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MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COUNCIL.

SPECIAL MEETING.

MONDAY, December 12, 1898, at 1 o'clock P.M.

The Council met in Room No. 16, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Randolph Guggenheimer, President.

COUNCILMEN

John T. Oakley,
Vice-Chairman,
Thomas F. Foley,
Martin Engel,
Frank J. Goodwin,
George H. Mondorf,
Patrick J. Ryder,
Harry C. Hart,

George H. Christman,
John J. Murphy,
Eugene A. Wise,
Stewart M. Brice,
William J. Hyland,
Adolph C. Hottenroth,
Bernard C. Murray,
Charles H. Francisco,

Conrad H. Hester,
Adam H. Leich,
Henry French,
Charles H. Ebbets,
John J. McGarry,
William A. Doyle,
Martin F. Conly.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 9, 1898.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

DEAR SIR:—In pursuance of section 1, chapter 1 of the Rules of the Council, I do hereby direct that you call a special meeting of the Council for Monday next, December 12, 1898, at 1 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of considering ordinances and resolutions which were sent to the Board of Public Improvements for correction and have been returned in an amended form for approval.

Respectfully,

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council.

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 346 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 10, 1898.

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

SIR:—I enclose herewith forms of ordinances approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 9th instant, to correct ordinances sent to your Honorable Body during the past year (which are returned herewith) in the following matters:

Asphalting intersection of Boulevard and Manhattan street.
Asphalting Eighty-ninth street, Park to Madison avenue.
Laying water-mains in Jackson avenue, Borough of The Bronx.
Laying water-mains in Decatur avenue, Woodlawn road and Two Hundred and Seventh street.
Laying water-mains in Fort Washington avenue.
Laying water-mains in Third avenue and Eighteenth street, etc., Borough of Queens.
Cleaning and painting One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct.
Laying water-mains in Fifteenth avenue, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.
Furnishing book-cases for Supreme Court Library.
Laying water-mains in Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, etc., Borough of The Bronx.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The communications are as follows:

No. 1184.—(S. R. 402.)

AN ORDINANCE to authorize improvements in the supreme court library, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the furnishing of additional book-cases for the supreme court library in the court-house, in the City Hall Park, Borough of Manhattan; also, for making iron work alterations of a stair and platform for the above book-cases, under the direction of the commissioner of public buildings, lighting and supplies, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Supplies and Repairs," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 457.—(S. R. 319.)

AN ORDINANCE to repave the intersection of the Boulevard and Manhattan street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving of the intersection of the Boulevard and Manhattan street, in the Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt, and the setting and resetting of curb where necessary, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

COMMUNICATIONS.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
CITY HALL, December 5, 1898.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—I transmit herewith the documents relative to matters adopted by the Board of Aldermen at the stated meeting held Tuesday, December 6, 1898, as scheduled below:

Int. Nos. 1701, 1702, 1703, 1704, 1705, 1706, 1707, 1708, 1709, 1710, 1711, 1712, 1713 and 1714.

Respectfully,

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

Which was ordered on file.

The communications from the Board of Aldermen were as follows:

No. 1378.—(S. R. 490.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for repaving the carriageway of Fifty-first street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, with stone-block pavement.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving, with stone-block pavement, of the carriageway of Fifty-first street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1379.—(S. R. 491.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for placing two elevators in the brownstone building, City Hall Park, in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the placing of two elevators in the brownstone building, City Hall Park, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of public buildings, lighting and supplies, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved; the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Supplies and Repairs," Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1380.—(S. R. 492.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the alteration and improvement of the sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Lenox and Eighth avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the alteration and improvement of the sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Lenox and Eighth avenues, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of sewers, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, there having been presented to said board an estimate in writing of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1381.—(S. R. 493.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the alteration and improvement of the sewer in Fifty-sixth street, between Lexington and Park avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, In pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, that the alteration and improvement of sewer in Fifty-sixth street, between Lexington and Park avenues, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said board an estimate, in writing, of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1382.—(S. R. 494.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the constructing of an outlet and overflow sewer at Twenty-sixth street and the North river, in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the construction of an outlet and overflow sewer at Twenty-sixth street and North river, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of sewers, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said board an estimate, in writing, of the cost of the said work or improvement and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1383.—(S. R. 495.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for repaving the carriageway John street, from Broadway to Pearl street, in the Borough of Manhattan, with granite-block pavement.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution

of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 31st day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving of John street, from Broadway to Pearl street, in the Borough of Manhattan, with granite-block pavement on a concrete foundation, the setting and resetting of curbstones and the flagging and reflagging of sidewalks along the line of said street where necessary, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1384.—(S. R. 496.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for repaving the carriage-way of Astor place and of Eighth street, between Broadway and Fourth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt pavement.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving with asphalt of the carriage-way of Astor place and of Eighth street, between Broadway and Fourth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1385.—(S. R. 497.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for repaving the carriage-way of Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue, for a distance of one hundred feet, in the Borough of Manhattan, with granite, etc.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving of the carriage-way of Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue, for a distance of one hundred feet, in the Borough of Manhattan, with granite-block pavement on a concrete foundation, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1386.—(S. R. 498.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for repaving the carriage-way of Forty-ninth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, with granite-block pavement.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving with granite-block pavement of the carriage-way of Forty-ninth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1387.—(S. R. 499.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for repaving the carriage-way of Twenty-fourth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, in the Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving of the carriage-way of Twenty-fourth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, with a guarantee of maintenance for fifteen years from the contractor, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1388.—(S. R. 500.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for repaving the carriage-way of Nineteenth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving with asphalt of the carriage-way of Nineteenth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, with a guarantee of maintenance for fifteen years from the contractor, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1389.—(S. R. 501.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for repaving the carriage-way of Wall street, from Broadway to Broad street and Nassau street, in the Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving with asphalt of the carriage-way of Wall street, from Broadway to Broad street and Nassau street, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, with a guarantee of maintenance for fifteen years from the contractor, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or

improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1390.—(S. R. 502.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for repaving the carriage-way of Prince street, from Wooster street to West Broadway and Wooster street, commencing at Prince street and extending south a distance of two hundred feet, in the Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving with asphalt of Prince street, from Wooster street to West Broadway, and the carriage-way of Wooster street, commencing at Prince street and extending south two hundred feet, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, with a guarantee of maintenance for fifteen years from the contractor, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1391.—(S. R. 503.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the erection of the Loxley fountain, in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the preparation of the ground and foundation, including necessary excavation, construction of drains, walks and railings, in connection with the erection of the Loxley fountain at East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Mott avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for this purpose made by the board of estimate and apportionment.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

No. 1145.—(S. R. 449.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in various thoroughfares in the Borough of Brooklyn (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 678), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in various thoroughfares in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in the following streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn, to wit:

Fifty-first street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues;
Fifty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues;
Third avenue, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets;
Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues;
Seventh avenue, between Eighty-sixth and Ninety-second streets;
Third avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-fifth streets;
Sixty-fifth street, between First and Third avenues;
Thirty-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues;
Bay Twenty-ninth and Twenty-ninth streets, between Bath avenue and Eighty-sixth street;
Twenty-third avenue, between Eighty-second street and Stillwell avenue;
Seventy-ninth street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third avenues;
Eighty-sixth street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third avenues to Stillwell avenue;
Eighty-first street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-fourth avenues;
Eighty-fifth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues;
Twelfth avenue, between Eighty-third and Eighty-sixth streets;
Prospect avenue, between Ninth and Tenth avenues;
Avenue L and East Eighth street;
Douglas and Degraw streets, between Nostrand and New York avenues;
Seventy-third street, between Second and Third avenues;
Avenue U, between Ocean and Coney Island avenues;
Fifty-first street, between Third and Fourth avenues;
Newton street, between Graham avenue and Engert street;
Degraw street, between Buffalo and Ralph avenues;
Sixty-fifth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues;
President street, between Brooklyn and Kingston avenues;
Sixty-sixth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues;
Sixtieth street, between Third and Fourth avenues;
Newton street, between Manhattan and Graham avenues;

under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for by the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
EUGENE A. WISE,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water supply.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1361.—(S. R. 450.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in One Hundred and Seventieth street, etc., Borough of The Bronx (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 664), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in One Hundred and Seventieth street, etc., in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 30th day of November, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Seventieth street, Franklin to Boston avenue;
One Hundred and Ninety-third street, Marion to Webster avenue;
Barretto street, One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to Intervale avenue;
Spencer place, One Hundred and Forty-fourth to One Hundred and Fiftieth street;

—all in the Borough of The Bronx; and in Morningside avenue, West, between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets, Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
EUGENE A. WISE,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 345 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 2, 1898.

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

Sirs—In accordance with the action taken by this Board at the meeting held November 30, 1898, I inclose herewith, for the approval of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving a resolution adopted on said date authorizing the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Seventieth street, One Hundred and Ninety-third street, Barretto street and Spencer place, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1076.—(S. R. 451.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Lafontaine avenue, Borough of The Bronx (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 677), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Lafontaine avenue, The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Lafontaine avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and Quary road, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved; the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
EUGENE A. WISE,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,

Committee on
Water Supply.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1362.—(S. R. 454.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in German place, etc., Borough of The Bronx (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 665), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in German place, etc., the Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 30th day of November, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in

German place, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth streets; and in

One Hundred and Fifty-seventh and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth streets, between German place and St. Ann's avenue;

—all in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
EUGENE A. WISE,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 345 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 3, 1898.

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

Sirs—In accordance with the action taken by this Board, at the meeting held November 30, 1898, I inclose herewith, for the approval of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving a resolution adopted on said date, authorizing the laying of water-mains in German place and in One Hundred and Fifty-seventh and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth streets, Borough of The Bronx.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1359.—(S. R. 461.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in various streets in the Borough of Brooklyn (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 663), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in various streets in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 30th day of November, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, in the following streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn, to wit:

Morgan avenue, between Nassau and Driggs avenues;
Himrod street, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues;
Thattford avenue, between East New York and Union avenues;
Union avenue, between Thattford and Rockaway avenues;
Rockaway avenue, and Rockaway Parkway, between Union avenue and Canarsie road;

Canarsie road, between Rockaway avenue and Canarsie shore;
Avenues F, G and L, between Rockaway Parkway and Canarsie road;
Concklin and Flatbush avenues and Avenue K, between Ninety-ninth street and Canarsie road.

Ninety-fourth street, between Avenue F and M; and in

Canarsie road, between Avenues F and M.

be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for by the issue of corporate stock.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
EUGENE A. WISE,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 345 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 3, 1898.

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

Sirs—In accordance with the action taken by this Board at the meeting held on November 30, 1898, I inclose herewith, for the approval of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving a resolution adopted on said date, authorizing the laying of water-mains in Morgan avenue, Himrod street, Thattford avenue, etc., in the Borough of Brooklyn, and a second form of ordinance authorizing the Comptroller to raise a sum not to exceed \$44,000 for the execution of said work, by the sale of corporate stock.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1368.—(S. R. 462.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in various streets in the Borough of Brooklyn (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 663), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in various streets in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in

Eighteenth avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-sixth streets, with connection to present main in Sixty-seventh street; in

Seventy-first street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues; in

Hampton place, between Park place and Sterling place; in

Sixty-seventh street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues; and in

Sixty-sixth street, between New Utrecht avenue and Fourteenth street;

—all in the Borough of Brooklyn, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for by the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
EUGENE A. WISE,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1147.—(S. R. 459.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Avenue U, Twenty-fifth and Fourth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 676), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Avenue U, Twenty-fifth and Fourth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Avenue U, from the New Utrecht pumping station to Twenty-fifth avenue; and in Twenty-fifth and Fourth avenues, where necessary to connect with the present large mains, both in the Borough of Brooklyn, and including the necessary hydrants, stop-cocks and connections, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for by the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
EUGENE A. WISE,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 1273.—(S. R. 455.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Jackson avenue, The Bronx (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 675), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Jackson avenue, The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Jackson avenue, between Westchester avenue and Cedar place, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
EUGENE A. WISE,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1373.—(S. R. 453.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 572), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, between the Southern Boulevard and Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
EUGENE A. WISE,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1374.—(S. R. 456.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Elm street, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 572), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Elm street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Elm street, Borough of Manhattan, as witnessed and attested, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
EUGENE A. WISE,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1380.—(S. R. 457.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, The Bronx (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 584), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, between St. Ann's and Fifty-third avenues, Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
EUGENE A. WISE,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1201.—(S. R. 458.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Fulton avenue, The Bronx (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 574), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Fulton avenue, The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Seventy-third street, between Third and Fulton avenues, and in Fulton avenue between One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fourth streets, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
EUGENE A. WISE,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, and Wise—22.

No. 1346.—(S. R. 460.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in various streets in the Eighth Ward of Brooklyn (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 579) respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in various streets in the Eighth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in the following streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn:

Fifty-second street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues;
Eighty-eighth street, between Fifth and Fort Hamilton avenues;
Twenty-first avenue, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-sixth streets;
Third avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-eighth streets, and Sixty-first street, between Third and Fourth avenues;
Eighty-first street, between Second and Third avenues;
Bay Twenty-second street, between Crosey avenue and Eighty-sixth street;
Park place, between Albany and Troy avenues;
Eighteenth avenue, between Sixty-third and Sixty-seventh streets;
Ninety-third street, between Third and Fourth avenues;
Twenty-third avenue, between Bath avenue and Eighty-sixth street;
Eighty-eighth street, between Fort Hamilton road and Seventh avenue;
Fortieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues; and
Eighteenth avenue, between Fifth and Fifty-seventh streets;

—under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for by the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York.

THOMAS F. FOLEY,
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY,
FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS,
EUGENE A. WISE,
WILLIAM A. DOYLE,
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH,

Committee on
Water Supply.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, and Wise—22.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

The President laid before the Council the following communications from the Board of Public Improvements:

No. 1185.—(S. R. 504.)

AN ORDINANCE to direct the cleaning and painting of the One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct, Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the cleaning and painting of the One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct, including the ironwork, woodwork and the tracks of the viaduct, excepting only girders and buckle plates on the section spanning the tracks of the Manhattan Elevated Railroad, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct, Maintenance and Repairs," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

No. 1021.—(S. R. 505.)

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

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Jackson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first street and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for laying "Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 795.—(S. R. 506.)

AN ORDINANCE to repave Eighty-ninth street, between Park and Madison avenues, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving of the carriageway of Eighty-ninth street, from Park avenue to Madison avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt on the present foundation, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, with a guarantee of maintenance for fifteen years, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—23.

No. 937.—(S. R. 507.)

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in various localities in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in

Deceatur avenue, between Woodlawn road and Two Hundred and Seventh street;
Hull avenue, between Woodlawn road and Two Hundred and Seventh street;
Two Hundred and Fifth street, between Webster avenue and Woodlawn road; and
Willow avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets,
—in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and

the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.
No. 1149.—(S. R. 508.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide water-mains in various thoroughfares in the Borough of Queens.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in

Third avenue and Eighteenth street, between the College Point standpipe and Fifth avenue;

Fourth avenue, between Whitestone standpipe and Eighteenth street;

Whitestone avenue, between Bayside avenue and Higgins lane;

—with the necessary hydrants, stopcocks and connections, in the Borough of Queens, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for by the issue of corporate stock.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Engel, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Ryder, and Wise—15.
Negative—Councilman Francisco—1.

Councilman Goodwin then moved a reconsideration of the vote by which this proposed ordinance was lost.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Doyle moved that the proposed ordinance be referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Leich moved that the vote by which Nos. 1021 and 937 were adopted be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

The Vice-Chairman moved that the Committee on Water Supply be discharged from further consideration of the proposed ordinances returned from the Board of Public Improvements—Nos. 1021 and 937.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder and Wise—16.

