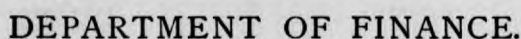


NUMBER 7,905.



Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending April 8, 1899.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, April 20, 1899. }

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor :

SIR—In pursuance of section 196, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I have the honor to present herewith a report to April 8, 1899, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since March 31, 1899, and the amount remaining to the credit of the city on April 8, 1899.

Very respectfully,
PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

DR.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* PATRICK KEENAN, *Chamberlain, during the week ending April 8, 1899.*

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1899. Apr. 8	To Additional Water Fund.....	\$15,367 51	1899. Mar. 31 Apr. 8	By Balance.....		\$12,254,701 81
	Additional Water Fund, City of New York.....	3,343 51		Taxes.....	Austen.....	\$114,394 48
	Additions to Public Buildings, Crotona Park, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,864 50		Interest on Taxes.....	Gilon.....	4,276 96
	American Museum of Natural History.....	4,024 62		Arrears of Taxes.....	".....	50,457 86
	Anti-toxine Fund.....	339 53		Interest on Taxes.....	".....	11,056 10
	Appellate Division, Supreme Court, Court-house.....	26,200 00		Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	".....	9,396 29
	Borough of Brooklyn.....	17,568 40		Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	".....	39,705 78
	Borough of Queens.....	14,452 29		Additional Public Park Fund.....	".....	11 94
	Borough of Richmond.....	13,745 69		Interest on Street and Park Openings.....	".....	1,631 03
	Botanical Museum, Herbarium, etc., Construction of.....	24 00		Interest on Street Improvement Fund.....	".....	7,421 76
	Bridge Over Harlem River at Third Avenue.....	81 00		Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	".....	6 00
	Bridge Over Harlem River at First Avenue.....	166 50		Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	".....	9 00
	Bridge Over Harlem River at One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street.....	15 00		Land Purchased, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	".....	7 04
	Bridge Over Bronx River at One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street.....	38 22		Interest on Land Purchased.....	".....	13 12
	Bridge Over New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.....	181 67		Towns of Westchester.....	".....	254 58
	Bridge Over New York and Harlem Railroad.....	30 00		Towns of Westchester—Interest.....	".....	72 29
	Bronx and Pelham Parkway.....	149 46		Towns of Westchester—Fees.....	".....	2 50
	Change of Grade Damage Commission, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	81 56		Sundry Licenses.....	Roche.....	833 75
	Construction of New Bridge Connecting Pelham Bay Park and City Island.....	485 99		Street Incumbrance Fund.....	McCartney.....	130 00
	Croton Water Fund.....	509 00		Register's Fees.....	".....	10,270 22
	Croton Water Rent Refunding Account.....	92 45		Reimbursement Account—Commitment of Children.....	Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	2,431 75
	Department of Correction—Building Fund.....	108 00		Intestate Estates.....	Comptroller.....	7 00
	Department of Highways—Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund.....	996 02		Department of Buildings—Special Fund.....	Brady.....	1,730 85
	Department of Highways—Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund, Borough of The Bronx.....	54 20		Coroners' Fees.....	Hart.....	40 25
	Department of Public Charities—Building Fund.....	7,611 71		Additional Water Fund.....	Walker.....	408 75
	Department of Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn.....	45,186 58		Department of Highways—Maintenance and Supplies, 1899, Borough of The Bronx.....	Timmerman.....	1 00
	Dock Fund.....	40,493 57		Department of Buildings, Boroughs of Queens and Richmond—Salaries.....	".....	01
	East River Park.....	64 51		Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	".....	57 16
	Eleventh Ward Park Fund.....	2,830 00		Department of Health—Hospital Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	Murphy.....	480 00
	Excise Licenses.....	23 27		Anti-toxine Fund.....	".....	741 59
	Excise Taxes.....	27,273 55		Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	".....	278 20
	Excise Taxes, Kings County.....	10,163 95		Tapping Pipes.....	Byrne.....	305 00
	Excise Taxes, Queens County.....	147 22		County Clerk's Fees.....	Sohmer.....	4,993 05
	Extension of Riverside Drive to Lafayette Boulevard.....	5,831 00		Restoring and Repaving—Department of Highways.....	Keating.....	1,472 00
	Fire Department Fund—Sites, etc.....	7,664 39		Excise Taxes.....	Hilliard.....	2,229 53
	Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	66,608 10		Dock Fund.....	Murphy.....	10 00
	Gouverneur Slip Hospital.....	24 00		City Clerk's Fees.....	Scully.....	654 60
	Hester Street Park Fund.....	735 27		Theatrical and Concert Licenses.....	Police Department.....	6,800 00
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Chapter 194, Laws of 1896 New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	5,148 00		General Fund.....	Holly.....	\$4,889 79
	New East River Bridge Fund.....	19,129 34		".....	Surrogates.....	654 80
	Public Driveway—Construction of.....	396 45		".....	Comptroller.....	170 81
	Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund.....	8,538 35		".....	McCartney.....	965 00
	Permanent Bridge over Bronx River and Westchester Avenue.....	26 62		".....	Dalton.....	105 41
	Public School Library Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	300 24		".....	Haley.....	145 00
	Public School Library Fund, Borough of Richmond.....	1 27		".....	Whalen.....	480 83
	Refunding Assessments Paid in Error.....	245 15		".....	O'Brien.....	2 00
	Refunding Assessments Paid in Error, Borough of Brooklyn.....	49 92		".....	Haggerty.....	23 15
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	395 24		".....	Plimly.....	6 16
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of Brooklyn.....	366 34		".....	Kane.....	962 20
	Repaving—Chapter 346, Laws of 1889.....	253 88		".....	Keating.....	28 75
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	448 66		".....	Police Department.....	147 50
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Richmond.....	123 10				
	Revenue Bond Fund—Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, etc.....	200 00		Borough of Brooklyn—		
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expert Accountants.....	13,563 81		New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	Shea.....	12,956 71
	Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments.....	49,358 43		Water Rents.....	Frost.....	17,713 74
	Revenue Bond Fund—Payment of Claim of Rufus G. Beardslee.....	15,000 00		Sundry Licenses.....	Jordan.....	250 00
	School-house Fund.....	52,400 00		Market Rents and Fees.....	O'Brien.....	1,666 75
	Spuytten Duyvil Creek Bridge.....	57 75		House Rents.....	".....	1,022 31
	Spuytten Duyvil Parkway—Construction and Improvement of.....	10 93		Court Fees and Fines.....	Smith.....	\$5

LAW DEPARTMENT.

BUREAU FOR THE RECOVERY OF PENALTIES.

Statement and Return of Moneys received by ADRIAN T. KIERNAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, for the Month of April, 1899, rendered to the Comptroller, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 117, Article II., Chapter IV. of the Revised Ordinances of 1897, and of Sections 259 and 1550 of Chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

APRIL.	WHAT FOR.	JUDGMENTS.	COLLECTIONS AND PENALTIES.	COSTS.	TOTAL.
1.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	\$9 00	\$7 50	\$16 50
3.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	40 00	14 63	54 63
3.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. George Shady.....	.....	.....	10 00	10 00
3.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Albert W. Heine and Edward E. Margolies.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00
4.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	20 00	.....	20 00
5.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	3 00	2 50	5 50
5.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. William Wach.....	.....	20 00	.....	20 00
6.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	24 00	2 50	26 50
6.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. George Pfister and Adolph Weber.....	.....	48 00	.....	48 00
8.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	3 00	.....	3 00
10.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	\$24 00	3 00	.....	27 00
10.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Albert W. Heine and Edward E. Margolies.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00
10.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	20 00	.....	20 00
10.....	In the matter of The Commissioner of Jurors vs. Julius Figliuolo.....	.....	.....	10 00	10 00
10.....	Violation laws relating to Fire Department.....	.....	5 00	.....	5 00
12.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	9 00	.....	9 00
12.....	Violation laws relating to Fire Department.....	.....	5 00	.....	5 00
14.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	24 00	.....	24 00
15.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	6 00	.....	6 00
15.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. George Miller and Louise Lindenmeyr.....	.....	30 00	.....	30 00
17.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. William J. Kahn and Sarah Kahn.....	.....	30 00	2 50	32 50
18.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	3 00	.....	3 00
18.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	20 00	.....	20 00
18.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Albert W. Heine and Edward E. Margolies.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00
18.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Theodore Sanders and Hiram Becannon.....	.....	20 00	.....	20 00
19.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	21 00	30 00	51 00
19.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. John Britt.....	.....	150 00	.....	150 00
19.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Max Bandler and Victor Steiner.....	.....	36 00	2 50	38 50
20.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	72 00	11 00	.....	83 00
20.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Charles C. Schildwachter, Jr.....	.....	12 00	.....	12 00
20.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Edward Bennett, Harry Hannan and William McGowan.....	.....	33 00	.....	33 00
20.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Nicolò Ivone and Michael Palarino.....	.....	6 00	.....	6 00
20.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Nicolò Ivone and Michael Palarino.....	.....	6 00	.....	6 00
21.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	15 00	.....	15 00
24.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	23 00	.....	23 00
24.....	Violation laws relating to Fire Department.....	.....	5 00	.....	5 00
25.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	12 00	7 50	19 50
25.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Albert W. Heine and Edward E. Margolies.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00
25.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	.....	20 00	.....	20 00
26.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	24 00	2 50	26 50
26.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. James McCaffrey and Rosa Loeb.....	.....	25 50	2 50	28 00
27.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	30 00	10 00	40 00
27.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Pietro Palladino and Frederick F. Fleck.....	.....	50 00	17 22	67 22
27.....	In the matter of The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Harry Lindsay and James E. March.....	.....	32 00	6 22	38 22
28.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	18 50	3 00	2 50	24 00
29.....	Violation Corporation Ordinances.....	.....	23 00	20 00	43 00

Total amount collected.....\$7,184 57

Amount paid over to Board of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Albert W. Heine and Edward E. Margolies.....	\$10 00
Amount paid over to Board of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	20 00
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Amount paid over to Board of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. William J. Kahn and Sarah Kahn.....	30 00
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Amount paid over to Board of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Theodore Sanders and Hiram Becannon.....	20 00
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Amount paid over to Board of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Nicolò Ivone and Michael Palarino.....	6 00
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Amount paid over to Board of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Albert W. Heine and Edward E. Margolies.....	10 00
Amount paid over to Board of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	20 00
Amount paid over to Board of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. James McCaffrey and Rosa Loeb.....	25 50
Amount paid over to Board of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Pietro Palladino and Frederick F. Fleck.....	50 00
Amount paid over to Board of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities vs. Harry Lindsay and James E. March.....	32 00
Amount paid over to Fire Commissioner, penalties collected for violation of laws relating to Fire Department.....	15 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Jurors, costs collected in matter of delinquent juror.....	10 00

Balance due City of New York.....\$541 07

ADRIAN T. KIERNAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

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

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

The Commissioners adjourned to meet to-morrow (Wednesday), April 19, 1899, at 1 o'clock P. M.

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

Minutes of Adjourned Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their Office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, April 19, 1899, at 1 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Ryan (President), Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph. The minutes of stated meeting of April 11, 1899, were read and approved. Commissioner Ten Eyck, as Chairman of the Committee of Finance and Audit, reported the examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 12,842 to 12,847, inclusive, amounting to \$171.33.

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

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

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

REPORT No. 65.

NEW YORK, April 18, 1899.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—The Corporation Counsel, through Mr. H. T. Dykman, requests the Aqueduct Commissioners, in order to complete the land procedure in regard to the preparation of the New Croton Reservoir, to give their formal approval over their own signatures to the plans of roads and bridges already prepared by them for presentation to the court.

At the suggestion of Mr. Dykman, I herewith submit the index and detail plans of the said roads and bridges, which you have already considered, with the request that you append your signatures to the index map.

Yours respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

Whereupon Commissioner Power moved the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby give their approval by their signatures to the index plan of the plans of roads and bridges, already considered, for presentation to the Supreme Court, in order to complete the procedure in regard to the preparation of the New Croton Reservoir.

Which was carried by the following vote:

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

The following communication was received from the Law Department:

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, April 18, 1899.

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

SIR—I am in receipt of a communication from your Department, dated April 11, 1899, transmitting for my approval contract for building overflow and blow-off sewers, water pipes and appurtenances in connection with the Jerome Park Reservoir of the New Croton Aqueduct, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx of The City of New York.

I return said contract herewith approved as to form.

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE HILL, Acting Corporation Counsel.

Which was ordered filed by the following vote:

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

The following communication was presented:

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, April 17, 1899.

H. W. WALKER, Esq., Secretary, Aqueduct Commission:

DEAR SIR—We have yours of the 12th instant notifying us of appointment of James H. O'Brien, at a salary of \$2,000 per annum, equivalent to a third grade clerkship. Will you kindly inform us whether there is any person in the next lower grade of your Department who is eligible for promotion to this position? This will have to be determined before Mr. O'Brien's appointment can be passed upon.

Yours respectfully,

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

Whereupon Commissioner Ten Eyck moved that the Secretary be instructed to reply to the letter, giving the facts of the case.

Which was carried by the following vote:

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

The Commissioners then adjourned.

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

NOTE.—On Tuesday, April 25, 1899, the Commissioners adjourned to meet to-morrow (Wednesday), April 26, 1899, at 1.30 P. M.

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM APRIL 10 TO APRIL 15, INCLUSIVE.

APRIL 10, 1899.

TRIAL.

Borough of Manhattan.

(Postponed from 6th instant).

Temporary Assistant Fire Marshal George E. McQuaid for "conduct unbecoming an official of the Department." The charge not being sustained the complaint was dismissed.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Corporation Counsel—Approving forms of contract and specifications for furnishing forage in the boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, and Brooklyn and Queens. Advertisements inviting proposals, to be opened on the 26th instant, ordered published in the CITY RECORD.

From the Deputy Commissioner—Respecting the complaint of the Business Men's Protective Association, Flushing, Borough of Queens, of the inadequate equipment of the volunteer fire companies of said village and reporting that relief can be obtained only by legislation. Notified accordingly.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Reporting list of transfers in the Uniformed Force, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, from April 1 to April 9 inclusive. Copy forwarded Municipal Civil Service Commission.

2. Recommending that the name of Fireman 1st grade John F. Corr, Hook and Ladder 16, be placed on the Roll of Merit for meritorious conduct, attended with personal risk, for rescue effected at fire, No. 2 East Sixty-seventh street, on 7th instant. Recommendation approved.

From the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Report of operations of Bureau for week ending 8th instant.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 1, Borough of Brooklyn—Reporting loss of coat badge No. 2535 by Fireman 1st grade Lewis Blair of his command. Usual fine imposed.

From Fireman 1st grade Robert Paul, Engine 65—Applying for promotion to the rank of Assistant Foreman. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

From Dennis B. Collins, Buffalo, N. Y.—Requesting copy of the annual report of the Department. Reply communicated.

From Lamb & Johnson, attorneys—Submitting demand for reinstatement of former Carpenter Henry A. Du Bois, Borough of Brooklyn. Forwarded Corporation Counsel.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 7—Reporting insufficient means of escape in case of fire at Nos. 221 and 229 William street. To the Department of Buildings.

From W. A. Gill, Charleston, W. Va.—Respecting the merits of a fire-escape he proposes to manufacture. To the Department of Buildings.

From Patrick Dillon, Milford, Mass.—Respecting the merits of a fire-escape manufactured by him. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine 2—Reporting that the North Hudson Hotel, No. 550 West Forty-second street, has neither rope fire-escapes, alarm system, time detector, red globes, diagrams nor watchman. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 10—

1. Reporting that hotel, No. 128 West street, C. H. Mueller, proprietor, has no red globes.

2. Reporting that hotel, No. 126 West street, William Drescher, proprietor, has neither time detector nor diagrams.

3. Reporting that hotel, No. 127 West street, Henry Bahr, proprietor, has no diagrams.

All to the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From Michael McDonnell, New Bedford, Mass.—Respecting the merits of his patent annunciator for use in hotels in case of fire. To the Chief of Department.

From The Heights Club (St. Nicholas avenue and One Hundred and Forty-third street)—Calling attention to the necessity of having the old style fire-alarm box at Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Forty-third street replaced with one of the keyless door pattern. To the Chief of Department.

From the Deputy Factory Inspector—Complaining of inflammable material in basement of premises No. 226 Rivington street and at No. 209 Stanton street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 6—Reporting chimney fire at No. 107 Washington street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 35—Reporting chimney fire at No. 241 East One Hundred and Twelfth street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Deputy Factory Inspector—Reporting violation of section 780 of the Charter (unprotected tailor's furnaces), rear of premises No. 463 East Houston street and Nos. 64, 66 and 84 Pitt street. To the Fire Marshal.

From the Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—

1. Respecting complaint of L. Beringer, that the cellar of premises No. 842 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx, is used as a smoke-house, and recommending that certain work be done to render the same safe for such use. Recommendation approved and referred back with directions to require compliance within ten days.

2. Respecting the condition of furnace at No. 42 West Forty-eighth street, and recommending that the necessary work be done to remove the dangerous conditions. Recommendation approved and referred back, with directions to require compliance within ten days.

From Foreman Engine 36—Reporting defective flue at No. 2157 Fifth avenue. To the Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Engine 39—Reporting defective flues at No. 162 East Seventy-first street and No. 949 Madison avenue. To the Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Engine 61, Borough of The Bronx—Reporting defective flue south side of West Farms road, between Lyvere place and Union avenue. To the Fire Marshal.

From the Corporation Counsel—Transmitting claims of Machinists Adolph O. Austin and Carl Wegemann and Blacksmith's Helper George Gresser, for additional compensation for alleged services, and requesting statement of facts in regard thereto. To the Foreman in charge of Repair Shops.

From the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund (Secretary)—Transmitting certified copy of the following resolution, adopted on the 7th instant:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease from Michael Brennan of premises occupied by the Fire Department in Williamsbridge, situated on the northerly side of Third street, for a period of one year from June 1, 1899, on the same terms and conditions as are contained in the existing lease thereof.

To the Bookkeeper.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 15—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.

Michael Brady, as Stableman, Hospital and Training Stables, from 11th instant, at \$2 per day.
Louis H. McLaughlin, as Batteryman, Telegraph Branch, from 11th instant, at \$2.50 per day.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Requesting to be informed of the reasons for rating the Superintendent of the Repair Shops and the Veterinary Surgeon, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, as Chiefs of Battalion. Copy of opinion of Corporation Counsel forwarded.

From the Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables—Reporting death of horse No. 1041, Hook and Ladder 18.

Referred.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 1—Reporting violation of the building law at No. 32 City Hall place. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine 35—Reporting wooden ladder leading to roof of premises No. 190 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 4—Reporting violation of the building law at the Victoria Music Hall. To the Department of Buildings.

From his Honor the Mayor—Transmitting complaint from Samuel Myers that at the corner of Cooper street and Hamburg avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, a large fireworks factory constitutes a menace to the surrounding property. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Inspector of Combustibles—

1. Reporting chimney fires, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Back, with directions to enforce the collection of the penalty.

2. Recommending remission of penalties for chimney fires, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Approved. Back.

3. Recommending prosecutions for recovery of penalties for chimney fires, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the Deputy Factory Inspector—Reporting violation of section 780 of the Charter (unsafe fire-place), at No. 22 Catharine street. To the Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 12—Reporting defective flue at No. 106 Eighth avenue. To the Fire Marshal.

From William J. Olvany—Complaining of defective flue at No. 98 Charles street. To the Fire Marshal.

BILLS AUDITED.

Borough of Manhattan.

Schedule 75 of 1898.
Apparatus, supplies, etc. \$5,515 53

Schedule 11 of 1899.
Apparatus, supplies, etc. \$4,915 21

Borough of Brooklyn.

Schedule 14 of 1899—
Apparatus, Supplies, etc. \$1,799 59

Schedule 15 of 1899—
Apparatus, Supplies, etc. \$1,553 37

Borough of Queens—(Maintenance, Volunteer System).

Schedule 35 of 1898—
Richmond Hill. \$9 00

Schedule 36 of 1898.
Rockaway Beach. \$129 41

Schedule 7 of 1899—
Richmond Hill. \$680 09

Schedule 8 of 1899—
Flushing. \$119 55

Schedule 9 of 1899—
Whitestone. \$62 30

Schedule 10 of 1899—
Jamaica. \$627 39

Schedule 11 of 1899—
Far Rockaway. \$235 03

Schedule 12 of 1899—
Rockaway Beach. \$698 34

Schedule 13 of 1899—
Woodhaven. \$221 10

SUSPENSION REVOKED.

Borough of Manhattan.

Temporary Assistant Fire Marshal George E. McQuaid, and restored to pay and duty from 9 o'clock A. M. this date.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

APRIL 12, 1899.

Filed.

From the Corporation Counsel—Advising the Commissioner (in response to request of the 11th ultimo) as to the proper course to pursue in the matter of the peremptory writ of mandamus directing the restoration of Albert W. Baillie to his former position as Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles, Borough of Manhattan, that, in view of the decision of the Court of Appeals, rendered February 28, 1899, said Baillie be reinstated. So ordered.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the application of William C. Whitney to have an alarm-box placed in his residence at Sixty-eighth street and Fifth avenue, and recommending that the same be granted, the work to be done at his own expense and under the supervision of this Department. Recommendation approved.

