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### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

#### Report of the Comptroller of The City of New York for the Quarter ending March 31, 1900.

AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 1544 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER.  
(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897.)

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
April 19, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

SIR—I have the honor to send you herewith a statement of the operations and condition of the City Treasury and the Sinking Funds for the quarter ending March 31, 1900, as required by section 1544 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 378, Laws of 1897).

Respectfully,  
BIRD S. COLEK, Comptroller.

#### STATEMENT OF THE OPERATIONS AND CONDITION OF THE CITY TREASURY AND THE SINKING FUNDS FOR THE QUARTER ENDING MARCH 31, 1900.

##### I.—THE CITY TREASURY.

###### Receipts.

###### TAXES.

###### CITY OF NEW YORK.

###### Levy for 1899.

###### Amount of Taxes Collected—

###### By Receiver of Taxes—

Borough of Manhattan.....	\$3,131,941 37
Borough of The Bronx.....	231,494 05
Borough of Brooklyn.....	853,451 43
Borough of Queens.....	193,753 92
Borough of Richmond.....	35,882 52

Total Receipts of Taxes on Account of Levy for 1899. \$4,445,513 29

###### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

###### Levies for 1898 and prior years.

###### Amount of Taxes Collected—

###### By Receiver of Taxes.....

\$5,607 68

###### By Collector of Assessments and

Arrears.....

576,291 51

\$581,899 19

###### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

###### Levies for 1898 and prior years.

###### Amount of Taxes Collected—

###### By Receiver of Taxes.....

\$66 92

###### By Collector of Assessments and

Arrears.....

179,148 17

179,215 09

###### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

###### Levies for 1898 and prior years.

###### Amount of Taxes Collected—

###### By Collector of Assessments and Arrears—

Long Island City.....

\$16,698 74

Town of Newtown.....

2,948 94

Town of Jamaica.....

3,706 18

Village of Jamaica.....

1,057 18

Town of Flushing.....

3,755 75

Village of Flushing.....

873 60

Village of College Point.....

1,483 21

Village of Whitestone.....

579 46

Village of Richmond Hill.....

382 24

Village of Far Rockaway.....

1,806 43

Village of Rockaway Beach.....

354 40

Village of Arverne-by-the-Sea.....

37 72

33,683 85

###### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

###### Levies for 1898 and prior years.

###### Amount of Taxes Collected—

###### By Collector of Assessments and Arrears—

Town of Northfield.....

\$2,436 58

Town of Southfield.....

3,835 80

Town of Westfield.....

1,169 11

Town of Middletown.....

807 54

Town of Castleton.....

2,119 59

Village of Edgewater.....

360 53

Village of New Brighton.....

785 42

Village of Port Richmond.....

260 37

Village of Tottenville.....

7 34

School Districts.....

2,241 75

14,024 03

Total Receipts from Taxes on Account of Levies for 1898

and prior years.....

\$68,822 16

###### Total Receipts from Taxes.....

\$5,255,365 45

##### APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT, 1898.

CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED JANUARY 1, 1898.

Being Reimbursements, Errors, etc., Refunded—

Department of Highways.....	\$426 76
Department of Education.....	327 94
Libraries.....	42 05

\$796 75

##### APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT, 1899.

CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED JANUARY 1, 1898.

Being Reimbursements, Errors, etc., Refunded—

###### CITY OF NEW YORK.

Department of Highways.....	\$21 00
Department of Health.....	695 03
Department of Education.....	666 73
Department of Correction.....	17 64
Department of Public Charities.....	97 58
Department of Buildings.....	4 50
Municipal Courts—City of New York.....	10 36
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	33 34
Libraries.....	730 18

\$11,432 26

###### COUNTY OF KINGS.

Surrogate's Court.....	15 28
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\$11,447 54

##### APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT, 1900.

CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED JANUARY 1, 1898.

Being Reimbursements, Errors, etc., Refunded—

###### CITY OF NEW YORK.

Judgments.....	\$920 00
Department of Public Charities.....	50 36
Department of Water Supply.....	4 00
Department of Health.....	12 58
Interest on the City Debt.....	10,000 00

10,966 94

Total Refunds on Appropriation Accounts.....

\$26,211 23

##### THE GENERAL FUND.

###### CITY OF NEW YORK.

Chamberlain's Fees.....	\$7,777 90
Examining Board of Plumbers.....	335 00
CITY RECORD, Sales of.....	1,073 16
Interest on Security Deposits.....	1,505 54
Interest on Special Security Deposits.....	846 05

###### Department of Parks—Rents, Permits, etc.—

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	\$1,039 81
Borough of The Bronx.....	396 66
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	424 00

1,860 47

###### Interest on Taxes—City of New York (Levy for 1899)—

Borough of Manhattan.....	\$70,816 50
Borough of The Bronx.....	5,654 96
Borough of Brooklyn.....	20,716 56
Borough of Queens.....	4,663 42
Borough of Richmond.....	882 94

102,734 38

Total—General Fund, City of New York.....

\$117,122 50

###### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

###### (COUNTY OF NEW YORK.)

County Clerk's Fees.....	\$11,229 69
Register's Fees.....	27,201 11
Coroners' Fees.....	46 50
Surrogates' Fees.....	2,256 20
Public Administrator—Commissions.....	3,734 49
City Clerk's Fees.....	4,000 08

###### Corporation Counsel—

Costs.....	\$432 87
Interest on Deposits.....	28 10

460 97

###### Licenses.....

"Conscience".....	4,772 25
"Conscience".....	5 80

###### Department of Correction—Sale of old material, old bones, etc.,

.....	792 82
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###### Department of Public Charities—

Board, steamboat fares, etc.....	\$150 50
Sale of old material.....	775 20

925 70

###### Department of Parks—Rents, permits, etc.,

.....	6,826 31
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###### Department of Street Cleaning—

"Trimming".....	\$12,501 75
Damage to Department property.....	248 13

12,749 88

###### Department of Highways—

Labor and material.....	\$108 50
Street incumbrances.....	159 75
Permits—Temporary sheds.....	570 00
Sales of old buildings.....	2,278 37

3,116 62

###### Department of Sewers—Sewers and drains.....

.....	6,817 96
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###### Department of Water Supply—

Tapping.....	\$2,224 50
Labor and material.....	177 75

2,402 25

###### Reimbursements on account of Committed Children.

Miscellaneous—Subpoenas, Copying, etc.....	2,543 50
Interest on Redemption Deposits.....	40 80
Refund of overpayment—Mission of the Immaculate Virgin.....	95 45

10,000 00

Collector of City Revenue—	
Market permits, .....	\$31 00
Pipe-line franchises, .....	750 00
Rents, .....	150 00
	\$933 00
Interest on Taxes (Levies for 1898 and prior years)—	
Receiver of Taxes, .....	\$228 89
Collector of Assessments and	
Arrears, .....	112,565 07
	112,791 96
Interest on Assessments—Fund for Street and Park	
Openings, etc., .....	48,893 79
Interest on Water Meter Fund, .....	53 28

Total—General Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, .....

\$362,696 41

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

(COUNTY OF KINGS.)

Surrogate's Fees, .....	\$150 63
Comers' Fees, .....	22 00
Licenses, .....	1,844 50
City Clerk's Fees, .....	395 50
Corporation Counsel, costs, .....	202 07
Reimbursements Account of Committed Children, ..	110 00
Department of Sewers—Sewers and drains, .....	3,565 21
Department of Street Cleaning—	
"Trimming", .....	\$865 00
Sale of old material, dump tickets,	
etc., .....	230 50
	1,095 50
Department of Public Charities, Brooklyn and	
Queens—Board, sales of old material, etc., .....	2,844 56
Department of Correction (including Kings County	
Penitentiary)—Board sales, etc., .....	18,111 41
Department of Highways—Sale of old buildings, ..	38 70
Miscellaneous—Subpoenas, copying, etc., .....	1 00
Interest on Redemption Deposits, .....	52 78
Interest on Excess Advertising Account, .....	11 91
Collector of City Revenue—Pipe Line Franchises, ..	144 00
Interest on Taxes—(Levies for 1898 and prior years)	
	41,650 51

Total—General Fund, Borough of Brooklyn, .....

70,349 40

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

(COUNTY OF QUEENS.)

Licenses, .....	\$122 00
City Clerk's Fees, .....	47 41
Department of Sewers—Sewers and Drains, .....	420 00
Department of Education—Damages to Department	
Property, .....	2 34
Interest on Redemption Deposits, .....	8 02
Collector of City Revenue—Interest on Bonds and	
Mortgages, .....	90 00
Interest on Taxes (Levies for 1898 and prior years)—	
Village of Whitestone, .....	\$12 14
Town of Flushing, .....	256 71
Village of Flushing, .....	54 48
Village of College Point, .....	86 79
Town of Newtown, .....	512 88
Town of Jamaica, .....	214 14
Village of Jamaica, .....	78 46
Village of Richmond Hill, .....	16 81
Village of Far Rockaway, .....	89 86
Village of Rockaway Beach, .....	15 20
Village of Arverne-by-the-Sea, .....	2 13
	1,350 54

Total—General Fund, Borough of Queens, .....

3,049 31

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

(COUNTY OF RICHMOND.)

Licenses, .....	\$117 00
City Clerk's Fees, .....	35 00
Department of Sewers—Sewers and Drains, .....	51 00
Interest on Taxes (Levies for 1898 and prior years), ..	2,216 38
Interest on Assessments, .....	730 95

Total—General Fund, Borough of Richmond, .....

3,150 93

Total Receipts of the General Fund, .....

\$455,367 55

## SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886—(Works	
contracted for prior to January 1, 1898)—	
Assessments, .....	\$671,747 11
Interest on Assessments, .....	69,508 71
	\$741,255 82
Harlem River Improvement Fund, .....	9,140 60
Additional Public Park Fund—Assessments, .....	26 32
Charges on Arrears of Taxes, .....	88 00
Charges on Arrears of Assessments, .....	4,072 75
Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Re-	
demption of, .....	2 82
Interest on Lands Purchased, .....	7 18
Water Meter Fund No. 2—	
Receiver of Taxes, .....	\$59 65
Collector of Assessments and	
Arrears, .....	139 28
	198 93
Land Drainage Fund, .....	9 78
Annexed Territory of Westchester County—	
Taxes, .....	\$36 84
Interest on Taxes, .....	104 51
	141 35
Towns of Westchester County—Annexed under	
chapter 934, Laws of 1895—	
Taxes and Assessments, .....	\$1,055 27
Interest and Charges, .....	595 55
	1,650 82
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough	
of Manhattan, .....	23,181 75
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough	
of The Bronx, .....	1,354 86
Department of Buildings—Special Fund, .....	4,631 93
Street Incumbrances—Department of Street Cleaning	
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination, .....	609 76
Anti-Toxine Fund, .....	5,427 51
Arrears of Taxes and Assessments—Towns of East-	
chester and Pelham, .....	284 74
Intestate Estates—	
Comptroller, .....	\$15 00
Public Administrator, .....	4,064 13
	4,079 13

Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account, .....	\$1,228 95
Sheriff's Fees, .....	18,670 61
Forfeited Recognizances, .....	6,629 35
Excise Taxes, .....	33,054 00
Assessment Sales—Money Refunded, .....	252 65

Total, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, .....

\$855,057 94

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Prospect Park Installments, .....	\$5,095 61
Eighth Ward Improvement, .....	15,065 26
Twenty-sixth Ward Sewer, .....	40,331 60
Twenty-ninth Ward Sewer, .....	322 60
Sewerage Fund—Laws of 1892, .....	22,491 95
Opening and Widening Streets, .....	767 33
Assessment Fund, .....	40,319 56
Assessment Fund—Laws of 1886, .....	3,108 51
Thirtieth Ward—Flagging Tax Assessments, .....	787 46
Thirtieth Ward—Opening and Grading Assessments,	
Thirtieth Ward Sewer Tax Assessment, .....	1,794 08
Thirtieth Ward—Opening and Grading Assess-	
ments, .....	366 45
Twenty-sixth Ward—Opening and Grading, .....	4,522 43
Improvements—	
Town of New Lots, .....	17,063 13
Town of Gravesend, .....	3,060 51
Town of New Utrecht, .....	75 41
	266 55

Interest on Assessments—	
Receiver of Taxes, .....	\$141 06
Collector of Assessments and	
Arrears, .....	10,628 61

Prospect Park—Interest on Installments, .....	10,769 67
Advertising Sales—(Various Towns), .....	203 19
Redemption Fund, .....	196 00
Widening North Second Street, .....	3,074 50
Assignments—Tax Sales Certificates, .....	75
Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds—	220 62

Receiver of Taxes, .....	\$2,327 34
Collector of Assessments and	
Arrears, .....	99 06

Water Revenue—1899—	2,426 40
Refund—City Paymaster, .....	30 00

Water Revenue—1900—	
Receiver of Taxes, .....	\$22,556 47
Collector of Assessments and	
Arrears—	

Water Rents, .....	\$16,811 37
Interest on	
Water Rents, .....	6,141 09
	22,952 46

Department of Water Supply—	
Water Rents, .....	\$194,918 54
Tapping, .....	1,262 00
Labor and	
Material, .....	393 33

Sales of Old	
Material, .....	740 47
	197,314 34
Refund—City Paymaster, .....	4 00

Wallabout Market—Rental and Fees, .....	242,827 27
House Rent, .....	8,470 75
Ground Rent, .....	1,412 02
	5 00

Railroad Franchises, .....	9,093 74
Sales of Real Estate, .....	228 00
Twenty-ninth Ward Assessments, .....	2,961 34
Thirty-first Ward Assessments, .....	383 35

Dock and Ship Rent, .....	5,456 39
Ferry Rent, .....	250 00
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund, .....	7,149 81
Street Incumbrances—Department of Street Cleaning	
Construction of Private Sewers, .....	110 30

Excise Taxes, .....	391 39
	12,398 85
Court Fees and Fines—	
Municipal Courts, .....	\$2,672 00
City Magistrates' Courts, .....	1,728 00
Court of Special Sessions, .....	1,488 00

Fines and Penalties—	5,888 00
Sheriff—(Acting as Warden), .....	834 00
Public School Library Fund, .....	7,640 30

Department of Public Charities—Boroughs of Brook-	
lyn and Queens—Money left by Deceased	
Patients—Kings County Hospital and Alms-	
house, .....	35 19

Interest on Surplus Fund, .....	429 97
Department of Buildings—Special Fund, .....	102 75
Street Vaults, .....	90 20

Total, Borough of Brooklyn, .....

