent. of such gross receipts.

That but one fare shall be exacted for passage over the railroad constructed under this grant and over the lines of any railroad system operated in connection therewith, and that the gross receipts from joint business shall be divided in the proportion that the length of said railroad operated hereunder shall bear to the entire length of the railroad system which shall be

operated in connection therewith, and of the railroad to be constructed thereunder.

Fifth—The said railroad may be operated by underground electrical power substantially similar to the system of underground electrical traction now in use on the railroads in Second, Sixth, Eighth, Lenox and Madison avenues in this city, and by any other motive power, except locomotive steam power and overhead electrical power, except as hereinafter provided, which may be approved by the Board of Railroad Commissioners and consented to by the owners of property, in accordance with the provisions of the Railroad Law. Provided, however, that the portion of said railway which lies between the south side of the bridge over the ship canal and the city line, upon Kingsbridge road (now known as Broadway), Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and Riverside avenue, may be operated by the overhead trolley electric system upon double tracks, or upon single tracks with turnouts, only until the grade of said streets, now undetermined, shall have been finally determined and the roadbeds thereof shall have been regulated, graded and paved according to such determination; the reconstruction of said railroad to be simultaneous with such grading and paving, which reconstructed system shall conform to the system in operation south of the said ship canal.

Sixth—The said railroad shall be constructed and maintained subject to the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Highways and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies of The City of New York, in all matters with respect to which said Commissioners are respectively vested with the power of regulation and control by the Charter of said city.

Sec. 3. The said grant is also upon the further conditions, namely:

First—The said railroad shall be constructed and operated in the latest improved manner of street railway construction, and the railroad and property of said company shall be maintained in good condition throughout the full term of this grant.

Second—The rate of fare for any passenger upon said railroad shall be five cents, and said company shall not charge any passenger more than said sum for one continuous ride from any point on its road, or on any road, line or branch operated by it or under its control, to any point thereon or any connecting branch thereof within the limits of The City of New York. The cars on said railroad shall be run as often as the public convenience may require.

Third—The said railway company shall apply to each car a proper fender and wheel-guard conformably to such laws and ordinances as may hereafter be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities.

Fourth—All cars of said railway company shall be heated during cold weather conformably to such laws and ordinances as are now in force or may hereafter be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, and each car shall be well lighted either by the Pintsch gas system or by electricity, or by some system of lighting equally efficient.

Fifth—In case of any violation or breach of or failure to comply with any of the provisions of this section, this grant may be forfeited by suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten days to the said railway company.

Sec. 4. This grant is also upon the further and expressed condition that the provisions of Article IV, of the Railroad Law applicable thereto be complied with.

Sec. 5. The said company shall at all times keep the street between its tracks, and for a distance of two feet beyond the rails upon either side thereof, free and clear from ice and snow.

Sec. 6. The said railway company, so long as it shall continue to use any of its tracks upon said streets, avenues or public places, shall have and keep in permanent repair that portion of such streets, avenues and public places between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and two feet in width outside of its tracks under the supervision of the proper local authorities and whenever required by them to do so and in such manner as they may prescribe.

Sec. 7. This grant is also upon the further condition that if the right to construct and operate a railway on the Boulevard, now known as Broadway, between Manhattan street and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, shall be acquired by any other railway company under a grant for which application was pending on the 22d day of November, 1898, such other company shall have an equal right in and to the railway tracks constructed thereon and to the structure appurtenant to the tracks upon paying one-half of the cost of construction; the said companies to adjust and arrange their respective rights and interests in said property and the ownership thereof as they may deem most beneficial to their interests and convenient for the operation of their respective railways, it being the intent and purpose of this provision to restrict the number of tracks on said portion of the Boulevard now known as Broadway to two, allowing, however, to each company its separate slot and conduit construction with necessary switches and connections.

Sec. 8. This grant shall not become operative unless within ten days after the passage thereof the said railway company shall duly execute under its corporate seal and instrument in writing, wherein said company shall promise, covenant and agree on its part and behalf to pay the compensation and to conform to, abide by and perform all the conditions and requirements in this ordinance fixed and contained, and file the same in the office of the Comptroller of The City of New York.

Sec. 9. This ordinance shall take effect immediately. Published in accordance with resolution adopted by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York on the 5th day of December, 1899, and approved by his Honor the Mayor on the same day.