2. Submitting report of investigation into the conduct of Mrs. Peters, widow of deceased Fireman 1st grade Frederick O. Peters, and recommending that the pension allowed for the maintenance of herself and children be hereafter paid to Mrs. Sarah S. Richmond, Superintendent of the Sheltering Arms, for the care of the children, she having consented to accept the trusteeship. Recommendation approved and Secretary Relief Fund notified.

3. Reporting the finding of a jeweled hat pin by Fireman 1st grade Andrew F. Fitzgerald, Hook and Ladder 4, in front of the premises No. 3 East Sixty-ninth street, during the progress of the fire in said house on the 7th instant.

From L. S. Hendricks—Requesting permission to reward Fireman 1st grade Andrew F. Fitzgerald, Hook and Ladder 4; Fireman 1st grade Timothy J. McAuliffe, Engine 8, and Fireman 4th grade Peter C. Smith, Hook and Ladder 2, for rescues effected at Windsor Hotel fire, on 17th ultimo. Reply communicated.

From M. F. Loughman—Respecting the repairing of defective flue at No. 52 Hamilton place, otherwise known as West One Hundred and Forty-first street. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From N. Goldstein & Son—Reporting the necessity for additional fire-escapes at No. 51 East Broadway. To the Department of Buildings.

From the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect the premises of the New York Life Insurance Company, No. 346 Broadway, with street-box No. 126. To the Chief of Department.

From Philip J. Britt, Attorney—Requesting permission, on behalf of Firemen John F. Galligan, John S. Wholey, James Sherry and Richard T. J. O'Keeffe, injured January 12, 1899, as the result of a collision of a car of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company with the hose-wagon of Engine 31, at the corner of White and Centre streets, to institute legal proceedings against the railway company for the recovery of damages for the injuries sustained. To the Chief of Department.

From the General Electric Company—Reporting the completion of the work of furnishing electric-lighting plants for the fire-boats "Robert A. Van Wyck," "Zophar Mills," and "The New Yorker," under their contracts dated January 13, 1899.

From the Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting chimney fires, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Back with directions to enforce collection of the penalty.

From the Deputy Commissioner—Transmitting checks for \$306.80 and \$809.33, respectively, proceeds of sale, on 5th instant, of ten condemned horses, and of old apparatus and material. To the Bookkeeper with directions to place same to the credit of the Relief Fund.

APPOINTED.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

George H. Worthington as Ununiformed Fireman, on probation, with compensation at the rate of \$800 per annum, from 13th instant, and assigned to Engine 65.

DESIGNATION OF COMPENSATION.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Cashier William H. Stevens, Bureau of Combustibles, \$1,800 per annum, from 1st instant.

Cleaner William Ralph, Borough Headquarters, \$2.50 per diem, from 1st instant.

REINSTATED.

Borough of Manhattan.

Albert W. Baillie as Oil Collector, Bureau of Combustibles, from 13th instant, \$1,200 per annum; in accordance with the advice of the Corporation Counsel, in opinion dated April 11, 1899.

APRIL 13, 1899.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From Foreman Engine 19—Reporting loss of fire-key No. 1132 by Fireman 1st grade James M. Harrington of his command. Usual fine imposed.

From the Corporation of Trinity Church—Requesting that the pupils of their Parish School be taught a fire-drill by an instructor from this Department. Reply communicated.

From P. Gallagher, contractor—Acknowledging receipt of notification to appear at these Headquarters at 12 o'clock M., on 21st instant, in reference to allegations by the architects concerning his manner of fulfilling his contract for the erection of an apparatus-house at No. 22 East Twelfth street.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 26—Reporting violation of the Building Law at No. 639 Sixth avenue and No. 216 West Thirty-sixth street. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine 39—Reporting insufficient means of escape in case of fire at premises Nos. 635 to 641, No. 650 and Nos. 701 to 707 Madison avenue. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine 53—Reporting no telegraphic communication between Lenox Athletic Club (One Hundred and Seventh street, between Lexington and Park avenues) and these Headquarters. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 10—Reporting no time detector, signs or watchman at hotel Nos. 88 to 92 Cortlandt street. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From his Honor the Mayor—Transmitting anonymous communication in relation to alleged dangerous condition of unoccupied premises corner One Hundred and Twelfth street and St. Nicholas avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 9—Reporting chimney fires at No. 19 Chrystie street and No. 35 Monroe street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Assistant Foreman Engine 21—Reporting chimney fire at No. 220 Madison avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 26—Reporting chimney fires at No. 215 West Thirty-sixth street and No. 45 West Thirty-seventh street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Assistant Foreman Engine 35—Reporting chimney fire at No. 221 East One Hundred and Twelfth street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 39—Reporting the storage of a quantity of rubbish in cellar of "The Tuxedo," Nos. 635 to 641 Madison avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From M. J. Ennis—Complaining that the occupant of No. 439 East Seventy-fifth street has placed upon the sidewalk 400 bales of hay, which constitute a menace to the safety of the surrounding property in case of fire. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Assistant Foreman Engine 59—Reporting defective flue at No. 2432 Seventh avenue. To the Fire Marshal.

From Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder 22—Reporting defective flue at No. 54 West One Hundredth street. To the Fire Marshal.

From the Department of Buildings—Transmitting copy of opinion from Assistant Corporation Counsel under date of the 10th instant, relative to unsafe condition of building No. 117 Maiden lane, adjoining site upon which an apparatus house for this Department is in process of construction. To the Buildings Superintendent.

From Foreman Engine 14—Reporting new horse on trial suitable for the service. To the Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables.

EXPENDITURE AUTHORIZED.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Fire-extinguishers, rope, canvas, etc. \$900 00

DESIGNATION OF COMPENSATION.

Borough of Manhattan.

Upholsterer Daniel D. Daly, Repair Shops, \$3 per diem, from 21st instant.

APRIL 14, 1899.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From Assistant Foreman Engine 9—Reporting the arrest on 13th instant of Samuel Hoffman, No. 6 Bayard street, for persistent violation of the fire-escape law.

From Egleston Brothers & Co.—Complaining of non-payment of bills for iron furnished the Department at Repair Shops. Reply communicated.

From W. W. Wilcox—Requesting to be informed of the length of the longest ladder in use by

the Department. Notified that Hook and Ladder Truck No. 20 is equipped with an extension ladder 89 feet long.

From the Association of Master Plumbers—Transmitting copy of resolution adopted by said association in relation to estimating on municipal plumbing work by its members. Copy forwarded Buildings Superintendent.

From H. W. Van Sciver, South Norwalk, Conn.—Requesting information respecting the value of "Kilfyre" as a fire-extinguisher. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 35—Reporting that premises No. 221 East One Hundred and Twelfth street have wooden ladder leading to roof. To the Department of Buildings.

From his Honor the Mayor—

1. Transmitting complaint from the Building Trades Council that members of the Uniformed Force are engaged in painting the fire-boat "Robert A. Van Wyck" (Engine 66). To the Chief of Department.

2. Transmitting complaint from Albert A. Volk, on behalf of the University Settlement Society of New York, concerning the neglect of the residents of tenement-houses on the lower east side to obey the ordinances relating to keeping fire-escapes free from obstruction. To the Chief of Department.

From the Building Code Commission—Transmitting copy of the following resolution, adopted by said Commission on the 10th instant:

Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to address a letter to the Fire Department and to the New York Board of Fire Underwriters, requesting them to communicate to this Commission their views defining the fire limits in all the boroughs of Greater New York.

To the Chief of Department.

From the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—Reporting dangerous condition of telegraph pole in front of Public School No. 91, Ogden avenue, Highbridge, Borough of The Bronx. To the Chief of Department.

From the Manhattan Refrigerating Company—Reporting that it is their intention to place a standpipe on the front of their building, Nos. 111 and 113 Horatio street, and requesting advice in connection with the matter. To the Chief of Department.

From Samuel B. Freeman, Westfield, Mass.—Respecting the merits of a smoke protector of his invention. To the Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 32—Reporting chimney fire at No. 76 South street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Patrick J. Ryan—Reporting storage of combustible material in basement of No. 46 Horatio street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Charles G. Moller—Complaining of defective flue at No. 98 Charles street. To the Fire Marshal.

From the General Electric Company—Transmitting bills for furnishing electric lighting plant to the fire-boats "Robert A. Van Wyck," "Zophar Mills" and "The New Yorker," under their contracts dated January 13, 1899. To the Foreman in charge of Repair Shops.

From Foreman Engine 3—Reporting new horse on trial suitable for the service. To the Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables.

BILLS AUDITED.

Borough of Manhattan.

Schedule 12 of 1899—
Apparatus, Supplies, etc..... \$1,974 50

Borough of Brooklyn.

Schedule 16 of 1899—
Apparatus, Supplies, etc..... \$2,519 51

Borough of Queens (Maintenance Volunteer System).

Schedule 14 of 1899—
Hollis..... \$107 37

Schedule 15 of 1899—
Flushing..... \$264 75

HEARING.

In the matter of the complaint of Horgan & Slattery, the official architects, that Patrick Gallagher, contractor for the erection of apparatus-house for the Fire Department at No. 22 East Twelfth street, is not performing the work and furnishing the materials of said contract in a workmanlike manner and in accordance with the specifications.

At the hearing before the Commissioner in the above matter, at 12 o'clock noon, this day, there being present Arthur J. Horgan of said firm of architects, the Buildings Superintendent and Patrick Gallagher, the contractor: upon reading and filing the complaint of said architects, under date of the 7th instant, that the said contractor is not doing the work on said building in a proper and workmanlike manner and not furnishing materials, as per the specifications of his contract, to the satisfaction of the architects, and the report of the Buildings Superintendent thereon, and after hearing the testimony of said Arthur J. Horgan of the firm of Horgan & Slattery, architects, the said contractor having refused to be sworn and testify in rebuttal, it was ordered by the Commissioner that the improper work and the materials done and furnished by the contractor in the construction of the walls of the building be removed and replaced by proper work and materials, in accordance with the specifications of the contract and as directed by the said architects, as provided in article 4 of said contract.

APRIL 15, 1899.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From his Honor the Mayor—Inclosing copy of communication from the Mexican Consul-General, requesting copies of regulations relating to the equipment for fire protection of theatres and other places of amusement in this city. Reply communicated.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Requesting the reason for the reinstatement of Albert W. Baillie as Oil Collector, Borough of Manhattan. Reply communicated.

From the Chief of Department—Respecting the application of Philip J. Britt, attorney, on behalf of Firemen John F. Galligan, John S. Wholey, James Sherry and Richard T. J. O'Keefe, for permission to sue the Metropolitan Street Railway Company for damages for injuries sustained by his clients January 12, 1899, at White and Centre streets, as the result of a collision of a car belonging to said company with the hose-wagon of Engine 31, and recommending that the same be granted. Recommendation approved.

From the Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Respecting the request of the Corporation Counsel for information concerning the claims of Machinists Carl Wegemann and Adolph O. Austin and Blacksmith's Helper George Gresser, for additional compensation for alleged services, and reporting the facts in each case. Copy forwarded Corporation Counsel.

From Joseph Hahn, attorney—Requesting information concerning an alleged member of the Uniformed Force. Reply communicated.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Department of Buildings—

1. Reporting that balconies have been ordered placed on fire-escapes in rear of premises No. 214 Clinton street.

2. Reporting obstructions on fire-escapes at No. 1921 Fulton street. Removed under direction of Foreman Engine 27.

From the Fire Marshal—Report of fires, week ending 15th instant.

From Foreman temporarily in charge Hospital and Training Stables—Reporting death of horse No. 557, Engine 3, 15th instant.

From the Far Rockaway Volunteer Fire Department—Forwarding copy of minutes of meeting held on 6th instant, showing election of Chief Engineer and two Assistants. Reply communicated.

From the Fabric Fire Hose Company—In relation to submitting proposals and furnishing hose wagons to the Woodhaven Volunteer Fire Department. Reply communicated.

From Janitress, No. 378 Seventh street—Concerning obstructions on fire-escapes of said house. Removed under the direction of Foreman Engine 39.

Referred.

From Assistant Foreman Engine 5—Recommending that additional fire-escapes be placed on Mansion House, Nos. 137-157 Hicks street, and Pierrepont House, Nos. 94-98 Montague street. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine 8—Reporting no balconies on fire-escapes of hotel No. 195 Fulton street. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine 14—

1. Reporting insufficient means of exit, Public School No. 41, Dean street and New York avenue. To the Department of Buildings.

2. Recommending additional fire-escapes, premises No. 665 St. Mark's avenue. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine 26—

1. Recommending that balcony fire-escapes be placed on rear of building southeast corner Flatbush avenue and Nevins street, and that there be made a scuttle on roof, with stairway leading to same. To the Department of Buildings.

2. Recommending that balconies be placed on fire-escapes of buildings Nos. 683, 685 and 701 Union street. To the Department of Buildings.

3. Recommending that the wire screens at windows of premises Nos. 121 and 123 Fourth avenue be so arranged as to permit of ready opening in case of fire. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 10—

1. Reporting no fire-escapes at No. 269 State street. To the Department of Buildings.

2. Recommending that balconies be placed on rear fire-escapes at No. 214 Clinton street. To the Department of Buildings.

3. Recommending that fire-escapes be placed as suggested on buildings Nos. 398, 422 to 432 and 484 Fulton street. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 15—Reporting no fire-escapes on the following buildings, Long Island City, Borough of Queens:

Nos. 106 and 108 Third street.

Nos. 54 and 59 Seventh street.

No. 87 Jackson avenue.

To the Department of Buildings.

From H. Roeff Planten—Complaining of lack of fire-escapes on the old part of the Adelphi College Building. To the Deputy Chief of Department in charge.

CHIMNEY FIRES.

From Foremen—

Engine 13, No. 108 Ainslie street and No. 511 Marcy avenue.

Engine 16, No. 85 Union avenue and No. 40 Scholes street.

Engine 19, No. 611 Vanderbilt avenue.

Engine 30, No. 248 Wallabout street.

Engine 35, No. 507 Gates avenue.

Engine 39, No. 272 Tenth street.

Hook and Ladder 9, No. 221 1/2 Twenty-first street.

To the Inspector of Combustibles.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS,
OFFICE OF CHIEF EXAMINER,
NEW YORK, May 4, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with requirements of section 284 of the Charter, I herewith transmit to you, for publication in the CITY RECORD of May 6, 1899, a list of applications received since April 27, 1899, for appointment to the position of Patrolman.

Yours respectfully,

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

Applications for Patrolman.

NAME.	ADDRESS.	OCCUPATION.
Joseph Muck.....	241 Second street, Manhattan Borough.....	Trimmer.
Richard C. Joyce.....	318 West Twenty-fifth street, Manhattan Borough.....	Inspector.
Joseph A. Halpin.....	347 West Twelfth street, Manhattan Borough.....	Driver.
James Bottems.....	1447 Fifth avenue, Manhattan Borough.....	"
James Golden.....	602 Wythe avenue, Brooklyn Borough.....	"
James W. Dalton.....	113 Nelson street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Plumber.
Francis J. Sweeney.....	65 Degraw street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Elevator man.
George Roduehkauser.....	293 St. Nicholas avenue, Brooklyn Borough.....	Conductor.
Oliver Mahoney.....	119 India street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Collector.
John B. Grosse.....	104 West One Hundred and Sixth street, Manhattan } Borough.....	Gas Inspector.
Julius Rings.....	347 East Forty-first street, Manhattan Borough.....	Driver.
William F. O'Connell.....	245 East Thirty-ninth street, Manhattan Borough.....	Clerk.
James F. Daly.....	30 Greenwich street, Manhattan Borough.....	Driver.
Ambrose Brady.....	17 Oliver street, Manhattan Borough.....	Clerk.
Philip Clarke.....	466 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan Borough.....	Coachman.
John P. Connaughton.....	236 East Thirty-eighth street, Manhattan Borough.....	"
Asbury E. Dingman.....	72 Main street, Philmont, Columbia County.....	Mill hand.
Julian R. Austin.....	Geneseo, Livingston County.....	Student.
Henry L. Stellmann.....	222 East Ninety-fifth street, Manhattan Borough.....	Piano maker.
Michael J. Hinckey.....	347 East Twenty-third street, Manhattan Borough.....	Stone cutter.
Gustavus H. Ringe.....	457 West Forty-seventh street, Manhattan Borough.....	Butcher.
Adam Stahl.....	84 Avenue C, Manhattan Borough.....	Hatter.
Patrick Ferguson.....	315 East Twentieth street, Manhattan Borough.....	Clerk.
Francis S. Leary.....	29 Huntington street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Inspector.
John A. O'Keefe.....	72 North Eighth street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Clerk.
Frank J. Sheran.....	87 Sands street, Brooklyn Borough.....	"
Joseph Lambrecht, Jr.....	578 Hicks street, Brooklyn Borough.....	"
Thomas F. Gaanon.....	608 Sterling place, Brooklyn Borough.....	Shoemaker.
George F. Meadows.....	143 North Eighth street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Gold stamper.
John J. McKenna.....	48 Montauk avenue, Brooklyn Borough.....	Bartender.
John H. Newman.....	553 Fifth avenue, Brooklyn Borough.....	Undertaker.
Francis J. Stowell.....	645 Douglas street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Plasterer.
John J. Lynch.....	253 Fortieth street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Laborer.
John Hannan, Jr.....	432 Hicks street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Elevator man.
Francis X. Ryan.....	232 Hull street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Guard.
Peter F. Gaffney.....	531 Marcy avenue, Brooklyn Borough.....	Plumber.
Thomas I. Wade.....	64 Twenty-second street, Whitestone, Queens Borough.....	U. S. Army.
Edward J. Lindsay.....	Livonia, Livingston County.....	Farmer.
Alexander Lewis.....	Amenia, Dutchess County.....	Section hand.
Richard J. Moriarty.....	611 East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, Bronx } Borough.....	Clerk.
Joseph S. Fitzgerald.....	327 East Ninetieth street, Manhattan Borough.....	Stone cutter.
Henry Hoffman.....	1592 Third avenue, Manhattan Borough.....	Waiter.
John F. Benkler.....	170 Avenue A, Manhattan Borough.....	Caterer.
Felix H. O'Hanlon.....	293 Union street.....	Cloth cutter.
Charles C. Wilson.....	219 Conover street, Brooklyn Borough.....	Soldier.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SYNOPSIS OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 29, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 1, 1899.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending April 29, 1899, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.
Central Office—Appointments, resignations, dismissals, etc., as per list attached. Proposals accepted as per list attached.

Appointments for week ending April 29, 1899.

April 18, 1899. Dunford, Michael P., Hospital Orderly, Randall's Island Asylum and Schools (Application No. 37; certified by C. S., April 15, 1899)..... \$300 00
May 1, " Daly, James, Nurse, Metropolitan Hospital (subject to Civil Service)..... 240 00

Salary Increased, week ending April 29, 1899.

May 1, 1899. Hurley, Catherine, Nurse, Metropolitan Hospital, from \$180 to \$300.

Resignation, week ending April 29, 1899.

April 17, 1899. McCarthy, James, Cook, Almshouse..... \$312 00
" 26, " Jones, William H., Assistant Cook, City Hospital..... 400 00

Dismissals, week ending April 29, 1899.