479,397 36

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Long Island City—	
Water Rents, .....	\$1,400 77
Interest on Water Rents, .....	110 89
Interest on Taxes, .....	1,064 60
Assessments for Local Improve-	
ments, .....	4,117 83
Interest on Assessments, .....	1,767 95
	\$8,462 01

Village of Whitestone—	
Assessments for Local Improve-	
ments, .....	\$556 58
Interest on Assessments, .....	170 33
	726 91

Village of Flushing—	
Assessments for Local Improve-	
ments, .....	\$457 39
Interest on Assessments, .....	131 30
	386 69

Village of College Point—	
Water Rents, .....	\$182 41
Interest on Water Rents, .....	7 34
Assessments for Local Improve-	
ments, .....	30 50
Interest on Assessments, .....	12 75
	242 50

Village of Richmond Hill—	
Assessments for Local Improve-	
ments, .....	\$15 82
Interest on Assessments, .....	1 58
	17 40

Village of Arverne-by-the-Sea—	
Assessments for Local Improve-	
ments, .....	\$16 31
Interest on Assessments, .....	4 08
	20 40



Town of Hempstead—Taxes, Interest, etc.	\$764 88
Town of Jamaica—Common Land—Ground Rent	750 00
House Rent	50 00
Water Rents—First and Third Wards—	
Receiver of Taxes	\$2,341 83
Department of Water Supply	18,506 04
	20,847 87
Dock and Slip Rent	14 50
Town of Jamaica—Water Rents—Refund from Appropriation	4,000 00
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund	714 00
Excise Taxes	1,629 38
Court Fees and Fines—	
Municipal Courts	\$117 50
City Magistrates' Courts	223 50
Court of Special Sessions	20 00
	561 00
Oceanus Fire District	5,442 80

Total, Borough of Queens..... \$44,632 37

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Village of Edgewater—Assessments for Local Improvements	\$197 98
Village of New Brighton—Assessments for Local Improvements	752 71
Village of Port Richmond—Assessments for Local Improvements	770 27
Ferry Rent	150 00
Village of Totenville—Water Rents	22 34
Excise Taxes	578 88
Court Fees and Fines—	
Municipal Courts	\$137 50
City Magistrates' Courts	56 00
Court of Special Sessions	175 00
	368 50

Total, Borough of Richmond..... 2,840 68

## BOND ACCOUNTS.

Armory Fund—Bonds Issued	\$115,681 32
Additional Water Fund—	
Bonds Issued	\$1,650,000 00
Premium	99,610 50
Rents, etc.	3,935 63
	1,753,546 12
Additional Water Fund—City of New York—Bonds Issued	100,000 00
Bridge over Bronx River, at or near Westchester Avenue—Bonds Issued	6,000 00
Dock Fund—	
Assessments	\$537 35
Repairs for Private Owners	19,823 91
Filling in Privileges	1,150 00
Sales of Maps	25 00
Cement Taxes	20 00
Use of Telephone	4 45
	21,560 71
Fort Washington Ridge Road Fund—Bonds Issued	5,664 15
High School Fund—	
Bonds Issued	\$369,983 90
Premium	34,921 22
	404,905 12
Jefferson Park, Improvement of—Bonds Issued	65,000 00
New East River Bridge Fund—	
Bonds Issued	\$3,000,000 00
Premium	299,406 75
	3,299,406 75
New Hall of Records Building Fund—	
Bonds Issued	\$1,200,000 00
Premium	124,996 50
	1,324,996 50
Public Driveway, Construction of—	
Bonds Issued	\$300,000 00
Premium	28,431 00
	328,431 00
Repaving, under Chapter 475, Laws of 1895—	
Bonds Issued	\$450,000 00
Premium	49,410 00
	499,410 00
Repaving Streets, Borough of Manhattan—	
Bonds Issued	\$1,000,000 00
Premium	109,800 00
	1,109,800 00
Repaving Streets, Borough of The Bronx—	
Bonds Issued	\$300,000 00
Premium	21,960 00
	321,960 00
Repaving Streets, Borough of Brooklyn—	
Bonds Issued	\$700,000 00
Premium	76,860 00
	776,860 00
Repaving, Borough of Queens—	
Bonds Issued	\$75,000 00
Premium	8,235 00
	83,235 00
Repaving, Borough of Richmond—	
Bonds Issued	\$25,000 00
Premium	2,745 00
	27,745 00
School-house Fund No. 2—	
Bonds Issued	\$307,674 38
Premium	28,431 00
	336,105 38
School Building Fund, Borough of Brooklyn—	
Bonds Issued	\$990,000 00
Premium	101,187 00
	1,091,187 00
School Building Fund, Borough of Richmond—Bonds Issued	47,000 00
Court-house Fund, Appellate Division of Supreme Court—Refund	48 27
Black Tax Assessment Map Fund—Bonds Issued	10,000 00
Rapid Transit Fund No. 2—Bonds Issued	61,219 90
Revenue Bond Fund—For—	
Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments—Bonds Issued	25,000 00
Indexing Conveyances, County Clerk's Office—Bonds Issued	11,000 00
Claims—Bonds Issued	125,000 00
Payment of claims of Volunteer Firemen of the late Town of Westchester and the former Villages of Wakefield, Williamsbridge, Eastchester and City Island, in the Borough of The Bronx—Bonds Issued	36,877 79

Revenue Bond Fund—For—	
Payment of claims of the Volunteer Firemen of the several towns formerly known as Flatbush, Flatlands, New Utrecht and Gravesend, in the Borough of Brooklyn—Bonds Issued	\$122,499 47
Expenses of the Building Code Commission—Bonds Issued	21,000 00
Expert Accountants—Bonds Issued	50,000 00
Board of Health, Necessary Expenses for preserving the health of the City, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Bonds Issued	11,850 00
Board of Health, Necessary Expenses for preserving the health of the City, Borough of Richmond—Bonds Issued	1,500 00
Judgments—Bonds Issued	250,000 00
Department of Street Cleaning—Bonds Issued	160,000 00
Payment of Claims for services in the Department of Finance in 1899—Bonds Issued	5,991 57
Claim of E. J. H. Tamsen—Bonds Issued	1,881 24
Revenue Bonds Issued in Anticipation of Taxes for 1900—Bonds Issued	10,520,600 00

Total, Bond Accounts..... \$23,035,962 26

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Fund for Street and Park Openings—	
Assessments	\$178,348 54
Bonds Issued	250,000 00
Refunds	348 88
	\$428,696 76
Street Improvement Fund—Works contracted for after January 1, 1898—	
Assessments	\$9,140 08
Interest on Assessments	72 81
	9,212 89
New York and Brooklyn Bridge	94,949 30
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages	5,907 02
Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund	389,612 32
State Agricultural Law—Fines	1,150 00
Rapid Transit Security Deposit	1,000,000 00

Total, Miscellaneous..... 1,930,628 26

Total Receipts, Special and Trust Accounts..... \$26,347,828 90

Total Receipts of the City Treasury..... \$32,084,773 13

## Payments.

## APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT, 1897 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK AS CONSTITUTED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.

General Expenses of the City Government payable from Taxation and the General Fund.

For General Expenses of the City Government, viz:—	
Interest on City Debt*	\$75 00
Department of Public Works	5,963 68
Department of Public Parks	233 91
Department of Public Charities	904 30
Department of Buildings	30 00
Board of Education	26 34
College of The City of New York	28 50
Miscellaneous	638 88

\$7,897 91

## APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT, 1898.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED JANUARY 1, 1898.

General Expenses of the City Government payable from Taxation and the General Fund.

For General Expenses of the City Government, viz:—	
Municipal Assembly and City Clerk	\$275 00
Department of Finance	795 07
Interest on the City Debt*	295 00
Department of Highways	14,214 73
Department of Sewers	881 60
Department of Bridges	13,882 80
Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies	26,238 58
Department of Water Supply	38,583 40
Department of Parks	10,951 51
Department of Public Charities	40,529 40
Department of Correction	105 50
Department of Health	16,149 43
Bureau of Elections	1,597 75
Department of Street Cleaning	277 70
Fire Department	11,474 84
Department of Education	31,838 61
College of the City of New York	1 50
Normal College of the City of New York	30 20
Board of City Record	117 25
Commissioners of Accounts	3,129 00
District Attorney—New York County	371 60
District Attorney—Richmond County	258 00
The Judiciary	3,497 90
City Magistrates' Court, Second Division	27 70
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institutions	2,735 17
Libraries	730 18
Miscellaneous	5,572 34

224,278 91

## APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT, 1899.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT AS CONSTITUTED JANUARY 1, 1898.

## CITY OF NEW YORK.

General Expenses of the City Government payable from Taxation and the General Fund—

The Mayoralty	\$576 08
Municipal Assembly and City Clerk	1,285 64
Department of Finance	6,359 94
Interest on the City Debt*	11,487 50
Redemption of the City Debt	1,000 00
Rents	64,419 31
President, Borough of Manhattan	106 60
President, Borough of The Bronx	163 83
President, Borough of Brooklyn	983 53
President, Borough of Richmond	3 75

\* Exclusive of amounts paid from "The Sinking Fund for Payment of Interest on the City Debt."  
† Exclusive of amounts cancelled by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and amounts paid from the Sinking Fund and Special and Trust Accounts.

## General Expenses of the City Government payable from Taxation and the General Fund—

Bureau of Municipal Statistics.....	\$101 46
The Law Department.....	8,377 90
Board of Public Improvements.....	23,517 17
Department of Highways.....	120,603 35
Department of Sewers.....	36,667 58
Department of Bridges.....	26,078 81
Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	1,551,864 73
Department of Water Supply.....	131,595 90
Department of Parks.....	111,374 21
Department of Public Charities.....	280,912 90
Department of Correction.....	95,075 35
Department of Health.....	80,514 26
Police Department.....	5,275 49
Bureau of Elections.....	18,055 67
Department of Street Cleaning.....	287,312 34
Fire Department.....	332,118 02
Department of Buildings.....	13,153 72
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	1,626 74
Board of Assessors.....	85 45
Department of Education.....	1,447,815 09
The College of The City of New York.....	5,901 61
The Normal College of The City of New York.....	7,120 00
Coroners.....	1,462 64
Commissioners of Accounts.....	10,909 01
Civil Service Commission.....	1,430 82
Board of City Record.....	90,355 91
Examining Board of Plumbers.....	100 89
For Library Purposes.....	19,783 06
Municipal Courts—City of New York.....	1,247 98
Court of Special Sessions—First Division.....	194 80
Court of Special Sessions—Second Division.....	538 10
City Magistrates' Courts—First Division.....	153 00
City Magistrates' Courts—Second Division.....	79 95
Charitable Institutions.....	162,544 46
Miscellaneous.....	16,307 71
	<b>\$4,983,404 43</b>

## COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

## General Expenses of the County of New York payable from Taxation—

Board of City Record.....	\$2,433 82
The Sheriff of the County of New York.....	975 06
The Register.....	102 80
Public Administrator.....	92 37
Supreme Court—First Department.....	5,624 93
Court of General Sessions.....	366 75
Surrogate's Court, New York County.....	230 51
County Clerk, New York County.....	6 10
District Attorney, New York County.....	154 89
Commissioner of Juries, New York County.....	838 38
Special Commissioner of Juries, New York County.....	33 30
The National Guard.....	8,842 00
Miscellaneous.....	2,910 77
Charitable Institutions.....	37,314 68
	<b>\$9,995 95</b>