The Vice-Chairman then moved the adoption of the following ordinance:

No. 1021.—(S. R. 305.)

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

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Jackson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first street and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for laying "Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

At this point Councilman Leich moved for a call of the house.

The clerk then called the roll, and the following members answered their names:

The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

The Vice-Chairman then moved the adoption of the following ordinance:

No. 937.—(S. R. 507.)

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in various localities in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in
Deceur avenue, between Woodlawn road and Two Hundred and Seventh street;
Hull avenue, between Woodlawn road and Two Hundred and Seventh street;
Two Hundred and Fifth street, between Webster avenue and Woodlawn road; and
Willow avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets;

—in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

The Vice-Chairman moved that the Committee on Water Supply be discharged from the further consideration of proposed Ordinance No. 937.

Which was adopted.

The Vice-Chairman moved that the Committee on Water Supply be discharged from the further consideration of proposed Ordinance No. 1148.

Which was adopted.

The Vice-Chairman moved that the Committee on Water Supply be discharged from the further consideration of proposed Ordinance No. 930.

Which was adopted.

The Vice-Chairman then moved the adoption of the following ordinance:

No. 930.—(S. R. 500.)

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in various localities in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in
Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Webster avenue and Two Hundred and Thirty-third street;

Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Webster and Kepler avenues;

Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Webster and Kepler avenues;

Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Verie and Kepler avenues;

Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Verie and Kepler avenues;

Two Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Verie and Katonah avenues; and

Katonah avenue, between Two Hundred and Thirty-third and Two Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets;—all of the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, and Ryder—21.

Negative—Councilman Wise—1.

The Vice-Chairman then moved that the vote by which this proposed ordinance was lost be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Murray moved that the above proposed ordinance be made a special order for the next stated meeting.

The Vice-Chairman then moved the adoption of the following proposed ordinance:

No. 1148.—(S. R. 510.)

AN ORDINANCE to direct the laying of water-mains in various thoroughfares in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 15th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in

Fifteenth avenue, between Bath and Coney avenues;

Thorp avenue, between Halsey and McDonough streets;

Third avenue, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets; and in

Eighty-third street, between Second and Third avenues.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for by the issue of corporate stock.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

The Vice-Chairman moved the adoption of the following proposed ordinance:

No. 936.—(S. R. 311.)

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Fort Washington avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 9th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Fort Washington avenue, between the Boulevard and Depot Lane, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the commissioner of water supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes," boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1898.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

At this point Councilman Goodwin took the Chair.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES REOPENED.

No. 1022.—(S. R. 410.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of repaving Sixth avenue, from Thirtieth street to Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 680), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to repave Sixth avenue, from Thirtieth street to Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the repaving with asphalt of the carriageway of Sixth avenue, from Thirtieth to Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, from the railroad tracks to the curb, under the direction of the commissioner of highways, with a guarantee of maintenance for fifteen years from the contractor, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Repaving Streets and Avenues," Borough of Manhattan, for 1898.

JOHN J. MORPHY,

MARTIN ENGEL,

BERNARD C. MURRAY,

HENRY FRENCH,

Committee on

Streets and

Highways.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Ryder, and Wise—22.

Councilman Conly moved that the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels be discharged from the further consideration of proposed ordinance.

No. 1366.—(S. R. 513.)

AN ORDINANCE to provide improved alignments for Hamilton Avenue Bridge, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the board of public improvements, adopted by that board on the 5th day of December, 1898, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the board of public improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the entering into a contract by the commissioner of bridges, by public letting, for preparing for and building two masonry abutments (to replace the two present wooden ones) at the Hamilton Avenue Bridge over Gowanus Canal, Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges" in the Borough of Brooklyn, for 1899.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Ryder, and Wise—17.

Negative—Councilmen Engel, Francisco, and Leich—3.

Councilman Conly then moved the adoption of the ordinance.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Foley, French, Goodwin, Hester, Hottenroth, Hyland, McGarry, Mundorf, Murphy, Ryder, and Wise—18.

Negative—Councilmen Engel, Francisco, and Leich—3.

Councilman Hottenroth moved that the vote by which the above proposed ordinance was lost be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Leich moved that it be recommitted to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

Which was adopted.

No. 1360.—(S. R. 514.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of concurring with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to issue corporate stock to the amount of \$44,000 to pay for water-mains in various localities in the Borough of Brooklyn (see Minutes, December 6, 1898, page 663), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 169 and 178 of the City Charter, chapter 378 of the laws of 1897, the comptroller of The City of New York is hereby authorized and directed to raise, by the issue

of any other work of The City of New York, it was not to exceed forty-four thousand dollars, to pay for laying water-mains in:

- Morgan Avenue, between Nassau and Driggs Avenues;
- Hudson street, between Irving and Wyckoff Avenues;
- East 10th Avenue, between East New York and Union Avenues;
- Union Avenue, between Thaddeus and Rockaway Avenues;
- Rockaway Avenue, and Rockaway Parkway, between Union Avenue and Canarsie Road;
- Canarsie Road, between Rockaway Avenue and Canarsie Street;
- Avenue L, M and N, between Rockaway Parkway and Canarsie Road;
- Rockaway Avenue, and Rockaway Parkway, between Union Avenue and Canarsie Road;
- Canarsie Road, between Avenue L and M;
- Canarsie Road, between Avenue L and M;

—All in the Borough of Brooklyn.

FRANK J. GOODWIN,
ADAM H. REICH,
GEORGE B. CHRISTMAN,
CONRAD E. HESTER,
STEWART M. BRICK,

Committee on Finance.

The President and the majority of the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, the Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbens, Engel, Fisher, Furman, Linton, Goodson, Bostery, Hottelworth, Hyland, Leich, McGarry, Minerva, Murphy, Murray, Ryan, and Windolph—14.
The Vice-Chairman moved that when the Council adjourns it do adjourn to meet at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, December 14, 1898.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Councilman Furman moved to adjourn.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Councilman Ryker moved that when the Council adjourns it do adjourn to meet at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, December 14, 1898.

Which was adopted.

OFFICIAL AND REGULATIONS.

Councilman Ryker moved that the Council do now adjourn.

The Acting Chairman put the question whether the Council would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Acting Chairman declared that the Council would adjourn until Tuesday, December 14, 1898, at 11 o'clock A. M.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STAFF MEETING.

TUESDAY, December 13, 1898,
4 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermen's Chamber, City Hall.

PRESENT.

Hon. Thomas F. Wood, President.

ABSENT.

William F. Furman,	John Furman,	Charles Metzger,
John Furman,	John Furman,	Louis Mosk,
John Furman,	John Furman,	Robert Mohr,
John Furman,	John Furman,	Paul Neale,
John Furman,	John Furman,	John and P. O'Leary,
John Furman,	John Furman,	John S. Roddy,
John Furman,	John Furman,	Bernard Schmidt,
John Furman,	John Furman,	William F. Schneider, Jr.,
John Furman,	John Furman,	P. Teasdale Sherman,
John Furman,	John Furman,	David S. Stewart,
John Furman,	John Furman,	John J. Vaughan, Jr.,
John Furman,	John Furman,	Jacob J. Velton,
John Furman,	John Furman,	Moses J. Water,
John Furman,	John Furman,	Joseph E. Wellington,
John Furman,	John Furman,	William Wertz,
John Furman,	John Furman,	Colin H. Woodward,

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting, held Tuesday, December 6, 1898.

Alderman John F. Wood moved that a further reading of the minutes of the stated meeting of Tuesday, December 6, 1898, be dispensed with, and that they be approved as printed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Clerk then proceeded to read the minutes of the special meeting, held Thursday, December 8, 1898.

Alderman John F. Wood moved that a further reading of the minutes of the special meeting of Thursday, December 8, 1898, be dispensed with, and that they be approved as printed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Nelson rose and announced the death of Alderman Edward S. Scott, of the Fourteenth Assembly District of Kings County, Borough of Brooklyn, and presented the following:

No. 1757.

Whereas, Notice of the immediate death of Mrs. Dyma Providence has been removed from among us a heavy calamity, and whereas, members of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, Edward S. Scott, and

Whereas, During the year 1898, as soon as occurred in this Board, he underwent himself to his colleagues an unusual amount of sorrow by his many disappointments, his kindness of heart, and his gentleness and modesty as a man, and

Whereas, The members of this Board and the Board of Aldermen in the Borough of Brooklyn will feel the greatest sorrow to be a personal loss, and

Whereas, The members of this Board feel the sudden death of their friend and colleague, therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of the Board of Aldermen in the City Hall be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days, and that the members of this Board attend the funeral in a body.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed, and duly authenticated by the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen and the City Clerk, be presented to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, That a Committee of five be appointed to carry these resolutions into effect, and be it further

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect, the Board do now adjourn.

Alderman John F. Wood, John F. Wood, and James H. McInerney, seconded the resolutions, paying eloquent and fitting tributes to their deceased colleague.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by a rising vote.

The President then appointed Alderman Nelson, Lang, Edgar, McNeil, Diemer, John T. McNeil, and Water a committee to carry these resolutions into effect.

And the President declared that the Board adjourned until Tuesday, December 20, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of a Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Tuesday, November 22, 1898, at 11 o'clock A. M.

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

The minutes of the last meeting, of November 15, 1898, were approved.

Commissioner Ten Eyck moved the following:

Whereas, The following communication has been supplied from the Commissioner of Water Supply:

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET,
New York, November 15, 1898.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners:

DEAR SIR—The Chief Engineer of this Department reports to me that the Aqueduct Commissioners have made arrangements and plans to construct a deep sewer from Gate-house No. 4 of the Jerome Park Reservoir, situated near Jerome Avenue, to Moshulu Parkway, in order to drain the gate-house.

To distribute the water in the reservoir through pipes from that gate-house it will be necessary to lay the 48-inch distributing mains several feet below the usual four feet of covering.

In view of these conditions, and for the purpose of economy, as well as to make the whole work more permanent and to obviate the necessity of tearing up and incumbering Jerome Avenue and Two Hundred and Fourth Street twice—first, for the sewer construction, and afterwards for the laying of the 48-inch mains—I respectfully ask that the Aqueduct Commissioners furnish and lay two lines of 48-inch mains alongside of the sewer and in conjunction with the construction of the sewer; also a sewer and line of 48-inch pipe on Jerome Avenue, in accordance with plans herewith submitted.

Very respectfully,

WM. DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

Whereas, It is the opinion of the Chief Engineer of the Aqueduct Commission that the work referred to in said communication of the Commissioner of Water Supply can be done under more favorable conditions and probably less expense than if the construction was done at different times and under separate department contracts;

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners believe that the work of construction of the outlet or blow-off and laying of two water-pipes in Two Hundred and Fourth Street, from the gate-house to Moshulu Parkway, together with the laying of supply and drain pipes from the gate-house at Jerome Avenue to the pumping station, should be done by them at once; and that the opinion of the Corporation Counsel be requested by the President as to whether they are authorized by law to do it, and that all information now before the Aqueduct Commissioners regarding the matter be transmitted to the Corporation Counsel for his consideration and reply.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The following communication was also received from the Chief Engineer:

REPORT No. 32.

NEW YORK, November 21, 1898.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—You have referred to me the inclosed letter of Contractor John B. McDonald in relation to his contract for "Constructing Masonry and Tunnel Drain at Jerome Park Reservoir," in which communication he asks for an extension of time.

The facts in the case are as follows:

The contract for that work was let on November 4, 1896, to Messrs. Clark & Co., with the stipulation that the work would be completed on December 31, 1897. That date was decided upon because it was thought that by that time the drain would be necessary for the proper conduct of the work of building the Jerome Park reservoir.

The progress made by Clark & Company was, from the very beginning, insufficient, and several notices to that effect were given to them. During the summer the work was even stopped almost entirely, and the Chief Engineer reported to the Aqueduct Commissioners that the work was delayed beyond necessity, but before formal action was taken in the matter Clark & Company, with the consent of the Aqueduct Commissioners, assigned their contract to John B. McDonald, contractor for the Jerome Park Reservoir. It was then too late to expect the completion of the work at the time originally fixed, and the completion of the work within a short time then became a matter of less importance; in fact, Mr. McDonald took the assignment with the understanding that ample time would be given for the completion of the work, which was understood to be on November 1, 1898.

Since Contractor McDonald took the work it has progressed continuously, although slowly, but inasmuch as the City's interest cannot suffer from the postponement of the opening of the drain for a time, and, under the circumstances of the case given above, I respectfully recommend that an extension of time be granted to Contractor McDonald until October 1, 1899.

Yours respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

Commissioner Ten Eyck moved that the Secretary be authorized to prepare a resolution in accordance with the usual form, provided the aforesaid after extending the time of John B. McDonald to complete the contract above referred to to October 1, 1899.

Which was carried by the following vote:

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

The following communication of the Chief Engineer, which was laid over at the last meeting, was then considered:

REPORT No. 30.

NEW YORK, November 15, 1898.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—Owing to the closing of the Blow-Off Gate House at Shaft No. 25, and for the purpose of lighting the same, openings have been left on the sidewalk of the Harlem Driveway which must be filled with platens provided with ball-eye lights, as is commonly done over sidewalk vaults in the city.

This work was not included in the general contract for Shaft No. 25.

The work should be ordered without delay, and I will ask you to authorize me to procure prices for the same; the cost will be in the neighborhood of \$300.

Yours respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

Commissioner Power moved that the above recommendations of the Chief Engineer be agreed to.

Which was carried by the following vote:

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

The following communication was also received from the Chief Engineer:

REPORT No. 33.

NEW YORK, November 21, 1898.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—For the proper equipment of Shaft No. 25 and of the structures connected with it, the following is now wanted:

First—Platforms, ladders, railings, etc., for the proper approach of the upper part of the existing apparatus.

Second—Two hundred feet of fence for the main staircase just erected by Hart & Company. The cost of this work is estimated to be not more than eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800).

This is to ask you to authorize the Chief Engineer to ask prices for the same.

Yours respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

Commissioner Power moved that the authority asked for by the Chief Engineer be granted.

Which was carried by the following vote:

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

The following communication was also received from the Chief Engineer:

REPORT No. 34.

NEW YORK, November 21, 1898.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—This is to ask your authority to ask prices from a number of reputable firms, not less than five, for a hot-water heating apparatus for the Keeper's House at Jerome Park Reservoir. The cost of the same is expected to be under eight hundred dollars.

Yours respectfully,

A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

Commissioner Ryan moved that the authority asked for by the Chief Engineer be granted.

Which was carried by the following vote:

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

The following was presented:

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, November 16, 1898.

JEFFERSON GROVE, Esq., Acting Secretary, Aqueduct Commissioners' Office:

DEAR SIR—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 15th instant, relative to the proposed transfer of Frank H. Warler, Stenographer in the office of your Commission to the Eighth District Municipal Court, and enclosing copies of the request of the Justice of said Court for such transfer and the consent of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

In connection with this matter, I desire to call your attention to the provision of Civil Service Regulation 40 that no such transfer shall be allowed without an open competitive examination, unless the person to be transferred shall previously have passed an open competitive examination equivalent to that required for the position to which he is to be transferred.

As Mr. Warler did not secure his present position through an open competitive examination, the Commission is unable to issue its certificate to the effect that such proposed transfer is in accordance with law and the provisions of the Civil Service Regulations.

Regretting that we cannot comply with the request,

Yours respectfully,

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

Commissioner Ten Eyck moved that the same be ordered filed.