NEW YORK, December 6, 1899.
P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

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

WILLIAM A. BUTLER,
Supervisor, City Record.

SEPTEMBER 6, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,
SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND
SIXTH AVENUE,
December 8, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ONE THOUSAND TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL, egg size, for the Riverside Hospital, at North Brother Island, under the charge of the Board of Health, will be received at the office of the Department of Health, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M.,

DECEMBER 20, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Furnishing Coal for Riverside Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of its 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 Board and read.

The Board of Health reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates, as provided in section 499, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, if deemed to be for the public interest. 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.

The Coal to be of good quality, and the quantity that will be required will be about One Thousand (1,000) Tons of White Ash Coal, to be well screened and in good order, each ton to be 2,240 pounds, in accordance with the specifications attached to and which form a part of the contract aforesaid.

Delivery to be made at Riverside Hospital, at North Brother Island, at the time required by the Board of Health; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made, in writing, by the Board of Health.

The above quantity is estimated and approximated only, and bidders are notified that the Board of Health reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities by an amount not exceeding fifteen per cent. of the estimated quantities, and the contractor will be paid therefor only at the rate or price named in the contract, and that in case the above-named quantity shall not be required by the Department, no allowance will be made for any real or supposed damage or loss of profit.

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 Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

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

Bidders will be required to furnish testimonials that they are engaged in the coal business in The City of New York, and have the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Board of Health, and must furnish an undertaking for the faithful performance of all the provisions thereof in the manner provided by law, executed by two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, each justifying in the penal sum of two thousand five hundred dollars and agreeing that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the said contract, 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 shall 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 law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the form of contract and the specifications for particulars before making their estimates. Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment for the Coal will be made by requisition on the Comptroller, and as more specifically and particularly is set forth in the contract form.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the contract and specifications will be allowed unless under the written instruction of the Board of Health.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Secretary of the Department, fourth floor, corner Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,
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Delivery to be made at the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals, near the foot of East Sixteenth street, at the time required by the Board of Health; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made, in writing, by the Board of Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS (BOROUGHS of Manhattan and Richmond) will sell at public auction by Peter F. Meyer, Auctioneer, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1899,

commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., all the buildings with their contents, excepting furniture in office building and machinery in machine shop, standing on lands acquired for the purposes of a public park at One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets and First avenue, formerly belonging to the Consolidated Gas Company.

The sale will begin in front of the two-story brick purifying house and continue in the order arranged in the catalogue.

TERMS OF SALE.
The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of the sale.

The purchasers will be required to remove the property within thirty days from the date of sale. The purchasers to be liable for any and all damage to persons, animals and property by reason of the removal of said buildings, etc.

Should any building be not removed within the specified time, the Department will retake possession and cause the same to be resold or removed.

Further information and catalogues will be furnished, upon application, at the office of the Department, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue.

By order of the Commissioner of Parks for the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

WILLIS HOLLY,
Secretary Park Board.

NEW YORK, December 6, 1899.

BROOKLYN DISCIPLINARY TRAINING SCHOOL.

PROPOSALS FOR SHAFTING, BELTING, ELECTRICAL WORK AND STORAGE BATTERY.

THE BROOKLYN DISCIPLINARY TRAINING School for Boys on Eighteenth avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-eighth streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, invite bids for the following improvements:

1st. Installing shafting, pulleys, belting, etc., in the Machine Shop.

2d. Installing shafting, pulleys, belting, etc., in the Shoe Shop.

3d. Installing shafting, pulleys, belting, etc., in the Bake Shop.

4th. Connecting the motors for operating the three shops with the Electric Plant.

5th. For installing a storage battery and making all necessary connections.

Specifications for same may be seen at Institution on and after Saturday, December 9, 1899. Separate bids are invited for each of the above five requirements and the bids to be opened on December 16, instant, the right being reserved to reject any and all bids.

JOHN D. KEILEY,

Chairman, Building and Repairs Committee.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 1701, No. 21 Park Row,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 9, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 21 Park Row, Room 1701, until one (1) o'clock P. M. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1899.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1701, No. 21 Park Row, at the hour above mentioned.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED); ALSO FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING ON THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AVENUES, PIERS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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No. 5. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED); ALSO FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING ON THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AVENUES, PIERS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 8. FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED); ALSO FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING ON THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AVENUES, PIERS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 10. FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED); ALSO FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING ON THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AVENUES, PIERS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR.