## COUNTY OF KINGS.

## General Expenses of the County of Kings payable from Taxation—

Board of City Record.....	\$341 43
Sheriff of Kings County.....	7,174 01
Register, Kings County.....	6,259 75
Supreme Court—Second Department.....	944 00
Surrogate's Court, Kings County.....	72 22
County Clerk, Kings County.....	7,327 49
District Attorney, Kings County.....	584 91
Special Commissioner of Juries, Kings County.....	115 40
Commissioners of Records, Kings County.....	9,171 85
Armories and Drill Rooms.....	96 00
Miscellaneous.....	1,149 28
Charitable Institutions.....	14,381 69
	<b>47,818 03</b>

## COUNTY OF RICHMOND.

## General Expenses of the County of Richmond, payable from Taxation—

Board of City Record.....	\$1,162 09
Sheriff of Richmond County.....	895 72
District Attorney, Richmond County.....	27 42
Miscellaneous.....	60 30
Charitable Institutions.....	816 93
	<b>2,962 46</b>

## APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT, 1900.

## ON ACCOUNT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED JANUARY 1, 1898.

## CITY OF NEW YORK.

## General Expenses of The City of New York, payable from taxation and the General Fund—

The Mayoralty.....	\$14,702 98
Municipal Assembly and City Clerk.....	49,456 60
Department of Finance.....	183,794 22
Interest on the City Debt.....	1,892,762 40
Redemption of the City Debt.....	96,424 67
Installments payable in 1900.....	1,743,639 65
Rents.....	52,541 30
President, Borough of Manhattan.....	2,705 41
President, Borough of The Bronx.....	2,025 38
President, Borough of Brooklyn.....	1,828 52
President, Borough of Queens.....	1,895 96
President, Borough of Richmond.....	1,530 00
Bureau of Municipal Statistics.....	2,826 40
Law Department.....	60,551 31
Board of Public Improvements.....	60,480 10
Department of Highways.....	261,688 86

## General Expenses of The City of New York, payable from taxation and the General Fund—

Department of Sewers.....	\$170,833 11
Department of Bridges.....	60,577 53
Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	550,031 40
Department of Water Supply.....	184,498 85
Department of Parks.....	270,410 14
Department of Public Charities.....	197,070 61
Department of Correction.....	139,389 91
Department of Health.....	238,842 43
Police Department.....	2,827,384 33
Bureau of Elections.....	24,476 60
Department of Street Cleaning.....	1,111,052 93
Fire Department.....	1,026,118 22
Department of Buildings.....	125,881 83
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	80,021 45
Board of Assessors.....	9,234 08
Department of Education.....	2,204,756 70
The College of The City of New York.....	44,679 60
The Normal College of The City of New York.....	39,761 69
Coroners.....	31,165 24
Commissioners of Accounts.....	39,101 21
Civil Service Commission.....	19,274 33
Board of City Record.....	78,910 80
Examining Board of Plumbers.....	838 49
For Library Purposes.....	51,449 25
The City Court of New York.....	29,223 29
Municipal Courts, City of New York.....	89,982 73
Court of Special Sessions, First Division.....	17,264 82
Court of Special Sessions, Second Division.....	13,411 30
City Magistrates' Court, First Division.....	39,596 97
City Magistrates' Court, Second Division.....	40,719 34
Charitable Institutions.....	192,240 41
Miscellaneous.....	342,133 42
	<b>\$14,752,205 97</b>

## COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

## General Expenses of the County of New York payable from Taxation—

State Taxes.....	\$7,038,685 05
Board of City Record.....	816 48
Preservation of Public Records.....	11,276 15
Sheriff of the County of New York.....	31,121 85
The Register.....	40,843 78
Public Administrator of the County of New York.....	5,651 37
Supreme Court, First Department.....	164,240 61
Court of General Sessions.....	44,666 11
Surrogate's Court, New York County.....	37,343 73
County Clerk, New York County.....	23,714 11
District Attorney, New York County.....	71,168 41
Commissioner of Juries, New York County.....	9,664 31
Special Commissioner of Juries, New York County.....	4,284 24
The National Guard.....	33,202 00
Charitable Institutions.....	31,086 59
	<b>2,547,794 79</b>

## COUNTY OF KINGS.

## General Expenses of the County of Kings payable from Taxation—

State Taxes.....	\$306,052 71
Board of City Record.....	1,502 59
The Sheriff.....	13,240 09
The Register.....	1,885 25
Supreme Court, Second Department.....	40,416 14
County Court.....	24,924 87
Surrogate's Court.....	13,519 79
County Clerk.....	750 00
District Attorney.....	19,494 38
Commissioner of Juries.....	6,938 68
Special Commissioner of Juries.....	1,074 07
Commissioners of Records.....	25,714 82
Treasurer of Kings County.....	4,282 21
The National Guard.....	18,991 00
Miscellaneous.....	45,654 37
Charitable Institutions.....	1,011 09
	<b>727,459 46</b>

## COUNTY OF QUEENS.

## General Expenses of the County of Queens payable from Taxation—

State Taxes.....	\$65,446 90
County Court.....	600 00
Surrogate's Court.....	3,833 28
District Attorney.....	3,226 46
Sheriff, Queens County.....	1,169 93
Commissioner of Juries.....	930 14
Board of Supervisors.....	1,239 12
Miscellaneous.....	69,901 37
The National Guard.....	540 00
	<b>147,956 20</b>

## COUNTY OF RICHMOND.

## General Expenses of the County of Richmond payable from Taxation—

State Taxes.....	\$24,978 01
Board of City Record.....	322 86
Sheriff of Richmond County.....	3,099 65
County Court and Surrogate's Court.....	3,149 94
County Clerk.....	999 99
District Attorney.....	1,353 78
Commissioner of Juries.....	903 81
Miscellaneous.....	2,500 00
	<b>37,308 04</b>

Total "A" Warrants Registered.....	\$23,539,051 88
Add Warrants Outstanding December 31, 1899.....	2,186,184 49
Total Warrants Payable.....	\$25,725,236 37
Deduct Warrants Cancelled during the Quarter.....	13,326 30
Net Warrants Payable.....	\$25,711,910 07
Deduct Warrants Outstanding March 31, 1900.....	2,163,600 92

Total payments from the City Treasury on Appropriation Accounts. \$25,548,315 15

\* Exclusive of amounts paid from "The Sinking Fund for Payment of Interest on the City Debt."  
 † Exclusive of amounts cancelled by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and amount paid from the Sinking Fund and Special and Trust Accounts.



## SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Anti-toxine Fund.....	\$2,431 89
Assessment Sales—Moneys refunded.....	928 85
Auctioneers' Licenses.....	250 00
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	1,170 40
Construction of Private Sewers—Borough of The Bronx.....	400 77
Department of Buildings—Special Fund.....	4,872 82
Excise Taxes.....	167,333 31
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	900 00
Intestate Estates.....	1,148 51
Public School Library Fund.....	8,516 95
Police Pension Fund.....	75,000 00
Refunding Taxes—Paid in Error, Borough of Manhattan.....	14,873 55
Refunding Taxes—Paid in Error, Borough of The Bronx.....	1,148 60
Refunding Assessments—Paid in Error, Borough of Manhattan.....	1,776 75
Refunding Assessments—Paid in Error, Borough of The Bronx.....	1,262 98
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Manhattan.....	30,024 19
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of The Bronx.....	764 62
State Agricultural Law—Fines.....	200 00
Zoological Garden Fund.....	45 00
Sheriff's Fees.....	8,449 78

Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1888—(Works Contracted for prior to January 1, 1898)—	
Borough of Manhattan.....	\$44,082 07
Borough of The Bronx.....	186,930 37
Williamsbridge Sewer.....	8,699 77

Total, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... \$561,011 18

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Advance on Water Meters.....	\$843 90
Assessment Fund, Laws of 1888.....	46,818 69
Bay Ridge Parkway—Shore Drive.....	11,181 28
Common Land Fund—Town of Gravesend.....	4,477 93
Court Fees and Fines.....	450 00
Construction of Private Sewers.....	523 95
Department of Buildings—Special Fund.....	36 34
Excise Taxes.....	82,265 35
Eighth Ward Improvement Fund.....	1,960 63
Eastern Parkway and Buffalo Avenue—Borough of Brooklyn—Interest on Awards.....	11,176 12
Harway Avenue Bridge.....	895 60
Interest on Surplus Fund.....	178 35
Memorial Monument Fund.....	3,000 00
New Utrecht Assessments—Flagging.....	318 57
Opening and Widening Streets.....	2,516 34
Opening and Widening Streets—Default and Interest.....	323 50
Public School Library Fund.....	37 44
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund.....	3,518 28
Refunding Assessments—Paid in Error.....	9,507 12
Refunding Taxes—Paid in Error.....	2,150 07
Redemption Fund.....	20,000 00
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	9 20
School Building Fund.....	3,668 85
Twenty-sixth Ward Street Improvement Fund.....	10,033 00
Thirteenth Regiment Armory Commission.....	1,593 44
Thirteenth Regiment Armory—Site and Construction.....	104 50
Town of New Lots—Interest on Street Improvement Bonds—County.....	1,735 00
Town of Gravesend—Local Improvement Fund—Grading and Construction of Neptune Avenue, etc.....	50,560 59
Water Revenue, 1897.....	30,000 00

Water Revenue—Borough of Brooklyn, 1898—	
Department of Water Supply—	
Maintenance and Repairs.....	
Salaries and Wages.....	\$850 00
Department of Water Supply—	
Distribution and Repairs—Material and Supplies.....	7,331 27
Department of Water Supply—	
Maintenance and Repairs—Material and Supplies.....	28,953 03
Water Revenue.....	225,000 00

Water Revenue—Borough of Brooklyn, 1899—	
Department of Water Supply—	
Maintenance and Repairs—Salaries and Wages.....	\$5,768 71
Department of Water Supply—	
Maintenance and Repairs—Material and Supplies.....	58,038 30
Department of Water Supply—	
Distribution and Repairs—Material and Supplies.....	13,811 08
Department of Water Supply—	
Distribution and Repairs—Salaries and Wages.....	4,012 50
Water Revenue.....	350,000 00

Water Revenue—Borough of Brooklyn, 1900—	
Department of Water Supply—	
Distribution and Repairs—Salaries and Wages.....	\$39,483 88
Department of Water Supply—	
Maintenance and Repairs—Salaries and Wages.....	105,516 12
Department of Water Supply—	
Maintenance and Repairs—Material and Supplies.....	1,342 53
Department of Water Supply—	
Distribution and Repairs—Material and Supplies.....	849 38
Water Revenue.....	4,710 36

Water Maintenance.....	52 35
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Total, Borough of Brooklyn..... 1,145,402 86

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund.....	\$1,027 53
Refunding Taxes—Paid in Error.....	1,914 42
Excise Taxes.....	7,252 84
Oceanus Fire District.....	5,282 69
Water Rent.....	13 14

## Long Island City—

Grand Avenue and Main Street Improvement Fund.....	\$3,045 25
Board of Education Fund, 1897.....	1,001 34
Public Debt and Interest, 1897.....	11 25
Examining and Supervising Board of Plumbers and Plumbing.....	500 00
Board of Examining Plumbers, 1897.....	17 75
Flushing Avenue Improvement Fund.....	672 50
First Ward Road and Street Fund.....	374 50
Third Ward Road and Street Fund.....	100 00
Fourth Ward Road and Street Fund, 1897.....	578 42
Contingent Fund, 1897.....	1,078 21
Salaries, 1897.....	2,033 34
Police Department Fund, 1897.....	150 75
Health Department Fund, 1897.....	539 00

\$10,108 18

## Town of Newtown—

Road Improvement Fund.....	\$38,262 50
Repairs and Maintenance of Highways—Burial Permit Fund.....	6,682 09
School District No. 1—Building Fund.....	490 00
School District No. 2—Building Fund.....	100 00
School District No. 10—Building Fund.....	948 45
Budget of 1897—Town Bills.....	808 80

47,291 84

## Town of Jamaica—

School District No. 1—Building Fund.....	\$780 00
Water Taxes—Woodhaven District.....	1,470 00

2,250 00

## Village of Richmond Hill—Sidewalk Improvement Fund.....

	53,718 02
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## Town of Flushing—

School District No. 1—Building Fund.....	\$435 95
School District No. 5—Building Fund.....	2,268 92
School District No. 5—General Account, 1897.....	25 00
School District No. 7—Building Fund.....	1,989 06

4,448 93

## Village of Flushing—Stand Pipe Fund.....

	5,946 00
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## Village of Whitestone—Assessment Account.....

	394 68
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## Village of College Point—

Street Improvement Fund.....	\$8,436 74
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Water Tower Fund.....	106 67
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Pumping Plant, Extension Fund.....	8,264 00
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Water Pipe Extension Account.....	1,528 18
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18,335 59

## Village of Rockaway Beach—Street Improvement Fund.....

	155 15
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## Village of Arverne-by-the-Sea—Street Improvement Fund.....

	1,108 24
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## Town of Hempstead—

School District No. 23—Building Fund.....	\$1,186 30
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School District No. 27—Building Fund.....	300 00
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1,486 30

Total, Borough of Queens..... \$160,733 52

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Public School Library Fund.....	\$21 18
Refunding Taxes—Paid in Error.....	359 49
Excise Taxes.....	5,437 38
County of Richmond—County Road Fund.....	19,243 96
Town of Northfield—Road Fund.....	2 65

## Town of Southfield—

Boulevard Fund.....	\$6,998 18
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Road Fund.....	14,326 02
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21,324 20

## Town of Westfield—Road Fund.....

	53 35
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## Town of Middletown—Road Fund.....