April 6, 1899. O'Leary, Emily, Nurse, Randall's Island Asylum and Schools (absence without leave)..... \$240 00
" 24, " Bain, Robert, Assistant Engineer, Bellevue Hospital (for striking an employee)..... 720 00
" 26, " Decker, Joseph P., Building Inspector, Central Office (insubordination), per day..... 5 00

The following proposals of March 27, 1899, are accepted April 24, 1899:

W. E. Burke, for
2 dozen 6/0 paint brushes, per dozen..... \$5 39
12 dozen lather brushes, per dozen..... 85
1 dozen trowels, brick, per dozen..... 4 00
2,000 feet 3/4-inch rubber hose, coupling and nozzles for each 50-foot length, granite 3-ply, per foot..... 09 1/2
16 coils 9-thread manila rope, per pound..... 09 3/4
2 coils 21-thread manila rope, per pound..... 08 3/4
1 coil 2-inch best manila bolt, per pound..... 10 1/2
2 coils 2 1/2-inch best manila bolt, per pound..... 10 1/2
4 coils 3-inch best manila bolt, per pound..... 10 1/2
1 coil 3 1/2-inch best manila bolt, per pound..... 10 1/2
1 coil 4-inch best manila bolt, per pound..... 10 1/2
200 pounds signal halliards, per pound..... 09 3/4
10 sets graining combs, per set..... 1 18
6 only iron wheelbarrows, each..... 4 00
3 coils 15 thread manila rope, per pound..... 08 3/4
R. F. Ferguson, for
1 dozen stencil brushes No. 3, per dozen..... 50
8 gross sewing machine needles, assorted, Singer & Co., per gross..... 11 50
2 gross B. wick, per gross..... 26 3/4
2 gross D. wick, per gross..... 42 3/4
400 yards A. wick, lot..... 2 65
George A. Haws, for
12 barrels engine oil (about 50 gallons), per gallon..... 17
American Manufacturing Company, for
2 coils 15-thread ratline, per pound..... 0887
Ficken Paint and Oil Company, for
12 dozen sash tools, No. 6, per dozen..... 60
12 dozen sash tools, No. 8, per dozen..... 56
8 dozen 3/0 varnish brushes, oval, per dozen..... 2 40
1 dozen roofing brushes, 3 knots with handles, per dozen..... 5 50
100 pounds lamp chalk, per pound..... 00 3/4
20 barrels whitening, about 6,400 pounds, Gilder's, per 100 pounds..... 57
100 pounds black lead, dry and pure, per pound..... 04 1/4
200 pounds Pulver's compound, 10-pound packages, 100 No. 0, 100 No. 2, per pound..... 119
Schieffelin & Co., for
2 gross feed cups, per gross..... 16 50
20 dozen razors, No. 752, W. & B., per dozen..... 5 25
150 pounds Persian insect powder, per pound..... 22
200 pounds coarse sponge, per pound..... 35
400 pounds ammonia water, per pound..... 03
50 pounds camphor, per pound..... 46
U. S. Trading Company, for
2 dozen varnish brushes, flat, per dozen..... 1 65
6 dozen lettering pencils, assorted, per dozen..... 20
2 dozen lettering brushes, 1 inch, per dozen..... 20
1 dozen stripping brushes, 1 3/4 inches, per dozen..... 30
25 gross handles mugs, per gross..... 6 23
8 gross male urinals, per gross..... 38 60
1 gross female urinals, per gross..... 38 60
1 gross pitchers, 1 pint, per gross..... 8 35
24 dozen railroad lantern globes, per dozen..... 44
30 dozen lamp chimneys, per dozen..... 48
2 dozen vegetable dishes, large, oval, per dozen..... 1 08
4 dozen vegetable dishes, side, per dozen..... 48
6 station lamps, each..... 17 50
4 dozen tubular lanterns, per dozen..... 3 70
500 pounds rattan, per pound..... 18
200 pounds reed, per pound..... 18
200 gross safety matches, per gross..... 44
8 dozen washboards, per dozen..... 3 45
4 dozen wash-tubs, galvanized, iron hoops, large, cedar, per dozen..... 8 98
James H. Shaw, for
1 gross earthen spittoons, per gross..... 36 00
12 dozen tubular lantern globes, D. & V., per dozen..... 35
2 dozen syrup pitchers, per dozen..... 1 40
2 dozen vinegar cruets, per dozen..... 1 46
1 dozen baking dishes, per dozen..... 1 02
4 dozen glass salts, individual, per dozen..... 95
20 dozen 5-inch gas globes, per dozen..... 1 25
6 dozen smoke bells, per dozen..... 1 35
3 dozen yellow pie-plates, 14-inch, per dozen..... 57
1 dozen glass fruit-dishes, per dozen..... 1 50
3 dozen preserve dishes, per dozen..... 22
1 dozen china bowls, per dozen..... 3 15
12 dozen student lamp chimneys, per dozen..... 24
24 dozen Argand lamp chimneys, per dozen..... 24
6 dozen individual butters, Department pat., per dozen..... 67
John Spencer Davis, for
4 dozen mustard pots, with spoon, per dozen..... 74
6 dozen iron cooking spoons, 2 dozen each, large, small and medium, per dozen..... 29
6-12 dozen jap. trays, oval, 18-inch, No. 395, per dozen..... 1 72
2 dozen boning knives, per dozen..... 1 74
1 agate kettle for butter, L. & G., No. 2, per dozen..... 74
6 agate 4-quart saucepans, with covers, L. & G., No. 306, per dozen..... 39
6 agate 1-quart saucepans, with covers, L. & G., No. 381, per dozen..... 21
8 dozen flesh forks retinned, 4 each 15-inch and 24-inch, 3 prongs, per dozen..... 1 13

R. C. Ogden, for
7 dozen pitchers, 3-quart, per dozen..... \$6 10
6 dozen pitchers, 4 1/2-quart, per dozen..... 7 90
6 dozen carving knives, per dozen..... 7 65
24 dozen 5-inch gas globe holders, per dozen..... 37
1 dozen lantern burners, complete, per dozen..... 55
20 pounds ball lamp-black, per pound..... 13
4-12 dozen gravy bowls, Department pattern, per dozen..... 2 75
4 dozen side vegetable dishes, per dozen..... 1 43
2 dozen soup stock pots, with covers and faucet, No. 112, per dozen..... 3 05
2-12 dozen preserve kettles, No. 6, L. & G., per dozen..... 2 90
1 dozen kitchen spoons, large, No. 14, L. & G., per dozen..... 99
2-12 dozen 1-quart measures, No. 04, L. & G., per dozen..... 2 90
2-12 dozen 1-pint measures, No. 03, L. & G., per dozen..... 2 20
2-12 dozen egg poachers, Silver's, 6-ring, per dozen..... 3 25
1 4-12 dozen funnels, No. 04, L. & G., per dozen..... 2 05
3,600 Dennison's tags, 5 G., per 1,000..... 41 1/4
Osborne & Burke Company, for
1 set buggy harness, per set..... 45 00
1 dozen ambulance side lamps, each..... 8 00
2 60-pound weights, each..... 3 00
6 rolls lamp wick, round, per roll..... 10
Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict, for
2 typewriters, Remington No. 6, each..... 87 75
Thomas J. Dreher, for
6 sets patent harness, single, per set..... 55 00
3 sets patent harness, double, per set..... 70 00
T. L. Smith & Co., for
30 stable blankets, each..... 98
2 dozen halters with chains, per dozen..... 5 00
4 dozen jointed bits, per dozen..... 2 25
1 dozen horse boots, 1/2 dozen each, F. & H., per dozen..... 4 50
1 Dutch collar with clasp on side, each..... 4 00
Bloomingdale Bros., for
750 pounds 6 1/2 yarn, per pound..... 15
250 pounds 10 1/2 yarn, per pound..... 16 1/2
Boogher Boiler Compound Company, for
2 barrels of Boogher compound (about 50 gallons), per gallon..... 75
F. Bonsall, for
2 dozen lath hatchets, No. 2, per dozen..... 2 90
5 dozen carpenter's claw hammers, per dozen..... 2 69
6 gross hat and coat hooks, No. 210, per gross..... 2 35
2 dozen putty knives, per dozen..... 1 24
3 large coffee mills, No. 16, each..... 26 59
10 sets auger bits, 3 1/2, extra bits, 13, 1 each 4 to 16-16, per set..... 1 35
1 dozen planes bead, 3/8 to 3/4, per dozen..... 3 90
3-12 dozen steel scrapers, per dozen..... 3 00
3-12 dozen steel brushes, per dozen..... 3 00
2 meat cutters, Home No. 2, each..... 1 23
70 pounds blind staples, 3/8 and 3/4, per pound..... 06
2 dozen saws, rip, Diston No. 9, 16 to 22 inches, lot..... 23 59
3 dozen cross-cut saws, No. 9, 16 to 22 inches, lot..... 35 38
West Disinfecting Company, for
4 barrels chlor. naphtholeum, per gallon..... 90
40 gallons ex. refining disinfectant, per gallon..... 1 25
American Lumber Company, for
8 bundles dows, 2 bundles, 3/4-inch by 3 feet 6 inches; 2 bundles, 1/2-inch by 3 feet 6 inches; 4 bundles, 3/8-inch by 3 feet 6 inches; per bundle..... 1 25
360 square feet clear white pine sheathing, T. & G., 1 1/8-inch, 4 1/2-inch by 16 feet long, both sides dressed and beaded, per square foot..... 06
Max Franks, for
3 sets wagon harness, per set..... 22 00
1 set single harness, per set..... 20 00
Kny, Sheerer & Co., for
1 baby scale, E 1913, K. S., catalogue, each..... 35 00
1 water sterilizer, Kny, 25-gallon, each..... 240 00
2 dozen wristlets, Humane Society; 1 dozen belts, Humane Society; lot..... 52 80
1 bowl stand with bowl and socket, Fig. 17339, each..... 28 00
2 wheel tables, K. S., catalogue, Fig. 16803..... 28 00
1 Formaldehyde fumigator, No. 2, K. S., catalogue..... 85 00
4 each por. trays, 9 1/4 by 7, 11 by 9, lot..... 8 00
4 dozen milk sterilizer bottles, K. S., catalogue, per dozen..... 50
4-12 dozen steel por. pitchers, Fig. 17550, K. S., catalogue, lot..... 4 34
1/2 dozen dressing basins, Fig. 17868, K. S., catalogue, per dozen..... 7 80
2 irrigators, K. S., catalogue, each..... 32 50
2 dressing buckets, K. S., catalogue, Fig. 17635, each..... 1 10
J. W. Cokefair, for
6-12 dozen silver-plated call bells, sectional plate, with monogram stamped, per dozen..... 7 00
Excelsior Varnish Works, for
70 gallons asphaltum varnish, per gallon..... 48
F. W. McGurk, for
1 underwriter fire extinguisher, each..... 12 00
Bruce & Cook, for
6 bundles No. 14 Russia sheet-iron, per pound..... 10
5,000 pounds galvanized sheet-iron, No. 24, 24 by 84, per pound..... 04
1,800 pounds com. sheet-iron, 24 by 84, per pound..... 026
2,000 pounds R. G. sheet-iron, Nos. 22 and 24, 24 by 84, per pound..... 02 3/4
200 sheets zinc, No. 9, 36 by 84..... 08 1/4
36 sheets trimmed sheet-copper, 16-ounce, per pound..... 25
700 pounds block-tin, per pound..... 25
30 sheets tinned copper, 4 feet by 11 inches, 16-ounce, per pound..... 25
Murtagh & McCarthy, for
1 cargo of sand (about 300 cubic yards), per cubic yard..... 65
400 oven tiles, 12 by 12, each..... 18
R. B. Reinhardt, for
4 dozen shoe rasps, 3/8-inch, 1/2-inch, per dozen..... 1 65
2 sewing machines, W. & W., No. 15, each..... 29 00
3 sewing machines, Singer, No. 27, each..... 39 90
8 gross sewing-machine needles, W. & W., per gross..... 1 65
100 pounds beeswax, yellow, lump, per pound..... 25
J. C. Eames, for
6 dozen carving forks, per dozen..... 5 87 1/2
10 dozen carpenter's 2-foot rules, per dozen..... 60
12 dozen corkscrews, per dozen..... 30
48 dozen Ward thermometers, per dozen..... 60
2 gross tailor's thimbles, per gross..... 60
3 gross hooks and eyes, each 3 and 4, per gross..... 44
100 dozen shoe-blackening, Bixby, No. 3, per dozen..... 32
3 gross crayon, school, per gross..... 06
4 gross crayon, tailor's, red, white, blue and black, per gross..... 44
50 pounds hair pins, per pound..... 05 1/2
2 dozen razor straps, per dozen..... 1 00
167 dozen fans (4 cases, 500 each), lot..... 13 00
75 dozen spectacles, Nos. 6 to 24, each dozen, per dozen..... 42
R. H. Luthin, for
2 dozen pans harness dressing, per dozen..... 1 70
15 gallons indelible ink, per gallon..... 6 30
40 gallons liquid dryer, per gallon..... 42
70 gallons copal varnish, per gallon..... 45
30 gallons furniture varnish, per gallon..... 42
60 gallons hard-oil varnish, per gallon..... 60
4 plates of glass for operating tables, 19 by 8 3/4 by 9-16 inches thick, smooth edges on one end, small corner rounded, 1/2 inch in circumference, each..... 2 00
16 rolls tar-felt roofing, double thick, per roll..... 95
J. F. Havermeier & Co., for
8 barrels lard oil (about 50 gallons) per gallon..... 35
10 gallons crude oil, per gallon..... 16
J. A. Bumsted, for
110 rolls green wire cloth, 24 by 36, per square foot..... 0124
6 reams sand paper, 1/2-O, 1-1/2, 2-1, 1 1/2-1 1/2, 1/2-2, 1/2-3, per ream..... 1 75

4 dozen hay forks, per dozen.....	\$2 70
2 dozen garden spades, No. 3, per dozen.....	10 41
20 dozen carpenters' pencils, per dozen.....	15
2 dozen hair clippers, B. & S. 1, 2 and 3, per dozen.....	31 49
10 dozen brass padlocks, assorted, per dozen.....	4 15
6-12 dozen scythe snaths, O. O. pattern, per dozen.....	5 40
6-12 dozen trowels, 5-inch, per dozen.....	1 85
3 dozen Troy pol irons, per dozen.....	3 25
1 dozen auger braces, 14-inch sweep, per dozen.....	5 39
3 dozen screw drivers, 1 dozen 8-inch, 1 dozen 10-inch, 1 dozen 12-inch, Sergeant's No. 60, lot.....	6 75
6 dozen ice picks, per dozen.....	75
1 Eclipse door spring, each.....	1 68
2 dozen hair clipper spring, B. & S. assorted, per dozen.....	60
4 dozen wardrobe locks, per dozen.....	1 67
3 dozen rim locks, per dozen.....	1 85
4 dozen closet locks, per dozen.....	75
4 dozen sash fasteners, No. 8000, per dozen.....	44
1 dozen spoke shaves, No. 2, per dozen.....	95
3-12 dozen ratchet braces, No. 129, 10-inch sweep, per dozen.....	5 50
6 tinner's hand snips, No. 1, each.....	1 62
4 dozen 4-inch mortise locks, complete, No. 553, per dozen.....	3 00
4 dozen 3-inch mortise locks, complete, No. 5010, per dozen.....	2 25
2 dozen shelf brackets, assorted, 6 by 8, 7 by 9, 6 by 9, No. 790, Stanley, lot.....	1 80
1 dozen back flaps, as sample, per dozen.....	30
3 dozen double-action, brass screen butts, 4-inch, per dozen.....	6 75
6 gross bull-dog clips, per gross.....	3 49
6-12 dozen saw sets, Leach, No. 0, per dozen.....	4 25
6-12 dozen carpenter's punches, 10-inch, per dozen.....	3 25
1 dozen wooden handle screws, 1-inch screw, 9 inches open, per dozen.....	3 75
2-12 dozen Rose bits for iron, 1/2-inch, C. S., per dozen.....	1 20
6-12 dozen monkey wrenches, 10-inch, Coe's, per dozen.....	6 00
6-12 dozen cold chisels, assorted, per dozen.....	2 40
6-12 dozen counter-sinks, per dozen.....	1 20
1-12 dozen fillisters, No. 149 R. & I., each.....	1 40
3-12 dozen carpenter's gauges, per dozen.....	80
2 dozen nail sets, regular assorted, per dozen.....	50
1 dozen pairs loose butts, 5 by 5, per dozen.....	1 75
1 gross iron skewers, tinned, per gross.....	1 45
1 10 gallon boiler, heavy, each.....	3 25
10 stones annealed wire, No. 18, lot.....	4 80

The following proposals of March 27, 1899, are accepted April 24, 1899:

J. Dixon, Jr., for	
383 dozen men's straw hats, per dozen.....	\$0 97 1/2
Manhattan Supply Company, for	
292 women's straw hats, per dozen.....	2 40
J. C. Eames, for	
408 pairs suspenders, per pair.....	07 1/2

The following proposal of March 27, 1899, is accepted, and contract awarded April 24, 1899:

H. T. Wakeman, for	
6 Ambulance bells, 11 inches, each.....	\$17 99
2 dozen bench hatchets, per dozen.....	5 50
12 dozen files, key, assorted, per dozen.....	75
3 dozen manure forks, 4 prongs, per dozen.....	4 50
2 dozen garden hoes, per dozen.....	2 60
15 gross screw hooks, assorted, 1, 3, 5, 9, 11, per gross.....	50
15 gross screw eyes, assorted, 1, 3, 5, 9, 11, per gross.....	30
200 sail needles, lot.....	2 00
3 dozen hay rakes, wood, per dozen.....	2 00
1 small coffee mill, No. 7, each.....	5 50
60 dozen pairs iron butts, lot.....	15 00
20 dozen iron padlocks, No. 1058, per dozen.....	1 75
2 dozen scythe stones, der dozen.....	90
6-12 dozen lamp trimmers, per dozen.....	3 60
4 dozen iron basting spoons, per dozen.....	1 00
1 dozen hand-truck wheels, per dozen.....	6 50
1 dozen planes, jack, per dozen.....	5 75
1 dozen planes, fore, per dozen.....	8 20
1 dozen planes, smoothing, per dozen.....	4 80
1 dozen planes, match, 1/2, 3/8, 1/2, 3/4, 1.....	10 80
1,500 pounds mattress wire, No. 20, per pound.....	05
1,200 bolts, 5 inches by 3/8, per 100.....	5 00
4-12 dozen waffle irons, oval, per dozen.....	9 00
1-12 dozen horse clippers, each.....	2 00
6-12 dozen wire dish cloths, per dozen.....	2 00
2-12 dozen pancake turners, 18 inches, No. 160, per dozen.....	25
12 dozen plain brass door knobs, per dozen.....	5 50
6 dozen key blanks, brass, per dozen.....	50
8 4-light gas-fixtures, No. 9384, each.....	12 00
2 plain pudding moulds, No. 10, each.....	1 00
6-12 dozen pudding dishes, per dozen.....	6 00
3 dozen 3-inch blue point S hooks, No. 7, per dozen.....	25
6-12 dozen Yale Spring locks, per dozen.....	18 00
1 dozen pruning knives, per dozen.....	18 00
1/2 gross harness hooks, per gross.....	9 60
1 dozen Ice-box catches, per dozen.....	12 00
1 bar knife, steel, lot.....	2 50
1 dozen tailor's iron (goose), 18 pounds, per pound.....	04 1/2
24 dozen sash pulleys, per pound.....	30
1 dozen pairs brass hinges, per dozen pairs.....	2 00
3 dozen pairs brass socket castors, lot.....	34 00
1 dozen double plain irons, per dozen.....	3 00
3 copper bolts, 2 feet by 1 1/2 inches (20 pounds), per pound.....	25
6 dozen bronze H. & C. hooks, No. 215, lot.....	2 00
6-12 dozen 12-inch chain bolts, per dozen.....	2 50
3 dozen brass rods, 3/4 by 28, per dozen.....	6 00
3 dozen noiseless socket castors, per dozen.....	6 00
1 gross door buttons, No. 2, per gross.....	1 50
2 gross brass hooks and eyes, per gross.....	4 00
1 pair grocery scales, per pair.....	8 25
1 dozen dough scrapers, per dozen.....	3 00
6-12 dozen bench screws, per dozen.....	3 00
3 dozen ceiling hooks, No. 120, per dozen.....	50
3 dozen door catches, 2 1/2 inches, No. 28, per dozen.....	2 50
3 copper ice lemon moulds, 1 quart, per dozen.....	2 00
10 boxes tin, 12 by 12, per box.....	8 50
6-12 dozen covered slop pails, 4 gallons, per dozen.....	3 25
1-12 dozen tea urns, 6 gallon, lot.....	2 50
6-12 dozen round trays, 12 inches, per dozen.....	2 50
2-12 dozen 6-gallon pots, figure 24, per dozen.....	7 00
4-12 dozen 9-gallon pots, figure 36, per dozen.....	9 00
2 dozen carpenter's oil stones, per dozen.....	3 60
150 pounds powdered rotten stone, per pound.....	04
6 dinner bells, 6 inches, each.....	49
3 dinner bells, 10 inches, each.....	74
2-12 dozen potato slicers, per dozen.....	6 00
3-12 dozen wire salad shakers, per dozen.....	6 00
3-12 dozen pastry jiggers, per dozen.....	6 00
1 platform truck, each.....	9 50
2,000 flower pots, lot.....	45 00
6 baker peels, 14 inches, iron blade, each.....	3 50
2 hand trucks, Ames, No. 4, each.....	5 75
1 grate charm, per pound.....	10
1 fire pot, per pound.....	10
3 stove skillets, each.....	50
3 potato fry baskets, each.....	1 00
2 Yorkshire oven pans, each.....	1 25
1 pancake griddle, each.....	50

100 pieces mica, 6 by 4, lot.....	\$7 00
5 sheet-iron broilers, each.....	1 00
1 double tea boiler, each.....	2 00
1 double coffee boiler, each.....	2 00
4 soup stock pots, 8 gallon, each.....	3 20
24 packages stove bolts, 1/4-inch screw heads, each.....	50
6 wire cutters, lot.....	6 00
10 papers copper rivets and burrs, assorted, No. 8 paper, per paper.....	25

The following proposal of March 27, 1899, is accepted and contract awarded April 24, 1899:

D. J. Barry, for	
20 gross each, cups and saucers, per gross.....	8 74
1 gross pitchers, 1-quart, per gross.....	9 47
3 gross pitchers, 2-quart, per gross.....	11 44
2 gross pitchers, 3-quart, per gross.....	14 88
20 gross dinner plates, per gross.....	5 92
15 gross soup plates, per gross.....	5 37
6 gross bed pans, per gross.....	48 00
10 dozen glass salts, per dozen.....	99
10 dozen glass peppers, per dozen.....	99
2 dozen glass celery dishes, per dozen.....	1 50
1 dozen soap dishes, per dozen.....	2 48
1 dozen pitchforks, per dozen.....	2 96
2 dozen garden rakes, curved teeth, iron, per dozen.....	3 49
1/2 dozen garden rakes, straight teeth, iron, per dozen.....	3 47
1 dozen horse rasps, 18-inch, per dozen.....	88
1 dozen squeezers, large, long handled, per dozen.....	2 92
24 dozen blank keys, steel, per dozen.....	28
200 dozen papers carpet tacks, half weight, 2 to 12 ounce, lot.....	22 49
6 dozen boxes tapers, per dozen.....	38
2 dozen argand burners, per dozen.....	75
100 cases toilet cases, per case.....	1 63
5 gross fly paper, tanglefoot, per gross.....	1 47
6 clothes wringers, large, universal, No. 12, each.....	16 87
50 dozen silver-plated forks, mon. stamped, per dozen.....	1 97
52 dozen silver-plated tea spoons, mon. stamped, per dozen.....	87
52 dozen silver-plated table spoons, mon. stamped, per dozen.....	1 88
2 dozen silver-plated sugar spoons, mon. stamped, per dozen.....	1 98
12 dozen silver-plated dessert spoons, mon. stamped, per dozen.....	1 78
3 dozen silver-plated butter knives, mon. stamped, per dozen.....	1 88
1 dozen silver-plated pickle forks, mon. stamped, per dozen.....	1 78

J. McKee Borden, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Know all men by these presents, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 1991 of the Consolidation Act, as amended, regulating sales at public auction of books, printed and other articles in said section specified, when made at hours other than between sunrise and sunset, and requiring public notice of the time and place of the exhibition of such articles to be given by advertisement for at least one day immediately preceding such exhibition, I, Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor of The City of New York, do hereby designate the "New York Journal and Advertiser," the "New York Daily News" and "The New York Times," as the newspapers in which the advertisement aforesaid may be printed when the sales aforesaid are to be made in the boroughs of Manhattan or the Bronx, and I do hereby designate the "Brooklyn Daily Eagle" and the "Brooklyn Citizen" as the newspapers in which the advertisement aforesaid may be printed when the sales aforesaid are made in the Borough of Brooklyn, and I do hereby revoke all designations heretofore made for this purpose.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 4th day of May, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

[SEAL.]