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, can be obtained in Room No. 1701, No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, No. 146 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1899,

for improving lot adjoining Public School 62, Borough of The Bronx; also for supplying furniture to Public Schools 75 and 120 and the Eastern District High School, Borough of Brooklyn; also for heating and sanitary work at Public School 67, Borough of Queens. Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 6, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
JOHN T. BURKE,
MILES M. O'BRIEN,
F. DE HASS SIMONSON,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
Committee on Buildings.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1899,

for grading, paving, etc., at Public Schools 42, 43 and 44, Borough of Queens; also for Furniture for Addition to Public School 62, Borough of Brooklyn, and for Furniture for Public School 20, Borough of Richmond; also for Pianos for Public Schools in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond. Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, November 29, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
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MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1899,

for Erecting New Public School 5, Long Island City, also for Alterations in and Erecting an addition to Public School 67, Newtown, Borough of Queens.

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F. DE HASS SIMONSON,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
Committee on Buildings.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, November 27, 1899.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS

may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Borough of Manhattan.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required when the amount of the bid is less than two thousand dollars. Whenever the bid exceeds two thousand dollars the surety for the performance of the contract shall be a fidelity or surety company authorized to transact business by the laws of the State of New York, and authorized to become surety on such contract by a resolution of its Board of Directors.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon or a certificate of deposit of one of the State or National Banks or Trust Companies of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the Board of Education, shall accompany the proposal to an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when such proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the said Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

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 VALENTINE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street to East Two Hundred and Fourth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-

entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of December, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 5, 1899.
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
JOHN MURPHY,
ALFRED F. SELIGSBURG,
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 ORCHARD STREET, OR EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to Boscobel avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, from December 16, 1898, up to and including the 31st day of October, 1899, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 19th day of December, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses, from December 16, 1898, up to and including the 31st day of October, 1899, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, November 3, 1899.
WILLIAM A. MCQUAID,
WILLIAM H. BARKER,
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 FIFTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to Sheridan avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, November 15, 1899.
EDWARD A. SUMNER,
EDWARD F. MAGUIRE,
THOMAS J. MILLER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET and the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890 and chapters 387 and 893 of the Laws of 1896.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, December 6, 1899, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office, on the 16th day of December, 1899, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III., in the County Court-house, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 22nd day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, December 5, 1899.
GEORGE T. DAVIDSON,
ALBERT SANDERS,
WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situate SARA TOGA AVENUE, between Chauncey and Bainbridge streets, in the Twenty-fifth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected and chosen as a site for school purposes by the school Board of the Borough of Brooklyn, and approved by the Board of Education, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons, interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at No. 146 Grand street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, December 5, 1899, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough Hall in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 15th day of December, 1899, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the Kings County Court-house in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 19th day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day; and that then and there or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, December, 1899.

JOHN F. MCFAIRLAND,
THOMAS MCGRATH,
JOHN R. FARRAR,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE 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 of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1899, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 2, 1899.

RIGNAL D. WOODWARD,
WILLIAM H. MCCARTHY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situate on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF MESEROLE AVENUE, between Guernsey and Lorimer streets in the Seventeenth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected and chosen as a site for school purposes, by the School Board of the Borough of Brooklyn and approved by the Board of Education, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at No. 146 Grand street in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, December 5, 1899, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough Hall in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 15th day of December, 1899, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 19th day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court

on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, December, 1899.

GEORGE H. ALEXANDER,
SANDERS SHANKS,
NOAH CLARK,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,
Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situate on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF TWENTY-FIRST AVENUE, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected and chosen as a site for school purposes by the School Board of the Borough of Brooklyn and approved by the Board of Education under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York at No. 146 Grand street in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, December 6, 1899, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 18th day of December, 1899, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, December 5, 1899.

WILLIAM H. WHITE,
JOSEPH H. BREAZNELL,
ALBERT C. GOODWIN,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,
Clerk.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands on the northerly side of SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, in the Twenty-second Ward of said city, duly selected by the Fire Commissioner of The City of New York as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—We have completed our estimate of the loss and damage, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands, or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have deposited a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Fire Commissioner, the head of the Fire Department of The City of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by said estimate and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, December 2, 1899, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 2 on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in said city, and we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 18th day of December, 1899, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial District at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the Court-house in The City of New York, on the 21st day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, December 1, 1899.