	8,755 99
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## Village of Edgewater—

Section 4, Second Sewer District.....	\$14 41
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Twelfth Sewer District.....	193 60
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General Account.....	1,010 00
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1,220 01

## Village of Port Richmond—

Post Avenue Sewer District.....	\$57 42
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Bond Street Sewer.....	255 25
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Hertberton Avenue and Bennett Street Sewer.....	249 66
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Jewett Avenue Sewer Outlet.....	480 41
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Richmond Avenue, Broadway and Bennett Street, Maple Avenue and Richmond Terrace Sewer.....	592 15
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Lafayette Avenue Sewer.....	47 37
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Charles Avenue Sewer.....	134 50
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1,813 76

## Village of New Brighton—

Barger Avenue Sewer District.....	\$160 14
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Fourth Avenue Sewer.....	605 90
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Taylor Street Sewer District Outlet.....	2,016 41
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2,782 45

## SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

## School District No. 1, Towns of Castleton and Middletown—Building Fund.....

	12,972 38
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## School District No. 3, Town of Castleton—

Building Fund.....	\$546 52
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General Account.....	31 52
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578 04

## School District No. 3, Town of Southfield—General Account.....

	2 25
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## School District No. 5, Town of Northfield—General Account.....

	3 15
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Total, Borough of Richmond..... 81,571 24

## BANK ACCOUNTS.

Additional Water Fund.....	\$582,050 95
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Additional Water Fund, City of New York.....	130,420 20
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## American Museum of Natural History—

Construction of West Wing.....	\$3,602 67
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Equipment of Addition and Alterations.....	121,846 02
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Erection and Equipment of Addition.....	112,837 02
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238,279 71



Armory Fund—	
Sites.....	\$116,666 12
Salaries and Contingencies.....	525 00
	\$117,491 12
Bridge over Bronx River at or near Westchester Avenue.....	3,526 33
Bridge over Bronx River at Westchester Avenue.....	450 27
Bridge over Bronx River at One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street.....	774 52
Bridge connecting Pelham Bay Park with City Island.....	7,223 87
Bridge over Harlem River at Third Avenue.....	4,192 55
Bridge over Harlem River, between First and Wil- liam Avenues.....	134,781 62
Bridge over Harlem River, One Hundred and Forty- fifth to One Hundred and Forty-sixth Streets.....	500 00
Bridge over East River between Boroughs of Man- hattan and Brooklyn.....	4,955 67
Bridge over East River between Boroughs of Man- hattan and Queens.....	2,545 47
Block Tax Assessment Map Fund.....	4,676 00
Bridge over tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad, at One Hundred and Fifty-third Street.....	401 83
Botanical Museum and Herbarium.....	14,279 65
Court-house Fund—Appellate Division of the Su- preme Court.....	180,666 50
Croton Water Fund.....	22,430 90
Cathedral Parkway—Construction of.....	6,459 78
Central Park Construction—Laying Asphalt Walks.....	248 58
Corporate Debt Fund—For Redemption of Perma- nent Water Loan of the City of Brooklyn.....	13,000 00
Change of Grade Damage Commission—Twenty- third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	5,059 66
Construction and Maintenance of Public Parkways—	
Improving Old Boston Road.....	\$349 36
Van Cortlandt Park, Improvement of—Mosholu Avenue, from Grand to Jerome Avenue.....	254 70
Van Cortlandt Park, Improvement of—Grand Avenue, from Mosholu to Jerome Avenue.....	335 38
Bronx and Pelham Parkway, Im- provement of.....	11,550 00
Regulating and Grading existing roads near Botanical Garden.....	206 71
	12,090 15
Total, Bond Accounts.....	\$8,382,480 07
Department of Correction—Building Fund.....	\$49,776 34
Dock Fund.....	1,691,357 46
Department of Street Cleaning—New Stock or Plant, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	18,440 08
Department of Street Cleaning—New Stock or Plant, Borough of Brooklyn.....	59,774 27
Department of Street Cleaning—New Stock or Plant, Borough of Queens.....	39,759 33
Department of Street Cleaning—New Stock or Plant, Borough of Richmond.....	10,261 67
Eleventh Ward Park Fund.....	19,284 39
East River Park—Improvement of Extension.....	794 22
Extension of Broadway or Kingsbridge Road—Spur- ten Dayvil Creek Bridge.....	1,798 00
Extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette Fund for Improving that portion of Crotona Park in which is located a Public Building.....	16,484 14
	2,933 37
Fire Department Fund—New Sites and Buildings.....	45,778 46
Fire Hydrant Fund.....	275 00
Fort Washington Bridge Road Fund.....	8,664 15
Fund for Improvement of Wallabout Basin, in Bor- ough of Brooklyn.....	29,645 50
Gouverneur Ship Hospital—Building Fund.....	1,740 00
High School Fund.....	368,914 30
Hester Street Park Fund.....	1,145 90
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, chapter 11, Laws of 1894—	
Fifth Avenue—Repaving Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth Street.....	\$1,457 05
Resurfacing walks in parks south of Fifty-ninth Street.....	89 06
Paving sidewalk west side of Fifth avenue from Eighty-fifth to One Hundred and Tenth Street.....	32 77
Improving small Park, west side of Fulton Avenue.....	1,442 63
	3,021 51
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, chapter 194, Laws of 1896—	
Central Park, Improvement of— Erecting additional Green- houses.....	\$12,447 50
Central Park, Improvement of— Paving and repaving with asphalt, etc.....	754 35
Paving Circle, Fifty-ninth Street and Eighth Avenue.....	890 22
Construction of Driveways, etc., at Botanical Garden.....	6,338 43
	20,430 50
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, chapter 643, Laws of 1897—	
Central Park, Improvement of— Asphalting in other locations.....	\$5,731 58
Central Park, Improvement of— Erecting additional Green- houses.....	17,000 00
Central Park, Improvement of— Improving Swedish School- house.....	482 05
Repaving with asphalt the roadway, Fifty-ninth Street and Fifth Avenue.....	267 29
Cycle and Bridle Pathways—Bronx and Pelham parkways.....	17,570 80
Clermont Park, Improvement of.....	4,543 36
Filling in certain lands in Van Cortlandt Park for Colonial Garden.....	373 93
	45,760 01
Jefferson Park, Improvement of.....	384 27
Jerome Avenue Paving.....	7,931 84
Metropolitan Museum of Art, Construction and Com- pletion of an Extension.....	63,875 61
Mulberry Bend Park, Construction of.....	904 97
New East River Bridge Fund.....	374,018 35
New Hall of Records, Building Fund.....	54,347 64
New York Public Library Fund.....	28,772 76
New York Zoological Garden Fund.....	7,130 90

Public Driveway, Construction of.....	\$278,727 28
Public Park in Twelfth Ward, bounded by Brad- hurst and Edgecombe Avenues, One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Streets.....	1,268,979 33
Public Park in Twelfth Ward, bounded by One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth Streets, First Avenue and the East River.....	24,904 12
Riverside Park and Drive, Completion of Construc- tion—	
Planting and Developing, Seventy- second to Seventy-sixth Streets.....	\$155 28
Planting and Developing, Eighty- sixth to Ninety-sixth streets.....	266 15
Construction of Walks between Seventy-ninth and One Hun- dred and Fourth Streets.....	909 58
Tree Planting, North of Ninety- sixth Street.....	2,220 92
Grading and Construction of, Drainage, etc.....	783 84
	4,335 77
Rapid Transit Fund No. 2.....	69,643 15
Repaving under chapter 346, Laws of 1889.....	7,181 65
Repaving under chapter 35, Laws of 1892.....	10,038 54
Repaving under chapter 475, Laws of 1895.....	3,153 89
Repaving under chapter 87, Laws of 1897.....	3,867 20
Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	897 37
Rose Hill Place, Construction of.....	150 30
Revenue Bond Fund—for—	
Expert Accountants.....	40,076 76
Judgments.....	205,080 86
Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments Salaries and Expenses—Commissioner of Rec- ords—Kings County.....	4,533 47
	76 24
Expenses of Building Code Commission.....	20,441 80
Claims.....	36,199 42
Payment of Increased Salaries to Teachers in Public Schools.....	482,244 35
Indexing Conveyances, County Clerk's Office.....	3,022 50
Payment of Claims—Department of Finance.....	5,991 57
Claim of E. J. H. Tamsen.....	1,881 21
Payment of Volunteer Firemen in Borough of The Bronx.....	36,407 78
Payment of Volunteer Firemen, Borough of Brooklyn.....	122,499 47
Increased Salaries—Department of Street Clean- ing.....	24 60
School House Fund No. 2.....	230,135 00
School Building Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	646,126 80
School Building Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	346,461 43
School Building Fund, Borough of Queens.....	16,615 44
School Building Fund, Borough of Richmond.....	19,867 46
Soldiers and Sailors' Memorial Arch Fund.....	4,650 40
Steel Beam Structure over Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad at Brook Avenue.....	872 50
Spuyten Dayvil Parkway, Construction and Improve- ment of.....	7,483 98
Viaduct over Tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad at Melrose Avenue, etc.....	16,752 37
Water Main Fund No. 2.....	84 00
Water Main Fund No. 3.....	1,801 29
Water Main Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	10,813 59
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Department of Education—Maintenance of Train- ing School.....	\$402 67
Excise Taxes, City of New York.....	266,859 37
Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund.....	40,479 68
Theatrical and Concert Licenses.....	1,550 00
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	2,000 24
Unclaimed Warrants.....	392 30
New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	86,261 79
Street Improvement Fund—Works contracted for after January 1, 1898—	
Borough of Manhattan.....	\$141,864 22
Borough of the Bronx.....	213,782 84
Borough of Brooklyn.....	28,711 30
Borough of Queens.....	5,016 64
Borough of Richmond.....	289 62
	380,664 62
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	798,114 93
	\$1,585,824 50
Total "B" and "C" Warrants Registered.....	\$11,917,023 97
Add Warrants outstanding December 31, 1899—	
"B" Warrants.....	\$1,774,942 49
"C" Warrants.....	23,899 91
	1,798,841 50
Total Warrants Payable.....	\$13,715,865 47
Deduct Warrants Cancelled during quarter—	
"B" Warrants.....	15,882 41
Net Warrants Payable.....	\$13,699,983 06
Deduct Warrants outstanding March 31, 1900—	
"B" Warrants.....	\$1,141,207 11
"C" Warrants.....	59,408 06
	1,200,615 17
Total Payments from City Treasury on Special and Trust Accounts.....	\$12,499,367 89
Total Payments from City Treasury.....	\$36,047,683 04
SUMMARY OF THE CITY TREASURY ACCOUNT.	
Cash Balance in the City Treasury at the close of business December 31, 1899.....	\$13,556,737 62
RECEIPTS.	
Taxes—	
City of New York—Levy for 1899—	
Borough of Manhattan.....	\$3,131,941 37
Borough of The Bronx.....	231,494 05
Borough of Brooklyn.....	853,461 43
Borough of Queens.....	195,763 92
Borough of Richmond.....	35,882 52
	\$4,446,543 29
Tax Levies for 1898 and Previous Years—	
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$581,899 19
Borough of Brooklyn.....	179,215 04
Borough of Queens.....	33,683 85
Borough of Richmond.....	14,024 03
	808,822 16
	\$5,255,365 45



<b>Appropriation Accounts—</b>	
1898 (Greater New York).....	\$796 75
1899 (Greater New York).....	14,447 54
1900 (Greater New York).....	10,956 94
	\$26,211 23
<b>General Fund—</b>	
City of New York.....	\$117,122 50
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	262,696 41
Borough of Brooklyn.....	70,349 40
Borough of Queens.....	2,049 21
Borough of Richmond.....	3,150 03
	455,367 55
<b>Special and Trust Accounts—</b>	
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$855,057 94
Borough of Brooklyn.....	479,397 36
Borough of Queens.....	44,632 37
Borough of Richmond.....	2,840 68
Bond Accounts.....	23,035,962 26
Miscellaneous.....	1,930,028 29
	26,347,828 90
<b>Total Receipts.....</b>	<b>\$32,684,773 73</b>
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$45,641,510 75</b>

## PAYMENTS.

Appropriation Accounts—"A" Warrants.....	\$23,548,315 15
Special and Trust Accounts—"B" and "C" Warrants.....	12,499,367 89
<b>Total Payments.....</b>	<b>36,047,683 04</b>
Cash Balance in the City Treasury at the close of business March 31, 1900.....	\$9,593,827 71

\* Loans—Money Borrowed on the Credit of the Corporation on Bonds and Stocks.