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week ending April 29, 1899.

Barometer.

DATE.	APRIL.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	23	30.140	30.044	30.022	30.069	30.164	0 A. M.	30.008	6 P. M.
Monday,	24	30.080	30.060	30.034	30.058	30.096	9 A. M.	30.004	12 P. M.
Tuesday,	25	29.990	29.900	29.842	29.911	30.004	0 A. M.	29.836	6 P. M.
Wednesday,	26	29.830	29.822	29.860	29.837	29.888	12 P. M.	29.800	4 P. M.
Thursday,	27	30.022	30.092	30.178	30.097	30.196	11 P. M.	29.888	0 A. M.
Friday,	28	30.194	30.146	30.140	30.160	30.200	8 A. M.	30.130	12 P. M.
Saturday,	29	30.170	30.110	30.110	30.130	30.174	9 A. M.	30.098	4 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 30.037 inches.
Maximum " at 8 A. M., April 28th..... 30.200
Minimum " at 4 P. M., April 26th..... 29.800
Range "..... .400 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	APRIL.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.			MAXIMUM.			
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.	
Sunday,	23	48	45	70	60	65	59	61.0	54.6	73	4 P. M.	63	4 P. M.	47	5 A. M.	43	0 A. M.	113.	2 P. M.
Monday,	24	55	51	62	55	56	52	57.6	52.6	65	5 P. M.	59	5 P. M.	53	12 P. M.	51	12 P. M.	104.	1 P. M.
Tuesday,	25	54	52	73	67	66	61	64.3	60.0	73	4 P. M.	67	2 P. M.	51	5 A. M.	50	5 A. M.	114.	1 P. M.
Wednesday,	26	61	60	74	67	68	65	67.6	64.0	78	4 P. M.	70	4 P. M.	60	6 A. M.	59	6 A. M.	120.	12 M.
Thursday,	27	54	52	62	56	55	51	57.0	53.0	66	4 P. M.	60	0 A. M.	52	12 P. M.	49	12 P. M.	110.	1 P. M.
Friday,	28	50	48	63	54	56	53	56.3	51.6	65	5 P. M.	56	5 P. M.	47	6 A. M.	46	6 A. M.	111.	1 P. M.
Saturday,	29	54	52	69	62	61	59	61.3	57.6	71	4 P. M.	64	4 P. M.	49	2 A. M.	48	2 A. M.	111.	1 P. M.

Dry Bulb.										Wet Bulb.									
Mean for the week										56.2 degrees.									
Maximum " at 4 P. M., 26th.....										70 "									
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 28th.....										43 "									
Range "										27 "									

Mean for the week..... Dry Bulb. 60.7 degrees. Wet Bulb. 56.2 degrees.
Maximum " at 4 P. M., 26th..... 78 " at 4 P. M., 26th..... 70 "
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 28th..... 47 " at 0 A. M., 23d..... 43 "
Range "..... 31 "..... 27 "

Wind.

DATE. APRIL.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 P. M. to 7 A. M.	7 A. M. to 2 P. M.	2 P. M. to 9 P. M.	Distance for the day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	23...	WSW	SW	WSW	71	54	61	186	½	¾	0	1¼	2.20 P. M.
Monday,	24...	NE	NE	E	42	58	38	138	¼	0	0	1	8.30 A. M.
Tuesday,	25...	ESE	S	SW	11	29	46	86	0	¼	½	1½	2.40 P. M.
Wednesday,	26...	WNW	ENE	NNW	52	37	19	108	0	0	0	½	2.50 A. M.
Thursday,	27...	NNE	NE	E	77	79	57	213	0	¾	0	3¼	8.10 A. M.
Friday,	28...	NNE	SE	SSE	46	33	45	124	0	¾	0	¾	1.40 P. M.
Saturday,	29...	WNW	S	S	16	49	53	118	0	¾	0	1¼	5.20 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 973 miles.
Maximum force..... 3 1/4 pounds.

DATE.	APRIL.	Hygrometer.				Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.				
		FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.
Sunday,	23	.260	.385	.420	.355	77	52	68	65	0	0	5 Cu.	0
Monday,	24	.321	.340	.335	.332	74	61	74	69	3 Cir.	4 Cir.	6 Cir.	0
Tuesday,	25	.362	.581	.470	.477	86	71	73	76	5 Cir.	0	3 Cir.	0
Wednesday,	26	.505	.568	.577	.550	94	67	84	81	4 Cir.	4 Cir.	10	3
Thursday,	27	.362	.369	.321	.350	86	66	74	75	4 Cir. Cu	4 Cir. Cu	0	2
Friday,	28	.309	.298	.363	.323	85	52	81	72	0	1 Cir.	0	2
Saturday,	29	.362	.462	.473	.432	86	65	83	79	4 Cu.	0	0	0

Total amount of water for the week..... 0 inch.
Duration for the week..... 0 hours 0 minutes.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Sunday, April 23	Calm, pleasant.....	Calm, pleasant.
Monday, " 24	Calm, pleasant.....	Mild, hazy.
Tuesday, " 25	Mild, hazy.....	Mild, pleasant.
Wednesday, " 26	Close, hazy.....	Warm, close.
Thursday, " 27	Cool, pleasant.....	Mild, pleasant.
Friday, " 28	Mild, pleasant.....	Warm, pleasant.
Saturday, " 29	Calm, hazy, dew.....	Mild, pleasant.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES,
PIER "A," N. R., BATTERY PLACE,
NEW YORK, May 5, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to section 1546 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I beg to advise that, at a meeting of the Board of Docks held April 28, 1899, the following actions were taken in regard to employees:

The resignation of John T. Guy, Stenographer and Typewriter, was accepted, to take effect April 30, 1899.

John J. Shanahan, John McMahon and Merwin J. Page, Dock Builders, were discharged for intoxication.

Yours respectfully,

WM. H. BURKE, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, May 5, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—The following appointments, etc., in this Department, from April 28 to date, are forwarded for publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to resolution adopted by the Police Board on January 10, 1898:

SPECIAL PATROLMEN.

Appointed.

Walter P. Pitt, for Professor E. Crawford.
Mario De Vito, for Michael Woods.
Benjamin Lubertoff, for Leopold Cohn.
Theodore Theile, for G. Leinbacker.
James McGrath, for John T. Rowe.
George Faust, for S. Webber Parker.
Abram Brinkerhoff, for J. G. Jenkins.
Adolph Jacobs, for Frederick Mayser.

Resigned.

Henry Niehoff.

Appointment Revoked.

Charles Jones.

Appointed Carpenters, at \$3.50 per Day.

William Pool.

John E. Willis.

Appointed Painter, at \$3.50 per Day.

Charles Nelson.

Appointed Plumbers, at \$3.75 per Day.

Patrick J. Kelly.

John J. Duane.

Resigned.

Matron Annie Cox.

Retired Officer.

Patrolman Albert E. Robbins, Third Precinct, \$700 per annum.

Appointed Matrons, at \$800 per Year.

Annie Green.

Amelia E. Byrnes.

Anna C. Lyons.

Bridget Marren.

Marcella Pennea.

Mollie Sheridan.

Mary E. Smith.

Annie X. Boylan.

A. Harriet Flynn.

Annie Cox.

Caroline M. Fox.

Mary E. Stiesi.

Sarah A. Kavanagh.

Minnie Lynch.

Mary Duffy.

Julia O'Sullivan.

Ada R. Bearry.

Sophie L. Matern.

Ella J. McLaughlin.

Gillard Hargrave.

Sarah Meagher.

Mary F. Quinn.

Carrie Brown.

Mary Cleary.

(List heretofore sent reconsidered and present list substituted).

Respectfully,

WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS.

No. 326.

Resolved, That the Police Board be and they hereby are authorized to establish a sub-station on the premises of the North Beach Bowery Bay Building and Improvement Company at North Beach, Borough of Queens, for the temporary detention of prisoners and such other purposes as may be required by the Police Department, the expenses for the same to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department purposes.

Adopted by the Council, October 11, 1898.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 11, 1899.

Approved by the Mayor, April 24, 1899.

No. 327.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Netter 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 Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, 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 all ordinances 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, March 7, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, April 11, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 25, 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. 328.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jean P. Wirtz to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the southeast corner of Twenty-eighth street and Sixth avenue, 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 all ordinances 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, March 7, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, April 11, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 25, 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. 329.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Addiego to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the southeast corner of Eighteenth street and Sixth avenue, 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 all ordinances 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, March 7, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, April 11, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 25, 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. 330.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas J. Quinn 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 Thirty-third street and Sixth avenue, 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 all ordinances 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, March 7, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, April 11, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 25, 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. 331.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richard Fuller 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 Thirty-third street and Sixth avenue, 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 all ordinances 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, March 7, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, April 11, 1899.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 25, 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. 332.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jane Mallen Felton 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 Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, 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 all ordinances 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, March 7, 1899.

Adopted by the Council, April 11, 1899.

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BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,

CITY OF NEW YORK,

Nos. 13-21 PARK ROW,

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,

NEW YORK, May 4, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—I hereby notify you of the following-named appointment this day made in the Topographical Bureau of this office, by transfer from the Department of Sewers, Borough of The Bronx, viz.:

A. C. Huebner, No. 645 East One Hundred

and Fifty-fifth street, at \$1,000 per year.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND,

THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,

May 4, 1899.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to report the following action,

taken in connection with employees of this Department, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond:

Appointed.

E. C. Monahan, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Ridgewood avenue, with team.

Respectfully,

WILLIS HOLLY,

Secretary, Park Board.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9

A. M. to 12 M.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. GEORGE W.

BROWN, Jr., Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn;
WILLIAM H. JORDAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.
Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM H. McCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.
Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City; PETER FLANAGAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Queens.

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WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor; SOLON BERRICK, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

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THE COUNCIL.

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

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

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Borough of Queens.

FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.
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Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.
Office of the President, First National Bank Building,
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No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. HORS, Public Administrator.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209 Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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WILLIAM MCKINNY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Brooklyn.
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EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
JOHN KELLEHER, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan.
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JOHN F. ROGERS, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.
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JOHN B. UNDERHILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of The Bronx.
JAMES B. BOUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.
FREDERICK W. BLACKWENN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.
MATTHEW S. TULLY, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

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Department of Highways.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy and Chief Engineer for Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Sewers.

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WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn.
MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of Queens.
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Department of Bridges.

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HARRY BEAM, Deputy for Brooklyn.
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Department of Water Supply.

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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JAMES H. HASLIN, Deputy Commissioner.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.
W. G. BYRNE, Water Register.
JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building.
WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Queens, Old Town Hall, Flushing.
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Department of Street Cleaning.

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

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

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

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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.
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WILLIAM J. CARR, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

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Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street.
ADRIAN T. KIERNAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Bureau of Street Openings.

Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.
JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

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No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Central Office.

Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN W. KELLER, President of the Board; Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Deputy Commissioner.
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens.
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Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
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Central Office.

No. 148 East Twentieth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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JAMES DALE, Deputy Chief, in Charge of Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
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Office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.
Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, Richmond Hall, New Brighton, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond. Branch office: Room 1, second floor, Town Hall, Jamaica, Long Island, Borough of Queens.

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Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
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Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
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Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TEALE, Magistrate.
Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
Fifth District—Ewen and Powers streets. ANDREW LEMON, Magistrate.
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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.
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KINGS COUNTY TREASURER.

Court-house, Room 14.
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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.

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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.
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Supreme Court, Part I, Criminal Trial Term.
Held in the building for Criminal Courts. Court opens at 10:30 A. M.
EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

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

COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

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

QUEENS COUNTY COURT.

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

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands, New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.

WAUHOPE LYNN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourthteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.

HERMANN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.

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

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

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

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

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

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.
Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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

FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. ADOLPH N. DUMAHAUT, Clerk.
Borough of the Bronx.

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

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

JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice. HOWARD SPEAR, Clerk.
Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM SCHNITZPAHN, 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 FURGUESON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Borough of Queens.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).

THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week day. Court held each day, except Saturday.

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

WILLIAM T. MONTEVERDE, Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—JAMES F. MCLOUGHLIN, Justice; GEO. W. DAMON, Clerk.
Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.

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

JOHN J. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.
Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M.

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

ALBERT REYNOLD, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.
Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH SIMONSON, County Clerk.

SHERIFF.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Port Richmond, S. I.
EDWARD S. RAWSON, District Attorney.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, QUEENS COUNTY.

GEORGE W. DAVISON, District Attorney.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

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

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

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

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor, City Record.
NOVEMBER 28, 1898.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

AN ADJOURNED SPECIAL MEETING 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, May 10, 1899, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., to consider the question of salaries of the Professors, and for the transaction of other business.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, May 4, 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 F. STILLINGS,

WARREN W. FOSTER,

CHARLES A. JACKSON,

Commissioners.

LAMONT MCLOUGHLIN,

Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,

New York, May 5, 1899.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TWO HUNDRED (200) TONS OF CANNEL COAL, 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, MAY 17, 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 the kind known as "Weir-wick" Cannel Coal, all to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be hand picked and free from slate.

All of the coal is to be delivered at the various Fuel Depots and Engine-houses 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 and under such regulations as the Fire Commissioner may prescribe. All as more fully set forth on the specifications to the contract, to which particular attention is directed.

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

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

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, 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.

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

The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, 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 Eleven Hundred (\$1,100) Dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself 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 before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of The City of New York, or money to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Fifty-five (\$55) Dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or 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.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,

Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS WITHIN THAT PART OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK NOW KNOWN AS THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROUGH OF UNPAID ASSESSMENTS.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS
AND ARREARS OF TAXES,
ASSESSMENTS AND WATER RENTS,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
May 6, 1899.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller of The City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of section 1027 of the Greater New York Charter:

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements within that part of The City of New York now known as the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, on which assessments for local improvements, including those confirmed by a Court of Record, have been laid, and confirmed according to law, now remaining unpaid, and which were confirmed during the year 1895 and prior thereto, are required to pay the amount of the assessment or assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office in the Department of Finance, Room No. 35, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and the advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 6th day of September, 1899, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the lowest term of years for which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid and the interest and charges thereon as aforesaid, and all other costs and charges that may have accrued thereon; and such sale shall be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements as advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the assessments, the ownership of the property assessed, and on which the assessments are due and unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Department of Finance, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

EDWARD GILON,

Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS, in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD.

FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, both sides, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 37 to 40, inclusive, of Block No. 1594; Lots numbered 34 to 36, inclusive, of Block No. 1599; Lots numbered 69 and 70 of Block No. 1616; Lots numbered 71 and 72, of Block No. 1618; Lots numbered 2 and 72, of Block No. 1620; Lot No. 70 of Block No. 1621; Lots numbered 4, 70 to 72, inclusive, of Block No. 1622; Lots numbered 35 to 40, inclusive, of Block No. 1717; Lots numbered 35 to 40 inclusive, of Block No. 1718; Lots numbered 3, 4, 70 to 72 inclusive of Block No. 1745, and Lots numbered 1 to 4 inclusive, and 70 to 72 inclusive of Block No. 1746.

JANSEN AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, on Marble Hill, New York City, between Terrace View avenue, North, and Terrace View avenue, South. Area of assessment: Both sides of Jansen place, between Terrace View avenue, North, and Terrace View avenue, South, and both sides of Wicker place, from Jansen place to a point situate about half the block easterly therefrom.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on May 2, 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 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, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 4 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before July 1, 1899, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 4, 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 THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

BRISTOW STREET—SEWER, between Freeman street and Boston road; also, SEWER in JENNINGS STREET, between Bristow street and Union avenue; also, SEWER in EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET, between Bristow street and Prospect avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Bristow street, between Freeman street and Boston road, both sides of Jennings street, between Union avenue and Bristow street and south side of Jennings street, between Bristow street and Stebbins avenue, also Stebbins avenue, west side, between Jennings and Freeman streets; also both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Bristow street and Prospect avenue, and west side of Prospect avenue, between Jennings street and Boston road, together with lots situate on Boston road at Prospect avenue and known as numbers 26 to 31 inclusive, of Block No. 2962.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on May 2, 1899, and entered on same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such

assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before July 1, 1899, will be exempt from interest, 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, May 4, 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 BROOKLYN:

SEVENTH WARD.

LAFAYETTE AVENUE—REPAVING, from Ryerson street to easterly crosswalk of Grand avenue, with asphalt, under chapter 1008, Laws of 1895. Area of assessment: Both sides of Lafayette avenue, between Ryerson street and the easterly side of Grand avenue, including Lots numbered 50, 52, 54 and 56 of Block No. 53.

EIGHTH WARD.

FORTY-SIXTH STREET—SEWER, between First and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-sixth street, between First and Third avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

PACIFIC STREET—SEWER, between Ralph and Buffalo avenues. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 6 and 10 to 32, inclusive, of Block No. 206, also lots numbered 54, 65 and 66 of Block No. 207.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

FOLSOM PLACE—SEWER, between Linwood and Essex streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Folsom place, between Linwood and Essex streets, east side of Linwood street and west side of Essex street, between Folsom place and Fulton street; also, south side of Fulton street, between Linwood and Essex streets, and the interior lots numbered 91 to 93, inclusive, of Block No. 323 A.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD.

SUYDAM STREET—SEWER, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Suydam street, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues; east side of Irving avenue and west side of Wyckoff avenue, between Suydam and Hart streets,—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on May 2, 1899, and entered on same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "if any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 July 1, 1899, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 4, 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 BROOKLYN:

EIGHTH WARD.

FOURTH AVENUE—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, west side, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets, in front of lots known as lot No. 31, of block No. 71. Area of assessment: Lot No. 31, of Block No. 71.

TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, north side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, in front of lots known as lots numbered 19, 26 and 29 of block No. 56. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 19, 26 and 29, of Block No. 56.

THIRTY-NINTH STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, south side, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in front of lots known as lots numbered 37 to 41 inclusive, 48 to 50 inclusive, 54, 55, 59 and 60, of block No. 80. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 37 to 41 inclusive, 48 to 50 inclusive, 54, 55, 59 and 60, of Block No. 80.

THIRTY-NINTH STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, south side, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in front of lot known as lot No. 57, of block No. 80. Area of assessment: Lot No. 57, of Block No. 80.

FIFTY-FIRST STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, south side, between Second and Third avenues, in front of lot known as lot No. 31, of block No. 148. Area of assessment: Lot No. 31 of Block No. 148.

NINTH WARD.

BUTLER STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, south side, between Franklin and Classon avenues, in front of lots known as lots numbered 38, 39, 45, 102 and 103 of block No. 51. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 38, 39, 45, 102 and 103 of Block No. 51.

SEVENTH AVENUE—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, east side, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, in front of lots known as lots numbered 24 and 25 of block No. 156. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 24 and 25 of Block No. 156.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

SCHENECTADY AVENUE—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, west side, between Fulton and Herkimer streets, in front of lot known as lot No. 75 of block No. 123. Area of assessment: Lot No. 75 of Block No. 123.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

DEAN STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, north side, between Albany and Troy avenues, in front of lots known as lots numbered 46 and 50 of block No. 129. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 46 and 50 of Block No. 129.

DEAN STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, north side, between Schenectady and Utica avenues, in front of lots known as lots numbered 50, 57, 62 and 106 of block No. 160. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 50, 57, 62 and 106 of Block No. 160.

ROCKAWAY AVENUE—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, west side, between Dean and Bergen streets, in front of lot known as lot No. 57 of block No. 231. Area of assessment: Lot No. 57 of Block No. 231.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

HANCOCK STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, north side, between Howard and Saratoga avenues, in front of lot known as lot No. 9 of block No. 72. Area of assessment: Lot No. 9 of Block No. 72.