Which was carried by the following vote:

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

The Commissioners then adjourned.

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

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PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

The Commissioners of the Streeting Board of The City of New York, in concert with Patrick KERNAN, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending November 5, 1898.

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		Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the 1947 Bonds		Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the 1947 Bonds		Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the 1947 Bonds		Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the 1947 Bonds		Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the 1947 Bonds		Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the 1947 Bonds	
		De. Cr.		De. Cr.		De. Cr.		De. Cr.		De. Cr.		De. Cr.	
1948 Nov. 5	By Interest on Deposits	Mechanics' National Bank...	\$449.88										
	"	Merchants' Ex. Nat'l Bank...	51.92										
	"	National Bank of America...	15.45										
	"	National Bank of the Republic...	342.81										
	"	National Broadway Bank...	428.05										
	"	National Citizens' Bank...	42.40										
	"	National City Bank...	6,431.36										
	"	National Park Bank...	127.78										
	"	Nat. Shoe and Leather Bank...	7.27										
	"	National Union Bank...	1,846.58										
	"	New York County Nat. Bank...	424.60										
	"	N. Y. Nat'l Exchange Bank...	1.00										
	"	N. Y. Produce Exchange Bank...	147.47										
	"	Ninth National Bank...	42.47										
	"	Phoenix National Bank...	254.80										
	"	Oriental Bank...	42.47										
	"	Seaboard National Bank...	42.47										
	"	Seventh National Bank...	42.47										
	"	Western National Bank...	2,646.49										
	"	Yorkville Bank...	51.91										
	"	Atlantic Trust Company...	427.11										
	"	Colonial Trust Company...	349.30										
	"	Continental Trust Company...	42.46										
	"	Farmers' Loan and Trust Co.	771.79										
	"	Quaranty Trust Company...	2,271.97										
	"	Knechtelbeck Trust Co.	471.15										
	"	Manhattan Trust Company...	1,232.92										
	"	Mercantile Trust Company...	2,274.27										
	"	Metropolitan Trust Company...	1,554.83										
	"	N. Y. Security and Trust Co.	54.93										
	"	Produce Exchange Trust Co.	642.30										
	"	Real Estate Trust Company...	42.46										
	"	State Trust Company...	238.73										
	"	U. S. Mortgage and Trust Co.	1,534.45										
	"	Washington Trust Company...	42.47										
	"	Twenty-third Ward Bank...	427.33										
			\$33,635.98										
	Arrivals on Groves	Austen...	\$1,024.41										
	Water Rents...	Gilson...	\$1,019.31										
	Arrivals on Union	"	\$18.29										
	Water Rents...	Byrne...	\$1,714.81										
	Arrivals on Groves	O'Brien...	\$4,016.44										
	Water Rents...	"	\$1,001.07										
	Arrivals on Union	Bernard...	\$249.40										
	Water Rents...	Donatelli...	\$1,016.00										
	Arrivals on Groves	Spicer...	\$191.75										
	Water Rents...	Carroll...	\$100.00										
	Arrivals on Union	Smith...	\$1,727.89										
	Water Rents...	Stewart...	\$1.00										
	Arrivals on Groves	Hayes...	\$29.71										
	Water Rents...	Kennedy...	\$61.00										
	Arrivals on Union	Mangan...	\$100.00										
	Water Rents...	Haley...	\$42.00										
	Arrivals on Groves	Wagstaff...	\$1.37										
	Water Rents...	Bluch...	\$50.00										
	Arrivals on Union	Chesigan...	\$21.40										
	Water Rents...	Lynn...	\$17.00										
	Arrivals on Groves	Jacobs...	\$8.00										
	Water Rents...	Williams...	\$25.30										
	Arrivals on Union	Dalligan...	\$77.00										
	Water Rents...	De M...and...	\$100.00										
	Arrivals on Groves	McCabe...	\$271.00										
	Water Rents...	Bacon...	\$14.00										
	Arrivals on Union	Tyblitt...	\$15.00										
	Water Rents...	Lannon...	\$77.51										
			\$1,019.41										
	Fines and Penalties	Byrne...	\$250.00										
	"	Kierman...	\$11.00										
	"	Hugh...	\$1.00										
			\$261.00										
	Stenographer's Fees	S. Jones...	\$1,014.00										
	Ferry Rents	Murphy...	\$772.48										
			\$1,786.48										
	Revenue from Investment—Sinking Fund, Redemption		\$15,281.00										
	Revenue—Bonds—Special, Redeemed		\$4,000.00										
	Installments Payable in 1948		\$1,000.00										
			\$16,281.00										
	To Sinking Fund—Redemption		\$1,000.00										
	Sinking Fund—Interest		\$1,000.00										
	Balance		\$1,000.00										
			\$3,000.00										

November 5, 1894. By Balance, \$1,200.00, Cash, \$1,200.00, \$2,400.00. PATRICK KEENAN, City Comptroller.

DR.	THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEESAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending November 5, 1898.				CR.
1898 Nov. 5	To Interest Registered Balances	\$2,505,470 34 3 00 00	By Balance Carried over	\$2,505,470 34 3 00 00	
		\$2,505,470 34			
			November 5, 1898 By Balance	\$2,505,470 34	
	E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.				PATRICK KEESAN, City Chamberlain.

Dr.	THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending November 5, 1898.		Cr.	
1898. Nov. 3	To Witness Fees.....	\$100 10	By Balance.....	\$1,801 33
	Balance.....	6,780 44		6,780 44
			November 5, 1898. By Balance.....	\$1,780 34

E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Hookkeeper.

PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.

Dr.		The City of New York, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending November 5, 1893.		
1893. Nov. 5	To Jury Fees..... Balance.....	\$1,000 00 33,499 00	1893. Oct. 14 By Balance.....	316,300 00
		\$34,499 00		\$14,307 00
			November 5, 1893. By Balance.....	\$3,099 00
F. & O. E. F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.		PATRICK KEENAN, City Chamberlain.		

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending July 19, 1898.

Exported in the City Treasury.

Pay to the Credit of the City Treasury	\$999,000	37
" Sinking Funds	218,082	99
Total	\$1,217,082	136

Stable and Unstable Dynam.

1 per cent. Stock	829,077.28
2 1/2 per cent. Bonds	500,000.00
1 per cent. Bonds	30,115.60
Total	\$1,359,192.88

Warrants Returned for Payment.

Appropriation Accounts, "A"	\$338,191.68
Board (Special and Trust) Accounts, "B"	387,811.11
Additional Water Fund Accounts, "C"	4,003.00
Totals	\$729,995.79

Subtr. Orders of Virens, Juncus, etc.[illegible]

Court.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme.	Opening East One Hundred and Forty-eight street from River avenue to Walton avenue, etc.		Notice of motion on September 26, 1883, to confirm report of Commissioners in the following matters:	
	Opening East One Hundred and Forty-eight street from River avenue to Walton avenue, etc.			J. Whelan, Corporation Counsel.
	Opening East One Hundred and Forty-eight street from the Commons to Murrah street.			J. Whelan, Corporation Counsel.
	In matter of acquiring land for a public park at East One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Kingsbridge road and Grand Boulevard.		Notice of motion on September 12, 1883, to confirm report of Commissioners in said matter.	J. Whelan, Corporation Counsel.
	In matter of acquiring land for Harbor River Bridge at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street on First avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Williams		Notice of motion on September 26, 1883, to confirm report of Commissioners in said matter.	J. Whelan, Corporation Counsel.

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Date	Name of Candidate	Amount	Name of Candidate	Amount	
July 14	For payment of difference in rates of wages of members of Police Force for January, February and March, 1914, as follows:		July 14	For payment of difference in rates of wages of members of Police Force for April, May and June, 1914:	
	Charles J. Clarkson	\$24.00		Patrick J. Alton	\$24.00
	Frank Connolly	24.00		John Alton	24.00
	John J. Connolly	24.00		Michael J. Alton	24.00
	John J. Connolly	24.00		Thomas F. Alton	24.00
	Joseph H. Connolly	24.00		William F. Alton	24.00
	John J. Connolly	24.00		Frederick A. Alton	24.00
	William H. Connolly	24.00		Charles A. Alton	24.00
	James H. Connolly	24.00		John A. Alton	24.00
	John J. Connolly	24.00		Patrick A. Alton	24.00
	James F. Connolly	24.00		Thomas A. Alton	24.00
	John J. Connolly	24.00		William A. Alton	24.00
	Charles H. Connolly	24.00		Frederick A. Alton	24.00
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	John J. Connolly	24.00		Patrick A. Alton	24.00
	Thomas H. Connolly	24.00		Thomas A. Alton	24.00
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	Joseph A. Connolly	24.00		Frederick A. Alton	24.00
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	James F. Connolly	24.00		Frederick A. Alton	24.00
	John J. Connolly	24.00		Charles A. Alton	24.00

Item	Amount	Received	By	Amount	Received	By	Amount	Received	By
1	100.00		City of New York	100.00		City of New York	100.00		City of New York
2	50.00		City of New York	50.00		City of New York	50.00		City of New York
3	25.00		City of New York	25.00		City of New York	25.00		City of New York
4	10.00		City of New York	10.00		City of New York	10.00		City of New York
5	5.00		City of New York	5.00		City of New York	5.00		City of New York
6	2.50		City of New York	2.50		City of New York	2.50		City of New York
7	1.25		City of New York	1.25		City of New York	1.25		City of New York
8	0.62		City of New York	0.62		City of New York	0.62		City of New York
9	0.31		City of New York	0.31		City of New York	0.31		City of New York
10	0.15		City of New York	0.15		City of New York	0.15		City of New York
11	0.07		City of New York	0.07		City of New York	0.07		City of New York
12	0.04		City of New York	0.04		City of New York	0.04		City of New York
13	0.02		City of New York	0.02		City of New York	0.02		City of New York
14	0.01		City of New York	0.01		City of New York	0.01		City of New York
15	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
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18	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
19	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
20	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
21	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
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27	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
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87	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
88	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
89	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
90	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
91	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
92	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
93	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
94	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
95	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
96	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
97	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
98	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
99	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York
100	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York	0.00		City of New York

RECEIPTS AND DEBITED SINCE JANUARY 1, 1898, AND BALANCED DURING THE WEEK ENDING JULY 16, 1898.

No.	Item	Amount	Received	By	Amount	Received	By	Amount	Received	By
1	For furnishing and delivering one "Hale" water-mower for the Fire Department of the City of New York	42.75		City of New York	42.75		City of New York	42.75		City of New York
2	For furnishing and delivering five thousand (5,000) feet varnished rubber "Lat" brand of hose	4.75		City of New York	4.75		City of New York	4.75		City of New York
3	For preparing for and resurfacing and extending the pier at the foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, North river	17,931.50		City of New York	17,931.50		City of New York	17,931.50		City of New York
4	For furnishing and putting in place small rubble stones	13,356.00		City of New York	13,356.00		City of New York	13,356.00		City of New York
5	For dredging at sandy named places on the North river	25,478.00		City of New York	25,478.00		City of New York	25,478.00		City of New York
6	For dredging in the North river between the Battery and West Twenty-ninth street	14,405.00		City of New York	14,405.00		City of New York	14,405.00		City of New York
7	For dredging in the Battery street section extended and at the Park	9,180.00		City of New York	9,180.00		City of New York	9,180.00		City of New York
8	For preparing for and building a new wooden pier, with appurtenances at the foot of East Fourth street, East river	16,445.00		City of New York	16,445.00		City of New York	16,445.00		City of New York
9	For preparing for and repairing and extending the pier at the foot of West Fourth street, North river	16,971.40		City of New York	16,971.40		City of New York	16,971.40		City of New York
10	For preparing for and building a wharf, bulkhead extension on top of the present bulkwork at Riker's Island, East River	18,000.00		City of New York	18,000.00		City of New York	18,000.00		City of New York
11	For preparing for and extending piers, new 20 and new 41, North river, near the foot of Chambers and Duane streets	24,875.00		City of New York	24,875.00		City of New York	24,875.00		City of New York
12	For furnishing and delivering about two tons anthracite coal	2,751.00		City of New York	2,751.00		City of New York	2,751.00		City of New York
13	For preparing for and building a recreation structure on the pier at the foot of West Fifth street, North river	111,953.00		City of New York	111,953.00		City of New York	111,953.00		City of New York
14	For preparing for and building a passenger and freight shed on the pier at the foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, North river	60,328.00		City of New York	60,328.00		City of New York	60,328.00		City of New York
15	For placing fire-arm electrical conductors underground	35,794.48		City of New York	35,794.48		City of New York	35,794.48		City of New York
16	For placing fire-arm electrical conductors underground	6,777.00		City of New York	6,777.00		City of New York	6,777.00		City of New York
17	For furnishing one second size regulation hook and ladder truck	2,000.00		City of New York	2,000.00		City of New York	2,000.00		City of New York
18	For furnishing and delivering forage, viz: 1,000,000 pounds prime hay, 200,000 pounds 2nd cut hay, 1,750,000 pounds No. 2 clipped oats, 10,000 pounds bran, 5,000 pounds coarse salt, 5,000 pounds buckwheat, 15,000 pounds of meal, 10,000 pounds oatmeal	22,514.75		City of New York	22,514.75		City of New York	22,514.75		City of New York
19	For supplying the Police Department with stationery	2,401.75		City of New York	2,401.75		City of New York	2,401.75		City of New York
20	For issuing all the paved streets, avenues and public places of the First Ward of Long Island City, from June 1, 1898, to August 31, 1898, inclusive	915.00		City of New York	915.00		City of New York	915.00		City of New York

REMISSION OF TAXES.

Certificates of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments for Remission of Taxes of 1896 and 1897 on Real Estate, as follows:

WARD.	Block No.	WARD MAP No.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	CHANGED VALUATION.	TAX REMISSION.
1896, Twenty-sixth, Brooklyn	200	38	\$400.00	1,100.00	\$14.00
1897, Twenty-sixth, Brooklyn	200	38	120.00	1,100.00	4.00
Twenty-fifth, Brooklyn	200	63	2,000.00	1,100.00	37.20
Index, 2575, Brooklyn	200	63	2,000.00	1,100.00	73.20

Personal Property.