TITLE OF BOND AND STOCK.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE ISSUED.	AUTHORITY FOR THE ISSUE.	RATE PER CENT.	AMOUNT.
Revenue Bonds of 1900..	For the payment of current expenses	Sec. 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	\$4,000,000 00
Revenue Bonds of 1900..	For the payment of current expenses	Sec. 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	1,833,000 00
Revenue Bonds of 1900..	For the payment of current expenses	Sec. 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	200,000 00
Revenue Bonds of 1900..	For the payment of current expenses	Sec. 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	6,160,000 00
Revenue Bonds of 1900..	For the payment of current expenses	Sec. 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	4	2,600 00
Revenue Bonds of 1900..	For the payment of current expenses	Sec. 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	4½	90,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For the new East River Bridge.....	Sec. 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	3,000,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	To provide for the construction of a temporary bridge and approaches over the Bronx river, at or near Westchester avenue.....	Sec. 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	6,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For the improvement of a public park, bounded by One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, First avenue and East river.....	Sec. 48 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	65,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For a new Hall of Records.....	Chaps. 39 and 199, Laws of 1897, and secs. 154 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	1,200,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For school-houses and sites therefor	Chap. 418, Laws of 1884, and acts amendatory; secs. 169 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	300,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For school-houses and sites therefor	Chap. 418, Laws of 1884, and acts amendatory; secs. 169 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	7,674 38
Corporate Stock.....	For school-houses and sites therefor in the Borough of Brooklyn.....	Sec. 48 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	990,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For school-houses and sites therefor in the Borough of Richmond.....	Sec. 48 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	47,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For high schools and sites therefor.....	Chap. 417, Laws of 1897, and secs. 169 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	368,483 99
Corporate Stock.....	For high schools and sites therefor.....	Chap. 418, Laws of 1884, and secs. 169 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	7,300 00
Corporate Stock.....	For constructing a public driveway along the Harlem river.....	Chap. 109, Laws of 1892, as amended by chap. 8, Laws of 1894, and secs. 169 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	300,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For repaving streets and avenues.....	Chap. 475, Laws of 1895, and secs. 169 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	450,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For the repaving of streets.....	Secs. 48 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	2,000,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For the New Aqueduct.....	Chap. 39, Laws of 1884, and secs. 169 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3½	1,650,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply.....	Chaps. 109 and 115, Laws of 1892, and secs. 169 and 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	100,000 00
Corporate Stock.....	For and on account of armories.....	Sec. 134, chap. 422, Laws of 1888, and sec. 169, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	7	215,681 32
Special Revenue Bonds	For the payment of claims of the Volunteer Firemen of the late Town of Westchester and the former villages of Wakefield, Williamsbridge and Eastchester, and of City Island.....	Chap. 686, Laws of 1899.....	3	36,371 79
Special Revenue Bonds	For the payment of claims of the Volunteer Firemen of the several towns formerly known as Flatbush, Flatlands, New Utrecht and Gravesend.....	Chap. 459, Laws of 1899.....	3	192,499 47
Special Revenue Bonds	For payment of claims, etc., as provided for by subdivision 7 of section 188 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.....	Subdiv. 7 of sec. 188, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	125,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds	For the payment of expenses of indexing and re-indexing conveyances, mortgages and other instruments relating to lands and liens thereon in the City and County of New York, and indexing, re-indexing and compiling abstracts of taxes, assessments, water rents, and unredemmed sales and unexpired leases therefor in said city.....	Chap. 576, Laws of 1899, and secs. 171 and 187 of chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	36,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds	For the payment of Expert Accountants and Assistants employed to examine the accounts and financial condition of the municipal or public corporations, or parts thereof consolidated by the Greater New York Charter with the corporation known as the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York, including the counties of Kings, Richmond and Queens.....	Chap. 660, Laws of 1897, and sec. 170, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	50,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds	For the payment of the expenses of the Building Code Commission.....	Subdiv. 8 of sec. 188, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	61,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds	To provide for expenses incurred by the Tax Commissioners in preparing new Tax Assessment Maps.....	Chap. 519, Laws of 1899, and secs. 171 and 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	20,000 00

TITLE OF BOND AND STOCK.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE ISSUED.	AUTHORITY FOR THE ISSUE.	RATE PER CENT.	AMOUNT.
Special Revenue Bonds	For defraying the necessary expenses of the Board of Health of The City of New York in preserving the health of the City.....	Chap. 526, Laws of 1891, secs. 170 and 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	\$13,397 00
Special Revenue Bonds	For the payment of judgments recovered against The City of New York.....	Subdiv. 7 of sec. 188, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	\$50,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds	To refund to sundry appropriations made to the Department of Street Cleaning the amounts transferred therefrom to the appropriations made to said Department for the "Removal of Snow and Ice".....	Sec. 525, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	160,000 00
Special Revenue Bonds	For the payment of the expenses of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners.....	Chap. 4, Laws of 1891, chap. 239, Laws of 1894, and secs. 170 and 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	61,319 90
Special Revenue Bonds	For the payment of legal expenses of Edward J. H. Tamsen, formerly Sheriff of the County of New York, in prosecuting or defending actions or proceedings brought by or against him.....	Chap. 729, Laws of 1897, and secs. 170 and 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	1,884 81
Special Revenue Bonds	For payment of claims for services rendered in the Department of Finance in the City of New York in the year 1899, pending the preparation by the Municipal Civil Service Commission of The City of New York of eligible lists for the position of accountants in said Department.....	Chap. 660, Laws of 1897, and chap. 30, Laws of 1898, and section 187, chap. 378, Laws of 1899.....	3	2,991 57
Special Revenue Bonds	For replenishing the fund for Street and Park Openings.....	Section 174, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	\$50,000 00
Assessment Bonds.....	For expenses of Commissioners appointed for the purpose of settling and establishing permanently the location and boundaries of Fort Washington Ridge Road.....	Chap. 114, Laws of 1892, and section 181, chap. 378, Laws of 1897.....	3	8,664 25
Total receipts from loans.....				\$82,741,423 58

## II.—THE SINKING FUNDS.

## Receipts.

## SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Interest on Deposits.....	\$1,434 71
Annual Installments—For Amount of Installment Required to Redeem Bonds and Stocks issued by The City of New York, as provided by section 206 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897.....	902,329 22
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$903,763 93</b>

## WATER SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Interest on Deposits.....	\$378 32
Annual Installment—For Amount of Installment Required for the Redemption of Bonds and Stocks issued after January 1, 1898, by The City of New York, for a Supply of Water, as provided by section 10 of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of New York.....	185,756 46
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>186,134 78</b>

## SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT, No. 1.

Market Rents and Fees.....	\$62,410 79
Market Cellar Rents.....	841 75
Water Lot Quit Rents.....	19 86
Sales of Real Estate—General.....	800 00
Pipe Franchises.....	45 00
Railroad Franchises.....	150,000 00
Tabular Franchises.....	2,130 09
Licenses—	
Hackney Coach.....	\$705 50
Pawnbrokers.....	14,000 00
Junk Dealers.....	1,445 00
Second-hand Dealers.....	1,100 00
Sidewalk Stands.....	398 00
Stage Coach.....	1,000 00
Street Vaults—	
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$49,418 56
Borough of Brooklyn.....	84 90
Dock and Slip Rent—	
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$569,406 87
Borough of Brooklyn.....	818 35
Borough of Queens.....	13 19
Assessments Collected under Chapter 350, Laws of 1880—	
Assessment Fund—Redemption Account.....	\$8,279 37
Street Improvement Fund—Redemption Account.....	10,151 77
Riverside Avenue Improvement Fund—Redemption Account.....	2,861 49
Road or Public Drive—South.....	20 00
West Farms Gas Tax.....	1 10
Interest on Deposits.....	75,617 08
Fines—Bureau of Licenses.....	2 00
Revenue from Investments.....	5,273 75
Commissioners of Jurors' Fines.....	223 85
Wallabout Market Rentals and Fees.....	3,951 50
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$61,093 37</b>

## SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT, No. 2.

Interest on Deposits.....	\$1,953 39
Annual Installment—For Amount of Installment Required for the Redemption of Bonds and Stocks issued by The City of New York as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, to provide for a Supply of Water, as provided by section 10, Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of New York (payment on account of appropriation of \$1,862,871.94, for the year 1900).....	250,000 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$21,953 39</b>

## SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

House Rent—	
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$21,167 25
Borough of Brooklyn.....	795 86
Borough of Richmond.....	37 50
Ground Rent—	
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$3,917 75

\* These amounts are included in the receipts of the Special and Trust Accounts (Bond Accounts).



<b>Ferry Rent—</b>		
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$91,436 01	
Borough of Brooklyn.....	125 00	\$91,561 01
<b>Croton Water Rents—</b>		
Water Register.....	\$768,297 28	
Receiver of Taxes.....	40,493 28	
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.....	33,359 11	842,146 67
Interest on Croton Water Rent.....		6,157 03
Interest on West Farms Gas Tax.....		1 55
<b>Court Fees and Fines—</b>		
<b>Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—</b>		
Municipal District Courts.....	\$16,144 44	
City Magistrates' Courts.....	11,678 50	
City Court.....	4,080 52	
Appellate Division of the Supreme Court.....	76 94	
Court of General Sessions.....	650 00	
Court of Special Sessions.....	8,885 00	\$41,515 40
<b>Borough of Brooklyn—</b>		
Municipal District Courts.....	\$996 50	
City Magistrates' Courts.....	672 00	
Court of Special Sessions.....	1,345 00	3,013 50
<b>Borough of Queens—</b>		
Municipal District Courts.....	\$186 30	
City Magistrates' Courts.....	165 00	
Court of Special Sessions.....	25 00	376 30
<b>Borough of Richmond—</b>		
Municipal District Courts.....	\$52 00	
City Magistrates' Courts.....	82 00	
Court of Special Sessions.....	50 00	184 00
		45,099 20
<b>Fines and Penalties—</b>		
<b>Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—</b>		
Assistant Corporation Counsel.....	\$993 83	
Warden, City Prison.....	1,096 00	
Warden, District Prison.....	5,164 00	
Warden, Workhouse.....	646 00	\$7,929 83
<b>Borough of Brooklyn—</b>		
Kings County Jail and Sheriff.....	749 00	8,678 83
Stenographers' Fees.....		4,551 00
Total.....		\$1,024,113 65

## SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF BROOKLYN.

Annual Installment—For Amount of Installments Required for the Redemption of Bonds and Stock Issued by the Former City of Brooklyn:

<b>Installments on principal as follows:</b>		
City Debt Arrears, 10-40s Bonds.....	\$58,750 00	
Prospect Park Bonds.....	115,577 10	
Station-house Purchase and Construction Bonds.....	5,493 22	
Local Improvement Bonds (Laws of 1894).....	16,620 15	
Local Improvement Bonds (Laws of 1895).....	15,883 04	
Local Improvement Bonds (Laws of 1896).....	34,302 90	
Wallabout Market Improvement Bonds.....	1,337 93	
Park Improvement Bonds.....	5,331 25	
School Building Bonds (Laws of 1894).....	10,069 59	
School Building Bonds (Laws of 1895).....	19,659 00	
City Hall Improvement Bonds.....	7,039 58	
Gravesend Local Improvement Bonds.....	8,303 31	
Consolidated Gold Stock for Completing Terminal Improvement of Bridge.....	5,284 83	
Consolidated Gold Stock, Opening Avenue of Approach to Bridge.....	5,088 83	
New East River Bridge Bonds.....	13,118 20	
Main Sewer Relief and Extension Fund Bonds.....	7,919 59	
Museum of Arts and Sciences Bonds.....	10,299 29	
Memorial Monument Bonds.....	1,317 14	
Public Market Bonds.....	3,117 85	
Certificate of Indebtedness (chapter 957, Laws of 1895).....	4,656 00	
Consolidated Stock, Indexing Bonds.....	9,933 53	
Leonard Street Improvement Bonds.....	1,750 00	
North Second Street Pier and Sewer Bonds.....	2,105 26	
Memorial Monument Bonds.....	444 44	
Wallabout Bonds.....	9,247 14	
Consolidated Stock, Newtown Creek Bridge Bonds.....	2,871 80	
Consolidated Stock, Deficiency Bonds.....	1,600 00	
Consolidated Stock, Wallabout Market Improvement Bonds.....	2,112 06	
Consolidated Stock, Principal and Interest past due on Gravesend Bonds.....	544 67	
Consolidated Stock, County Deficiency Bonds.....	17,948 71	
East Side Park Land Grading Bonds.....	398 14	
High School Bonds.....	541 81	
Public Library Bonds.....	69 22	
School Building Bonds (Laws of 1897).....	3,460 96	
Consolidated Gold Stock, Improvement of Albany Avenue.....	512 22	
Consolidated Gold Stock, Disciplinary School.....	1,245 94	
Memorial Bonds (Fowler Statue).....	278 70	
		\$403,437 30
Interest on Bonds and Mortgages.....		3,372 20
Bonds and Mortgages.....		9,866 50
Interest on Deposits.....		1,956 59
Revenue from Investments.....		106,100 57
<b>Investments paid off—</b>		
<b>Certificates of Indebtedness (chapter 1000, Laws of 1895).....</b>		
Fourth Precinct Station-house Bonds.....	\$18,000 00	
	5,000 00	23,000 00
Total.....		547,688 16