HOPKINSON AVENUE—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, east side, between Marion and Sumner streets, in front of lot known as lot No. 28, of block No. 109. Area of assessment: Lot No. 28, of Block No. 109.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

BELMONT AVENUE—GRADING AND PAVING, between Rockaway avenue and Powell street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Belmont avenue, between Rockaway avenue and Powell street, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

ELTON STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, west side, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue, in front of lots known as lots numbered 8 to 10 inclusive, and 25, of block No. 318. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 8 to 10 inclusive and 25, of Block No. 318.

FULTON STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, north side, between Linwood and Essex streets, in front of lots known as lots numbered 13 and 14 of block No. 320. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 13 and 14 of Block No. 320.

FULTON STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, north side, between Warwick and Ashford streets, in front of lot known as lot No. 20 of block No. 310. Area of assessment: Lot No. 20 of Block No. 310.

LIBERTY AVENUE—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, south side, between Williams and Alabama avenues, in front of lots known as lots numbered 3 and 4 of block No. 112. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 3 and 4 of Block No. 112.

MARKET STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, between Jamaica and Atlantic avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Market street, between Jamaica and Atlantic avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting avenue and streets and the terminating avenues, including both sides of Jardin and Clinton places, situate within the prescribed area.

SHEPHERD AVENUE—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, west side, between Jamaica and Ridgewood avenues, in front of lot known as lot No. 24 of block No. 279. Area of assessment: Lot No. 24 of Block No. 279.

SHEPHERD AVENUE—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, east side, between Jamaica and Ridgewood avenues, in front of lot known as lot No. 31 of block No. 280. Area of assessment: Lot No. 31 of Block No. 280.

VERMONT STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, west side, between Atlantic and Liberty avenues, in front of lots known as lots numbered 16 to 18 inclusive, of block 233. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 16 to 18 inclusive, of Block No. 233.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD.

MONTEITH STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, north side, between Bushwick avenue and Bremen street, in front of lot known as lot No. 43, of block No. 22. Area of assessment: Lot No. 43, of Block No. 22.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD.

CLARKSON STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, between Flatbush and New York avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Clarkson street, between Flatbush and New York avenues, and Lot No. 3 of Block No. 353, and Lots numbered 2 and 3 of Block No. 354.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 25, 1899, and entered on same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "if any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 June 24, 1899, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 28, 1899.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF LEASES OF CITY PROPERTY.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK will sell at public auction to the highest bidders of yearly rentals, at his office in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1899,

at 12 o'clock M., leases for the term of five years, from May 1, 1899, of the following parcels of property belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York:

Buildings—Borough of Manhattan.

1. The premises on the easterly side of the Old Croton Aqueduct, south of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street, to wit: Beginning at a point 128.05 feet east of the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue and 2.85 feet south of the southerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street; running thence southerly parallel with Amsterdam avenue 97.07 feet to the centre line of the block; thence westerly along the centre line of the block 70.28 feet to the easterly line of the Old Croton Aqueduct property; thence northeasterly along the easterly line of the old Croton Aqueduct property to the point or place of beginning, together with the buildings thereon.

2. The premises on the north side of West One Hundred and Fifty-first street, 150 feet east of Amsterdam avenue, being 25 feet in front and rear and 99 feet 11 inches in depth on each side, together with the buildings thereon.

3. The premises on the north side of West One Hundred and Fifty-first street, 125 feet east of Amsterdam avenue, being 25 feet in front and rear and 99 feet 11 inches in depth on each side, together with the buildings thereon.

Market Cellars—Borough of Manhattan.

4. Cellar No. 2, Centre Market Building.
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Market Buildings—Borough of Manhattan.

13. The upper part of the northerly portion of the Centre Market building, now leased to Brian G. Hughes.
14. The offices fronting on the Sixth avenue side of the second and third floors of the Jefferson Market building, and the room in the easterly tower of the same. Upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental bid at the time and place of sale.

The amount so paid for one-quarter, rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution. He will also be required to give a bond in double the amount of the annual rent bid, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent, quarterly, in advance, and for the performance and fulfillment of the covenants and terms of the lease.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is a delinquent on any former lease from the corporation, and no bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the corporation, as provided by law.

No alteration shall be made in any of the premises except with the consent of the Comptroller, and all alterations made are to be made at the expense of the lessee.

The lessee shall be required to make all repairs necessary to keep the premises in good tenantable condition, including repairs to the roofs, at his own expense, excepting that in the leases of the Centre Market Building and the Jefferson Market Building the city shall keep the roofs in repair.

The leases will be in the usual form of leases of like property, a copy of which may be seen at the Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue, and of Markets, Department of Finance, Room 89, Stewart Building, corner Chambers street and Broadway, Borough of Manhattan. Each lease will contain, in addition to other terms, a covenant or condition reserving to the corporation the right to cancel the same whenever the premises may be required by them for public purposes, upon thirty days' notice.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid if deemed to be for the best interest of the city.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 27, 1899.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

DAWSON STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND FENCING, between Westchester and Leggett avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Dawson street, between Westchester and Leggett avenues, and to the extent of half the blocks on Tinton and Leggett avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 25, 1899, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "if any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before June 24, 1899, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 28, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 1, 1899.

SALE OF GREASE, RAGS, BARRELS, ETC.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC auction, by order of the Commissioners of Public Charities, at their office, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 1899,

at 11 o'clock A. M., the following, viz.:
3,000 pounds Grease.
5,000 pounds Rags.
50,000 pounds Old Iron.
100 Iron Radiators.
2,000 Bottles.
80 Iron Bound Barrels.
50 Kerosene Barrels.

All quantities to be "more or less." All qualities to be "as are." All the above, except the Iron and the Radiators, to be received by the purchaser at Pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and removed therefrom immediately upon being notified that same are ready for delivery.

Iron and Radiators to be received at Pier on Metropolitan Hospital grounds, east side, near north end of Blackwell's Island, in a lighter to be provided by the buyer, immediately upon being notified that the same is ready for delivery.

Each successful bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent. of the estimated amount of his purchase to me at the time and place of sale, and the balance to the General Storekeeper, at Blackwell's Island, in cash or certified check on a New York City bank, upon delivery of the goods.

The Commissioners reserve the right to order resale of any goods that shall NOT have been removed by the purchaser within TEN days after he shall have been notified that they are ready, and in case of such resale to forfeit to the use of the Department of Public Charities the TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. paid in at the time and place of sale. Goods can be examined at Blackwell's Island by intending bidders on any week day before the day of sale.

THOS. M. CAMPBELL,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
BROOKLYN, May 6, 1899.

SALE OF GREASE, BAGS, BARRELS, BONES, RAGS, METAL AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC auction to the highest bidder at the Storehouse of the Almshouse at Flatbush, Brooklyn, on

FRIDAY, MAY 19, 1899,

at 11 A. M., all empty Flour, Sugar, Pork, Mackerel, Whiskey, Alcohol, Oil and Miscellaneous Barrels, Bones, Fat, Iron, Rags, Lead, Brass, Copper and Bags, which may accumulate for the remainder of the year 1899. The estimated quantity of each can be ascertained at the said Storehouse.

Bids on Metals, Bones and Fat must be per pound—On Barrels and Bags, per piece.

All quantities to be "more or less," all qualities to be "as are."

All aforesaid articles to be received by the purchaser at the aforesaid Storehouse, and removed therefrom immediately upon being notified that same are ready for delivery, excepting in the case of "Bones and Fat," which must be removed every other day by the purchaser without previous notice.

Each successful bidder will be required to pay 25 per cent. of the estimated amount of his purchase. Such amount shall be fixed by the Commissioner and said purchaser shall pay said sum to him on the day of the sale, and shall pay the balance in cash or certified check on a New York City bank to the Superintendent of Almshouse upon delivery of the goods.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, also the right to order a resale of any articles that shall NOT have been removed by the purchaser within TEN days after a written notice has been mailed to him to do so. This, however, does not apply to the "Bones and Fat," which, if not removed every other day, the Commissioner reserves the right to sell the same without notice.

In all cases of resale the purchaser is to forfeit to the use of The City of New York the 25 per cent. paid at the time of sale.

I will also sell, to the highest bidder, on the date and manner aforesaid, for cash:

2 Farm Wagons, "double, with Springs."
1 Top Wagon, single, with Springs.
1 Top Wagon, single, with Springs.
1 Coach, Leather Top.
1 Team Bay Horses.

A. SIMIS, JR.,
Commissioner of Public Charities for the
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 1, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE MANUFACTURE AND THE INSTALLATION OF TWO NEW BOILERS FOR THE STEAMER "THOMAS S. BRENNAN," AND OTHER NECESSARY REPAIRS, PAINTING, ETC.

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

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work required for the Manufacture and the Installation of Two New Boilers for the Steamer 'Thomas S. Brennan,' and other necessary Repairs, Painting, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 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 Four Thousand (\$4,000) 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 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 Supervising Engineer, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 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, May 1, 1899.

LIST OF HOSPITAL SUPPLIES No. 4 AND LIST OF REPAIRS No. 3 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

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

MONDAY, MAY 15, 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 for Hospital Supplies, or Repairs," 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 each item, or on the combined items under each line number. In the case of Line Numbers 2214 to 2230; 2280 to 2294; 2300 to 2304; 2306 to 2310; 2312 to 2318; 2320 to 2342; 2350 to 2354; 2374 and 2376, the award will be made to the lowest bidder on the items combined under those numbers; but every item must be bid on.

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.

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 General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, during office hours, from May 8 until the bids are opened.

I.—SPECIFICATIONS OF SUPPLIES.

(All Quantities to be "More or Less.")

A.—DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

Contract Line.	
2200.	20 pounds Ammonium Bromide, U. S. P., 1 lb. b.
2202.	3 ounces Apomorphine Hydrochlorate, U. S. P., 1/2 oz. orig. v.
2204.	4 ounces Atropine Sulphate, U. S. P., 1/2 oz. orig. v.
2206.	5 pounds Bromoform, C. P., 1 lb. orig. b.
2208.	10 pounds Cocaine, Honduras, powd., pap.
2210.	2 ounces Elaterin, cryst., U. S. P., 1 oz. v.
2212.	4 ounces Extract Ignatia, assayed, 1 oz. orig. p.
	N. B. The following Fluid Extracts are all understood to be by measure (full gallons). Will be awarded together (see front page of specifications).
2214.	4 gallons Fluid Extract Ergot, Acetic, Squibb, 1 gal. orig. b.
2216.	2 gallons Fluid Extract Orange, Sweet, 1 gal. orig. man. b.
2218.	1 gallon Fluid Extract Rumex, U. S. P., 1 gal. orig. man. b.
2220.	10 gallons Fluid Extract Sarsaparilla (Mex.) Co., Acet. Squibb, 5 gall. orig. demij.
2222.	15 gallons Fluid Extract Senega, U. S. P., 5 gall. orig. man. demij.
2224.	2 gallons Fluid Extract Senna, U. S. P., 1 gall. orig. man. demij.
2226.	40 gallons Fluid Extract Squill, Acet., Squibb, 5-gal. orig. demij.
2228.	2 gallons Fluid Extract Taraxacum, U. S. P., 1-gal. orig. man. demij.
2230.	2 gallons Fluid Extract Viburnum Prun., U. S. P., 1-gal. orig. man. demij.
2232.	5-2 kilos Ipecac. powd. Squibb, 2 kil. orig. tins.
2234.	2 pounds Iron Lactate, U. S. P., 1 lb. b.
2236.	16 ounces Iodophenol, 1 oz. orig. p.
2238.	1 pound Manganese Hypophosphite, C. P., 1-lb. b.
2240.	5 pounds Mercury Oxide, Yellow, 1-lb. b.
2242.	2 pounds Mercury Sulphide, Red (Cinnabar), 1-lb. b.
2244.	2 gallons Naphtha, for Coal Tar ("White Solvent, 90 degrees"), 1-gal. cans.
2246.	3 pounds Opium, powd., U. S. P., assayed, 1-lb. b.
2248.	10-500 Pills, Extract Cascara, 3 grs., per sco.
2250.	10 pounds Paraldehyde U. S. P., 1 lb. b.

2252.	15 grammes Phloroglucin, 1 gm. v.
2254.	4 dozen Plaster, lead, rubber-base, 1 yd. by 7 inches.
2256.	800 ounces Quinine Sulphate, U. S. P. in 100 oz. orig. cans.
2258.	16 ounces Strontium Salicylate, 1-oz. orig. v.
2260.	20 pounds Tablets, Nasal, Oppenheimer's formula, 1-lb. b.
2262.	6-1000 Tablets, Trit., Mercury Bichloride, up to 1-40 grain.
2264.	8 ounces Takadistase, in 1/2-oz. orig. v.
2266.	4 dozen Troacolin, co. in 1-oz. orig. p.
2268.	8 ounces Urotropin, 1-oz. orig. v.
2270.	600 siphons per week, Waters, Carbonated—Carbonic, Selters, Vichy, Lithia—Schultz's.
2272.	4 ounces Xeroform, 1-oz. orig. p.
2274.	600 pounds Zinc Oxide, white, in bbls.

B. SUNDRIES (ALL "MORE OR LESS").

Contract Line.	
2280.	6 Bunsen Burners, Acme, improved.
2282.	6 Bunsen Burners, Alton's.
2284.	6 each, Evaporating Dishes, Agate (E. & A. 6182), 1/2-gal.; 1-gal.; 2-gal.
2286.	100 each, Filters, hardened, thin (Schleicher & Schuell's No. 575), 7, 11, 15, 24 centimeters.
2288.	12 Funnels, glass, 1 gallon, narrow stem.
2289.	2 dozen Lamps, spirit (E. & A. 6692 a) 6 ounce, with wicks.
2290.	2 each, Platinum Cones (E. & A. 6965), Nos. 2 and 5.
2292.	1 Platinum Dish (E. & A. 6973), No. 4 (ab 65 Gm.).
2294.	30 Gm. Platinum Wire, any size from No. 12 to No. 30.
2296.	100 gross each, boxes, Pill, "Calico" (like sample), Nos. 14, 16, 21, 25.
2298.	4 gross, each, Brushes, Bottle, extra strong, 4 sizes, like sample.

Electric Supplies, as follows:

2300.	1 dozen Cells, Dry, Standard (like sample).
2302.	100 yards Cord, Insulated (Insul. Wire), like sample.
2304.	1 Fan, Ceiling, Tuerk's, for alternating current (104 volts, 60 cycles; "Bower Baff"), put up complete.
2306.	200 boxes Gauze, Absorbent, each containing 1,000 yards. The Gauze, which will be furnished by the Department in suitable installments, is to be made into rolls (like samples shown at General Drug Department) each containing ten yards of gauze of full width, and rolled carefully and tightly. The rolls are to be wrapped in paper, 10 rolls in a package, and delivered in boxes, each containing 100 rolls. All cartage to be at the expense of the contractor, who shall also replace any gauze that may be damaged or lost while in his hands.

Glass Apparatus, as follows:

2306.	6 Glass Condensers, according to sketch.
2308.	6 Glass Faucets, like sample.
2310.	2 Nitrometers, like sample.

Glass and Earthenware, as follows:

2312.	4 gross each, Bottles, Flint, round presc., cyl. mould, W. T. & Co., 2, 4, 8, 16 oz.
2314.	6 dozen each, Jars, Earthen, white, flat top, 2 lbs., 4 lbs.
2316.	3 gross each, Jars, Glycerine-Jelly, like samples, 1 oz., 2 oz.
2318.	6 dozen, each, pots, Ointment, "Millville," amber, 1, 2, 4, 8 oz.

Hardware and Miscellaneous.

2320.	300 yards Cord for Shades, etc. (sample).
2322.	1 dozen Drawer Locks, like sample.
2324.	6 each, Dusters, Carriage, No. 2, No. 5.
2326.	1 dozen Flanges, 3/4-inch (4 inches diam.), like sample.
2328.	2 Gauges, Pressure, for compressed air, like sample.
2330.	6 Padlocks, like sample.
2332.	4 each, Pans, Deep Dish, Agate, L. & G.; 21, 35, 40 qts.
2334.	1 each, Plane, Ovalo, 5/8-inch; 3/4-inch.
2336.	3 Saws, crosscut, Disston's No. 120 "Acme," 26-inch.
2338.	1 dozen each, Valves, Brass, Jenkins' own, 1/2-inch; 3/4-inch.
2340.	1 dozen Valves, Brass, Wood handle, 3/4-inch (like sample).
2342.	6 Thermometers, Standard Metallic, brass case, 8-inch (Meyrowitz, No. 6700). C. SURGICAL SUPPLIES.
2350.	12 Applicators, Ear (sample).
2352.	12 Applicators, Laryngeal (sample).
2354.	12 Applicators, Post-nasal (sample).
2356.	1 Aspirator and Injector, John Smith's complete (Reyn. 146-244).
2358.	1 dozen Atomizers, Albolene, McK & R.
2360.	1 dozen Atomizers, Alpha, No. 20.
2362.	1 Atomizer, Steam, C. & Sh., with 12 extra tubes.
2364.	1 Battery Galvanic and Faradic combined, Wappler's No. 4.
2366.	4 gross Bobbins, like sample.
2368.	4 Bone Hooks (Reyn. 110-168).
2370.	1 set Bongies a boule, plated steel, Fowler's, 16 in a case.
2372.	1 each, Box (glass) f. Ligatures, 4 spools (R. 32-227) 5 sp. (R. 31-219).
2374.	6 Brush-handles (Vienna), with 2 stems each.
2376.	2 dozen Brushes (Vienna), for above.
2378.	6 Canulas, Lachrymal, Wecker's.
2380.	3 dozen boxes Aseptic Cargut "Red Cross," 1 doz. in a box.
2382.	1 Catheter, Blood, Willard's, with obturator, (R. 387-37).
2384.	6 Chisels, Bone, Macewen's, Tiemann's own make.
2386.	2 Curettes, Munde, sharp or blunt (Kny 8712-13).
2388.	2 Curettes, Placenta, Munde (Kny 8716).
2390.	2 Depressors, Tongue, Turk's new (R. 697-343).
2392.	2 Depressors, Vaginal, Sims', double.
2394.	12 Douches, Uterine, Bozemann-Fritsch.
2396.	2 dozen each, Forceps, Artery, Tait's, w. Collins' lock; straight and curved.
2398.	2 Forceps, Bone, Luer's (Kny 1228).
2400.	2 Forceps, Dressing, Aubry's (Kny 8535).
2402.	2 Forceps, Dressing, Bozemann's extra long, serrated, w. catch.
2404.	1 Forceps, Nasal, Teet's.
2406.	1 Forceps, Placenta, Munde's.
2408.	1 dozen Forceps, Splinter, R. 131-48.
2410.	6 Forceps, Vulsellum, double prongs, 10 inches, with catch.
2412.	6 dozen Gloves, Rubber, Brewer's, Nos. 7 to 9; Goodyear Rubber Glove Co.'s own make.
2414.	2 dozen Goggles, dark glasses, like samples.
2416.	2 Inhalers for Ether, Dawbarn's, Reichardt's own make.
2418.	1 dozen Irrigator Nozzles (Kny, 17126).
2420.	1 dozen Jars, Cylinder, 6 by 6 inch (Kny, 18112).
2422.	2 Knives, Cartilage (R. 44-9).
2424.	2 Ligature Carriers, Cleveland's.
2426.	2 Lithotomy Directors, Little's.
2428.	4 Lithotomy Staffs, Little's, sizes as ordered.
2430.	2 gross Needles, Hagedorn, self-threading.
2432.	1 Needle Holder, Edebohl's-McBurney (R. 14-37).
2434.	6 Powder Blowers, Robinson's (R. 249-105).
2436.	1 dozen Powder Insufflators, No. 3, W. T. & Co.'s.
2438.	2 dozen Pumps, Breast Protector No. 2, W. T. & Co.'s.
2440.	2 Razors, 1 Skin-grafting.
2442.	4 Retractors, Bull's, double, w. protected prongs.

2444.	4 Retractors, lateral, vaginal, special (like sample).
2446.	1 Rongeur, De Vilbis' (R. 668-652).
2448.	1 Saw, Metacarpal, movable back, best.
2450.	1 Saw, Nasal, Curtis'.
2452.	1 Saw, Plaster, Collins'.
2454.	1 Saw, Post-Mortem, with Knife and Handle (Tiem. 1113).
2456.	4 Scissors, Enucleation.
2458.	2 Scissors, Iris, straight.
2460.	2 Scissors, Iris, McClure's.
2462.	1 Scissors, Tendon, Stevens'.
2464.	2 each, Snare, Nasal, Bosworth's and Griffin's.
2466.	6 Specula, Ear, Wilde's, plated, any size.
2468.	2 Specula, Nasal, Quinlan's, Tiemann's own make.
2470.	2 Specula, Vaginal, Graves' new (R. 322-68).
2472.	12 Spoons, Ear, assort. (Meyrowitz 2487).
2474.	5 yards Stockinette, 5-inch, like sample.
2476.	1 Syringe, Deep Urethral, w. bulb, Tube (R. 389-68).
2478.	6 Trays, Glass, w. covers, 10-inch by 2-inch (Kny 17798).
2480.	3 Urethrotomes, Maiseonneuve's, best (Kny No. 7313), in case.
2482.	6 Brush Holders, J. R. & Co. (R. 249-101).
2484.	3 doz. Brushes, Cam. Hair, for above, best (like sample), (R. 249-94).
2486.	1 Doyen's Trephining Set, complete, in case (Kny-Scheerer Co.'s).
2488.	3 doz. Bath Thermometers, 3-cornered frames (E. B. Meyrowitz Cat. No. 6714).
2500.	II. SPECIFICATIONS OF REPAIRS.
	1 lot (ab. 300) Surgical and Clinical Instruments.
2502.	1 lot Medical Batteries and Electric Fans, and Light Fixtures.
2504.	1 lot Sterilizers (Dressing and Instrument).
2506.	1 lot Operating and Dressing Tables.
2508.	1 lot Lumber to be furnished for repairs in General Drug Department, as follows: Note. All to be perfect, and to be delivered dressed. The dimensions given are to be those which the lumber has after being dressed.