NAME.	ADDRESS.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	CHANGED VALUATION.	TAX REMISSION.
J. S. Ogilvie	Brooklyn	\$5,000.00	1,100.00	\$170.00

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of bids at the following departments, namely:

- July 11, 1898. Crib bulkhead at West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets—Department of Docks and Ferries.
 July 12, 1898. Alterations and repairs to schools—Department of Education.
 July 12, 1898. Coal, Borough of Brooklyn; ice, Borough of Brooklyn—Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.
 July 14, 1898. Paving cement; broken stone and trap-rock screenings; gravel; broken stone and trap-rock screenings, Richmond; broken stone and trap-rock screenings, Richmond—Department of Highways.
 July 14, 1898. Alterations and repairs School No. 5, Queens—Department of Education.
 July 14, 1898. Repairing asphalt pavement, Park place, Brooklyn; repaving asphalt pavement, Clinton place, Brooklyn; repaving asphalt pavement, Brevoort place, Brooklyn; repaving asphalt pavement, Clinton street, Brooklyn—Department of Highways.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller has approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, namely:

- July 11, 1898. Leather, Department of Correction.
 Peter J. Constant, No. 422 Gates avenue, Brooklyn, Principal.
 Henry Frank, No. 1304 Lexington avenue, } Sureties.
 Max Frank, Eighty-ninth street and Madison avenue, }
 July 11, 1898. Horse wagons, Fire Department.
 The Peter Barker Manufacturing Company, Navy and Johnson streets, Brooklyn, Principal.
 Reuben Beck, No. 524 West Twenty-second street, } Sureties.
 Chas. W. Schlachter, No. 551 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, }
 July 12, 1898. Repairs to fireboat "New Yorker," Fire Department.
 Brown & Miller, Morris street, Jersey City, Principal.
 The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, } Sureties.
 American Surety Company, No. 100 Broadway, }
 July 13, 1898. Resurfacing Coney Island Concourse, Park Department.
 Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Company, Brooklyn, N. Y., Principal.
 American Bonding and Trust Company, No. 253 Broadway, } Sureties.
 American Surety Company, No. 100 Broadway, }
 July 13, 1898. Forage—Park Department.
 Theo. P. Hoffman & Co., No. 648 West Thirty-fourth street, Principal.
 American Surety Company, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
 United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, }
 July 13, 1898. Paving sidewalks, East River Park, Eighty-sixth street, East End avenue, Park Department.
 The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company, Times Building, Principal.
 Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, } Sureties.
 The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, }
 July 15, 1898. Improvement of East River Park, Park Department.
 T. H. Hoorman, Fort Washington Park, Principal.
 Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, } Sureties.
 The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, }
 July 13, 1898. Refrigerator at Almshouse, Blackwell's Island, Department of Charities.
 N. W. Ryan, No. 106 East Twenty-third street, Principal.
 Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, } Sureties.
 The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, }
 July 14, 1898. Materials for manufacturing purposes, Department of Correction.
 United States Trading Company, No. 358 Greenwich street, Principal.
 American Surety Company, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
 The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, }
 July 14, 1898. New roofing on Kings County Penitentiary—Department of Correction.
 M. J. Farrell, No. 102 East Twelfth street, Principal.
 Charles Loughrey, No. 150 East Twenty-eighth street, } Sureties.
 Andrew Michel, No. 321 East Thirteenth street, }

Official Designation.

- July 11, 1898. Michael T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller from Monday, July 11, 1898, to Wednesday, July 13, 1898, both days inclusive.
 M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

In compliance with section 1546 of the City Charter, the Department of Water Supply makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending December 5, 1898:

PUBLIC MONIES RECEIVED AND DEPOSITED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Receipts for water rents	\$55,503 35
" penalties on water rents	1,055 70
" permits to tap water-mains	219 00
	\$56,778 05

Borough of Brooklyn.

Receipts for water rents	\$9,131 59
" arrears of water rents	3,632 09
" permits to tap water-mains	144 75
" building purposes	121 45
Receipts, miscellaneous	12 25
	\$13,042 13

Borough of Queens.

Receipts for water rents	\$1,258 29
" penalties on water rents	1 39
" permits to tap water-mains	23 00
	\$1,282 68

CHANGES IN THE WORKING FORCE.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Promotion—1 Toolman to Assistant Foreman.
 Removals—4 Teams, 1 Horse and Cart and 32 Laborers.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Appointed—1 Laborer.
 Removed—1 Toolman.

JAS. H. HASLIN, Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
New York, November 2, 1898.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.
 Present—Commissioners Michael C. Murphy, William T. Jenkins, M. D.; John B. Gosby, M. D.; and the President of the Board of Police.
 The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Sanitary Committee Presented the following Report:

1st. Communication from the Assistant Corporation Counsel recommending the discontinuance of the suits named in his report.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and hereby is requested to discontinue, without costs, the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code and of the Tenement-house Law, the respondents having required the order therein complied with or the nuisance complained of abated, a permit having been granted or violations removed, or the order rescinded, to wit:

NAME.	No.	NAME.	No.
Moses, Morris	1144	Kenny, William	1109
Mc, William	1145	Greene, Harry	1200
Reid, Mary	1146	Greene, Harry	1201
Morgan, Samuel	1147	Greene, Harry	1202
Morgan, Mary	1148	Greene, Harry	1203
Morgan, Mary	1149	Greene, Harry	1204
Morgan, Mary	1150	Greene, Harry	1205
Morgan, Mary	1151	Greene, Harry	1206
Morgan, Mary	1152	Greene, Harry	1207
Morgan, Mary	1153	Greene, Harry	1208
Morgan, Mary	1154	Greene, Harry	1209
Morgan, Mary	1155	Greene, Harry	1210
Morgan, Mary	1156	Greene, Harry	1211
Morgan, Mary	1157	Greene, Harry	1212
Morgan, Mary	1158	Greene, Harry	1213
Morgan, Mary	1159	Greene, Harry	1214
Morgan, Mary	1160	Greene, Harry	1215
Morgan, Mary	1161	Greene, Harry	1216
Morgan, Mary	1162	Greene, Harry	1217
Morgan, Mary	1163	Greene, Harry	1218
Morgan, Mary	1164	Greene, Harry	1219
Morgan, Mary	1165	Greene, Harry	1220
Morgan, Mary	1166	Greene, Harry	1221
Morgan, Mary	1167	Greene, Harry	1222
Morgan, Mary	1168	Greene, Harry	1223
Morgan, Mary	1169	Greene, Harry	1224
Morgan, Mary	1170	Greene, Harry	1225
Morgan, Mary	1171	Greene, Harry	1226
Morgan, Mary	1172	Greene, Harry	1227
Morgan, Mary	1173	Greene, Harry	1228
Morgan, Mary	1174	Greene, Harry	1229
Morgan, Mary	1175	Greene, Harry	1230

SANITARY BOARD.

The following Communications were received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

- 1st. Weekly reports of the Sanitary Superintendent. Ordered on file.
 2d. Weekly reports from the Wilford Parker, Reception, Riverside and Kingsland Avenue Hospitals. Ordered on file.
 3d. Report on application for leave of absence.
 On motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

Name.	From.	To.	Remarks.
Frederic D. Dwyer	November 22	October 24	

Application of Samuel Vandy for reinstatement to position of Orderly (office) at Riverside Hospital. Laid on the table.

4th. Reports and certificates on overcrowding in the following tenement-houses:

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following tenement-houses in the City of New York are overcrowded that less than four hundred cubic feet of air space is afforded to each occupant in the said houses:

It is Ordered, That the number of occupants in said tenement-houses be and are hereby reduced as follows:

No. of Order.	OF PREMISES.	LOCATION OF ROOM.	OCCUPANT.	Reduced to	
				Adults.	Children.
1143	No. 126 Broome street.....	2d floor, rear, north.....	Rosa Vandy.....	7	1
1144	No. 124 Fourth street.....	2d floor, rear, north.....	Isador Vandy.....	4	—

5th. Certificates in respect to the vacation of premises at Nos. 535 West Forty-fifth street, 349 East Thirty-second street and 414, 416 and 418 East Sixtieth street, Borough of Manhattan.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 535 West Forty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants;

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 535 West Forty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, be required to vacate said building on or before November 9, 1898, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 349 East Thirty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants;

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 349 East Thirty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, be required to vacate said building on or before November 9, 1898, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the buildings situated upon lots Nos. 414, 416 and 418 East Sixtieth street, Borough of Manhattan, have become dangerous to life and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants;

The resignation of Dr. Albert W. Ferris as a Medical School Inspector was received and accepted, to take effect November 1, 1898.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

1st. Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of The Bronx. Ordered on file.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Brooklyn. Ordered on file.

Report in respect to revocation of Lodging-house Permit No. 145, at No. 316 Bedford avenue. Ordered on file.

Report in respect to dangerous condition of vacant lots south side of Sackett street, between Third and Fourth avenues, between Nos. 648 and 658 Sackett street.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Assistant Sanitary Superintendent Black in respect to the dangerous condition of vacant lots on the south side of Sackett street, between Third and Fourth avenues, between Nos. 648 and 658, Borough of Brooklyn, be forwarded to the Honorable the Municipal Assembly, with the request that, for sanitary reasons, the Department of Highways be authorized and directed to have said lots fenced.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Queens. Ordered on file.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Richmond. Ordered on file.

BUREAU OF RECORDS.

The following Communications were Received from the Registrar of Records:

1st. Weekly report. Ordered on file.

2d. Report on application to record corrected certificates.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to record corrected certificates relating to—

NAME.	STATUS.	DATE.
Frank Augustus Aming	Born	Sept. 24, 1898
George Jingo	Died	" 4, "
John J. Welch	"	Oct. 6, "
Amelia Kemnitz	"	" 19, "
Christian Lauffer	"	" 15, "
Patrick Breen	"	" 28, "
William McCoy	"	" 22, 1897

3d. Report on applications to file delayed and imperfect certificates.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Registrar of Records be and is hereby directed to file in the volume of "Delayed and Imperfect Certificates" the following certificates:

NAME.	STATUS.	DATE.
Francesco Cesario	Married	June 23, 1895
Clara Thiele	Born	Nov. 7, 1886
James Patrick Tunny	"	May 5, 1894
Miriam Margaret Bredow	"	" 10, 1893
Carolina Louise Anna Hoppe	"	Feb. 3, 1890

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

The weekly statement of the Comptroller was received and ordered on file.

A communication was received from the Department of Water Supply in respect to the complaint relating to Brooklyn Water Supply and referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Certification of Dr. Timothy J. Kegan as a Medical Inspector was received from the Municipal Civil Service Commission and ordered on file.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to prepare contract and specifications for repairs to the steamboat "Franklin Edson," and to advertise for bids for the same in the CITY RECORD, as required by law.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) from the appropriation entitled "Hospital Fund, etc., 1898," Borough of Queens, to the appropriation entitled "For Contingent Expenses, 1898," Borough of Queens, for the reason that said fund is insufficient for the purposes thereof.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) from the appropriation entitled "Hospital Fund, etc., 1898," Borough of Richmond, to the appropriation entitled "For Contingent Expenses, 1898," Borough of Richmond, for the reason that said fund is insufficient for the purposes thereof.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following-named Assistant Bacteriologists (temporary) be and are hereby continued in the service of this Department, Borough of Manhattan, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, for one month from November 1, 1898:

NAME.	PER ANNUM.
Arthur R. Guerard, salary at rate of	\$1,200 00
Philip H. Hiss, Jr., salary at rate of	1,200 00
Robert J. Wilson, salary at rate of	1,000 00
Follen Cabot, Jr., salary at rate of	1,000 00
Edwin C. Baldwin, salary at rate of	600 00

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the salary of Conrad F. Meyer, an Assistant Bacteriologist in this Department, Borough of Manhattan, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of nine hundred dollars per annum from November 1, 1898.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That John H. Healin, now in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby transferred to the Kings Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn, as a Helper, with salary at the rate of seven hundred and eighty dollars per annum, from November 1, 1898.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That James McCauley be and is hereby temporarily appointed a Laboratory Attendant in this Department, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of six hundred dollars per annum.

On motion, the Board adjourned to Wednesday, November 9, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

IN BOARD OF EXAMINERS, NOVEMBER 22, 1898.

The Board of Examiners met this day at 3.10 P. M.

The roll was called, with the following result:

Present—Thomas J. Brady, Commissioner of Buildings for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, in the chair, and Messrs. Bonner, Conover, O'Reilly, Dobbs, Moore, Fryer and McMillan.

Absent—Mr. Post.

The minutes of November 15, 1898, were read and, on motion, approved.

Mr. Moore here entered.

Petitions were then submitted for approval, as follows:

Plan 783, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the fireproof entrance hall, from front door to staircase only, to be finished by fireproof partitions constructed of 4-inch T beams and channels set not more than 30 inches on centers and properly braced and built in with 4-inch hard-burnt clay blocks, plastered on both sides; ceilings in said entrance hall to be constructed of 2-inch hard-burnt clay blocks, supported by 2-inch T beams laid not more than 2 feet apart and plastered on under side, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; No. 122 Stanton street. Petitioner, Horenburger & Straub. Approved.

Plan 784, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the fireproof entrance hall, from front door to staircase only, to be finished by fireproof partitions constructed of 4-inch T beams and channels set not more than 30 inches on centers and properly braced and built in with 4-inch hard-burnt clay blocks, plastered on both sides; ceilings in said entrance hall to be constructed of 2-inch hard-burnt clay blocks, supported by 2-inch T beams laid not more than 2 feet apart and plastered on under side, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; No. 165 Livingston street. Petitioner, Horenburger & Straub. Approved.

Plan 543, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the Bailey system of fireproof floor filling to be used between the steel beams in first story in place of the Rapp system, lower floor of T beams to be covered with wire lath and plastered, as stated in petition; south side of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, 85 feet east of Fifth avenue. Petitioner, George Fred. Pellam. Approved.

Plan 179A, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow frame building to be erected 37 feet 8 inches high at the middle in front, from curb to highest point of roof, instead of about 30 feet, as stated in petition of September 30, 1898; south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, 200 feet east of Southern boulevard. Petitioner, Hermann Horenburger. Approved.

Plan 650A, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the Bailey system of fireproof floor filling to be used in place of brick arches, lower ranges of steel beams on first story to be covered underneath with wire lath, as stated in petition; south side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, 281 feet 0 inches east of Alexander avenue. Petitioner, Langlois & Kronenberg. Approved.

Messrs. McMillan and Fryer here entered.

Plan 651A, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the Bailey system of fireproof floor filling to be used in place of brick arches, lower ranges of steel beams on first story to be covered underneath with wire lath, as stated in petition; north side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, 281 feet 0 inches east of Alexander avenue. Petitioner, George Fred. Pellam. Approved; Mr. Fryer voting no.

Plan 714, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the Bailey system of fireproof floor filling to be used between the steel beams of first story, as stated in petition; southeast corner Broadway and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. Petitioner, Jones & Law. Approved; Mr. Fryer voting no.

Plan 840, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow a reconsideration of decision of Board at meeting held November 10, 1898, as to permit the Metropolitan Fireproofing Company's system to be used according to plans and as stated in petition; Nos. 64, 66 and 68 Wyckoff street. Petitioner, Edward H. Kendall. Recommended and denied.

Plan 716, New Buildings, 1897—Petition to allow the cellar stairs to be built under main stairs, main staircase hall being built fireproof and enclosed in brick walls, and openings in cellar to be provided with fireproof doors, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; south side of Eighty-sixth street, two feet west of Amsterdam avenue. Petitioner, J. W. Williams. Approved; Messrs. Bonner and Moore voting no.

Plan 726, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow a reconsideration of decision of Board at meeting held October 25, 1898, as to permit the staircase walls (front side) to be 12 inches thick at second story, 16 inches thick at first story, and 20 inches thick in cellar, as stated in petition; No. 281 Madison street. Petitioner, Samuel Sosa. Recommended and approved.

Plan 858, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow steel beams combined with the Fawcett ventilated fireproof method to be used in the construction of the first floor, filling in or fireproofing is to be of terra-cotta, as shown on drawings and as stated in petition; Nos. 142 West Twenty-seventh street. Petitioner, Jacobus, Hunt & Jordine. Approved.

Plan 746, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow main entrance hall partition to be constructed of 4-inch angle T's or channels, securely braced and placed not more than 2 feet 6 inches apart and filled in with 4-inch block 2-inch fireproof hollow burnt blocks; ceilings to be constructed of 2-inch T's or angles, placed 2 feet apart and filled in with south-southside blocks, as stated in petition; Nos. 97 and 99 Suffolk street. Petitioner, Schneider & Horne. Approved.

Plan 871, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow steel girders and beam columns to be used in cellars as intermediate support for roof portion of first story, in place of Scotch brick partition wall, as stated in petition; south side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, 150 feet east of Amsterdam avenue. Petitioner, Henry Anderson. Approved.