## WATER SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF BROOKLYN.

Interest on Deposits.....	\$590 59	
<b>Surplus Revenue—</b>		
Water Revenue, Borough of Brooklyn, 1897.....	\$30,000 00	
Water Revenue, Borough of Brooklyn, 1898.....	225,000 00	
Water Revenue, Borough of Brooklyn, 1899.....	350,000 00	605,000 00
Total.....		\$605,590 59

## SINKING FUND OF LONG ISLAND CITY FOR THE REDEMPTION OF REVENUE BONDS.

Interest on Deposits.....	\$885 46	
Revenue from Investments.....	236 25	
Total.....		1,121 71

## SINKING FUND OF LONG ISLAND CITY FOR THE REDEMPTION OF WATER BONDS.

Interest on Deposits.....	\$22 18	
<b>Annual Installment—</b>		
For Amount to be raised by Tax annually to redeem Water Bonds issued under chapter 759, Laws of 1895, pursuant to section 10 of article 3 of the Constitution of the State of New York.....		
		950 00
Total.....		\$972 18

## SINKING FUND OF LONG ISLAND CITY FOR THE REDEMPTION OF FIRE BONDS.

Interest on Deposits.....	\$36 04	
<b>Annual Installment—</b>		
For amount to be raised by tax annually to redeem Fire Department Bonds as required by chapter 122, Laws of 1894.....		
		1,166 67
Total.....		1,202 71
Total Receipts of the Sinking Funds.....		\$4,483,646 47

## Payments.

## SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

<b>Warrants drawn for Investment in New York City Bond and Stock:</b>		
<b>Three Per Cent. Corporate Stock—for—</b>		
Armory Sites.....	\$115,681 32	
Bridge over the Bronx River at or near Westchester Avenue.....	6,000 00	
Construction, etc., New Courthouse for Appellate Division, Supreme Court.....	10,000 00	
Construction of Bridge over East River, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.....	10,000 00	
High Schools and Sites therefor.....	1,500 00	
Improvement, etc., Jefferson Park.....	65,000 00	
School Houses and Sites therefor, Borough of Richmond.....	47,000 00	
		\$255,181 32
<b>Three Per Cent. Revenue Bonds, Special—for—</b>		
Block Tax Assessment Maps.....	10,000 00	
<b>Three Per Cent. Assessment Bonds, Special—for—</b>		
Fort Washington Ridge Road.....	507 60	
Total warrants registered.....		\$265,688 92
Deduct warrant outstanding March 31, 1900.....		20,000 00
Total payments on account of the "Sinking Fund of The City of New York".....		\$245,688 92

## WATER SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

<b>Warrants drawn for Investment in New York City Stocks and Bonds:</b>		
<b>Three Per Cent. Corporate Stock—for—</b>		
Sanitary Protection of the Source of the Water Supply.....	\$100,000 00	
Total amount registered and paid on account of "Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York".....		100,000 00

## SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT, No. 1.

<b>Warrants drawn for Investment in New York City Bonds and Stocks:</b>		
<b>Three Per Cent. Corporate Stock—for—</b>		
School-houses and sites therefor.....	\$7,674 38	
<b>Three Per Cent. Assessment Bonds—for—</b>		
Fort Washington Ridge Road.....	8,156 55	
<b>Three Per Cent. Revenue Bonds, Special—for—</b>		
Board of Health—Expenses made necessary for preserving the Health of the City.....		
Claims.....	\$13,350 00	
Claim of E. J. H. Tamsen.....	100,000 00	
Expert Accountants.....	1,881 21	
Expenses of the Building Code Commission.....	50,000 00	
Payment of Claims for services in the Department of Finance in 1899.....	21,000 00	
Rapid Transit Fund, No. 2.....	5,091 57	
	61,219 90	
		253,442 68
<b>Three Per Cent. Revenue Bonds Issued in Anticipation of Taxes for 1900.....</b>		
		2,000,000 00
<b>Warrants drawn for amount of "Interest on Deposits," deposited as accrued to the credit of this Fund and payable pursuant to law to, viz.:</b>		
Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund.....	3,751 25	
<b>Warrants Drawn for Refunding:</b>		
Overpayment on Street Vaults.....	\$167 68	
Assessments (Street Improvement Fund—Redemption Account).....	252 65	
		420 33
Total Warrants Registered.....		\$2,273,445 19
Add Warrants Outstanding December 31, 1899.....		7,490 02
Total Warrants Payable.....		\$2,280,935 21
Deduct Warrants Outstanding March 31, 1900.....		7,184 68
Total Payments on account of "Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1".....		2,273,660 53

## SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT, No. 2.

<b>Warrants drawn for Investments in New York City Bonds and Stocks:</b>		
<b>Three per cent. Revenue Bonds Special—for—</b>		
Payment of Claims of Volunteer Firemen of the Several Towns Formerly Known as Flatlands, Flatbush, New Utrecht and Gravesend, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....		
		\$122,499 47
<b>Payment of Claims of the Volunteer Firemen of the Late Town of Westchester and the Former Villages of Wakefield, Williamsbridge, East Chester and City Island, in the Borough of The Bronx.....</b>		
		36,877 79
Claims.....		25,000 00
Compilation of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments.....		25,000 00
Indexing Conveyances, County Clerk's Office.....		11,000 00
Judgments.....		250,000 00
Department of Street Cleaning.....		100,000 00
Total Amount registered and paid on account of "Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 2".....		630,377 26



## SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

## Warrants drawn for Payment of Interest on the City Debt—

On Bonds and Stocks payable from the Sinking Fund under laws authorizing their issue.....	\$300 00
On Bonds and Stocks held as an investment on account of the Sinking Funds for the Redemption of the City Debt (chapter 178, Laws of 1889).....	166,616 25
	<u>\$166,916 25</u>

Warrants drawn for amount of fines imposed and collected by the Courts of General Sessions and Special Sessions, deposited to the credit of this Fund, and payable pursuant to law to, viz.:

Dental Society of the State of New York.....	\$450 00
Medical Society of the County of New York....	200 00
American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	555 00
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	1,515 00
Health Department, Pension Fund.....	6,495 00
Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	100 00
State Agricultural Law.....	1,650 00
	<u>10,965 00</u>

## Warrants Drawn for Refunding, viz.:

Croton Water Rents.....	\$923 50
Total Warrants Registered.....	\$178,804 75
Add Warrants Outstanding December 31, 1899.....	1,145 45
Total Warrants Payable.....	\$179,950 20
Deduct Warrants Outstanding March 31, 1900.....	168,422 50
Total Payments on account of "Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt".....	<u>\$11,527 70</u>

## SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF BROOKLYN.

## Warrants Drawn for Investment in New York City Bonds and Stock—

Three per cent. Revenue Bonds, Special—for—	
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	\$250,000 00
Total Amount registered and paid on account of "Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn".....	<u>250,000 00</u>

## WATER SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF BROOKLYN.

Warrants outstanding December 31, 1899.....	\$19,000 00
Deduct Warrants outstanding March 31, 1900.....	11,000 00
Total Payments on account of "Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn".....	<u>8,000 00</u>
Total Payments on account of the Sinking Funds.....	<u>\$3,519,354 41</u>

## SUMMARY OF THE SINKING FUNDS.

	GREATER NEW YORK.		BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROV.			BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.		BOROUGH OF QUEENS.			TOTALS.
	Sinking Fund of The City of New York.	Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York.	Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 1).	Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (No. 2).	Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt.	Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.	Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.	Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds.	Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Water Bonds.	Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Fire Bonds.	
Cash balances at the close of business, December 31, 1899.....	\$20,766 93	\$23,505 84	\$2,980,945 50	\$535,327 42	\$1,157,260 51	\$152,944 17	\$120,317 29	\$178,609 15	\$4,134 26	\$6,815 35	\$5,200,566 42
Receipts—											
Annual Installments.....	901,329 22	105,755 40	.....	250,000 00	.....	475,437 30	.....	.....	938 00	1,165 67	1,713,799 65
Miscellaneous.....	1,434 71	378 30	361,095 37	1,963 39	1,024,113 65	144,250 35	605,590 59	1,121 71	28 18	56 04	2,740,005 84
Totals.....	\$22,130 86	\$23,844 54	\$3,342,041 87	\$537,290 81	\$2,181,374 16	\$297,194 51	\$725,907 88	\$179,730 86	\$5,162 44	\$8,018 06	\$9,654,371 89
Payments.....	245,688 02	100,000 00	2,073,666 52	630,377 26	11,227 70	230,100 00	8,000 00	.....	.....	.....	3,679,054 41
Cash balance at close of business, March 31, 1900.....	\$21,882 84	\$23,844 54	\$1,268,375 34	\$176,913 55	\$2,169,846 46	\$46,094 51	\$717,907 88	\$179,730 86	\$5,162 44	\$8,018 06	\$6,164,958 48

## GENERAL SUMMARY.

## CASH BALANCES AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 31, 1899.

To the Credit of the City Treasury.....	\$13,556,737 62
To the Credit of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	\$20,766 93
Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	23,505 84
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1.....	2,980,945 50
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 2.....	535,327 42
Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	1,157,260 51
Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	152,944 17
Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	120,317 29
Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds.....	178,609 15
Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Water Bonds.....	4,134 26
Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Fire Bonds.....	6,815 35
	<u>5,200,566 42</u>
Total Cash Balances.....	<u>\$18,757,304 04</u>

## RECEIPTS.

For account of the City Treasury.....	\$32,084,773 13
For account of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	\$20,766 93
Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	23,505 84
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1.....	2,980,945 50
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 2.....	535,327 42
Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	1,157,260 51
Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	152,944 17
Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	120,317 29
Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds.....	178,609 15
Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Water Bonds.....	4,134 26
Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Fire Bonds.....	6,815 35
	<u>4,483,046 47</u>
Total Receipts.....	<u>36,568,419 60</u>
Total.....	<u>\$55,325,723 64</u>

## PAYMENTS.

On account of the City Treasury.....	\$36,047,683 04
On account of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	\$245,688 02
Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	100,000 00
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1.....	2,073,666 52
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 2.....	630,377 26
Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	11,227 70
Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	230,100 00
Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	8,000 00
	<u>3,519,354 41</u>
Total Payments.....	<u>\$39,566,937 45</u>

## CASH BALANCES AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, MARCH 31, 1900.

To the Credit of the City Treasury.....	\$9,593,827 71
To the Credit of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	\$21,882 84
Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	23,844 54
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 1.....	1,268,375 34
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 2.....	176,913 55
Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	2,169,846 46
Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	46,094 51
Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	725,907 88
Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds.....	179,730 86
Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Water Bonds.....	5,162 44
Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Fire Bonds.....	8,018 06
	<u>6,164,958 48</u>
Total Cash Balances.....	<u>\$15,758,786 19</u>

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 19, 1900.

JOSEPH HAAG, Chief Bookkeeper.

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,  
TUESDAY, May 1, 1900.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call:

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,  
New York, April 27, 1900.

In pursuance of the authority contained in section 466, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor on Tuesday, May 1, 1900, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be brought before the Board.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

## MEMBER.

Admission of a copy of the within as served upon us this 27th day of April, 1900:

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK,  
Mayor;

BIRD S. COLER,  
Comptroller;

JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel;

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER,  
President of the Council;

THOS. L. FEINER,  
President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Present—Robert A. Van Wyck, the Mayor; Bird S. Coler, the Comptroller; John Whalen, the Corporation Counsel; Randolph Guggenheimer, the President of the Council; Thomas L. Feiner, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The reading of the minutes of the meeting held April 20, 1900, was dispensed with.

George V. Brower, Commissioner of Parks of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, appeared before the Board and requested an appropriation for improving the land along the ocean front at Coney Island, also for the construction of a bathing pavilion thereon.



The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, April 24, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—The work of restoring stone-block pavements over excavations made by this Department in the maintenance and repairs of water-mains, stop-cocks and hydrants is performed by the Department of Highways, and that Department has heretofore been compensated for the expense thus incurred by transfer of moneys to its account from the appropriation for "Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.—Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx." I now have a statement from the Commissioner of Highways, showing that the amount expended by his Department in 1899 in restoring such pavements exceeds the amount heretofore transferred to his account by the sum of \$1,086.25, and he asks for a further transfer to cover the same.

As there is no available balance in the appropriation for Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc., I respectfully ask that your Board will transfer the sum of \$1,086.25 to that appropriation from the appropriation for "Salaries, Central Office—Department of Water Supply, for 1899," from which the said amount can be spared, in order that I may thereupon draw a voucher for that amount in favor of the Department of Highways, to be credited to the proper account of that Department.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand and eighty-six dollars and twenty-five cents (\$1,086.25) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Water Supply for the year 1899, entitled "Salaries, Central Office—Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1899, entitled "Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.—Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, April 5, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, and Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to request the approval and authorization of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of \$1,010,000, for the construction of a 48-inch pipe conduit from the Millburn Pumping Station to Spring creek, which is necessary for the safety of the present water supply for the Borough of Brooklyn and for the utilization of its present resources.