Clear Pine.

4 planks, 2-inch thick, 12 feet by 12 inches.
1 plank, 1 1/2-inch thick, 12 feet by 12 inches.
4 planks, 2 1/2-inch thick, 12 feet by 11 inches.

Yellow Pine Flooring.

50 pieces, 1 1/4 inch thick, 12 ft. by 4 inch.
White Wood.
30 boards, 1 inch thick, ab. 16 ft. by 16 inch.
30 boards, 3/4 inch thick, ab. 16 ft. by 16 inch.

Covering of 24 feet of Steam-pipe with nonpareil sectional Cork-covering; and Repairs to Stove-pipe starting from range of kitchen of General Drug Department (Apothecaries Mess, Bellevue Hospital).

Repairs of 10 Galvanized Iron Cans at General Drug Department.

NOTE.—The Surgical, etc., Instruments (line 2500), Medical Batteries, etc. (line 2502), Sterilizers (line 2504), and Operating Tables, etc. (line 2506), can be examined by the bidders at the General Drug Department during office hours, on Friday, May 12, and Saturday, May 13. Information regarding the repairs under lines 2500 and 2512 may be obtained at the same place on any day, from May 8 until May 15.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, 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 section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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

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,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
NEW YORK, May 1, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

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

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1899.

LINE NOS.	
404.	1,000 ft. Galvanized Pipe, 1/2-inch.
405.	1,000 ft. Galvanized Pipe, 3/4-inch.
406.	500 ft. Galvanized Pipe, 1-inch.
407.	500 ft. Galvanized Pipe, 2 inches.
408.	1,200 ft. Black Iron Pipe, 1/2-inch.
409.	200 ft. Black Iron Pipe, 3/4-inch.
410.	1,200 ft. Black Iron Pipe, 1-inch.
411.	700 ft. Black Iron Pipe, 1-inch.
412.	500 ft. Black Iron Pipe, 2-inch.
	CAST-IRON FITTINGS, GALVANIZED.
413.	72 1/2-inch L's.
414.	72 3/4-inch L's.
415.	72 1-inch L's.
416.	36 1/2-inch Tees.
417.	36 3/4-inch Tees.
418.	36 1-inch Tees.
	CAST-IRON STEAM FITTINGS.
419.	120 3/4-inch Elbows.
420.	102 1/2-inch Elbows.
421.	144 3/4-inch Elbows.
422.	144 1-inch Elbows.
423.	24 2-inch Elbows.
424.	24 pairs of Flanges, 2-inch.
425.	72 Plugs, 1/2-inch.
426.	120 Plugs, 3/4-inch.
427.	120 Plugs, 1-inch.
428.	120 Plugs, 1 1/2 inch.
429.	120 Plugs, 2-inch.
430.	72 Plugs, 1 1/2-inch.
431.	72 Plugs, 1 1/2-inch.
	BUSHINGS.
432.	36 3/4 by 1 inch.
433.	36 3/4 by 1/2 inch.

TOOLS, ETC.

488. 1 18-inch Stillson Wrench.
489. 1 10-inch Stillson Wrench.
490. 1 14-inch Stillson Wrench.
491. 1 24-inch Stillson Wrench.
492. 1 36-inch Stillson Wrench.
493. 1 pair of Pipe Tongs, 1/2-inch.
494. 1 pair of Tinner's Snips, No. 9, 3-inch cut.
495. 1 12-inch Hack Saw.
496. 12 Blades for same.
497. 1 Compass Saws.
498. 6 Belt Punches, 3/8-inch.
499. 1 set of Plug Taps, 1/4 to 3/4-inch, standard, machine thread.
500. 1 14-inch Gas Plier.
501. 1 dozen Lamps, as per sample.
502. 1 pint Galvanized Iron Squirt Cans.
503. 1 gallon Oil Can or Boiler with handle and spout.
504. 6 Hose Bibb Faucets, 1/2-inch.

MISCELLANEOUS.

505. 6 Shackles, 1 1/2-inch, as per sample.
506. 6 Shackles, 1-inch, as per sample.
507. 6 Reducing Couplings, 1 by 1 1/2-inch.
508. 1 package 1 1/2-inch Black Iron Rivets.
509. 5 pounds, 1-pound Rivets, Copper.
510. 5 pounds 2-pound Rivets, Copper.
511. 1 gross Gas Pillars.
512. 1 gross 8-foot Lava Tips.
513. 1 Side Lace Leather.
514. 5 pounds Ring Packing, 1 1/2 by 2 1/2-inch, as per sample.
515. 10 pounds Ring Packing, 1 3/4 by 2 3/8-inch, as per sample.
516. 50 feet 1 1/2-inch Rubber Hose with couplings attached, quality as per sample.
517. 1 package 3/4-inch Copper Tacks.
518. 2 pounds 1-inch Copper Tacks.
519. 50 feet Copper Wire, No. 12.
520. 1 Marine Clinker, as per cut shown.
521. 1 pair Wire Pliers.
522. 1 Brass Nozzle for 1-inch hose.
523. 5 pounds Asbestos Wicking.
524. 1 Burners for Signal Lights, as per sample.
525. 12 Michigan White Oak Wheel Buckets, 4 feet 4 inches long, 12 inches wide, 3 inches thick.

526. 50 Hook Bolts, as per sample.
527. 50 Straight Bolts, as per sample.
528. 12 Lantern Burners, as per sample.
529. 12 Reflectors, as per sample.
530. 1,000 No. 1 Fire Brick.
531. 200 Arch Brick, Fire.
532. 3 bbls. Fire Clay.
533. 1 Boston Boiler Thermostat for Hot Water Tank, 1-inch steam.
534. 6 Nipples, 3 inches long, 1 1/2-inch.
535. 75 feet 4 inches Leather Belting with riveted lugs, quality as per sample.
536. 12 2-inch x 1 1/4 galvanized malleable iron L's.
537. 12 1 1/4 L's.
538. 12 1 1/2 L's.
539. 12 1-inch Tees.
540. 12 1 1/4-inch Tees.
541. 12 1 1/2-inch Tees.
542. 24 1 x 3/4 Bushings.
543. 36 3/4 x 1/2 gal. Street L's.
544. 36 3/4 x 1/2 gal. L's.
545. 36 3/4 x 1/2 gal. Tees.
546. 24 3/4 x 1/2 Black Iron Tees.
547. 24 3/4 x 1/2 Black Iron L's.
548. 1 set of Gate Bars for Vertical Boiler, diameter of boiler 3 feet 10 inches, 3/4-inch air space.
549. 30 lengths of Earthen Pipe, glazed, 12 inch.
550. 25 feet Suction Hose, with couplings and strainer, for No. 2 Edison Side Outlet Pump, quality as per sample.

551. 24 2-inch Flanges.
552. 36 Cast-iron Tees, 2-inch.
553. 36 R. & L. Couplings, 3/4-inch.
554. 36 R. & L. Couplings, 1 1/2-inch.
555. 24 Drip-cocks, 3/4-inch, as per sample.
556. 2 Bell Traps, 2-inch.
557. 2 Bell Traps, 4-inch.
558. 6 sq. ft. Sheet Brass, 1/2-inch.
559. 6 square feet of sheet brass, 1-16-inch.
560. 1 Set of Pulleys, single and double block with patent shaves, as per cut shown.
561. 12 5-inch Globe Valves.
562. 1 Pipe Cutting Machine, 1 to 4 inches, right hand, hand and power, as per cut shown, equal in manufacture to Saunders.
563. 18 Sets of Burner Plates for Wolff Gas Cooker No. 2.
564. 12 Keystone Patent Links for 3/4-inch chain.
565. 1 Dead Latch Lock, as per sample.
566. 1 "S" Hooks, 3/8-inch iron.
567. 1 Shackles and Pins, 3/8-inch iron.
568. 1 Bar Hexagon Tool Steel, 3/4 inch.
569. 48 Wooden Wheels for Jenkins' Valves, 3/4-inch and 1-inch.
570. 1 Coal Screen, 6 ft. x 2 1/2 ft. with 3/4-inch mesh.
571. 5 galls. Superior Graphite Paint No. 36, Detroit Graphite Co.
572. Repairs to Worthington Pump, shop No. 55-389.
573. 2 Water Pistons, packed, 2 sleeves or linings for water cylinder, 4 Suction Valves, 4 Discharge Valves—all with brass springs, 4 Valve Rods, and 8 Brass Valve Seats.

574. 2 Bars Round Iron, 5-16-inch.
575. 2 Bars Round Iron, 3/8-inch.
576. 2 Bars Round Iron, 1/2-inch.
577. 2 Bars Round Iron, 3/4-inch.
578. 2 Bars Round Iron, 1-inch.
579. 6 Bars 3/4-inch Cast steel.
580. 300 Boxes I. C. Roofing Tin, 14 x 20, quality "P. B. H." "Alamo" or "Crest."
581. Repairs to 2 Copper Boilers, can be seen at Randall's Island.
582. Repairs to 3 Hitting's Heaters, can be seen at Randall's Island.
583. Saddle for 3-inch Stillson Wrench.
584. 2 Mott's Sectional Urinal Troughs, 3 feet.
585. 1 Stevens Urinal, 577 G. Mott Catalogue.
586. 4 No. 2 Automatic Flushing Cisterns.
587. 4 1 1/2 "S" Lead Traps.
588. 4 1 1/2 "half-S" Lead Traps.
589. 1 Ball Throttling Governor for Laundry Engine, 1 1/2-inch, steam.
590. 4 Grates for Duparquet, H. & M., 9 ft. Range.
591. 4 sets Covers and Rings for Duparquet, H. & M., 9 ft. Range.
592. 2 Ingall's Tube Scraper, 3-inch.
593. 1 Ingall's Tube Scraper, 4-inch.
594. 12 Sink Legs, as per sample.
595. 6 Plain Pull Door-cocks, flange and thimble.
596. 36 Wash Basin Plugs, sample.
597. 12 Compression Washers, for wash-tasin waste, Mott's patent.
598. 850 ft. Galvanized Iron Wire, No. 8 gauge.
599. 2 gross Galvanized Iron Staples, No. 8 gauge, 1 1/2 inches long.
600. 2 doz. Pipe Hangers for 1/2-inch Pipe, 3 inches long, as per sample.
601. 6 Two-wheel, Iron Body, Coal Carts, to hold 500 pounds, as per cut shown in catalogue.
602. 1 12-inch Screw Wrench, equal to Coe manufacture.
603. 1 18-inch Screw Wrench, equal to Coe manufacture.
604. 1 6-inch Stillson Wrench.
605. 12 feet 3/4-inch Square Packing, as per sample.
606. 12 feet 1/2-inch Square Packing, as per sample.
607. 4 sets Water Gauge Fixtures, screwed for 3/4 Pipe and to take 3/4 Gauge Glass, as per cut shown.

608. 6 2-inch "Y" Branches, cast-iron, screwed.
609. 6 2 by 1 1/2-inch Bushings.
610. 1 2-inch Gate Valve for steam, as per cut shown.

611. 1 Armstrong Adjustable Pipe Stock, No. 2, with complete sets of dies.
612. 1 1-inch Pipe Tap.
613. 1 1-inch Reamer for Pipe Thread.

REPAIRS TO THREE WASHING MACHINES.

614. Supply three new metallic covers and one new rack for lifting same; bore out pin holes in hinges and fit new pins; renew or repair all other hinges as necessary. Put in new lock bolts on doors of revolving cylinder. Repair the cylinders where necessary and replace with new the splash board. Refill journals where required with approved metal, turn up and grind in the waste cocks. Supply new spindle, toe pan and springs for extractor.

PICKLE TANK.

615. Supply one new tank 12 feet long, 3 feet wide and 2 feet 6 inches deep, with a partition crosswise in centre, conforming to apartments, each having a 2-inch outlet; connect same with sewer, and provide an approved stop-cock on same—the tank to be built of 1/2-inch boiler iron or steel and strengthened with a 2-inch angle iron around the top, angle iron to be in one piece. The tank is to be properly corked and made watertight, and set up in place ready for use.

KITCHEN UTENSILS.

616. Turn up and grind in three large draw cocks for soup boilers. Retin one hot-water and six coffee urns. Above apparatus to be seen at Almshouse, Blackwell's Island.

617. Complete and erect on vertical boiler at A. B. & C. Pavilion, Randall's Island, a smokestack, 18 inches in diameter, to extend 10 feet above roof of building, of No. 10 steel, B. & S. gauge, and securely fastened to walls of building by suitable braces to be provided with approved hood, damper, and attached to breeching on boiler top.

REPAIRS TO BOILER.

618. Cut out bulge in top connection of vertical boiler at A. B. & C. Pavilion, Randall's Island, and drive a hard patch of sufficient size to cover the opening from which piece is removed, the patch to be provided with new screwed stays, and all work necessary to accomplish the same to be performed to the satisfaction of the Supervising Engineer.

619. Furnish and install at Fordham Hospital an Electrical Fire Alarm and Time Detector System, as per specifications on file and which may be obtained at office of Supervising Engineer.

620. Furnish and install at Harlem Hospital an Electric Fire Alarm and Time Detector System, as per specifications on file and which may be obtained at office of Supervising Engineer.

621. Set up and connect in new Laundry at Almshouse, 2 Washing Machines of same capacity as those at present in use and equal in manufacture in every way. They shall be set up complete in every respect, connected with line shafting and supplied with all required attachments, including bolts, pulleys, etc., and shall also be connected with water service and with house drain.

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The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Supervising Engineer, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR HARDWARE, GRANITE AND IRONWARE AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS FOR THE YEAR 1899.

BOROUGH 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, MAY 15, 1899.

MISCELLANEOUS.

(Readvertised Lines.)

- Line Nos.
187. 500 pounds Barley Flour.
480. 100 yards Floor Oil Cloth.
763. 1,200 Set Screws, 2 1/2 inches by 1/2 inch, with sockets, for making wire mattresses.
797. 2 dozen Sets Corner Brackets, for wire screens, 4 by 4 inches, City Hospital.
991. 100 Mat Maker's needles, Almshouse.
1047. 3 Folding Bath-tubs, "Neal," Metropolitan Hospital.
1067. 10 dozen Melosine, 8-ounce bottles, Metropolitan Hospital.
1069. 1 Extension Ladder, 50 feet, Metropolitan Hospital.
1085. 36 Marble Tiles, each white and black, 12 1/2 inches square, Bellevue Hospital.
1089. 9 bundles Cane, assorted sizes, R. L.
1091. 20 bundles French Willow, assorted sizes, R. L.
1264. 3 sets Linings for Open Grates (M. T. School).
1295. 2 Double Boilers, 8-gallon.
1312. 2 Knives, for Bausch & Lomb, Microtome, Catalogue, No. 2590.
1315. 1 set 4-ounce Reagent Bottles, W. T. & Co.'s, 1/2 litre, 43 bottles, Catalogue, page 66.
1316. 1 Copper Water-bath, E. & A. Catalogue, No. 8113, diameter, 8 inches.
1323. 1 Stretcher for stretching wire mattresses.
1336. 2 Gas ranges (Manhattan Gas Ranges, 344).
1337. 1 Ice-box, 48 inches by 27 inches by 36 inches (diagram at Central Office).
1350. 1 Hot Water Stove, No. 3, "Hitchings," patented November 24, 1857.

HARDWARE.

1351. 1 gross 1 1/2-inch Brass Screw Hooks, No. 2412.
1352. 3 gross large Brass Wire Cup Hooks, 1 1/2-inch.
1353. 2 dozen Galvanized Iron 4-inch Leader Hooks.
1354. 8 pairs Iron Shelf Brackets, 4 pairs each, 6 by 8, 8 by 10, No. 40, R. and E.
1355. 1 keg 8d. Flat Head Wire Nails.
1356. 3 dozen Porcelain Head Picture Nails, 2 1/2-inch, No. 10.
1357. 2 bundles R. G. Iron, 26 inches wide and 26 inches gauge, 84 inches long.
1358. 1 bundle Galvanized Iron, No. 27, 24 by 84 inches.
1359. 1,000 feet Brinckerhoff Twisted Fence Wire, 1/2-inch.
1360. 1 dozen 10-inch Green Dome Shades for Argand Lamps.
1361. 2 packages Tinned Rivets, 1 each, Nos. 5 and 6.
1362. 1 Meat Chopper, "Enterprise," No. 32.
1363. 1 Bolt Die Plate, with dies, 3/4 to 3/8.
1364. 1 gross Carriage Bolts, 1/2 gross each, 3/4 inch by 4 inches and 1/2 inch by 5 inches.
1365. 600 Carriage Bolts, assorted sizes.
1366. 1/2 dozen 8-inch Barrel Bolts.
1367. 2 Wire Casters, Square, with 4 Cruets, complete, Nos. 84-11, Stoutenborough catalogue.
1368. 1 pair 6-inch Calipers, R. and E., No. 66.
1369. 12 dozen Sash Fasteners, Tuscan, bronzed, Shepard's catalogue, No. 248.
1370. 12 dozen No. 8 Sash Pulleys, painted face, square corners, 2 1/4 wheel.
1371. 1 75-foot Tape Measure, R. and E., No. 825.
1372. 4 Centre Beads, 2 each, 3 1-16 and 1/4.
1373. 1 set Rounds and Hollows, No. 1 to No. 9, inclusive, No. 61.
1374. 2 Carpenter's Shingling Steel Hatchets, adze edge, Smythe, No. 2.
1375. 1 1/2 dozen Double End Saw Files, 1/2 each, No. 6, No. 8 and No. 10.
1376. 1 Dozen Hand Screws, No. 9.
1377. 4 gross Brass Screws, No. 12, 2 gross each, 1-inch and 1 1/4-inch.
1378. 9 gross Brass Screws, No. 10, 3 gross each, 1-inch, 1 1/4-inch and 2-inch.
1379. 2 dozen Centre Bits, assorted, 1/2-inch to 2-inch, bright.

1380. 2 Extension Bits, large (Clarks).
1381. 4 dozen Staples, 1/4-inch iron, 3 1/2 inches long.
1382. 3 dozen Wardrobe Latches, R. & E., No. 052, 2 1/2-inch.
1383. 1/2 dozen D-Handled Shovels, round point, No. 2, Ames.
1384. 3-12 dozen Road Hoes.
1385. 1/2 dozen Black Enameled Trays, 42 inches by 21 inches clear, with covers.
1386. 1 only 6-foot Cross-cut Timber Saw, W. M. & Co. XXX, with 2 Champ Handles.
1387. 16 pairs large Swiveling Casters, 5 inches from centre of wheel to revolving point, and attached to cover blades, No. 836, Catalogue E. R. Shepard.
1388. 16 1 1/2-inch Square Iron Axles with Cast Wheels of 10-inch diameter, with nuts at the end, 1/4-inch holes drilled through for split pins, length of the axle with wheel on to measure 2 feet 1 inch over the rim of the wheel; rim to be 2 1/2 inches (S. R. No. 169).
1389. 3 Iron Wheelbarrows, figure 2192, M. M. & M., No. 4, with Tray (S. R. No. 244).
1390. 3 Iron Coal Buckets, 1/4-ton capacity.
1391. 5 Copper Funnels, 1 each, 4, 8, 16, 13 and 64 ounce.
1392. 12 dozen Screw Blind Fastenings or 1/4-inch Blinds, Pattern No. 2030.
1393. 2 gross "Foonan's" Blind Tenons.
1394. 3 Pinch Bars, 18 to 24 inches long.
1395. 3 Bars 3/8-inch Octagon Steel.
1396. GRANITE AND AGATE IRON WARE.
1397. 6 Granite Iron Douche Pans, L. & G., No. 2.
1397. 6 Granite Iron Sauce Pans, 2 each, 1, 2 and 4-quart, L. & G., Nos. 301, 303, 306, tin covers.
1398. 1 Granite Iron 9-gallon Meat Boiler.
1399. 2 Granite Iron 8-quart Sauce Pans, with flaring sides, L. & G., No. 309, tin cover.

- HARNESSE AND STABLE SUPPLIES.
1400. 2 Horse Collars, samples at Bellevue Hospital.
1401. 1 dozen Horse Collars, samples at Randall's Island Asylum and School.
1402. 2 sets Ambulance Traces, samples at Bellevue Hospital.
1403. 8 Standing Whips, samples at Bellevue Hospital.
1404. 1 Inside Belly Band for Saddle, Bellevue Hospital.
1405. 1 pair Traces for Dead Wagon, Bellevue Hospital.
1406. 3 sets of Interfering Boots, Bellevue Hospital.
1407. 1 Foot Mat for Cab, Bellevue Hospital.