Plan 871A, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow height of building to be extended to 37 feet instead of 35 feet, which will give better light and ventilation in middle rooms, as stated in petition; west side of Conduitt street, 150 feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street. Petitioner, M. J. Goerick. Approved.

Plan 668, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow stairs leading from first-story floor to cellar to remain under the first-story floor, masonry as under-drawings, staircase hall, etc., throughout building are under fireproof; doors from same in cellar to be iron self-closing, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; west side of Central Park, West, 50 feet 4 1/2 inches south of Ninetieth street. Petitioner, Harry T. Howell. Approved on condition that self-closing fireproof doors are placed at the floor openings marked "A" on other plans; Messrs. Bonner and Moore voting no.

Plan 900, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the first-story main hall partition to be constructed of 4-inch T and L beams, placed not more than 30 inches on centers, properly braced and filled in between solid with burnt clay blocks 4 inches thick and plastered on both sides; ceiling overhead to be constructed of 2-inch T and L beams set not more than 2 feet apart, well braced and filled in between with burnt clay blocks and plastered, as stated in petition; No. 1 Goerick street. Petitioner, Charles Reine. Approved on condition that ceiling blocks are 4 inches thick.

Plan 1379, Alterations to Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow one-story and attic frame office and drafting room with a peaked roof height to ridge being about 20 feet to be raised to an 18-foot flat roof thereon, as shown on plans and as stated in petition; south side of One Hundred and Ninth street, 100 feet east of First avenue. Petitioner, Sam & Frederick. Approved.

Plan 585, New Buildings, 1897—Petition to allow the present construction of frame of dumb-waiter shaft (shaft being fireproof) to be permitted to remain in the upper floors as they are, also that construction be approved if floor in cellar be covered with the iron galvanneal iron, as stated in petition; southeast corner of Riverside Drive and Eighty-first street. Petitioner, Clarence True. Approved, on condition that cellar floors are covered on both sides with metal and that the doors on remaining stories are covered with metal on the inner side.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on every window and opening above the first story of building, excepting on the front, as stated in petition; No. 551 West Twentieth street. Petitioner, William Smith. Petition granted on recommendation of Mr. McMillan.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the window openings of the several stories of building, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 329 West Twelfth street. Petitioner, R. H. Macy & Co. Referred to Mr. Conover for examination and report.

On motion, the Board then adjourned, 5 P. M.

WILLIAM H. CLASS, Clerk in Board.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 56 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Monday, June 21, 1898, 3 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), James M. Varnum and William E. Stillings, Commissioners, Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Commission; Messrs. Foster & Kilvert, representing numerous claimants.

The minutes of the following meetings were read and approved: December 16, 20, 22 and 24, 1897; January 5, 7, 10, 17, 21, 24, 26, 28 and 31; February 2, 7, 9, 14, 16, 21 and 25; March 7, 14, 18, 21 and 28; April 4, 6, 11, 13, 15, 18, 20 and 25; May 6, 11, 16 and 23; June 1, 6, 10 and 15, 1898.

The Commission proceeded with the trial of the following claims:

No. 625 (Peter Klemm), No. 627 (Michael and Ann Scheringer), No. 629 (Regina Strzenegger), No. 630 (Adolphus and Louisa Koenemann), No. 629A (Regina Strzenegger), No. 631 (Christopher Paschke), No. 629A (retr) (Regina Strzenegger), No. 632 (Margaret Turner), No. 633 (Bernardina Wasser), No. 635 (Charles H. White), No. 639 (Mary T. Voigt), No. 637 (Thomas Quigley), No. 638 (Henry Wilkey), No. 639 (Isidor Lewkowitz), No. 640 (Catherine Rehbeck), No. 641 (Caspar Schiele), No. 642 (Arthur Bullman), No. 643 (Justina Maberger), No. 642A (Arthur Bullman), No. 644 (Edward J. Maginn), No. 645 (Cecilia and Sophia Bastele), No. 646 (John Paul), No. 647 (Catherine Doble), No. 649 (Philip and Mary Egbert), No. 650 (Louis and Mary Lederer), No. 651 (Maria Sullary), No. 652 (Jacob Fischer), No. 653 (George Fuchs), No. 654 (Edward and Maria Deromsoner), No. 655 (John Hohner), No. 656 (Owen Joyce), No. 657 (Magdalena Kreis and another), No. 659 (Theodore Mainardi and others), No. 666 (James Byrne), No. 730 (Mare Schmidt), and No. 626 (John M. Souther).

The Commission then adjourned to Friday, June 24, 1898, at 3 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Friday, June 24, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; A. S. Hutchins, Esq., representing Claim 730; A. L. Woodruff, Esq., representing Claim 772; W. Stebbins Smith, Esq., and Jacob Fromme, Esq., representing numerous claimants.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners proceeded with the trial of the following claims:
No. 330 (Hazel Elmer); No. 370 (William H. Mounier); Nos. 703 and 706 (Sarah J. Downs et al.) and No. 813 (S. A. McLaughlin).
The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, June 29, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, June 29, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and James M. Varum, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Messrs. Porter & Kilvert, representing numerous claimants; Henry H. Sherman, Esq., representing the Mott Haven Company.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners then proceeded with the trial of Claim No. 681 (The Mott Haven Company).
The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, July 6, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, July 6, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), James M. Varum and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Messrs. Porter & Kilvert, representing numerous claimants; Henry H. Sherman, Esq., representing the Mott Haven Company.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners proceeded with the trial of the following claims:
No. 682 (The Mott Haven Company); No. 640 (Philip Hughes et al.); No. 644 (Casper Schell) and No. 655 (Bernardina Wiener).
The Commission then adjourned to Thursday, July 7, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Thursday, July 7, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), James M. Varum and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners then, in executive session, examined, discussed and considered the depositions, testimony, photographs and other evidence in certain claims heretofore submitted.
The Commission then adjourned to Monday, July 11, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Monday, July 11, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and James M. Varum, Commissioners.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners then, in executive session, examined, discussed and considered the depositions, testimony, photographs and other evidence in certain claims heretofore submitted.
The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, July 13, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, July 13, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Messrs. Porter & Kilvert, representing numerous claimants.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners proceeded with the trial of the following claims:
No. 649 (Elizabeth Moriarty), No. 640 (Leon Johnson), No. 640 (John M. Justice), No. 649 (Regina Starzengger), No. 644 (John Kemp), No. 647 (Catherine Doelle) and No. 655 (John Hohner).
The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, July 20, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, July 20, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Henry H. Sherman, Esq., representing the Mott Haven Company; Edmund H. Baldwin, Esq., representing numerous claimants.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners proceeded with the trial of the following claims:

Claim No. 584 (Hugh McLaughlin), amount claimed, \$2,500; Twenty-third Ward, Block 1343, Ward No. 47, No. 501 Elton Avenue; award, \$700; counsel fee, \$40.
Claim No. 450 (Anna Katterbach), amount claimed, \$2,500; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1111, Ward No. 48, No. 2154 Vanderbilt Avenue; East; award, \$950; counsel fee, \$40.
Claim No. 608 (Maria Larkin), amount claimed, \$5,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1111, Ward No. 48, No. 2008 Vanderbilt Avenue; award, \$4,340; counsel fee, \$75.
Claim No. 878 (Yelton D. Doercher), amount claimed, \$1,500; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1086, Ward No. 48, No. 2108 Vanderbilt Avenue; East; award, \$1,050; counsel fee, \$60. Motion to dismiss at page 4908 denied.
Claim No. 207 (John L. Mealy), amount claimed, \$1,500; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1086, Ward No. 48, East side Vanderbilt Avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets; award, \$975; counsel fee, \$40. Motion to dismiss at page 4908 denied.
Claim No. 700 (Joseph Weber), amount claimed, \$500; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1086, Ward No. 48, East side Vanderbilt Avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets; award, \$420; counsel fee, \$40.
Claim No. 265 (Benjamin Weber and others), amount claimed, \$3,500; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1086, Ward No. 48, East side Vanderbilt Avenue, corner One Hundred and Eighty-second street; award, \$2,000; counsel fee, \$60.
Claim No. 281 (John S. Gaffney), amount claimed, \$1,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1067, Ward No. 48, East side Vanderbilt Avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets; award, \$350; counsel fee, \$40.
Claim No. 781 (The Northern Improvement Company), amount claimed, \$10,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1067, Ward No. 48, East side Vanderbilt Avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-second and One Hundred and Eighty-third streets; award, \$10,000; counsel fee, \$100.
Claim No. 777 (The Northern Improvement Company), amount claimed, \$20,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1066, Wards Nos. 1 and 14; East side Vanderbilt Avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-third and One Hundred and Eighty-fourth streets; award, \$11,000; counsel fee, \$100.

The Commission then proceeded with the trial of the following claims:
No. 974 (Francis Sheppard), No. 952 (Helen G. Miller), No. 955 (Ernest Sass), No. 947 (Zelina Giller), No. 849 (Timothy Donovan), No. 863 (American Express Company), No. 853 (Albert Harder), No. 956 (Richard Walters) and No. 681 (The Mott Haven Company).
The Commission then adjourned to Thursday, July 21, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Thursday, July 21, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Henry H. Sherman, Esq., representing the Mott Haven Company.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners then proceeded with the trial of Claim No. 681 (The Mott Haven Company).

The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, July 27, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, July 27, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Henry H. Sherman, Esq., representing the Mott Haven Company.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners then proceeded with the trial of Claim No. 681 (The Mott Haven Company).
The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, August 3, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, August 3, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Henry H. Sherman, Esq., representing the Mott Haven Company.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous hearing was dispensed with.
The Commissioners proceeded with the trial of Claim No. 681 (The Mott Haven Company).
The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, September 14, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, September 14, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and James M. Varum, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; John R. Halney, Esq., representing Claim No. 785; W. Stebbins Smith, Esq., and Jacob Fromme, Esq., representing numerous claimants.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners handed down the following decisions:

Claim No. 275 (Carrie J. Halney)—Amount claimed, \$2,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1059, Ward No. 1, East side Vanderbilt Avenue, corner One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; award, \$400; counsel fee, \$25.
Claim No. 522 (Lillie T. Varum)—Amount claimed, \$7,500; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1058, Ward Nos. 7 and 10, East side Vanderbilt Avenue, corner One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street; award, \$2,500; counsel fee, \$60.
Claim No. 603 (Henry A. Basford, as trustee)—Amount claimed, \$5,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1056, Ward No. 4, Northeast corner Vanderbilt Avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street; award, \$2,000; counsel fee, \$25.
Claim No. 381 (John Carr)—Amount claimed, \$2,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1056, Ward No. 10, East side Vanderbilt Avenue, corner One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; award, \$1,750; counsel fee, \$60.
Claim No. 276 (Robert E. Humphrey)—Amount claimed, \$5,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1049, Ward No. 1, East side Vanderbilt Avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; award, \$3,500; counsel fee, \$75.
Claim No. 606 (Henry A. Basford)—Amount claimed, \$5,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1049, Ward No. 7, Southeast corner Vanderbilt Avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street; award, \$4,000; counsel fee, \$75.
Claim No. 528 (Clark Fairchild)—Amount claimed, \$10,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1049, Ward Nos. 1, 13 and 14, East side Vanderbilt Avenue; award, \$9,000; counsel fee, \$100.
Claim No. 320 (Charles O. Kellogg)—Amount claimed, \$3,500; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1123, Ward No. 15, West side Vanderbilt Avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth streets; award, \$2,500; counsel fee, \$60.
Claim No. 607 (Northern Gas-light Company)—Amount claimed, \$2,500; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1123, Ward No. 18, West side Vanderbilt Avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth streets; award, \$2,000; counsel fee, \$60.
Claim No. 277 (The Sulphur Club of The City of New York)—Amount claimed, \$4,000; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1123, Ward No. 34, West side Vanderbilt Avenue; award, \$500; counsel fee, \$40.
Claim No. 500 (Mary Waybick)—Amount claimed, \$2,500; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1120, Ward No. 49, No. 1029 Vanderbilt Avenue, West; award, \$1,250; counsel fee, \$60.
Claim No. 721 (Mary E. Feen)—Amount claimed, \$2,500; Twenty-fourth Ward, Block 1120, Ward No. 58, No. 1021 Vanderbilt Avenue, West; award, \$1,100; counsel fee, \$80.
The Commissioners certified bills in favor of the following parties and instructed the Clerk to file the same in the Comptroller's office for payment:
New York Telephone Company (for telephone service from October 1, 1897, to July 1, 1898), \$84.75; M. A. O'Connor (printer and stationer), \$69.70; Lamont McLaughlin (for disbursements), \$25.
The Commissioners proceeded with the trial of Claim No. 735 (Ronald Ketcham).
The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, September 21, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, September 21, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and James M. Varum, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Truman H. Baldwin, Esq., representing numerous claimants.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
Mr. Baldwin, attorney for claimants, not being reported to proceed, the claims represented by him were set down for hearing on October 4, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.
The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, September 28, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, September 28, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), James M. Varum and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.
Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Messrs. Porter & Kilvert, representing numerous claimants; Messrs. McCarty & Baldwin, representing numerous claimants; W. Stebbins Smith, Esq., and Jacob Fromme, Esq., representing numerous claimants; Henry H. Sherman, Esq., representing the Mott Haven Company.
The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The Commissioners proceeded with the trial of the following claims:
No. 556 (Jacob G. Muer), No. 685 (James Clark), No. 678 (John Whitaker and Herbert Richmond), No. 625 (Peter Klemann), No. 629 (Regina Starzengger), No. 630 (Charles and Louisa Koneemann), No. 637 (Thomas Jungley), No. 644 (Richard F. Magan), No. 646 (John Paul), No. 626 (John M. Souther), No. 634 (John Zorn), No. 630 (Mary T. Vogt), No. 647 (Catherine Doelle), No. 650 (Louis and Mary Federer), No. 654 (Edward and Maria Hergenrother), No. 657 (Magdalena Krebs and another), No. 648 (Katherine Guckescher), No. 652 (Jacob Fischer), No. 631 (Christopher Pasnecker), No. 639 (Isidor Lewkowitz), No. 640 (Philip and Mary Egbert), No. 633 (Bernardina Wiener), No. 627 (Michael and Anna Scheringer), No. 628 (Mary Schmidt), No. 632 (Margaret Turner), No. 635 (Charles H. White), No. 638 (Henry Wilker), No. 640 (Catherine Rehbock), No. 641 (Casper Schell), No. 642 (Arthur Bulman), No. 643 (Julius Maibeger), No. 645 (Gustav and Sophia Barrels), No. 651 (Maria Steber), No. 653 (George Fuchs), No. 655 (John Hohner), No. 656 (Owen Judge), No. 659 (Elizabeth Manardy), No. 666 (James Byrne), No. 681 (The Mott Haven Company), Nos. 705, 706 and 709 (Sarah J. Downs and others), Nos. 711 and 713 (W. Stebbins Smith), No. 812 (Ann R. Delnooe), No. 813 (Susan A. Monaghan), and No. 814 (Charles E. Schramm).
The Commissioners then adjourned to Wednesday, October 5, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 95 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, October 5, 1898, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), James M. Varum and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.

Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Truman H. Baldwin, Esq., representing numerous claimants; Carroll Berry, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The Commissioners proceeded with the trial of the following claims: No. 954 (Francis Shepperd), No. 952 (Helen G. Miller), No. 955 (Ernest Saxe), No. 849 (Timothy Donovan), No. 865 (American Express Company), No. 855 (Albert Harder) and No. 956 (Richard Walter).