The necessity for this work has been set forth in reports heretofore made by this Department, and it has been approved and authorized by the Board of Public Improvements.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, April 17, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—Your letter of the 6th instant, which was duly received, states that my call on the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of \$1,010,000 for the construction of a 48-inch pipe conduit from the Millburn Pumping Station to Spring creek (Brooklyn water supply), has been referred to you for report. You ask that, in order that your engineers may make an intelligent investigation of the matter, I submit to you, in as much detail as possible, the estimate made by our engineers for the completion of this work.

At the date of your letter, our Chief Engineer, Mr. George W. Birdsall, was and still is absent from the city on a well-earned brief vacation. The detailed estimates which you desire your engineers to investigate are among Mr. Birdsall's papers. I expect his return to the city at the end of this week or the beginning of next. In the mean time I have obtained from the Deputy Commissioner and the Engineer in Charge of Water Supply in the Borough of Brooklyn what they call a summary of estimate of cost for this 48-inch pipe conduit, and I herewith inclose a copy of this summary estimate. Whatever further information you and your engineers may desire will be promptly and fully furnished on Chief Engineer Birdsall's return.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

Inclosures:

Copy of Engineer Van Buren's report, dated April 16, 1900.

Copy of summary of estimate of cost.

APRIL 16, 1900.

Hon. JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner:

DEAR SIR—Your letter of the 15th inst., just received, inclosing copies of communication from Commissioner Dalton and the Comptroller, relating to the estimates of the 48-inch cast-iron pipe.

Complete and exhaustive plans, specifications, and form of contract, showing all the details of the work and quantities were prepared months ago, and submitted to the Chief Engineer, in whose office they are on file. Duplicate copies of the same are also on file in this office, and from them any engineer can acquire the minutest information as to the work which it is proposed to do, and prepare estimates in as much detail as he may desire, and according to his own estimates of values and cost.

I inclose, however, a summary of the estimate made for the cost of this work at present, giving the main quantities. You will notice that this estimate amounts to \$1,100,000, whereas the original appropriation asked was for \$1,010,000. The difference is due to the increase in the cost of pipe, which I have not deemed it safe to take at the original figures submitted ten months ago. I do not consider, however, that the new and larger appropriation should be asked, not only because the delay incurred thereby would be extremely prejudicial to the City's interests, but because it is quite possible that the pipe line might be built for the amount originally estimated, which necessarily depends on the market price of iron, etc., and especially as an allowance has been made as usual for contingencies, etc.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) ROBERT VAN BUREN, Engineer in Charge.

Summary of Estimate of Cost for 48-Inch Cast-Iron Pipe Conduit, from Millburn to Spring Creek.

Excavation.....	\$4,325 00
Concrete and cement.....	3,950 00
Brick masonry.....	14,000 00
Stone masonry and dressing.....	22,264 00
Lumber.....	2,420 00
Cast-iron pipe, 22,587 long tons.....	677,610 00
Special castings, 337 long tons.....	20,220 00
Pipe laying.....	209,632 00
Gates and valves.....	22,360 00
Stand pipes.....	5,000 00
Shapes—cast-iron, wrought-iron and steel.....	2,575 00
Gate-house.....	10,000 00

Contingencies and engineering..... \$995,356 00

1,100,000 00

THE MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK LIFE BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, April 21, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller, City of New York, Stewart Building, City:

DEAR SIR—At the meeting of the Committee on Water Supply of The Merchants' Association held yesterday afternoon the following preamble and resolution were unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, In the judgment of this Committee, after careful examination, there is imminent danger of more critical conditions in regard to water supply prevailing in the Borough of Brooklyn during the coming summer and fall than those which existed last winter;

"Resolved, That the Committee on Water Supply of The Merchants' Association most urgently requests the members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to pass a resolution looking toward the immediate issuance of \$800,000 worth of bonds to construct the conduit

between Millburn Engine House and Spring Creek Gate-house and the necessary pumping plant, in order that Brooklyn may avail itself of water which it owns."

I was directed to deliver the above resolution to you in person, with the request that you kindly present at an early meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment a resolution calling for an appropriation sufficient to cover the cost of building the conduit referred to above and the requisite pumping plant, which will give to Brooklyn, in the course of a very short time, an additional daily supply of from 20,000,000 to 25,000,000 gallons of water, now going in waste for want of a proper conduit to conduct it to that borough.

Very truly yours,

S. C. MEADE, Secretary.

General Committee on Water Supply, The Merchants' Association of New York.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 24, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—The Hon. William Dalton, Commissioner of Department of Water Supply, in communication of April 3, 1900, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, requests the "approval and authorization" of the Board "for the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of \$1,010,000 for the construction of a 48-inch pipe conduit from the Millburn Pumping-station to Spring creek, which is necessary for the safety of the present water supply for the Borough of Brooklyn and for the utilization of its present resources."

"The necessity for this work has been set forth in reports heretofore made by this Department, and it has been approved and authorized by the Board of Public Improvements."

This important work has been very thoroughly considered by the Board of Public Improvements and by the Council. The Council on August 9, 1899, adopted an ordinance providing for this conduit, which was vetoed by the Mayor November 28, 1899, his objection to the ordinance being "that the Board of Public Improvements is not authorized to act upon the issue of Corporate Stock, and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has not authorized the issue of such stock."

He expresses no objection to the work itself. I have consulted with Mr. George W. Birdsall, the Chief Engineer of the Department of Water Supply, who gives me the following information:

Between Millburn Pumping Station and Spring creek, a distance of seventy-five thousand feet (75,000 feet) there is now a brick conduit with a capacity of seventy million gallons per day (70,000,000 gals.), and one 48-inch cast-iron conduit with a capacity of twenty million gallons per day. These conduits carry forty million gallons of water obtained east of Millburn. The conduit east of Millburn is capable of carrying sixty-five million gallons per day, and that amount of water can be obtained, in wet seasons, from the several water-sheds tributary thereto, and can be obtained at all seasons by the building of storage reservoirs.

As the necessities of the Borough of Brooklyn are such that the present supply is not adequate to keeping the distributing reservoirs full, it is immediately necessary to increase the supply by laying this proposed 48-inch iron conduit from Millburn Station to Spring creek, in order to make available the twenty-five million gallons per day that can be obtained east of Millburn.

Further, the laying of this conduit would be useful in insuring a supply of water in the event of any break in any of the conduits.

The necessity of the work appears to me evident.

The Commissioner furnishes the following estimate of the work made by Mr. Robert Van Buren, Engineer-in-Charge:

"Summary of Estimate of Cost for 48-Inch Cast-Iron Pipe Conduit from Millburn to Spring Creek."

Excavation.....	\$4,325 00
Concrete and cement.....	3,950 00
Brick masonry.....	14,000 00
Stone masonry and dressing.....	22,264 00
Lumber.....	2,420 00
Cast-iron pipe, 22,587 long tons.....	677,610 00
Special castings, 337 long tons.....	20,220 00
Pipe laying.....	209,632 00
Gates and valves.....	22,360 00
Stand pipes.....	5,000 00
Shapes—cast iron, wrought iron and steel.....	2,575 00
Gate-house.....	10,000 00
Contingencies and engineering.....	\$995,356 00
Total.....	\$1,100,000 00

In his letter submitting this estimate, Mr. Van Buren says:

"I inclose, however, a summary of the estimate made for the cost of this work at present, giving the main quantities. You will notice that this estimate amounts to \$1,100,000, whereas the original appropriation asked was for \$1,010,000. The difference is due to the increase in the cost of pipe, which I have not deemed it safe to take at the original figures submitted ten months ago. I do not consider, however, that the new and larger appropriation should be asked, not only because the delay incurred thereby would be extremely prejudicial to the City's interests, but because it is quite possible that the pipe line might be built for the amount originally estimated, which necessarily depends on the market price of iron, etc., and especially as an allowance has been made as usual for contingencies, etc."

The pressing need for this conduit being so fully demonstrated, it appears to me that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly accede to the request of the Commissioner to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$1,010,000, to be applied to the construction of the proposed pipe conduit.

In the resolutions heretofore passed, this work is defined as follows:

"The furnishing and laying of a forty-eight-inch cast-iron pipe for the conduit line from the Millburn Engine-house to the Gate-chamber at Spring creek, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with the necessary valves, stand pipes and appurtenances, and the necessary alterations and improvements to culverts, conduits and other structures on the conduit line, under the direction of the Commissioner of Water Supply."

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of title XV of chapter 583 of the Laws of 1888, and section 179 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence here with by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to the amount of one million and ten thousand dollars (\$1,010,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the construction and laying of a forty-eight-inch water conduit from the Millburn Pumping Station to Spring creek, by the Department of Water Supply as requested in a communication of the Commissioner of Water Supply to this Board, dated April 3, 1900.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, December 29, 1899.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—In addition to the works, improvements and expenditures which are necessary for the maintenance of the City's water supply, which have been passed upon and approved by the Board of Public Improvements, and in respect to which I have asked the approval and authorization of your Board, I respectfully submit the following for the consideration of the Board and for its authorization of the improvements and expenditures.

The construction of an additional storage reservoir on the Cross river branch of the Croton river, which is considered necessary for the maintenance of the water supply from the Croton water-shed. The cost of construction is estimated by the Chief Engineer of this Department at \$980,000.

In 1890 the City of Brooklyn began the construction of a storage reservoir near the Millburn Pumping Station. This was reported as practically completed in 1894, but was never accepted from the contractor, owing to defects which caused large leakage through the bottom and sides of the reservoir. The water surface of the reservoir when filled is 42 acres, and its capacity 373,000,000 gallons. It is deemed necessary for the maintenance of the Brooklyn water supply and for the best interests of the City that this reservoir be placed in a condition for practical use, by partial reconstruction and repairs, although the cost is estimated by the Chief Engineer at the large figure of \$500,000.

The Deputy Commissioner and the Engineers of this Department in the Borough of Brooklyn have, with the concurrence of the Chief Engineer, recommended the placing of an additional pumping engine, boilers and force-main for the Brooklyn High-service Station at Mt. Prospect, at an estimated cost of \$100,000.



These works and expenditures will have to be provided for by the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, which issue requires the authorization of your Board.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
January 8, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. William Dalton, Commissioner of Water Supply, in communication of December 29, 1899, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, submits the following for the consideration of the Board, and for its authorization of the improvements and expenditures:

First—"The construction of an additional storage reservoir on the Cross river branch of the Croton river, which is considered necessary for the maintenance of the water supply from the Croton water-shed. The cost of construction is estimated by the Chief Engineer of this Department at \$580,000."

The reservoir is estimated to contain 9,000,000,000 gallons, sufficient to supply 250,000,000 gallons per day for 36 days in the dry season.

This additional storage is very important, and as the construction of the dam and appurtenances will require at least five years, the work ought to be commenced at as early a day as practicable.

Second—"The Commissioner says: 'In 1890 the City of Brooklyn began the construction of a storage reservoir near Millburn Pumping Station. This was reported as practically completed in 1894, but was never accepted from the contractor, owing to defects which caused large leakage through the bottom and sides of the reservoir. The water surface of the reservoir when filled is 48 acres, and its capacity 373,000,000 gallons. It is deemed necessary for the maintenance of the Brooklyn water supply, and for the best interests of the city, that the reservoir be placed in a condition for practical use by partial reconstruction and repairs, although the cost is estimated at the large figure of \$500,000.'"

I understand from Mr. Birdsell, the Chief Engineer of the Department of Water Supply, that the contractor has obtained, through the Courts, all the money due him under his contract, as also \$20,000 for extra work, so that the reservoir, with all its imperfections, is now in the hands of the City.

The work deemed necessary by the Chief Engineer to make this reservoir water-tight is to place concrete in the bottom, composed of the very best material, and about 15 inches thick; to take up the dry stone paving of the inside slopes, placing from 6 to 8 inches of the best quality of concrete on the same, and relaying the pavement on this concrete, in the best of mortar. There is now no masonry whatever in the bottom or slopes, but only puddle.

The present construction of this reservoir having been shown to be entirely inadequate for the retention of water, and the reservoir being necessary for the maintenance of the Brooklyn water supply, I think the work proposed by the Commissioner ought to be undertaken at as early a time as possible.

Third—"The Commissioner says: 'The Deputy Commissioner and the Engineers of the Borough of Brooklyn have, with the concurrence of the Chief Engineer, recommended the placing of an additional pumping engine, boilers and force-main for the Brooklyn High-service Station at Mt. Prospect, at an estimated cost of \$100,000.'"

I am informed by the Chief Engineer that the proposed pumping engine, boilers and force-main will have a pumping capacity of 10,000,000 gallons per day.

There are at present in the pumping station two pumps for the supply of Prospect Park Reservoir and two for the pumping into the High-service Tower. The new pump, etc., is to pump into the tower. The necessity for this new pump arises from the present and prospective increase of population requiring the high service.

The Ridgewood Reservoir, from which the water is supplied, has an elevation of 170 feet above tide; the elevation of Prospect Park Reservoir is 208 feet above tide; and the top of the tower has an elevation of 278 feet above tide.

If the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approve the work proposed by the Commissioner, as above set forth, it will be necessary to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to provide means for carrying it on.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 11 of title XV. of chapter 583 of the Laws of 1888 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to repairing, reconstructing and improving the storage reservoir near the Millburn Pumping Station, by the Department of Water Supply.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council, and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, February 5, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—The present conditions concerning the water supply in the Borough of The Bronx make it extremely urgent to take prompt and effective measures to increase the supply in the shortest time possible.