- PAINTS, GLASS, ETC.
1408. 4 pieces Ground Glass, 14 by 48.
1409. 1 piece Plate Glass, 3 feet 8 1/2 inches long, 1 foot 8 1/2 inches wide, 3/4 inch thick.
1410. 1 piece Plate Glass, 2 feet 1 1/4 inches long, 20 inches wide at one end and 26 inches wide at other end, and curved at top.
1411. 1 barrel Venetian Red, in oil, perfectly pure.
1412. 1,500 pounds Venetian Red, dry, perfectly pure.
1413. 20 pounds Cold Water Paint.
1414. 1 piece of Marbleized Slate, 8 feet by 1 1/4 inches by 1 inch thick, to be measured and put in place, Bellevue Hospital.

1415. 1 Glass Top for Dispensary Dressing Table, to be measured and put in place, Gouverneur Hospital.
1416. 6 Grates for Abendroth "Veto," 3 each, No. 18 and No. 20.
1417. 1 dozen Bottom Fire Pots, Abendroth "Veto," 1/2 dozen, No. 18 and No. 20.
1418. 2 Grates for Abendroth's "Art Royal," No. 70.
1419. 1 Grate and 1 Fire Pot for "Art Rural," No. 90.
1420. 1 Set Grate Bars for "Perfect" Furnace, No. 100.

- 1 set Bricks for Asbestos "Cotton Plant," No. 90.
1 set Cross Piece for Asbestos "Cotton Plant," No. 90.
1 set Covers for Asbestos "Cotton Plant," No. 90.
1 Front Grate for Asbestos "Cotton Plant," No. 90.
1 Laundry Stove, No. 3, J. L. Mott, pipe top.
12 Grates, No. 3, J. L. Mott.
3 Water Backs for D. H. & M. Range, No. 2, 4 feet 4 inches.
12 Grate Slides, 6 each, "Scorcher," No. 17 and No. 21.
3 sets Grates and Rests for "Active," No. 15.
3 Revolving Grates and Rests, D. H. & M. Range, No. 2, patented June, 1880.
1 Gas Radiator, 8 tubes.
1 set Bricks for D. H. & M. Range, 5 feet, No. 495.

- MISCELLANEOUS.
100 Chair Dowels, 5/8 each, 1/2-inch and 3/8-inch.
1 Immersion Bowl, Kny Co., Catalogue, No. 17323.
1 Immersion Bowl, Kny Co., Catalogue, No. 17320.
6 Irrigating Jars, 8 inches at bottom, 22 inches high.
3 Irrigating Jars, 6 inches diameter, 11 inches high, with covers.
1 dozen Porcelain Dome Shades for Rochester Lamps.
1/2 dozen 4-inch Ground Grass Globes.
1 Demijohn, 2 gallon.
1 Sand Screen, 24-inch, regular make.
25 yards Canvas for Stretchers, 26 inches wide.

- 2 barrels White Sand.
1 gallon Liquid Wax.
1 bale Rice Root.
1 Dressing Sterilizer, "Perfection style," Kny-Scheerer Co., Class B, No. 3, (S. R. No. 272).
1 dozen Knives for W. & W. Button Hole Machine, 3/4-inch.
1 dozen Knives for W. & W. Button Hole Machine, No. 10D.
6 dozen Carnogen Medical Food.
1 dozen Bath Thermometers.
200 Rubber Corks for Nursing Bottles.
6 barrels Pillsbury's "Vitos Wheat Food."
10 Gas Bracket Fixtures, No. 107, G. I. Roberts & Bros. Catalogue, Gilt Color.
40 Gas Bracket Fixtures, No. 113, G. I. Roberts & Bros. Catalogue, Gilt Color.

151. 3 Roller Chairs, No. 1253, J. W. Mason Catalogue.
152. 3 Commodes, Galvanized Iron, Gelbs' Patent, No. 5.
153. 1 Sewing Machine for Tailor's use, Singer's Machine No. 10, inclosed.
154. Mosquito Frames complete for 16 doors and 186 windows. All to have wire netting. Windows to slide and have adjustable fastenings. Doors to have spring butts and handles and suitable fastenings. Fordham Hospital.

155. 5 Coal Carts, like Figure No. 25, catalogue Kip Wagon Works.
156. 7 dozen Huckaback Towels.
157. 33 Window Shades for Ward 31, Bellevue Hospital (to be measured and put up complete).

158. 43 Window Awnings (to be measured and put up at Bellevue Hospital) (S. R. No. 128).
159. 7 Veranda Awnings (to be measured and put up at Bellevue Hospital) (S. R. No. 108).
160. 4 Board Clear White Wood, 13 feet long, 20 inches broad, 3 inches thick. To make cutting-board for Tailors (S. R. No. 167).

- Laundry Supplies for Fordham Hospital (S. R. No. 227), viz.:
1461. 4 Soap Stone Wash Tubs with hardwood covers and all complete:
 - Size of each, 30 inches long, 16 inches deep, 24 inches wide, top, 17½ inches wide, bottom.
 - with material and labor to put in position ready for use.
 1462. 1 Hand Washing Machine, Troy Laundry Company, cylinder 24 inches by 24 inches.
 1463. Material and labor to construct a covered way for the delivery of patients from ambulances, to be 18 feet long, 10 feet wide; roof to be from a 2 to 3 feet pitch in centre, with necessary drainage through front supports; material to be galvanized, corrugated iron, angle iron, etc. Intending bidder to call and take exact dimensions, etc. (S. R. No. 107), Bellevue Hospital.
 1464. 2 dozen pairs Stretcher Cloths (sample at Central Office), S. R. No. 244.
 1465. 5 Boat Covers of cotton duck No. 6, made to fit measurements obtained at foot East Twenty-sixth street, steamer "T. S. Brennan" (S. R. No. 244).
 1466. 1 Meat Cart, diagram and dimensions at Central Office (S. R. No. 244).
 1467. 2 Straight Jackets, 4½ feet long.
 1468. 1 Restraint Belt, 44 inches long, 2 cuffs 15 inches apart.
 1469. 1 piece red and white Table Linen (about 40 yards), 54 inches wide.
 1470. 6 Bureau Covers, 72 inches by 20 inches.
 1471. 50 feet Wire-bound Rubber Hose, with Nozzle, 1-inch.
 1472. 4 pounds Barbour's 3-cord Drab Thread, No. 18.
 1473. 2 Aprons for mangle, "Hospital Supply Company," Metropolitan Hospital.
 1474. 37 feet Canvas for covering laundry mangle, 8 feet 6 inches wide, City Hospital.
 1475. 6 pairs Ash Oars, 2 pairs each, 8-foot, 14-foot and 15-foot.
 1476. 2 large Lanterns for headlights on boat.
 1477. 2 dozen Jenkins Links for anchor chain, 9-16 inch or ¾-inch, iron.
 1478. 4 Museum Jars, 5½ inches by 12 inches, Kny-Scheerer Co., No. 18139 (S. R. No. 258).
 1479. 12 Cylinder Jars, 6 inches by 6 inches, Kny-Scheerer Co., No. 18106.
 1480. 6 Cylinder Jars, 10 inches by 10 inches, Kny-Scheerer Co., No. 18106.
 1481. 2 Cylinder Jars, 5½ inches by 12½ inches, Kny-Scheerer Co., No. 18107.
 1482. 39 Instrument Cases, as per sample, with name and instruments, as follows:
 - 1 Probe.
 - 1 pair small Scissors.
 - 1 pair Dressing Forceps.
 - 1 Artery Clamp.
 - 1 Silver Catheter.
 - 1 Clinical Thermometer (S. R. No. 268).
 1483. 2 U. S. Ensigns, each 10 feet.
 1484. 1 Row Boat for Randall's Island—length, 17 feet; beam, 4 feet 6 inches; planking, matched seams, ½-inch, white cedar; keel flat, 2 inches by 1½ inches; timbers, ¾-inch by ¾-inch, spaced 11 inches; floor timbers, 1 by 1 inch; top or wearing stroke, ½-inch; gunwale, 2 by 1 inch; 3 thwart, ¾-inch; 2 knees each end; stern sheets, ¾-inch; stern board, ¾-inch, all of white oak; knees of hackmatack; floor boards, pine, ¾-inch, all copper, fastened and buried; 2 sets wooden row locks, with oak saddles; 2 pairs 8-foot ash oars.

All goods to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1899, free of expense. No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors and none will be paid for by the Department.

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, April 24, 1899.

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

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

MONDAY, MAY 8, 1899.

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

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 410, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) Dollars.

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

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

to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 are cautioned to examine the plans and specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

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 & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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, April 24, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING THREE AMBULANCES FOR BELLEVUE HOSPITAL AND DEPENDENCIES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING Three Ambulances for Bellevue Hospital, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock, M.

MONDAY, MAY 8, 1899.

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

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 410, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

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.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. No deposit or bonds required on bids under one thou-

sand dollars. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and 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 are cautioned to examine the sample and specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any samples or specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon 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 at the office of the Department, 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 STREET CLEANING.

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

JAMES McCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
ROOM 9, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 27, 1899.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following Horses will be sold at public auction, at the salesrooms of Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, No. 130 East Thirtieth street, on

TUESDAY, MAY 16, 1899,

at 10 A. M.
Fourth Precinct—
"Lion," No. 11.
"Tom," No. 12.
"Ivanhoe," No. 135.
Nineteenth Precinct—
"Billy," No. 23.
Thirty-ninth Precinct—
"Tom," No. 203.
Fortieth Precinct—
"Jan," No. 219.
Sixty-eighth Precinct—
"Charley," No. 319.
Seventy-first Precinct—
"Duke," No. 352.
By order of the Board of Police,
JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
ROOM 9, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 13, 1899.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following property will be sold at public auction on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1899,

at Newtown, L. I., at 1 P. M., at the Seventy-seventh Precinct Station-house:
17 Polling Houses (wooden).
15 at Newtown,
1 at Jamaica,
1 at Clarenceville, and
Nine boxes of Paper, consisting of detached stubs, general ballots, election codes and papers, etc., as per sample, located in Town Hall, Jamaica, about 1,500 pounds.
By order of the Board of Police,
JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
ROOM 9, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 21, 1899.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following Horses will be sold at public auction, at the salesrooms of Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, No. 130 East Thirtieth street, on

FRIDAY, MAY 12, 1899,

at 10 A. M.:
"Jerry," No. 385.
"Hoffman," No. 381.
"Duke," No. 372.
"Hill," No. 387.
By order of the Board of Police,
JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1898.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.
JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.
CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX.
April 29, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES
TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

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

TUESDAY, MAY 10, 1899.

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

REQUISITION 5.

C. O. Stable.

- Line No.
12. 1 pair Horse Clippers.
 13. 1 can Ruddy Harvester Carriage Oil.
 18. 1 dozen No. 983 Scandinavian Padlocks.
 19. 1/2 dozen Second Cut Lock Files, 1-32 inch thick, 3-4 inch, 3-5 inch.
 20. 1/2 dozen Lamp Chimneys, Miller, No. 0.
 21. 1 dozen Key Rings, 1 1/4 inch diameter.
 22. 4 dozen Axle Pulleys, 3 3/4 by 3/8, No. 6, for Window Frames.
 23. 1 barrel Benzine.
 24. 2 boxes Glass, 12 inches by 16 inches.
 25. 1-6 dozen Carpet Stretchers, with handles.
 26. 50 pieces 1-inch Clear White Pine 12 inches by 16 feet, dressed two sides.
 27. 10 pieces 1 1/4-inch clear white pine 20 inches by 16 feet, dressed two sides.
 29. 50 yards Damask Table Linen (Bleached).
 30. 6 dozen Damask Table Napkins (Bleached).
 31. 2 dozen Individual Preserve Dishes.
 32. 1 dozen each Silver Plated Knives and Forks.
 33. 1 dozen each Silver Plated Table Spoons.
 34. 1 dozen each Silver Plated Tea Spoons.
 35. 1 dozen each Silver Plated Tea Spoons.
 36. 1 dozen each Silver Plated Tea Spoons.
 40. 1 keg 20d. Spikes.

Penitentiary.

45. 10 gallons Benzine.
46. 5 gallons Naphtha.
47. 5 gallons White Demar Varnish.
48. 2 boxes Glass, 12 inches by 22 inches.
49. 8 lights Glass, 1 1/2 inches by 2 1/2 inches.
50. 3 packages each, Wire Nails, flat heads, No. 10, 1 1/4-inch, 1 1/2-inch.
51. 4 each Jennings' Auger Bits, 7-16 inch, 3/8-inch, 1/2-inch, 5-16 inch.
52. 6 each German Gimblet Bits, 3-16 inch, 1/4 inch.
53. 2 Countersink Rose Heads.
54. 12 dozen Oil Stones.
55. 1 dozen O. E. D. Blades, No. 4, for Steel Shavers.
56. 30 Iron Plated Bottom D Lasts, No. 6, for Men (R. & L. Thumbed and Banded).
57. 3 sheets Galvanized Iron, No. 22, 24 by 84, to make patterns for shoes.
58. 1 Singer Sewing Machine, No. 10, improved.
59. 1 Singer Sewing Machine, medium, with covers.
60. 200 each Machine Needles, No. 4, No. 5.
61. 1 dozen Tape Measures.
62. 3 Wooden Face Planes (2 1/2-inch knives).
63. 3 Wooden Smoothing Planes (2 1/2 or 2 3/4 inch knives).
64. 1/2 dozen Try Squares, 9 inches.
65. 2 dozen Ball Chalk.
66. 3 each Firm Chisels, 1 inch, 1 1/2 inch, 2 inches, with handles.
67. 3 dozen each Lag Screws, 3/8-inch by 2 1/2 inches, 3/8-inch by 4 inches, 3/8-inch by 5 inches.
68. 2 dozen Cupboard Catches, 2 1/2 inches long.
69. 1 Sash Plane with O. G. knife.
70. 1 dozen Brad Awns with handles.
71. 15 pieces Clear White Pine, 14 inches by 16 feet by 1 1/2 inches.
72. 4 pairs Galvanized Ice-box Hinges, 6 inches.
73. 4 Brass Ice-box catches, 4 inches or 5 inches long.
74. 24 Lag Screws, 1 1/4 inches by 4 1/2 inches.
75. 2-12 dozen each Razing Hammers, No. 4, No. 6.
76. 10 pounds each, Brass Wire, No. 8, No. 12.
77. 100 pounds Paint Skins.
78. 2 dozen each Light Pendant Cocks, 3/4 by 3/4, 3/4 by 3/4.
79. 4 Elbow Burner Cocks, 3/4 by 3/4.
81. 10 feet 2-inch Bar Copper for Roofing Irons.
82. 2 Tinner's Steel Rules, 3 feet, Peck, Stow & Wilcox, No. 101.
83. 5 spools No. 18 Annunciation Wire, cotton covered.
84. 5 lengths 1/4-inch Gas Pipe.
85. 2 sheets R. G. Iron, No. 20, 24 by 84.
86. 10 pounds Screws, 3/4 No. 6.
87. 10 pounds Block Tin.
88. 2 File Cleaners.
89. 1 Hack Saw Frame.
90. 12 Eureka Hack Saw Blades.
91. 1 package Carriage Bolts, 3/4-inch by 5 inches.
92. 3 bundles Round Iron, 3/4-inch.
93. 3 bundles Round Iron, 3/4-inch.
94. 3 bars each 1/4-inch Bar Iron, 2 inches, 2 1/2 inches.
95. 1 Cross Cut Saw, 26 inches, hand.
96. 1 Set Dies for Little Giant Screw Plate No. 9.
100. 3 dozen Golden Crown Chimneys, as sample.
101. 24 dozen chimneys for lamps in cells, as sample.
102. 3 dozen Simplex Burners, No. 1 or A short shaft, as sample.
103. 1 dozen Soup or Coffee Strainers.

City Prison.

113. 1 dozen Feather Dusters.
114. 2 dozen each 2-inch, 3-inch, 4-inch Hooks and Eyes to match.
115. 2 dozen large Slaters, 18 by 14.
116. 12 dozen Tier Slaters, 6 by 8.
117. 50 Square Nuts, 1/2 inch, for bedsteads.
118. 25 Square Nuts, 3/4 inch, for bedsteads.
119. 6 dozen Washers for 1/2-inch compression bibbs.
130. 1 Ice Box, with Shelves, 3 feet by 2 feet, Fourth District.
132. 1 2-Gallon Agate Ware Saucepan, Fifth District.
133. 1 1 Gallon Agate Ware Saucepan.
135. 1 Carriage Whip for Van No. 6.
150. 2 pair Lamp Wick Trimmers, "Minnabank-onk."
151. 6 hanks Whipping Twine.
152. 1 10-inch Shell Patent Snatch Block.
154. 75 pounds White Zinc.
155. 50 square feet Asbestos Paper, 1/4-inch thick, "Gilroy."
156. 25 fathoms 2 1/2-inch 4-strand Wheel Rope.
157. 1 brass Dark Lantern for Pilot House.
158. 1 brass Cuspoider, solid bottom, for Pilot House.
159. 25 feet No. 20 Sheet Brass, 6 inches wide.
160. 5 pounds brass Escutcheons, 1-inch long.
162. 1 pair tin Shears, large.

District Prisons.

130. 1 Ice Box, with Shelves, 3 feet by 2 feet, Fourth District.
132. 1 2-Gallon Agate Ware Saucepan, Fifth District.
133. 1 1 Gallon Agate Ware Saucepan.
135. 1 Carriage Whip for Van No. 6.
150. 2 pair Lamp Wick Trimmers, "Minnabank-onk."
151. 6 hanks Whipping Twine.
152. 1 10-inch Shell Patent Snatch Block.
154. 75 pounds White Zinc.
155. 50 square feet Asbestos Paper, 1/4-inch thick, "Gilroy."
156. 25 fathoms 2 1/2-inch 4-strand Wheel Rope.
157. 1 brass Dark Lantern for Pilot House.
158. 1 brass Cuspoider, solid bottom, for Pilot House.
159. 25 feet No. 20 Sheet Brass, 6 inches wide.
160. 5 pounds brass Escutcheons, 1-inch long.
162. 1 pair tin Shears, large.

Blackwell's Island Butcher Shop.
2 Door Hangers, as sample.

SPECIAL REQUISITION 59.

Penitentiary.

170. 1 22-inch W. B. Roller, fitted with pulleys and hand crank.
171. 1 26-inch Stowe, C. C. G. splitter, fitted with hand crank and pulleys.
172. 1 Improved Tripp Counter Skiver fitted with hand crank and pulleys.

SPECIAL REQUISITION 138.

Workhouse.

175. 114 Spruce Joists, 4 inches by 6 inches by 16 feet.
176. 35 Spruce Joists, 3 inches by 4 inches by 16 feet.
177. 411 Roofing Boards, 7/8-inch by 9 1/2 inches by 14 feet.

SPECIAL REQUISITION 139.

Branch Workhouse, Riker's Island.

178. 35 pieces Merchantable White Pine, 1 inch by 9 1/2 inches by 16 feet D.B.S., tongued and grooved.
179. 5 pieces Merchantable White Pine, 1 1/4 inch by 12 inches by 16 feet.
180. 6 pieces Shelving.
181. 15 pieces Spruce Wall Strips.
182. 6 5-inch rim Door Locks with Knobs, complete.
183. 4 boxes Roofing Tin, 14 by 20.

REQUISITION 1.

239. 40 tons Blacksmiths' Coal.

SPECIAL REQUISITION 140.

Workhouse.

- 1 Row-boat of Clear White Cedar, No Butts, 16 feet long; 4 1/2 feet Beam, 20 inches Amidships, Grating aft, Rudder and Yoke, 2 pairs Oar-locks, 2 pairs 8 1/2 feet Oars, Back-board, Ring-bolts fore and aft, Hardwood Seats, Oak Frame and Keel, Copper-fastened throughout, Double-kneed, varnished and delivered to Workhouse Dock, Blackwell's Island.

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

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, April 15, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK
REQUIRED FOR PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE
OF THE NEW CITY PRISON, BOROUGH
OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS and work required for plumbing and drainage of the New City Prison, New York City, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 12 M. of

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1899.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of SEVENTY THOUSAND (70,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of three thousand five hundred (3,500) 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 retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The work and materials must conform in every respect to the printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Bidders will write out the amount of their 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 plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, and Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 13-21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by locating and establishing an approach to the Third Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, on the south side of the Southern Boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 13-21 Park row, on the 10th day of May, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed locating and establishing an approach will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 19th day of April, 1899, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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

Beginning at the intersection of the southern line of Southern Boulevard with the western line of Lincoln avenue.

1st. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Lincoln avenue for 10 feet.

2d. Thence northwesterly and parallel to the Southern Boulevard to a point distant 60 feet from the stone wall of the existing steps to the bridge, measured at right angle to the same.

3d. Thence southwesterly to a point distant 60 feet and opposite to the stone pier at the landing of the steps to the bridge.

4th. Thence westerly to the stone wall of the above-mentioned steps to the bridge for 60 feet.