The Commission dismissed the following claims and orders of dismissal were signed, and the Clerk was directed to file the same in the Comptroller's office: No. 556 (Jacob A. Miner), No. 655 (James Clark) and No. 678 (James and Herbert Richmond).

The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, October 12, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, October 12, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and James M. Varnum, Commissioners.

Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Thomas S. Bassford, Esq., representing numerous claimants; Truman H. Baldwin, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with. The Clerk presented the following statement, showing the estimated expenses of the Commission for the year 1899:

Daniel Lord, Chairman of Commission, salary.....	\$3,000 00
James M. Varnum, Commissioner, salary.....	3,000 00
William E. Stillings, Commissioner, salary.....	3,000 00
Charles P. Young, Stenographer, salary.....	3,000 00
Lamont McLaughlin, Clerk to Commission, salary.....	2,500 00
American Surety Company, for rent of offices.....	1,200 00
M. A. O'Connor, for printing minutes and stationery.....	1,000 00
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company.....	240 00
Office and Messenger Boy.....	300 00
Supplies.....	500 00
Total.....	\$17,740 00

Commissioner Varnum thereupon offered the following preamble and resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The Clerk has presented a statement showing the estimated expenses of the Commission for the year 1899, which has been examined and approved by this Commission; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1894, the Comptroller be and he is hereby is respectfully requested to issue bonds for such amounts as may be necessary for the payment of the expenses of the Commission for the year 1899, from time to time, as provided by the act; and he is further

Resolved, That the Clerk be and he is hereby is directed to forward a copy of the foregoing to the Comptroller, together with a statement showing the estimated expenses of the Commission for the year 1899.

The Commissioners duly signed certificates of award in the following claims and instructed the Clerk to file the same in the Comptroller's office:

No. 522 (Hallie T. Yonah), No. 275 (Marrie J. Huber), No. 381 (John Carr), No. 270 (Robert E. Humphreys), No. 528 (Clara Fairchild), No. 330 (Charles O. Kirkup), No. 277 (The Suburban Club of the City of New York), No. 607 (The Northern Gas-light Company), No. 500 (Mary Woytuck) and No. 521 (Mary E. Fern).

The Commissioners then proceeded with the trial of the following claims:

No. 603 (Henry A. Bassford as trustee), No. 606 (Henry A. Bassford as trustee), No. 584 (Hugh Stillholland), No. 849 (Timothy Donovan), No. 952 (Helen G. Miller), No. 855 (Albert Harder), No. 954 (Francis Shepperd), No. 947 (Zelline Gillier), and No. 955 (Ernest Saxe).

The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, October 19, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, October 19, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and James M. Varnum, Commissioners.

Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; W. Stebbins Smith, Esq., and Jacob Primm, Esq., representing numerous claimants; Carroll Berry, Esq., representing numerous claimants; Truman H. Baldwin, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the last meeting was dispensed with.

The Secretary laid before the Commission the following correspondence, which was ordered to be inserted in the record:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,
October 15, 1898.

DANIEL LORD, Esq., Chairman, Change of Grade Damage Commission, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Streets, No. 96 Broadway, New York.

DEAR SIR—I beg to inclose for the information of the gentlemen composing the Change of Grade Damage Commission the copy of the communication of the Corporation Counsel, addressed to me under date of September 19, 1898, in relation to the issue of bonds to pay awards made by your Commission, and to state that the funds for that purpose in my hands on January 1, 1898, have been exhausted.

Respectfully,
M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, September 19, 1898.

HON. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—I am in receipt of a communication from the Deputy Comptroller, bearing date September 15, which refers to a communication addressed by him to me under date of the 13th instant, transmitting for my examination certificates of awards filed in your Department by the Change of Grade Damage Commission.

The Deputy Comptroller begs me to advise you if, in view of the fact that the City has reached its limit of indebtedness, bonds can be issued to pay awards and counsel fees allowed by said Commission where the certificates were filed since January 1, 1898.

I received in June last a communication from your office, dated the 27th of that month, in which you stated that The City of New York, as constituted at present, exceeded its debt limit on the first day of January.

On June 30 you recalled the letter sent on June 27, stating that the amount there given as the excess of the City from the ten per cent. limit in the Constitution was an error, and you gave other figures, but reiterated the statement that the City had passed its debt limit on January 1, 1898.

I have heard nothing from you since upon the subject, and therefore, suppose that your communication of June 30, still stands good.

This being the case, the City was, according to your statement, beyond the debt limit on January 1, 1898.

As regards the question now immediately under discussion, it is provided by section 6 of chapter 567 of the Laws of 1894, in reference to the awards in the proceedings now in question:

"Section 6. The said commissioners shall award such relief as, in their judgment, is just and equitable, in view of the circumstances of each case brought before them by the claim filed, as aforesaid, and shall determine what relief, if any, is to be awarded in respect of each such block or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, if any, and what award, if any, is to be allowed as damages, upon such lot or parcel, and thereupon they shall file in each case in the department of finance in said city a certificate, signed by the whole or a majority of said commissioners, and the amount of any award made as aforesaid, if any be made, shall thereupon become a charge against the mayor, aldermen and commonality of the city of New York, in favor of the respective persons to whom the same shall be made, and shall be provided for by the issue of bonds, by the comptroller of said city of New York."

In my opinion, under the language of the act, the liability of the City becomes fixed only at the time of the filing of the certificates mentioned in your office, and, therefore, where such certificates have been filed therein since the first day of January, 1898, it at such time the City had exceeded its constitutional limit of indebtedness, you cannot legally issue bonds for the payment of such awards, etc.

You will, of course, understand that this ruling denying the right to issue bonds does not deny your right to pay awards, etc., out of the funds which were in your hands on January 1, 1898, and applicable to such payment.

Yours,
(Signed) JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

The Commissioners duly signed certificates of award in the following matters, and instructed the Clerk to file the same in the Comptroller's office:

Claim No. 163 (George Graff), No. 606 (Henry A. Bassford, as trustee, etc.) and No. 603 (Henry A. Bassford as trustee, etc.).

The Commissioners also certified bill in favor of the Independent Toilet Supply Company for \$6, and instructed the Clerk to file the same in the Comptroller's office.

The Commission then proceeded with the trial of the following claims:

No. 713 (W. Stebbins Smith), No. 956 (Richard Walter), No. 959, 960 and 961 (John B. Haskin), and No. 992 (E. Randolph Robinson).

The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, October 26, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, October 26, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), James M. Varnum and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.

Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Carroll Berry, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Mr. Beatty produced a bill of Charles A. Herran, dated February 25, 1898, for \$550, for services as expert before the Commission; a similar bill of Stephen H. Mapes, and a similar bill of Charles W. Tarbox, together with the certificate of the Corporation Counsel that each bill is a proper charge in the expenses of the said Commission, and which said bills be filed with the Commission.

The Commission proceeded with the trial of Claims Nos. 959, 960 and 961 (John B. Haskin).

The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, November 2, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, November 2, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), and James M. Varnum, Commissioners.

Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Truman H. Baldwin, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The Chairman laid before the Commission a resolution received from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

"Whereas, It appears that the total amount of bonds required to be issued during the year 1898, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, and chapter 567 of the Laws of 1894, relating to expenses of the Change of Grade Damage Commission, will not exceed the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), thus making the concurrence of the Municipal Assembly with resolutions of this Board authorizing such bonds unnecessary; therefore, be it

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1894, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York from time to time as may be required, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of seventeen thousand seven hundred and forty dollars (\$17,740) to provide for the payment of the expenses of the Change of Grade Damage Commission, provided for by said act, during the year 1899."

The Commission then proceeded with the trial of the following claims:

No. 384 (Albert Tag and another), No. 800 (Perival Knauth), No. 819 (William E. Lathrop, Jr.) and No. 865 (American Express Company).

The Commission then adjourned to Friday, November 4, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Friday, November 4, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), James M. Varnum and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The Commissioners, examined, approved and certified the following bills submitted by the Corporation Counsel and instructed the Clerk to file the same in the Comptroller's office for payment: S. H. Mapes, Building Expert, \$550; Charles W. Tarbox, Real Estate Expert, \$550; C. A. Herran, Real Estate Expert, \$550.

The Commission also certified bills in favor of the following parties and instructed the clerk to file the same in Comptroller's office: M. A. O'Connor (for printing and stationery), \$150.50; Lamont McLaughlin (for disbursements), \$25.30.

The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, November 9, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, November 9, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—James M. Varnum and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.

Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; William T. Emmett, Esq., representing Claims Nos. 940 and 941; Albridge C. Smith, Esq. (on behalf of Smith & White), representing Claims No. 971; S. H. Rowland, Esq. (by Mr. Patterson), representing numerous claimants; Truman H. Baldwin, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The Commission then proceeded with the trial of the following claims:

No. 781 (Albert Tag and another); No. 801 (Perival Knauth), and No. 819 (William E. Lathrop, Jr.).

The Commission then adjourned to Wednesday, November 16, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Wednesday, November 16, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—James M. Varnum and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.

Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; W. T. Emmett, Esq., representing Claims Nos. 940 and 941; Truman H. Baldwin, Esq., representing numerous claimants.

The reading of the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The Commission then proceeded with the trial of the following claims:

Nos. 940 and 941 (A. Newbald Morris et al), No. 945 (Mary A. Fitzgerald), No. 855 (Albert Harder), No. 849 (Timothy Donovan), No. 952 (Helen G. Miller), and No. 956 (Richard Walter).

The Commission then adjourned to Friday, November 18, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSION, ROOM 58, NO. 96 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, Friday, November 18, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Daniel Lord (Chairman), James M. Varnum and William E. Stillings, Commissioners.

Of Counsel—Robert C. Beatty, Esq., representing the Corporation Counsel; Henry H. Sherman, Esq., and Edward S. Kaufman, Esq., representing the Mott Haven Company.

The minutes of the proceedings of the following meetings were read and approved: June 20, 24 and 29; July 6, 7, 11, 13, 20, 21 and 27; August 3; September 14, 21 and 28; October 5, 12, 19 and 26; November 2, 4, 9 and 16, 1898.

The Commission then proceeded with the trial of claim No. 681 (The Mott Haven Company), after which the Commission

Adjourned to Wednesday, November 23, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
December 13, 1898.

To the Supervisor of the City Record, City Hall, New York:

DEAR SIR—I am directed by the Mayor to notify you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, that on December 9, 1898, he fixed the salary of Joel J. Gibson, Confidential Clerk in the office of the Mayor, at \$1,800 per annum.

Very respectfully yours,
ALFRED M. DOWNES, Secretary to the Mayor.

WILLIAM TRAYNES JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN HAYES, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second Division— Trial days—Brooklyn Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.
Justices— JOHN COURCHAY, HOWARD J. FREEDER, JOHN L. DUNAWAY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; CHARLES F. WOLZ, Deputy Clerk.
 Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
 Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
City Magistrate— HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CONNELL, LEON B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEVEL, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, HERMAN C. KUGLER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN H. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, CHARLES E. SORAN, JR., THOMAS F. WESTWOOD, W. H. OLBRECHT, EUGEN DEBARTER, Secretary.
First District— Criminal Court Building.
Second District— Jefferson Market.
Third District— No. 74 Essex street.
Fourth District— Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District— One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District— One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
Seventh District— Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

Second Division, Borough of Brooklyn.
First District— No. 318 Adams street. JACOB THRESEN, Magistrate.
Second District— Court and Butler streets. HENRY BROWSTON, Magistrate.
Third District— Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TEAL, Magistrate.
Fourth District— No. 1 and 2 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
Fifth District— Ewen and Powers streets. ANDREW LEWIS, Magistrate.
Sixth District— Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WILSON, Magistrate.
Seventh District— No. 31 Grant street, Flatbush. ALFRED E. SYKES, Magistrate.
Eighth District— Coney Island. J. LOUIS NORTON, Magistrate.

Borough of Queens.
First District— Nos. 21 and 41 Jackson avenue, Long Island City. MATTHEW J. ARIVA, Magistrate.
Second District— Flushing, Long Island. JOHN J. CHAMBERS, Magistrate.
Third District— Far Rockaway, Long Island. THOMAS J. HEALY, Magistrate.

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

MUNICIPAL COURTS.
Borough of Manhattan.
First District— Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Outer Islands. New Courthouse, No. 102 Prince street, corner of Winter street.
 WALTER LYNN, Justice. FRANK T. HARRIS, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District— Second, Fourth, Sixth and Tenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street, corner of Grand and Centre streets.
 HENRIETTA BULKE, Justice. FRANCIS MARSH, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District— Ninth and Eleventh Wards. Courthouse, southeastern corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens daily Mondays and legal holidays excepted, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WM. F. HENNE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Fourth District— Twelfth and Thirteenth Wards. Courthouse, No. 30 First street, corner School avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
 GEORGE F. ROSSER, Justice. JOHN E. LYNN, Clerk.
Fifth District— Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Courthouse, No. 121 Clinton street.
 HENRY M. GOLDMANN, Justice. JEREMIAH HAYES, Clerk.
Sixth District— Fourteenth and Twentieth Wards. Courthouse, southeastern corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.
 DANIEL F. MARVIN, Justice. ABRAHAM HARRARD, Clerk.
Seventh District— Nineteenth Ward. Courthouse, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 10 o'clock except Sundays and legal holidays, and continues open to close of business.
 JOHN B. MCKEAN, Justice. PATRICK McDONNELL, Clerk.
Eighth District— Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Courthouse, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.
 CLARK'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. STUBBS, Justice. THOMAS CORTIGAN, 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. Courthouse, No. 270 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 streets, 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. Courthouse, 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. Courthouse, 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. ANDREW N. DOMAHAUT, 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 104 of the Laws of 1897, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the

Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Courthouse, 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. Courthouse, 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.

Borough of Brooklyn.
First District— Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn.
 JACOB NEU, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District— Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Courthouse located at No. 294 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 GEORGE E. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Chief Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District— Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Courthouse, Nos. 5 and 3 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
 WILLIAM SCHMITZ, Justice. CHARLES A. CONWAY, 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. Courthouse, No. 11 Howard avenue.
 ANTHONY H. GORTING, Justice. HARMAN GONZALEZ, Chief Clerk. JAMES P. NIXON, 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. Courthouse on Bath avenue and Bay Twenty-second street, Bath Beach.
 CHARLES F. PURGATOR, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Borough of Queens.
First District— First Ward, all of Long Island City, formerly comprising five Wards. Courthouse, Queens County Courthouse located temporarily at
 THOMAS C. KAHLEN, Justice. THOMAS P. KENNEDY, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week day. Court held each day, except Sundays.
Second District— Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Nepphus and Flushing. Courthouse to be northwards of late Town of Nepphus, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.
 WILLIAM T. MONTVERME, Justice. HARRY WATSON, Jr., Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District— Fourth and Fifth Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Nepphus and Flushing. Courthouse to be northwards of late Town of Nepphus, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.