JAMES A. DUNN,
JOHN HALLORAN,
JAMES L. MCNEIRNY,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of December, 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 27th day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street with the easterly side of Walton avenue, running thence northerly along said easterly side of Walton avenue to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Tremont avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the block to the easterly side of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Jerome avenue to the middle line of the block between Tremont avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and Walton avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to the southerly side of Burnside avenue; thence easterly along said southerly side of Burnside avenue to the middle line of the block between Morris avenue and Creston avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Tremont avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said middle line to the southerly side of Creston avenue; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the easterly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Creston avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and its prolongation southwardly to the southerly side of Tremont avenue; thence easterly along said southerly side of Tremont avenue to the westerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southerly along said westerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Mount Hope place; thence easterly along said middle line prolonged easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the easterly side of Morris avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Morris avenue to the southeasterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence westerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, November 18, 1899.

JAMES R. ELY, Chairman,
PIERRE V. B. HOES,
A. SONNENSTRAHL,
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 TIFFANY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Longwood avenue to Intervale avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of December, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in said City, there to remain until the 23d day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises 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 bulkhead line in the East river with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Tiffany street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; running thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Worthen street and Tiffany street; thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and middle line to the middle line of the block between Eastern Boulevard and Randall avenue; thence westerly along said middle line to the easterly side of Truxton street; thence northerly along the easterly side of Truxton street and northerly along the northerly side of Leggett avenue to the middle line of the block between Truxton street and Barry street; thence northerly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between Craven street and Worthen street; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue), and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the northerly side of Longwood avenue; thence northerly along the northerly side of Longwood avenue to the middle line of the block between the Southern Boulevard and Fox street; thence northerly along said middle line

to the middle line of the blocks between Longwood avenue and Intervale avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to the southeasterly side of Dawson street; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of Dawson street and northerly along the easterly side of Intervale avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Westchester avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the easterly side of Kelly street; thence northerly along the easterly side of Kelly street and said side prolonged northwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Home street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of Prospect avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Home street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Boston road; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of Boston road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of that part of Chisholm street, between Intervale avenue and Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line and said parallel line prolonged southwardly to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly side of Barretto street; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly side of Barretto street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line and northerly along a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Westchester avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom to the westerly side of Fox street; thence southerly along said westerly side of Fox street to the northerly side of Dongan street; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the southeasterly side of Fox street with the middle line of the block between Barretto street and Dongan street; thence southeasterly along the middle line of the blocks between Barretto street and the southwest and Dongan street and Hunt's Point road on the northeast to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly side of Manida street; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly side of Manida street to the middle line of the block between Randall avenue and the Eastern Boulevard; thence westerly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between Casanova street and Tiffany street; thence southerly along said middle line and its prolongation southwardly to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Tiffany street and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to the United States bulkhead line in the East river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, November 14, 1899.

WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, Chairman,
PHIL M. LEAKIN,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of December, 1899, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 21st day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the block between Sherman avenue and Sheridan avenue with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; running thence northerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to the southeasterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the westerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence southeasterly along said southeasterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to the middle line of the block between Sheridan avenue and Sherman avenue; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to the northerly side of Park avenue (formerly Railroad avenue, West); thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Park avenue (formerly Railroad avenue, West) to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said southeasterly prolongation and parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, November 10, 1899.

ELLIS E. WARING, Chairman,
JAMES E. MAHON,
T. J. CARLETON, JR.,
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 PUBLIC PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Hall place and Rogers place, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 12th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of December, 1899, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 21st day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Dawson street with the middle line of the block, between Stebbins avenue and Rogers place; running thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of that part of the middle line of the block, between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, lying westwardly from Stebbins avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks to the easterly side of Forest avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Forest avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block, between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks and its prolongation eastwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Hall place and distant 135 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence northerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with the middle line of the block, between Intervale avenue and Stebbins avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation northwardly to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence southeasterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Intervale avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Intervale avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 286 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Barretto street; thence southerly along said westerly side of Barretto street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 286 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Intervale avenue and Rogers place; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to the northerly side of Dawson street; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Dawson street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, November 18, 1899.