5th. Thence northeasterly along said stone wall and a line in continuation thereof to the southern line of the Southern Boulevard.

6th. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of Southern Boulevard to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed locating and establishing an approach to the above-named bridge at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board, on the 10th day of May, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed locating and establishing an approach to the above-named bridge will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of May, 1899.

Dated New York, April 26, 1899.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1899.

for the following work in the Borough of Brooklyn.

11,000 CUBIC YARDS, MORE OR LESS, OF EXCAVATION AT RED HOOK PARK.

The above excavation to be made in accordance with grades and lines to be furnished by the Engineer in charge, and all material so excavated is to be at once removed from the premises.

The material excavated is to be measured in the carts.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days from the date of commencement thereof.

The amount of the security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they 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 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety; the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, May 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, 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.,

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 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 FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS GRANITE PAVING BLOCKS, TO BE DISTRIBUTED WHERE REQUIRED IN CERTAIN YARDS.

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.

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTIES IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION BY PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

BUILDINGS AND PARTS OF BUILDINGS. Sheds, Fences, etc., now standing within the lines of

1st. East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Southern Boulevard to easterly bulkhead-line of the Harlem river and public place at Bergen avenue.
2d. Concord avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-first street to Kelly street.
3d. Trinity avenue, from Dater street to Westchester avenue.

4th. Washington avenue, from Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to Pelham avenue.

5th. Approach and entrance to Grand Boulevard and Concourse, from Central Bridge over Harlem river to Butternut street and Pond place.

6th. Devos street, from Sedgwick avenue to Ogden avenue, and Bremer avenue to Anderson avenue.

7th. East One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Aqueduct avenue to Jerome avenue.

8th. East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Weeks street to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

9th. Fairmount place, from Crotona avenue to Southern Boulevard.

10th. East One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Creston avenue to Webster avenue.

11th. East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Jerome avenue to Valentine avenue.

12th. Ryer avenue, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.

13th. Fordham road, from East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street to Kingsbridge road.

14th. Tiebout avenue, from East One Hundred and Eightieth street to Fordham road.

15th. Lorillard place, from Third avenue to Pelham avenue.

16th. Briggs avenue, from East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Southern Boulevard.

17th. Grand Boulevard and Concourse, from land formerly of Metropolitan Real Estate Association to East Two Hundred and Fourth street, with transverse roads at East Two Hundredth street and East Two Hundred and Fourth street.

18th. Grand Boulevard and Concourse, from East Two Hundred and Fourth street to Moshulu Parkway, South.

19th. Broadway, from its present southerly terminus in the Twenty-fourth Ward to the southern line of Van Cortlandt Park.

MONDAY, MAY 8, 1899.

The sale will begin at 10 o'clock A. M., on May 8, 1899, and the following days if necessary, in front of premises numbered one on the catalogue.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at time of sale. The purchasers will be required to remove their property on or before June 8, 1899.

Purchasers to be liable for any and all damages to persons, animals or property by reason of the occupancy or removal of said buildings, etc.

For further information, and for the catalogues, apply at the office of the Commissioner of Highways, No. 150 Nassau street, or at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of The Bronx, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street. By order of the Commissioner,

JAMES P. KEATING.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 17-21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, April 24, 1899.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, MAY 8, 1899, AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M., the Department of Highways will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Peter F. Meyer & Company, Auctioneers, the buildings or parts of buildings and platform within the lines of West Seventeenth street, between Surf avenue and Mermaid avenue, **Borough of Brooklyn.**

The sale will take place on the ground. A plan and description of the buildings and platform may be examined at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

TERMS OF SALE:

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of the buildings or parts of buildings and platform from the street by the purchaser or purchasers within 20 days after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to effect the removal within that time, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the buildings or parts of buildings and platform.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following-named streets, to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before May 16, 1899, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 5949. Fulton avenue, from Spring place to the Twenty-third Ward line.

List 5950. Loring place, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street (University avenue), to Fordham road.

List 5951. St. Ann's avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

List 5953. One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Third avenue to Mott Haven Canal and from Mott Haven Canal to Exterior street.

List 5955. One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street (Welch street), from Webster avenue to Fordham road.

List 5956. One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from River avenue to Walton avenue.

List 5977. Jerome avenue, from Elliot street to Wolf place.

List 5978. Jerome avenue, from Wolf place to One Hundred and Ninetieth street (formerly St. James' street).

List 5980. Nelson avenue, from Kemp place to Boscobel avenue.

List 5981. One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Marion avenue.

List 5982. Intervale avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to Wilkins place.

List 5984. Andrews avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street (University avenue), to Fordham road.

List 5985. Pelham avenue, from Webster avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

List 5986. Ogden avenue, from Jerome avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

List 5987. Orchard street, from Ogden avenue to Marcher avenue.

List 5988. One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Gerard avenue to the easterly curb-line of Jerome avenue, and building a culvert at Cromwell's Creek.

List 5989. One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Walton avenue to Sheridan avenue.

List 5990. One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Third avenue to Webster avenue.

List 5992. One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street (Travers street), from Webster avenue to Jerome avenue.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
May 6, 1899.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 5876, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Prospect avenue, from existing sewer in East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to East One Hundred and Seventieth street.

List 5883, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Boston road, between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and summit north of Jefferson place; in Jefferson place, between Boston road and Franklin avenue; in Franklin avenue, between Jefferson place and summit, south; in Clinton avenue, between Jefferson place and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and in East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street (north side), between Boston road and summit east of Franklin avenue.

List 5879, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Eightieth street (Samuel street), from existing sewer in Park avenue (Vanderbilt avenue, East) to Bathgate avenue.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 5911, No. 4. Sewers in One Hundred and Eightieth street, between Amsterdam avenue and Kingsbridge road, with curves at Audubon and Wadsworth avenues.

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 Prospect avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth to East One Hundred and Seventieth street; south side of Boston road, extending about 122 feet south of Prospect avenue; both sides of Jennings street, Ritter place and Freeman street, from Union avenue to Prospect avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Boston road, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to a point distant about 120 feet south of Prospect avenue; both sides of Jefferson place, from Boston road to Franklin avenue; both sides of Franklin avenue, extending southerly from the north side of Jefferson place about 450 feet; both sides of Clinton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to Jefferson place and north side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, extending westerly from Clinton avenue about 130 feet.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Bathgate avenue to Park avenue, and west side of Bathgate avenue, extending southerly from One Hundred and Eightieth street, about 300 feet.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road; both sides of Audubon avenue and Wadsworth avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth to One Hundred and Eightieth street; east side of Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth to One Hundred and Eightieth street; north side of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Audubon avenue to Eleventh avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, extending westerly from Wadsworth avenue about 72 feet.

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 June 6, 1899, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
May 5, 1899.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 5855, No. 1. Sewer in Norman place, between Fulton and Truxton streets; also in Truxton street, between Norman place and Sackman street; also in Conway street, between Broadway and Norman place.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 5877, No. 2—Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street (Isaac street), between Webster avenue and Decatur avenue, with branches in Decatur avenue, between East One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street and summits north and south.

List 5896, No. 3. Paving Tinton avenue, from Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks.

List 5898, No. 4. Paving Undercliff avenue, from Sedgwick avenue, connecting with existing pavement about 500 feet south of Washington bridge, with granite blocks and laying crosswalks.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

No. 1. North side of Truxton street and Norman place, from Sackman street to Fulton street; south side of Truxton street, commencing at a point about 75 feet east of Sackman street to Fulton street; east side of Sackman street, from Somers street to Truxton street; both sides of Conway street, from Broadway to Norman place.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street, from Marion avenue to Webster avenue; both sides of Decatur avenue, commencing at a point about 130 feet north of One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street to a point distant about 250 feet south of One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street.

No. 3. Both sides of Tinton avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Westchester avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Undercliff avenue, extending from a point distant about 50 feet north of Highbridge about 813 feet.

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 May 31, 1899, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
April 29, 1899.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 5867, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Terrace View avenue about 100 feet north of the United States Channel line from Broadway to Kingsbridge avenue.

List 5868, No. 2. Paving Eleventh avenue, from Dyckman street to the intersection of Eleventh avenue with Wadsworth and Fort George avenues with granite-block pavement and laying crosswalks.

List 5907, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Terrace View avenue, from Kingsbridge avenue, running in a circular direction to Broadway and Two Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

List 5909, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Twentieth street from Boulevard to Riverside drive.

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 Terrace View avenue, from Broadway to Kingsbridge avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Dyckman street to the intersection of Eleventh avenue with Wadsworth and Fort George avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Terrace View avenue, from Kingsbridge avenue running in a circular direction to Broadway and Two Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Boulevard to Riverside drive and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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 May 31, 1899, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
April 27, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Annex to the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

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for supplying furniture for Public Schools 157, 159 and 165, Borough of Manhattan, and for Public School 172, Borough of The Bronx; also for heating and ventilating apparatus and electric lighting plant for the addition to Public School 46, Borough of Manhattan; also for alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools 4, 12, 17, 30, 33, 50, 69 and 84, Borough of Manhattan.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Manhattan.

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 said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that on demand, within one day after the awarding of the Contract by the Committee, the President of the said Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been so accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, May 4, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
JOHN T. BURKE,
MILES M. O'BRIEN,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
F. DE HASS SIMONSON,
Committee on Buildings.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Annex to the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, MAY 8, 1899.

for erecting an addition to Public School 63, Borough of Brooklyn; also for alterations in and erecting an addition to Public School 70, Borough of Brooklyn; also for erecting an addition to Public School 12, Borough of Richmond.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Manhattan.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required 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 said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the said Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been 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 accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, April 25, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
JOHN T. BURKE,
MILES M. O'BRIEN,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
F. DEHASS SIMONSON,
Committee on Buildings.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Annex to the Hall of the Board, No. 585 Broadway, eleventh floor, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1899,

for alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools 4, 7, 8, 16, 19, 23, 29, 31, 37, 47 and 48, **Borough of Brooklyn.** Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, Nos. 419 and 421 Broome street, Manhattan.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the specifications 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 must write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, May 4, 1899.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
JOHN T. BURKE,
MILES M. O'BRIEN,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
F. DEHASS SIMONSON,
Committee on Buildings.

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 CROTONA PARK, NORTH (although not yet named by proper authority, from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, near 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.

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 19th day of May, 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, May 3, 1899.

JOHN G. H. MEYERS,
PETER F. RAFFERTY,
JAMES J. MARTIN,
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 DEPOT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, at Bedford Park, east of Webster avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

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 19th day of May, 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.

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Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 4, 1899.

WILLIAM H. WILLIS,
JNO. H. VOSS,
EMANUEL PERLS,
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 WEEKS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, from Claremont Park to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, 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 19th day of May, 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, May 4, 1899.

ARTHUR BERRY,
JOHN J. O'NEILL,
H. B. HALL,
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 MOUNT HOPE PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority, from Jerome avenue to Anthony avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 19th day of May, 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, April 27, 1899.

JAMES A. DUNN,
EDGAR A. CONE,
EDWARD E. McCALL,
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 OGDEN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority, from Jerome avenue to Washington Bridge, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York.

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 12th day of May, 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, April 27, 1899.

DANIEL O'CONNELL,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
I. H. KLEIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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, 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 17th day of May, 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 19th day of May, 1899, at 1 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 27th day of May, 1899.

and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 27th day of May, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the United States pier and bulkhead-line of the East river with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of St. Ann's avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of Third avenue; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of St. Ann's avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to the United States pier and bulkhead-line of the East river; thence southwesterly along said United States pier and bulkhead-line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 12th day of June, 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, April 25, 1899.

PHILIP A. SMYTH, Chairman,
ANDREW J. CONNICK,
ALBERT SANDERS,
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 FORTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, from St. Ann's avenue to Locust avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

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, 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 17th day of May, 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 19th day of May, 1899, at 1.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 27th day of May, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the United States pier and bulkhead-line of the East river with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Brook avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of Third avenue; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to the United States pier and bulkhead-line of the East river; thence southwesterly along said United States pier and bulkhead-line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our Benefit Map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 12th day of June, 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, April 25, 1899.

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

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, from the Southern Boulevard to the easterly bulkhead-line of the Harlem 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 22d day of May, 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 24th day of May, 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 in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 31st day of June, 1899.

Third—That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 613 of the Laws of 1896, we shall assess to the extent of fifty per centum only of the total awards, costs and expenses of the acquisition of any land, property, rights, rents, easements and privileges, not the property of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, required for the widening and improvement of said street, upon each and every parcel of land in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, of said city, to an amount in each case which we shall deem said parcel or parcels of land benefited by said widening and improvement. This assessment for benefit will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report.

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 10th day of June, 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, May 1, 1899.

CHARLES V. GABRIEL,
Chairman,
EDWARD McCUE,
PATRICK A. McMANUS,
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 MOTT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority, from Railroad avenue, East, to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments 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 9th day of May, 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 12th day of May, 1899, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 20th day of May, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the United States bulkhead-line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said bulkhead-line to its intersection with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Exterior street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said southwesterly prolongation and parallel line to the westerly side of Exterior street; thence northwesterly on a straight line to the intersection of the easterly side of Exterior street with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Gerard avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Morris avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and its prolongation southwardly to the northwesterly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the southeasterly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Morris avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our Benefit Map deposited as aforesaid.

thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our Benefit Map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of June, 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, February 16, 1899.

EDWARD S. KAUFMAN,
Chairman,
FRANCIS S. McAVOY,
WILLIAM ARROWSMITH,
Commissioners

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 654.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, AT THE FOOT OF RUTGERS SLIP, EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a New Wooden Pier, with appurtenances, at the foot of Rutgers Slip, East river, will be received by the Board of Docks, at the office of said Board, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. on

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

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

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Thirteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars. The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

	Feet, B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Lumber, 12" x 14", about	37,744
" " " " " " " "	153,372
" " " " " " " "	15,540
" " " " " " " "	135
" " " " " " " "	4,384
" " " " " " " "	560
" " " " " " " "	48,738
" " " " " " " "	2,790
" " " " " " " "	780
" " " " " " " "	476
" " " " " " " "	842
" " " " " " " "	87
" " " " " " " "	12,165
" " " " " " " "	27,804
" " " " " " " "	124,017
" " " " " " " "	102,615
" " " " " " " "	356
" " " " " " " "	6,075
Total, about	538,475

NOTE.—All of the above quantity of lumber is inclusive of extra lengths required for laps, etc., but is exclusive of waste.

- White Pine, Yellow Pine, Norway Pine or Cypress Piles 805
(It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 60 feet to 75 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)
- White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet in length 80
- $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 26", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 24", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 14", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 20", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 18", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 16", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 15", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 14", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10", 11-16" x 8", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 14", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 9", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 8", and $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 6" square and $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " round, Wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock-pikes, 40d. Nails and 7" Wire Nails, about 36,165 pounds.
- 2" $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " and 1" Screw-bolts and Nuts, and 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " Lag-screws, about 32,156 "
- Wrought-iron Straps and Strap-bolts, about 528 "
- Steel Washers for 2", 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ ", 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " and 1" Bolts and Lag-screws, about 5,904 "
- Boiler-plate Armatures, Bands, etc., about 10,840 "
- Cast-iron Mooring-posts, weighing about 1,800 pounds each 2
- Cast-iron Mooring-posts, weighing about 900 pounds each 10
- Cast-iron Cleats, weighing about 165 pounds 2
- Pile-shoes, about 12,840 "
- One-half inch Chain, about 150 "
- Galvanized $\frac{3}{4}$ " Staples, about 58 "
- Materials for Painting, Oiling and Tarring.
- Labor of every description for about 34,240 square feet of pier.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries that the work or any part of it is ready to be begun, and all the work to be done under this contract (except about 100 feet of the inshore end of the pier, which may not be constructed until the bulkhead-wall is constructed by the Department of Docks and Ferries), is to be wholly completed on or before the expiration of seventy-five days after the date of service of said notification; and the said

100 feet are to be completed within forty-five days after notice shall be given to the contractor by said Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries that work on the said 100 feet may be begun; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contractor may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

It is the intention of the Board of Docks to deposit rip-rap over the outer about 150 or 200 feet of the pier site, along the easterly and westerly sides and across the outer end of the pier. This work may or may not be done in whole or in part during the progress of the pier construction; and if so ordered by the Engineer the contractor will suspend work on the pier to permit the Department to deposit rip-rap, in which case due allowance will be made the contractor for any delay thereby occasioned, in making the final estimate for time of completion of this contract.

Where The City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead at which the materials under this contract are to be delivered, and the same is not leased, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfage upon vessels conveying said materials.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the work and whose estimate is regular in all respects.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price or not less than a certain price for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon, and also that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of The City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in this estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or any one in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practicable, the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No estimate will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the said City.

In case there are two or more bids at the same price, which price is the lowest price bid, the contract, if awarded, will be awarded by lot to one of the lowest bidders.

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

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

Dated New York, March 24, 1899.

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

(WORK OF CONSTRUCTION UNDER THE NEW PLAN.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 658.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED YELLOW PINE TIMBER.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SAWED Yellow Pine Timber will be received by the Board of Docks, at the office of said Board, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 2 o'clock P. M. on

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

SAWED YELLOW PINE TIMBER.

SIZE.	NO. PIECES.	LENGTHS.	FEET, B. M., ABOUT.
12" x 14"	60	25' 3"	21,210
	40	23'	12,880
	40	22' 9"	12,740
	50	35'	21,000
	25	33'	9,900
	250	30'	90,000
	50	29'	17,400
	50	28'	16,800
12" x 12"	25	27'	8,100
	25	26'	7,800
	25	25'	7,500
	50	24'	14,400
	50	23'	13,800
	50	22'	13,200
	50	21'	17,600
	100	20'	24,000
	50	16'	9,600
	25	23'	5,750
10" x 12"	15	22' 3"	3,337
	15	17' 6"	1,750
10" x 10"	10	20' 6"	1,708
8" x 10"	5	13' 6"	720
8" x 15"	8	33'	2,610
8" x 10"	8	27'	2,160
8" x 12"	13	20'	2,600
8" x 10"	5	13' 6"	450
8" x 8"	20	21'	2,240
	150	18' 6"	14,800
7" x 14"	5	33'	1,347
	5	27'	1,102
7" x 12"	13	32'	2,912
	13	26'	2,366
	100	33'	19,800
6" x 12"	225	30'	40,500
	150	27'	24,300
	150	24'	21,000
	100	35'	14,583
	100	33'	13,750
	250	31' 6"	34,813
	100	29'	12,083
5" x 10"	50	28'	5,834
	150	27'	16,875
	50	26'	5,417
	50	25'	5,008
	100	24'	10,000
	100	23'	9,583
	150	21'	13,125
	50	35'	5,833
4" x 10"	750	30'	75,000
	500	25'	41,667
4" x 12"	500	18' 3"	30,416
3" x 10"	500	30'	60,000
	500	25'	31,250

Random.	Feet, board measure.
4 inches by 10 inches, 12 feet to 30 feet, to average about 20 feet, about	150,000
3 inches by 10 inches, 12 feet to 30 feet, to average about 20 feet, about	150,000

TOTALS.	Feet, board measure.
12 inches by 14 inches	46,830
12 inches by 12 inches	266,100
10 inches by 12 inches	10,837
10 inches by 10 inches	1,708
8 inches by 16 inches	720
8 inches by 15 inches	4,800
8 inches by 12 inches	2,080
8 inches by 10 inches	451
8 inches by 8 inches	17,040
7 inches by 14 inches	2,457
7 inches by 12 inches	5,278
6 inches by 12 inches	106,200
5 inches by 10 inches	139,171
4 inches by 12 inches	60,000
4 inches by 10 inches	152,916
3 inches by 10 inches	31,250
Total	847,930
Random lengths—	
4 inches by 10 inches	150,000
3 inches by 10 inches	150,000
Total	1,147,930

Yellow pine merchantable timber, and in the opinion of the Engineer, to accord with Savannah inspection.

All timber must be full to dimensions called for, and is to be delivered to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

The above-named quantities are approximate only, and the Department reserves for itself the right to increase or decrease the number of pieces called for in the various classes by about 10 per cent.

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

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

(2) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Board of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the prices therefor, per thousand feet, board measure, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

At least two hundred thousand feet, board measure, of the timber is to be delivered within thirty days from the date of receipt of notice from the Engineer-in-Chief that the deliveries may be begun. The timber is to be delivered at the rate of at least 500,000 feet per month thereafter, and all the timber to be delivered under this contract is to be delivered within 90 days from the date of receipt of the said notice from the Engineer-in-Chief that the deliveries may be begun, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at One Hundred Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates the price per thousand feet, board measure, for yellow pine timber, to be delivered in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the receiving of the material by the Department of Docks and Ferries.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member, or in which the bidder is directly or indirectly interested, or of which the bidder has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price or not less than a certain price for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or any other officer or employee of The City of New York, or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or any one in his behalf with a view to influencing the action or judgment of such officer or employee in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

In case a bid shall be submitted by or in behalf of any corporation, it must be signed in the name of such corporation by some duly authorized officer or agent thereof, who shall also subscribe his own name and office. If practicable, the seal of the corporation should also be affixed.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance, and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to The City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion and that which said City 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 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 and otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of The City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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

In case there are two or more bids at the same price, which price is the lowest price bid, the contract, if awarded, will be awarded by lot to one of the lowest bidders.

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

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

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