Borough of Richmond.
First District— First and Fifth Wards (Union of Castle and Northfield). Courthouse, corner Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
 JOHN J. KRAMER, Justice. FRANCIS F. LOMAR, Clerk. Court opens from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Sunday, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District— Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Union of Middleburg, Southfield and Westfield). Courthouse, corner Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton Park, Stapleton.
 ALBERT REYNOLDS, Justice. PERCEE THURMAN, Clerk. Court opens from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M. and continues until close of business.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.
MORNING—"MORNING JOURNAL," TELEGRAPH.
 Evening—"Daily News," "Evening Sun,"
 Weekly—"Weekly Union."
 Semi-weekly—"Union Local Reporter."
 German—"Morgen Journal."
 WILLIAM A. BUTLER,
 Supervisor, City Record
 NOVEMBER 25, 1898

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.
 Board of Public Improvements,
 No. 145 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
 Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, desiring it for the public interest to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out a new street, to be known as Mitchell place, from the easterly side of First avenue to Beekman place, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 340 Broadway, on the first day of December, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed laying out will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 10th day of November, 1898, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 456 of chapter 376, Laws of 1895, desiring it for the public interest to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out a new street, to be known as Mitchell place, from the easterly side of First avenue to Beekman place, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point the northeastern corner of East Forty-ninth street and First avenue; thence easterly and along the northerly line of East Forty-ninth street, distance 100 feet; to the westerly line of Beekman place; thence northerly along said westerly line, distance 30 feet; thence westerly and parallel to East Forty-ninth street and 30 feet northerly therefrom, distance 150 feet, to the easterly line of First avenue; thence southerly along said line, distance 30 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 350 feet long and 30 feet wide between the lines of First avenue and Beekman place.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out of the above-named street at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board, at No. 340 Broadway, on the first day of December, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out of the above-named street will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the first day of December, 1898.

Dated New York, December 5, 1898.
 JOHN H. MOONEY,
 Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED
 at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1898.
 at 10 A. M., for Printing required in the said Board for the year 1899.
 Samples of the various documents, etc., required to be printed may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 145 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, where blank forms of proposals may be obtained.
 Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies and endorsed "Proposals for Printing."
 Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.
 The Committee reserves the right to reject the whole or part of any bid if deemed for the public interest.
 Any further information can be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies.
**HENRY A. ROGERS,
 EDWARD L. COLLIER,
 G. HOWLAND LEAVITT,**
 Committee on Supplies.
 New York, December 11, 1898.

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. 215 Broadway, eleventh floor, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1898,
 for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Public School 37, Borough of Manhattan; also for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Public School 18, Borough of Richmond.
 Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Annex to the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, No. 215 Broadway, twelfth floor.

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 subcontractors, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.
 No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedents disqualify them, the Board of Education reserving their responsibility therefor.

It is required, as a condition precedent to the acceptance or consideration of any proposal, 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 which had proposed to do or exceeds two thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount more than two 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 by the persons making the same, except that made for the purpose of persons whose bids have been accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been accepted shall refuse to execute, within five days after the awarding, 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 from the City Treasury to the credit of the Building 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: Honorable Mr. Mayor, December 7, 1898.
**JACOB W. MACK,
 JOHN McNAMEE,
 JOHN E. BUSTIS,
 HENRY A. ROGERS,
 G. HOWLAND LEAVITT,
 JOHN B. THOMPSON,
 HUGH KELLY,**
 Committee on Buildings.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED
 at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1898,
 at 10 A. M., for supplying, for the use of the schools in all the Boroughs under the jurisdiction of said Board, binding stationery, and other articles required for one year commencing on the first day of January, 1899. All purchasers of books and stationery in the various schools required are notified that performance will be given to the best of proposals; the Committee, being desirous that competition, if any, shall be conducted upon the basis of the lowest bid for.

Each contractor will be required to furnish a responsible surety for the faithful performance of his contract. All bids are to be made on the official samples of the Board, except where request has been made to submit samples. A list of the articles required, with the conditions upon which the bids will be received, may be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies. Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies and endorsed "Proposals for Supplies."
 The Committee reserves the right to reject any bid if deemed for the public interest.
 New York, December 11, 1898.
**HENRY A. ROGERS,
 EDWARD L. COLLIER,
 G. HOWLAND LEAVITT,**
 Committee on Supplies.

N. B.—Bid books and sample books will be ready on Monday, December 13, at 11 A. M.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED
 at the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1898,
 at 10 A. M., for delivering Supplies to the schools in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, and returning to the despatchers such material as is not needed in the schools during the year 1899, according to the terms of a contract to be approved by the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education.

Each contractor may bid for each separate Borough or all the Boroughs. Proposals must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and endorsed "Proposals for Delivering Supplies." Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any bid or bids if deemed for the public interest.
 Any further information can be obtained on application to the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 145 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan.
 New York, December 11, 1898.

**HENRY A. ROGERS,
 EDWARD L. COLLIER,
 G. HOWLAND LEAVITT,**
 Committee on Supplies.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT
 the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, Borough of Manhattan, until

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1898,
 at 10 A. M., for furnishing the Trimmer School in the Borough of Brooklyn with supplies, such as Maps, Provision, etc., for the year ending November 30, 1899.
 Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies and endorsed "Proposals for Furnishing the Trimmer School with Maps, Provision, etc."
 The Committee reserves the right to reject the whole or any part of any bid not deemed for the public interest.
 Specifications and all other information may be obtained by applying to the Superintendent of School Supplies, No. 145 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan.
 New York, December 11, 1898.
**HENRY A. ROGERS,
 EDWARD L. COLLIER,
 G. HOWLAND LEAVITT,**
 Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK TRAINING SCHOOL FOR TEACHERS.

THE SECOND TERM OF THE NEW YORK
 Training School for Teachers will begin February 5, 1899. For those desiring to enter the school at that time an examination will be held January 25, 26, 27 and 28, 1899, in Public School 1, at Henry, Catherine and Oliver streets in the rooms now occupied by the school.

To be eligible for admission to this examination persons must have graduated from some high school or academy whose course of study has been approved by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction. Schools in this city having such approved courses of study are as follows:

Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.
 High Schools,
 College of the City of New York,
 Teachers' College,
 DeWitt College,
 Manual Training College,
 Ursuline Academy, Park avenue,
 Mt. St. Vincent Academy,
 Normal College,
 St. Francis Xavier (Academic Department),
 St. Teresa's Academy,
 Convent of the Sacred Heart,
 St. Gabriel's Academy for Girls.

Borough of Brooklyn.
 Adelphi Academy,
 Brooklyn Manual Training School,
 Girls' High School,
 Proctor Collegiate Institute,
 St. Anne's Academy,
 St. Ann's High School,
 St. Francis Xavier Academy,
 St. Gabriel's Academy for Girls,
 St. Ignace Academy.

Borough of Richmond.
 High Schools,
 For further information apply in person or by letter to the Superintendent, John Jay, No. 140 Grand street, or to the Principal, Augustus S. Downing, at the school.

JOHN J. JASPER,
 Borough Superintendent.

DISCIPLINARY TRAINING SCHOOL.

SEALED PROPOSALS, ADDRESSED TO THE
 Chairman of the Building Committee of the Brooklyn Training School, will be received at his office, Room 215 Kane Building, No. 10 Whitehall street, New York, until Friday, December 15, for installing an electric plant at that building, on Eleventh avenue, between First and Third avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn. Plans and specifications may be obtained at the said building. Each proposal must state the time within which the work shall be completed. The Company which the work shall be executed by will be selected by the Committee on the basis of the lowest bid.
 My order of the President.
JOHN B. JUDY,
 Chairman.

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 above-named streets, to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 100 Broadway, on or before December 27, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony as to the nature and extent of such claims.
JOHN B. JUDY,
 Chairman.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1898.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1898.
 List 1718. Temporary sewer, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue.
 List 1719. One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Amsterdam to Avenue A.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1898.
 List 1720. Temporary sewer, from the New York and Hudson Railroad to Boston road.
 List 1721. One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue.
 List 1722. Union avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-third street to Boston road.
 List 1723. Decatur avenue, from Kingsbridge road to Brooklyn street.

List 1724. Webster avenue, from the south side of Kingsbridge road to the westerly side-line at the Southern Boulevard.
 List 1725. Walton avenue, from the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.
 List 1726. St. Mary's street, from St. Ann's street to Roblin's street.

List 1727. One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Brook avenue to St. Ann's street.
 List 1728. One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Horatio avenue to Lafayette avenue.
 List 1729. One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Mort avenue to River avenue.
 List 1730. One Hundred and Ninety-fifth street (Tappen street), from Webster avenue to Marlon avenue.

**EDWARD MCGEE,
 EDWARD CAHILL,
 THOMAS A. WILSON,
 PATRICK A. HAVERTY,
 JOHN B. MEYERSON,**
 Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
 Secretary,
 No. 320 Broadway,
 CITY OF NEW YORK, Borough of MANHATTAN.
 December 14, 1898.

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 1705. No. 1. Temporary sewer in One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between Eleventh and Wadsworth avenues, to connect with drains crossing One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and Wadsworth avenue.

List 1706. No. 2. Paving Forty-eighth street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenues, with granite-block pavement (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars.

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let, as provided by law.

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless a written permission shall previously have been obtained from the Board of Police.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM H. KUPP,
Chief Clerk.

New York, December 14, 1898.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
Room 5, No. 305 Mulberry Street.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and making and completing alterations, general repairs and improvements to the Station-house and Stable Buildings of the Police Department, situated at Avenue Park, in the City of New York, will be received in the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock of

FRIDAY, THE 23D DAY OF DECEMBER, 1898.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, addressed to "Estimate for Alterations, etc., Forty-fourth Precinct Station-house and Stable," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference will be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire work is to be completed within sixty (60) days from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars.

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

that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let, as provided by law.

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless a written permission shall previously have been obtained from the Board of Police.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM H. KUPP,
Chief Clerk.

New York, December 14, 1898.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 305 Mulberry Street.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and making and completing alterations, general repairs and improvements to the ten-house building of the Forty-fourth Precinct, situated at the corner of Sixth Avenue and Bergen Street, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, will be received in the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until twelve o'clock of

FRIDAY, THE 23D DAY OF DECEMBER, 1898.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, addressed to "Room for Alterations, etc., Forty-fourth Precinct Station-house," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference will be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans and form of agreement. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire work is to be completed within sixty (60) days from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars.

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

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

The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let, as provided by law.

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless a written permission shall previously have been obtained from the Police Board.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM H. KUPP,
Chief Clerk.

New York, December 14, 1898.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
Room 5, No. 305 Mulberry Street.

New York, December 14, 1898.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following Bidders will be sold at public auction, at the chambers of Messrs. Van Tassel & Company, No. 100 East Thirtieth Street, on Tuesday, December 14, 1898, at 10 A. M.:

Thirty-six Precinct:
"Lot," 141.
"Barney," 145.
"Bill," 147.
Thirty-eight Precinct:
"Ed," No. 149.
"Bob," 151.
Forty-fourth Precinct:
"Ed," 153.
"Frank," 155.
Fifty-fourth Precinct:
"Ed," 157.
"Bud," 159.
Sixty-fourth Precinct:
"Royal," 161.
Seventy-fourth Precinct:
"Ed," 163.
Thirty-eight Precinct:
"Price," 165.
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. 305 Mulberry Street, Room No. 5, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Buns, 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, 1898.

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: Buns, 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. BLANCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
December 14, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder or bidders interested therein, will be received by the Park Board, at its office, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth Street and Fifth Avenue, Central Park, New York City until 12 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1898.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER, ETC., IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, AS FOLLOWS:

1. 300 feet, board measure, of 2 inch oak, planed two sides, 12 inches and upwards in width and 12 feet and upwards in length. To be clear, well seasoned, and free from sap, checks and knots.
2. 2,000 feet, board measure, of 2 inch Pine, planed two sides, 12 inches and upwards in width and 12 feet and upwards in length.
3. 200 1/2 inch by 12 inch by 12 feet Pine Floor Plank, roughed and grooved and planed on one side.
4. 150 1/2 inch by 12 inch by 12 feet Pine Floor Plank, roughed and grooved and planed on one side.
5. The above 2d, 3d and 4th items to consist of 2 inch, mercantile quality, with no more knots.
6. 200 Spruce Plank, 12 inch by 12 inches by 12 feet.
7. 100 Spruce Joists, 4 inches by 12 inches by 12 feet.
8. 100 Spruce Joist, 4 inches by 12 inches by 12 feet.
9. 50 Spruce Timbers, 12 inches by 12 inches by 12 feet.

(10) 40 Spruce Timbers, 12 inches by 12 inches by 12 feet.

All of the above materials shall be delivered at the Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth Street and Fifth Avenue, in such quantities as may be required.

11. 2000 feet board measure of 2 inch Pine Joist, 12 inch by 12 inches and upwards in length, well seasoned and free from sap, checks and knots.

12. 2000 feet board measure of 2 inch Pine Joist, 12 inch by 12 inches and upwards in length, well seasoned and free from sap, checks and knots.

13. 2000 feet board measure of 2 inch Pine Joist, 12 inch by 12 inches and upwards in length, well seasoned and free from sap, checks and knots.

14. 2000 feet board measure of 2 inch Pine Joist, 12 inch by 12 inches and upwards in length, well seasoned and free from sap, checks and knots.

All the material mentioned in the last five items shall be delivered at such point as may be required near the Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth Street and Fifth Avenue, at such times and in such quantities as may be required.

All the material above described must be delivered according to the plans and specifications and verified, in accordance with the plans and standards established at the office of the Department.

All the materials to be furnished under this contract shall be examined by the Board of Parks or such other person as the Commissioners of Parks for the Borough of Manhattan and Resolved that the Board of Parks shall examine and verify all such materials as shall be deemed to be not in accordance with the specifications and shall be bound to accept of the Contractor and satisfactory materials furnished in accordance.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars.

Bidders must name a price for each and every item included in the specification upon which their bids are based, and also the total amount of their bids.

Bidders are required to open a joint per centum (one per centum) of the total amount of their bids, to 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 person 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.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let, as provided by law.

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless a written permission shall previously have been obtained from the Board of Parks.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM H. KUPP,
Chief Clerk.

New York, December 14, 1898.

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PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND LAYING CAST-IRON SEWER PIPE, MAKING ALL CONNECTIONS AND EXCAVATIONS NECESSARY TO PROVIDE SEWERAGE SYSTEM AT FORDHAM HOSPITAL.

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, noon.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1898.

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 Altering the Old Marine, etc., Bellevue Hospital Grounds," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, 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 49, chapter 28, Laws of 1897.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is interested in 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, in his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no person is 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 will not be taken on or from, 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 same, 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 must 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 residences, in the effect that the contract awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on being so awarded, become bound as co-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 in his 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, in writing, of each of such persons, stating the same, that he is a householders 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 head, 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 to whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimates, and no estimate can be deposited in said bid 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 him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and retold 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 whenever they are noticed 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 Morgan & Shattuck, 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 SMITH, Jr., Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BUREAU OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
New York, December 5, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES.

BUREAUS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ENGINEER'S SUPPLIES, 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, noon, on

MONDAY DECEMBER 19, 1898.

Rubber Goods, Packings, etc.

- 3520. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3527. 20 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3535. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.

- 3525. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3530. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3537. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3542. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3547. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3552. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3557. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3562. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3567. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
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- 3617. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3622. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
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- 3642. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3647. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3652. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3657. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3662. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3667. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3672. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3677. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3682. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3687. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
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- 3757. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3762. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3767. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3772. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3777. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3782. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3787. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3792. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3797. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3802. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3807. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3812. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
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- 3847. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3852. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3857. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3862. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3867. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3872. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3877. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3882. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3887. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3892. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3897. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3902. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3907. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
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- 3957. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3962. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3967. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3972. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3977. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3982. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3987. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3992. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.
- 3997. 10 pounds Ring Packing, as per sample. Size, 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 in.

Plumbing Material.