JOHN M. THOMPSON,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
Commissioners.

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 of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of December, 1899, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 27th day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Longwood avenue with the northerly side of Longwood avenue; thence northwesterly along said northerly side of Longwood avenue to the southeasterly side of Westchester avenue; thence northwesterly on a straight line to the intersection of the westerly side of Prospect avenue with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixtieth street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixtieth street to the middle line of the block between Prospect avenue and Union avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence westerly along said middle line to the easterly side of Third avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Third avenue to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of that part of the middle line of the block, between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street lying eastwardly from Trinity avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between Union avenue and Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and its prolongation eastwardly to the southeasterly side of Westchester avenue; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of Westchester avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between the Southern Boulevard and Hoe street; thence southerly along said middle line to a point midway between Westchester avenue and Aldus street; thence easterly along the middle line of the blocks between Westchester avenue and Cottenberg street on the north, and Aldus street on the south, and said middle line prolonged easterly to the westerly side of Bronx river; thence southerly along said westerly side of Bronx river to the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and Seneca avenue; thence westerly along said middle line to the middle line of the blocks between Faile street and Hunt's Point road; thence southerly along said middle line to the northerly side of Lafayette avenue; thence westerly along the northerly side of Lafayette avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, November 18, 1899.

JOHN M. THOMPSON,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
Commissioners.

JOHN J. 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 EIGHTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Valentine avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of December, 1899, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 27th day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises 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 a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom with the easterly side of Grand avenue; running thence northerly along said easterly side of Grand avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Buchanan place and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, November 8, 1899.

J. C. O'CONOR, Chairman,
EDWARD S. KAUFMAN,
FRANK McDERMOTT,
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 DONGAN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westchester avenue to the Southern Boulevard, as the same has been

easterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Davidson avenue and Jerome avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and its prolongation eastwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Tibout avenue, and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to its intersection with the line joining said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street with the easterly side of Tibout avenue; thence southwesterly to the intersection of the westerly side of Tibout avenue with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and Davidson avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 15, 1899.

JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Chairman,
CHARLES BRANDT, Jr.,
J. ASPINWALL HODGE, Jr.,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to all such real estate and to any right, title or interest therein not owned by the said The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, which shall be embraced within the lines of the approach and entrance to THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, as laid out and established by the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 57 of the Laws of 1896.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in the City of New York, on or before the 18th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 18th day of December, 1899, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 23d day of December, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point 95 feet easterly from the southeasterly corner of Melrose avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence southerly and parallel to Melrose avenue 128 feet; thence westerly and on a line parallel to East One Hundred and Fifty-first street to a point on the easterly side of Park avenue distant 124.44 feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Park avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, continuing said line to the easterly side of Spencer place, distant 325.51 feet from the northeasterly corner of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Spencer place; thence westerly along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, to a point where it meets the westerly line of Jerome avenue as extended; thence along a straight line to a point on the northeasterly corner of Sedgwick avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence on a line parallel to Summit avenue distant westerly 87½ feet therefrom to a point on the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street distant about 105 feet from the westerly side of Lind avenue; thence southeasterly to the intersection of the easterly side of Ogden avenue with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Anderson avenue; thence easterly to the easterly side of Anderson avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, at a point distant 100 feet from the northeasterly corner of Anderson avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 100 feet northerly therefrom to a point on the westerly side of Marcher avenue distant 100 feet northerly from the corner of Marcher avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence easterly to the intersection of the easterly side of Marcher avenue with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to a point on the easterly side of Boscobel avenue and distant about 140 feet northeasterly from a point intersected by the corners of Jerome and Boscobel avenues; thence continuing along said parallel line 32 feet; thence easterly to a point on the westerly side of Cromwell avenue distant 108.33 feet northerly from the corner of Jerome and Cromwell avenues; thence southeasterly to a point on the easterly side of Jerome avenue about 170 feet northerly from the point intersected by Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence easterly along a line parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom to a point about 124 feet easterly from the easterly side of Girard avenue; thence slightly northeasterly to a point on the westerly side of Walton avenue distant 100 feet northerly from the northwesterly corner of Walton avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence continuing on a line parallel with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 100 feet northerly therefrom to a point on the easterly side of Morris avenue distant 100 feet northerly from the corner of Morris avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence continuing said parallel lines easterly about 50 feet; thence southeasterly on