- 3540. 1 Porcelain Bowl, J. L. Mott, triple, plate 24 1/2.
- 3541. 1 Washbasin Closet, rough, 14 1/2 in from wall
- 3542. 1 Bowl for Henry Huber "Lion" Closet.
- 3543. 1 dozen Brass Ferrules, 2 in. light.
- 3544. 1 dozen Brass Ferrules, 2 in. heavy.
- 3545. 1 No. 2 Rubber Force-Clip.
- 3546. 1 2-lb. Soldering Iron.
- 3547. 1 gross Rubber Washers.
- 3548. 1 gross Rubber Washers.
- 3549. 1 dozen Compression Washers, fibre, 1/2 in.
- 3550. 1 dozen Compression Washers, fibre, 3/4 in.
- 3551. 1 dozen Compression Washers, fibre, 1 in.
- 3552. 1 dozen Compression Washers, fibre, 1 1/4 in.
- 3553. 1 dozen Compression Washers, fibre, 1 1/2 in.
- 3554. 1 dozen Compression Washers, fibre, 1 3/4 in.
- 3555. 1 dozen Compression Washers, fibre, 2 in.
- 3556. 1 dozen Fuller Washers, large.
- 3557. 1 dozen Fuller Washers, small.
- 3558. 1 dozen Composition Tap Washers, 1/2 in.
- 3559. 1 dozen Composition Tap Washers, 3/4 in.
- 3560. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 1/2 in.
- 3561. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 3/4 in.
- 3562. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 1 in.
- 3563. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 1 1/4 in.
- 3564. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 1 1/2 in.
- 3565. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 1 3/4 in.
- 3566. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 2 in.
- 3567. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 2 1/4 in.
- 3568. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 2 1/2 in.
- 3569. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 2 3/4 in.
- 3570. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 3 in.
- 3571. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 3 1/4 in.
- 3572. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 3 1/2 in.
- 3573. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 3 3/4 in.
- 3574. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 4 in.
- 3575. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 4 1/4 in.
- 3576. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 4 1/2 in.
- 3577. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 4 3/4 in.
- 3578. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 5 in.
- 3579. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 5 1/4 in.
- 3580. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 5 1/2 in.
- 3581. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 5 3/4 in.
- 3582. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 6 in.
- 3583. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 6 1/4 in.
- 3584. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 6 1/2 in.
- 3585. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 6 3/4 in.
- 3586. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 7 in.
- 3587. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 7 1/4 in.
- 3588. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 7 1/2 in.
- 3589. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 7 3/4 in.
- 3590. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 8 in.
- 3591. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 8 1/4 in.
- 3592. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 8 1/2 in.
- 3593. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 8 3/4 in.
- 3594. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 9 in.
- 3595. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 9 1/4 in.
- 3596. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 9 1/2 in.
- 3597. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 9 3/4 in.
- 3598. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 10 in.
- 3599. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 10 1/4 in.
- 3600. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 10 1/2 in.
- 3601. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 10 3/4 in.
- 3602. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 11 in.
- 3603. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 11 1/4 in.
- 3604. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 11 1/2 in.
- 3605. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 11 3/4 in.
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- 3609. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 12 3/4 in.
- 3610. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 13 in.
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- 3612. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 13 1/2 in.
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- 3614. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 14 in.
- 3615. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 14 1/4 in.
- 3616. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 14 1/2 in.
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- 3636. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 19 1/2 in.
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- 3638. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 20 in.
- 3639. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 20 1/4 in.
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- 3660. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 25 1/2 in.
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- 3680. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 30 1/2 in.
- 3681. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 30 3/4 in.
- 3682. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 31 in.
- 3683. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 31 1/4 in.
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- 3700. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 35 1/2 in.
- 3701. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 35 3/4 in.
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- 3705. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 36 3/4 in.
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- 3716. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 39 1/2 in.
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- 3732. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 43 1/2 in.
- 3733. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 43 3/4 in.
- 3734. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 44 in.
- 3735. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 44 1/4 in.
- 3736. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 44 1/2 in.
- 3737. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 44 3/4 in.
- 3738. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 45 in.
- 3739. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 45 1/4 in.
- 3740. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 45 1/2 in.
- 3741. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 45 3/4 in.
- 3742. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 46 in.
- 3743. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 46 1/4 in.
- 3744. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 46 1/2 in.
- 3745. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 46 3/4 in.
- 3746. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 47 in.
- 3747. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 47 1/4 in.
- 3748. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 47 1/2 in.
- 3749. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron Elbows, 47 3/4 in.
- 3750. 1 dozen Galvanized Cast-iron El

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 419, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner, and to be free of all expense.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have sufficient resources to complete the contract, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, to be to the order of the said Commissioner, in the sum of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or trust or security companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled if he completed the contract and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the articles by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath, 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 faithful performance of the contract 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 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 intends to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Commissioner 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 Commissioner, or money to the amount of Fifty Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimates, and no estimate can be deposited in said envelope until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or 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 let as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and at the office of Deputy Commissioner of Brooklyn, James J. Kirwin, No. 5 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 14, 1898.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 14, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR MEATS FOR THE
KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE MEATS FOR THE YEAR 1899, at per contract and specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department, and weights allowed as received by the Kings County Penitentiary.

Meats to be as follows, viz.:
Chucks of Beef..... 20,000 pounds.
Salt Pork in barrels (family meat)..... 10,000 "
Ch. cks of Mutton..... 20,000 "
Roasting pieces of Beef..... 10,000 "
Sirloin Steaks..... 10,000 "
Corned Beef..... 10,000 "
Mutton Hindquarters..... 10,000 "
Bologna Sausage..... 8,000 "
..... 100,000 "

All to be more or less.
"All Beef, Lamb, Mutton, and Veal used by this Department to be from animals killed and dressed in New York State." See specifications for full details.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until
MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1898,
at 10 o'clock A.M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1899 for the Kings County Penitentiary," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the

Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.

Any bidder for this contract must furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the sum of SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or trust or security companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled if he completed the contract and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the articles by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath, 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 faithful performance of the contract 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 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 intends to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Commissioner of the City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or 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 let as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and at the office of Deputy Commissioner of Brooklyn, James J. Kirwin, No. 5 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 14, 1898.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

MEATS.
PROPOSALS FOR ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED FOR THE YEAR 1899.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE MEATS FOR THE YEAR 1899, at per contract and specifications.

All deliveries to be free of expense to the Department, and weights allowed as received by the Kings County Penitentiary.

Meats to be as follows, viz.:
Chucks of Beef..... 20,000 pounds.
Salt Pork in barrels (family meat)..... 10,000 "
Ch. cks of Mutton..... 20,000 "
Roasting pieces of Beef..... 10,000 "
Sirloin Steaks..... 10,000 "
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Mutton Hindquarters..... 10,000 "
Bologna Sausage..... 8,000 "
..... 100,000 "

All to be more or less.
"All Beef, Lamb, Mutton, and Veal used by this Department to be from animals killed and dressed in New York State." See specifications for full details.

Bids or estimates will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until
MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1898,
at 10 o'clock A.M.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1899 for the Kings County Penitentiary," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the

Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.

Any bidder for this contract must furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the sum of TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or trust or security companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled if he completed the contract and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the articles by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath, 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 faithful performance of the contract 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 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 intends to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Commissioner of the City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or 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 let as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and at the office of Deputy Commissioner of Brooklyn, James J. Kirwin, No. 5 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 14, 1898.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 14, 1898.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ICE FOR 1899, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR 250 tons prime quality ICE, 2,000 pounds to the ton, not to be less than 10 inches thick, for Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, will be received at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, at the City of New York, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1898,
until 10 o'clock A.M.

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

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of Six Hundred (\$600) Dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or security, trust or deposit companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled if he completed the contract 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, 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 faithful performance of the contract 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 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 intends to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Commissioner of the City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or 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 let as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and at the office of Deputy Commissioner of Brooklyn, James J. Kirwin, No. 5 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 14, 1898.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 14, 1898.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ICE FOR 1899, FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR 250 tons prime quality ICE, 2,000 pounds to the ton, not to be less than 10 inches thick, for Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, will be received at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, at the City of New York, until

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1898,
until 10 o'clock A.M.

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

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

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.

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
New York, December 14, 1898.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING 25,000 POUNDS, MORE OR LESS, OF VIENNA BRAND, TO BE OF THE BEST QUALITY AND TO BE DELIVERED TO THE VARIOUS CORRECTION INSTITUTIONS DAILY, AS CALLED FOR, EACH NOT TO EXCEED 25 POUNDS, IN CONFORMITY WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 10 A. M.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1898.

To be delivered to institutions in conformity with the specifications.

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

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.

Any bidder or persons making any bid or estimate shall be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

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

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 East Twentieth Street,
New York, December 14, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, FLOUR, PROVISIONS, VEGETABLES, ETC., FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES AND OTHER SUPPLIES TO THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, DURING THE YEAR 1899, IN CONFORMITY WITH SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CORRECTION, NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

DECEMBER 15, 1898.

All goods to be delivered to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, as called for and free of expense, and weight allowed as received there.

1. 100 pounds Ground Apples.
2. 500 pounds No. 1 Barley.
3. 1,000 pounds Butter (broken in Western Extra Creamery or fancy Salt Creamery).
4. 1,500 pounds Cheese (Swiss, Factory full Cream fine and bearing Blue Brand, mentioned on box).
5. 50 pounds Corn Meal.
6. 100 pounds Corn Stalks.
7. 20 pounds Clover.
8. 10 pounds Dried Currants.
9. 500 pounds Blue Coffee Beans.
10. 2,400 dozen Eggs (as on weight and candle) at time of delivery to be furnished in cases of wood ash.
11. 2,000 pounds Bacon (Prime Quality) City cured to weigh 14 pounds each.
12. 2,000 pounds Ham (Prime Quality) City cured to weigh 14 pounds each.
13. 4,000 pounds Prime Kiehl rendered lard, in packages about 25 pounds each.
14. 15,000 pounds Beans (not older than crop of 1898).
15. 100 pounds Potatoes.
16. 25 pounds Raisins.
17. 100 pounds Baking Powder.
18. 100 barrels Soda Crystals (empty barrels to be returned).
19. 25 pounds Ground Ginger.
20. 7,000 pounds Corn Meal (current July).
21. 250 pounds Flour.
22. 100 pounds Pure Molasses.
23. 5 pounds Nutmegs.
24. 100 pounds Rolled Oats.
25. 250 pounds Ground Pepper (pure in bulk if possible).
26. 200 pounds Prime Quality Amsterdam Salt.
27. 25 pounds Green Salt.
28. 15,000 pounds Granulated Sugar, "Standard."
29. 1,000 pounds Powdered Sugar, "Standard."
30. 150 gallons Syrup.
31. 3,500 pounds Coffee, Tea, black, or half cheese, free from all adulterations and in original packages.

32. 100 dozen Canned Corn.
33. 150 dozen Canned Peaches.
34. 150 dozen Canned Pears.
35. 150 dozen Canned Pine.
36. 50 dozen Canned Salmon.
37. 600 dozen Canned Tomatoes.
38. 50 dozen Chili Sauce.
39. 50 dozen Cheese Chow.
40. 12 dozen Gelatine "Cokes."
41. 5 dozen Best Olive Oil (quarts).
42. 100 dozen Paprika Thyme.
43. 5 dozen Extract Vanilla.
44. 5 dozen Extract Lemon.
45. 500 gallons Malt Vinegar, prime quality (empty barrels to be returned).

46. 50 more or less Barrels Apples, good and sound, all empty barrels to be returned.
47. 15,000 more or less Heads of Cabbage, good size and solid heads, all empty barrels to be returned.
48. 20 bushels Cranberries, all empty barrels to be returned.
49. 250 dozen Lemons, all empty barrels to be returned.
50. 20,000 pounds Onions, all empty barrels to be returned.
51. 4,000 bushels White Potatoes, to be good, sound, fair size, and empty barrels or sacks to be returned.
52. 75 bushels Sweet Potatoes, to be good, sound, fair size, all empty barrels to be returned.
53. 15,000 pounds Turnips, White and Russian, all empty barrels to be returned.
54. 100 barrels No. 1 Flour, as per sample.
55. 100 barrels No. 2 Flour, as per sample.

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange, that the flour offered is equal to the Standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour; the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the Contractor; also Certificates of Weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery. Flour will be received in sacks only.

800 empty barrels to be returned, to be delivered from the Kings County Penitentiary, and the price at which said empty barrels are awarded to the Contractor to be deducted from the price of the flour.

56. 100 barrels Pillsbury's Best Flour.
57. 5,000 pounds A No. 1 Timothy Hay, weight allowed as received at Kings County Penitentiary.
58. 150 bushels No. 1 Oats, bags to be returned.
59. 4,000 pounds Long Bright Straw, three not to exceed 3 lbs. per bale, weight allowed as received at Kings County Penitentiary.
60. 500 pounds Bath Brick.
61. 100 large Charcoal.
62. 100 pounds Fine Feed.
63. 50 pounds Indigo.
64. 50 barrels Salt Soap (prime quality), about 340 lbs. each.
65. 40 dozen Sapolin, "Morgan's."
66. 400 pounds Laundry Soap.
67. 100 pounds White Castile Soap.
68. 7,000 pounds Brown Soap, of the grade known to the trade as "Commercially Perfected Family Soap," to be delivered within 90 days after the award has been made.

The soap to be delivered in boxes holding about 60 pounds, and the weight to be determined on its arrival at the Kings County Penitentiary, an average tare being based upon the weight of twenty boxes selected at random from each delivery. The soap must be free from added carbonates of soda, silicate of soda, mineral soap stock, or other foreign material. It must be of good firmness, soluble in ten parts alcohol of ninety-four per cent, and contain not more than thirty-three per cent of water. Empty soap boxes to be returned and the price bid for same to be deducted from bills by the contractor.

69. 14,000 pounds Soap Chips.
70. 5,000 pounds Plug Tobacco (one piece).
71. 5 barrels Chloride of Lime.
72. 100 pounds Rice.

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

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

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Flour, Provisions, Vegetables, etc., for the Kings County Penitentiary," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Correction, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.

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

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

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

The quality of the yeast must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of said Department, or in the absence of samples, to the related specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 East Twentieth Street,
New York, December 14, 1898.

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

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

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

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 related specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications and showing the manner of payment and other details, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, or James J. Kilwin, Deputy Commissioner, No. 3 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 East Twentieth Street,
Borough of Manhattan,
December 14, 1898.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES TO FURNISH AND DELIVER, FREE OF ALL EXPENSE, TO BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, AND WEIGHT TO BE ALLOWED AS RECEIVED THERE, 1,000 TONS PRIME QUALITY OF LIME NOT TO BE LESS THAN 12 INCHES THICK, ALSO 250 TONS LIME TO BE DELIVERED TO THE DIFFERENT CORRECTION INSTITUTIONS, IN NEW YORK CITY, MANHATTAN BOROUGH. LIME TO BE OF THE SAME QUALITY AND THICKNESS: WEIGHT WILL BE ALLOWED AS RECEIVED BY THE DIFFERENT PERSONS. ALL THE ABOVE TO BE MORE OR LESS.

Bids will be opened at No. 148 East Twentieth street, DECEMBER 15, 1898.

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

The Commissioner of the Department of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.

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

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

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

The quality of the yeast must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of said Department, or in the absence of samples, to the related specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner, Department of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 East Twentieth Street,
New York, December 14, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, WITH COMPRESSED YEAST FOR 1899.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING 25,000 POUNDS, MORE OR LESS, COMPRESSED YEAST, IN 1-POUND PACKAGES, TO THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN CONFORMITY WITH SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CORRECTION, NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, NEW YORK CITY, AT 10 A. M.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1898.

All goods to be delivered to the Kings County Penitentiary free of expense.

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

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

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

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

Any bidder for this must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

No bonds required when bids amount to less than One Thousand Dollars.

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

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

The quality of the yeast must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of said Department, or in the absence of samples, to the related specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

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