a line parallel with East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom to a point on the easterly side of proposed Findlay avenue distant 100 feet northerly from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and parallel thereto; thence easterly, northeasterly and again easterly along said parallel line distant 100 feet northerly from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to the middle line of the block between Webster and Brook avenues and distant about 81 feet easterly from the easterly side of Webster avenue; thence southerly and along a line to a point on the westerly side of Brook avenue distant about 350 feet southerly from the southwest corner of Brook avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence continuing said line southerly to a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Brook avenue and the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence on a line southerly to a point on the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; distant 100 feet from the easterly corner of Melrose avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence southerly along a line parallel to Melrose avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom to the point and place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of January, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 14, 1899.

JAMES A. BLANCHARD, Chairman,
JOHN H. KNOEPEL,
HUGH R. GARDEN,
Commissioners.

WM. R. KEES,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of December, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 23d day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises 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 northwesterly side of Webster avenue with the northeasterly side of Kingsbridge road; running thence northwesterly and westerly and northerly and northeasterly along the northeasterly, northerly, easterly and southeasterly sides of Kingsbridge road to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street; thence northerly to the intersection of the northeasterly side of Kingsbridge road with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Valentine avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between East Two Hundredth street (formerly Southern Boulevard) and East Two Hundred and First street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Briggs avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to the southerly side of Moshulu Parkway, South, to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Briggs avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between East Two Hundredth street (formerly Southern Boulevard) and East Two Hundred and First street; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of Webster avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 16, 1899.

EDWARD B. WHITNEY, Chairman,
JOHN T. SIMON,
THOMAS J. BROWN,
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 EIGHTY-FIRST STREET (formerly Ponus street) (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx Park, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of December, 1899, at 2 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 23d day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises 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 Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof from the Bronx river to the prolongation northerly of the middle line of the block between the Southern Boulevard and Mapey avenue, and by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof from the middle line of the block between the Southern Boulevard and Mapey avenue to Crotona avenue. On the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from the Bronx river to a line drawn parallel to Daly avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; also on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from a line drawn parallel to Daly avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the middle line of the block between Mapey avenue and Marmion avenue, also on the south by a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof from the middle line of the block between Mapey avenue and the Southern Boulevard to Crotona avenue. On the east by the Bronx river from the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; also on the east by a line drawn parallel to Daly avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof. And on the west by the middle line of the block between Mapey avenue and the Southern Boulevard and said middle line produced northwardly from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof and also on the west by the middle line of the blocks between Mapey avenue and the Southern Boulevard and the middle line of the block between Mapey avenue and Marmion avenue from a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 8, 1899.

WM. J. BROWNE,
G. M. SPEIR,
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 MOHAWK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hunt's Point road to the Bronx river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of December, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of December, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in said City, there to remain until the 22d day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of

Lafayette avenue, with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue), and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Hunt's Point road and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly side of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence northeasterly along the southeasterly side of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to its intersection with the northerly side of Whittier street; thence easterly along a line drawn parallel to Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) to the westerly side of the Bronx river; thence southerly along the westerly side of the Bronx river to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Seneca avenue and Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue); thence westerly by said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Fille street and Hunt's Point road; thence southerly along said middle line to the northerly side of Seneca avenue; thence westerly along the northerly side of Seneca avenue to the easterly side of Hunt's Point road; thence westerly by the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Hunt's Point road and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the northerly side of Lafayette avenue; thence westerly along the northerly side of Lafayette avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 13, 1899.

GUSTAVE S. DRACHMAN, Chairman,
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
MICHAEL SEXTON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 12th day of December, 1899; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of December, 1899, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in said city, there to remain until the 21st day of December, 1899.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises 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 northwesterly prolongation of the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street with the southeasterly side of Anderson avenue; running thence northeasterly along the southeasterly side of Anderson avenue to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence southeasterly along said northwesterly prolongation and southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to the middle line of the block between Sherman avenue and Grant avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of Teller avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Teller avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Grant avenue and Sherman avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line of the block to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and its prolongation northwesterly to the northwesterly side of the entrance to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence westerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of December, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 15, 1899.

C. W. WEST, Chairman,
WM. STANTON,
CHARLES O'BRIEN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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