For the past three years the Department has received at the Williamsbridge Reservoir the maximum supply which could be obtained from The Bronx and Byram river water sheds, amounting to 20,000,000 gallons per day. This, with the addition of a small supply through a pipe connected with the old Croton Aqueduct, has been regularly distributed through the system of mains in the borough east of The Bronx river. While the volume of supply has thus remained stationary, there has been an enormous increase in population and buildings, far greater than in any other borough or section of the city, and for the past year the consumption of water has, at various times, exceeded the daily supply by several million gallons, lowering the depth of water in the Williamsbridge Reservoir by 15 feet, and causing a corresponding reduction of pressure and elevation of delivery of the water through the distributing mains. The houses on Fordham Heights, University Heights and Woodlawn Heights were the first to feel the decrease of pressure, and at this date, with the immense waste of water which has prevailed during the recent cold weather, most of the houses on these high grounds have no water above the basements and may soon be entirely without a water supply.

The ultimate remedy for these conditions will be the construction of a high-service pumping station at Jerome Park, with connections to the system of distributing mains; but the construction of these works, for which your Board was asked to authorize the necessary bond issues by the Commissioner of Public Works in September, 1897, and by this Department on September 19, 1898, and again on December 21, 1899, will require from two to three years. In the intervening time the difficulties already experienced would be aggravated beyond endurance.

A much speedier remedy can be provided by the laying of a 48-inch water-main from the Aqueduct to and around the Jerome Park Reservoir, and thence through the central and southerly sections of the borough. This 48-inch water-main is part of the general plan for increasing the water supply in the Borough of The Bronx. It has been approved by the Board of Public Improvements, an ordinance for it is now pending in the Municipal Assembly, and in my letter to you of December 21 ultimo, I requested the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of bonds to the amount of \$500,000, under sections 178 and 469 of the City Charter, for this purpose.

I now most urgently renew this request, and hope that it will be granted without delay. After the work shall be advertised, let and awarded, it will be possible to make sufficient progress with the laying of this main in six months to deliver into the distributing system of the Borough The Bronx from the Aqueduct a large additional supply of water, sufficient to tide over all difficulties until the permanent remedy shall be established by the completion of a high-service pumping station at Jerome Park.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
February 13, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—The Hon. William Dalton, Commissioner of Water Supply, in communication of February 5, 1900, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, after fully explaining the needs of the Borough of The Bronx for an additional water supply, on account of the large increase in population, says that the "ultimate remedy for these conditions will be the construction of a high-service pumping station at Jerome Park with connections to the system of distributing mains, but the construction of these works . . . will require from two to three years. In the intervening time the difficulties already experienced would be aggravated beyond endurance."

He suggests that "a much speedier remedy can be provided by the laying of a 48-inch water-

main from the Aqueduct to and around the Jerome Park Reservoir, and thence through the central and southerly sections of the borough."

He states that the 48-inch water main is part of the general plan for increasing the water supply in the Borough of The Bronx. That it has been approved by the Board of Public Improvements, that an ordinance for it is now pending in the Municipal Assembly and that in his letter, December 21, 1899, he requested the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of bonds to the amount of \$500,000, under section 178 and 469 of the City Charter for this purpose. He urgently renews his request.

I learn from Mr. George W. Birdsell, Chief Engineer, Department of Water Supply, that the estimated cost of furnishing and laying the 48-inch main as advised by the Commissioner is \$267,800, the remainder of the \$500,000, say \$232,200, being for the other part of the system connected with the high-service pumping station at Jerome Park Reservoir, which cannot be carried out until next year.

If bonds be authorized for this estimated amount of \$267,800 the "speedier remedy" could be carried out.

There does not appear to be any time to lose in applying this remedy, and I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment would be fully justified in authorizing the issue of bonds to the amount above given, \$267,800.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred and sixty-seven thousand eight hundred dollars (\$267,800), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the laying of a forty-eight-inch water main from the Aqueduct to and around the Jerome Park Reservoir, and thence through the central and southerly sections of the Borough of The Bronx, as requested in a communication of the Commissioner of Water Supply to this Board, dated February 5, 1900.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 17, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Under the provisions of chapter 613 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 659 of the Laws of 1897, one-half of the cost of opening East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from the Southern Boulevard to the easterly bulkhead-line of the Harlem river, in the Twenty-third Ward, is to be borne by The City of New York. The title to this land vested on March 30, 1896. The first partial and separate report was confirmed on December 26, 1899. The total awards confirmed in said report amount to \$1,114,607.38, plus interest, from March 30, 1896, to December 11, 1899, amounting to \$247,090.70, making the total of \$1,361,698.08. To be added to this are taxed costs amounting to \$25,280.26, making an aggregate of \$1,386,978.34. One-half of this amount, or \$693,489.17, must be borne by The City of New York, and for this amount Corporate Stock should be issued, pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Charter. The first partial and separate report in the St. Nicholas Park proceeding, under chapter 366 of the Laws of 1894, was also confirmed on January 15, 1900. All of the expenses of this proceeding are to be borne by The City of New York. The total awards confirmed in this report (excluding Parcels Nos. 35 and 46, which were not confirmed), amount to \$740,460.12. Interest from January 15, 1900, the date when title vested, to May 15, 1900, when it is estimated the awards can be paid, amounts to \$14,809.20. The taxed costs which have been paid amount to \$110,958.29, making an aggregate of \$865,927.61, for which Corporate Stock should be issued under the authority above mentioned. The following resolution is therefore submitted.

Respectfully,

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million five hundred and fifty-nine thousand four hundred and sixteen dollars and seventy-eight cents (\$1,559,416.78), the proceeds whereof should be applied to replenishing the fund for Street and Park Openings for the following expenses, payable from said fund and chargeable against the City of New York:

Awards, interest and costs in the proceedings to open East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from the Southern Boulevard to the easterly bulkhead-line of the Harlem river in the Twenty-third Ward (Borough of The Bronx), first partial and separate report, under chapter 613 of the Laws of 1896 and chapter 659 of the Laws of 1897.	\$693,489.17
Awards, interest and costs in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands in the Twelfth Ward, as and for a public park, known as "St. Nicholas Park," under the provisions of chapter 366 of the Laws of 1894.	\$865,927.61
Total.	\$1,559,416.78

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented a communication from David A. Boody, President of the Brooklyn Library, dated April 26, 1900, requesting an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the erection of a library building.

The Mayor moved that it be referred to the Comptroller.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Department of Health, dated April 19, 1900, requesting an appropriation of \$13,800.59 for furniture, supplies, etc., for the building corner of Sixth avenue and Fifty-fifth street, also a report upon the same.

The Mayor moved that they be referred to the Corporation Counsel.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NOS. 17 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, March 21, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, and Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—On December 7, 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved the specifications of the contract, dated December 28, 1897, with Messrs. O'Brien, Sheehan & McBean, for "furnishing all the labor and erecting all the material necessary for the construction of a viaduct with its approaches, being Section 1 of the extension of Riverside drive, from near One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and over and upon Twelfth avenue to near One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street."

It is provided in paragraph 9 on page 9 of the contract, that "details of construction will be furnished as work progresses, which details are a part of the plans and specifications."

The preliminary plans, as prepared by the Consulting Engineer on the work, provided for an asphalt pavement only over the iron framework of the viaduct proper, as called for in the general clause on page 14 of the specifications, which reads as follows:

"The south approach, after the filling in has been completed, must be finished with the best telford macadam roadbed, in conformity with the best city practice, thus continuing the same system of metalling as the Riverside Drive to the point at which the steel structure commences."

The carrying out of the work in accordance with these specifications would place the macadam pavement over the enameled arch of the south approach. This is considered objectionable, because it is very important that the masonry and brickwork of the arch should be kept thoroughly dry, and due precaution taken to prevent the percolation of water through the roadway to the arch. For this reason it would be a great advantage, and it is very necessary, to substitute asphalt pavement for macadam on the section of the viaduct approach covering the arch. This is plainly illustrated by the attached drawing, showing the layout of the south approach.

As the contract now stands, the asphalt would stop at the line marked "A."



It is proposed to extend the asphalt south to the line marked "B" in red, thus covering the brick arch. The Engineer points out that the line marked "B" is a good point for the break between the asphalt pavement and the macadam pavement.

The contract specifies definite prices per square yard for both macadam and asphalt pavement, namely: Asphalt, \$2.50, and macadam, \$1.15 per square yard. To substitute asphalt for macadam, as proposed, would involve the laying of about 670 square yards of asphalt pavement, at an additional cost of \$904.50.

It is also necessary to modify the contract by allowing the substitution of lead pipe for gas pipe in connection with the carrying of electric wires for lighting purposes. This change will involve no additional cost, and will be advantageous, as the life of the lead pipe is much greater than that of iron, and lead pipe is now more generally used for this class of work.

I respectfully request that these changes in the contract be approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Very respectfully,  
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 20, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. James P. Keating, Commissioner of Highways, in communication of March 23, 1900, relative to proposed changes on the Riverside viaduct, says:

"The preliminary plans, as prepared by the Consulting Engineer as the work, provided for an asphalt pavement only over the iron framework of the viaduct proper, as called for in the general clause on page 14 of the specifications, which reads as follows:

"The south approach, after the filling in has been completed, must be finished with the best Telford macadam roadbed, in conformity with the best city practice, thus continuing the same system of metaling as the Riverside drive to the point at which the steel structure commences."

"The carrying out of the work in accordance with these specifications would place the macadam pavement over the enameled arch of the south approach. This is considered objectionable, because it is very important that the masonry and brickwork of the arch should be kept thoroughly dry, and due precaution taken to prevent the percolation of water through the roadway to the arch. For this reason it would be a great advantage, and it is very necessary, to substitute asphalt pavement for macadam on the section of the viaduct approach covering the arch. This is plainly illustrated by the attached drawing, showing the layout of the south approach."

"As the contract now stands, the asphalt would stop at the line marked 'A'. It is proposed to extend the asphalt south to the line marked 'B' in red, thus covering the brick arch. The Engineer points out that the line marked 'B' is a good point for the break between the asphalt pavement and the macadam pavement."

"The contract specifies definite prices per square yard for both macadam and asphalt pavement, namely: Asphalt \$2.50 and macadam \$1.15 per square yard. To substitute asphalt for macadam, as proposed, would involve the laying of about 670 square yards of asphalt pavement at an additional cost of \$904.50."

The contract clearly limits the asphalt pavement to the roadway of the iron viaduct, as follows:

"The surface of the buckle plates in roadway and corrugated plates in sidewalk having been thoroughly and thickly but uniformly painted with roofing tar composition, applied hot, there must be spread upon this foundation a fine bituminous concrete or binder to be composed of clean broken stone, not exceeding 1½ inches in their largest dimensions, thoroughly screened, and coal tar residuum, commonly known as 'No. 4 Paving Composition.'"

The contract also says: "The south approach, after the filling-in has been completed, must be finished with the best Telford pavement \* \* \* to the point at which the steel structure commences."

The contract prices for the asphalt is \$2.50 and macadam \$1.15 per square yard.

However desirable it may be to use asphalt over the enameled arch it does not appear to me that it can be done under the contract; the limitations of the two kinds of work being clearly fixed therein, and besides the specifications for the asphalt on the viaduct would not be the same as asphalt on the approach; the one being founded on the iron buckle plates and the other on earth. There would have to be an adjustment of prices.

He says—

"It is also necessary to modify the contract by allowing the substitution of lead pipe for gas pipe in connection with the carrying of electric wires for lighting purposes. This change will involve no additional cost and will be advantageous, as the life of the lead pipe is much greater than that of iron."

As this change involves no extra cost, I think it might be properly allowed on a written agreement with the contractors.

Respectfully,  
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of a written modification of the contract for the construction of the Riverside Drive Viaduct between the Commissioner of Highways and the contractor and his sureties, for the substitution without additional cost of lead pipe for gas pipe in connection with the carrying of electric wires for lighting purposes, and that the application of the Commissioner of Highways for a modification of said contract by increasing the amount of asphalt paving as requested in his communication dated March 21, 1900, be and the same is hereby denied.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Department of Parks, dated March 9, 1900, requesting an appropriation of \$52,000 by the issue of bonds for the construction and improvement of William H. Seward Park, also a report of the Comptroller and opinion of the Corporation Counsel in relation thereto.

The Mayor moved that they be referred to the Department of Parks.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
March 6, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to request your Honorable Board to authorize an additional bond issue to the amount of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500), pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 676, Laws of 1897, to meet the expense of certain additional items of work, the need for which has developed in the carrying out of the plans for the improvement of the park in the Eleventh Ward bounded by Houston, Stanton, Sheriff and Pitt streets (Hamilton Fish Park), which is now under contract.

An estimate of the work necessary to be done in addition to that previously provided for is as follows:

Capping about 100 water mains in streets around the park, at \$3 each.	\$300 00
Restoring about 540 square yards of pavement, at \$4 per square yard.	2,160 00
Engineering and inspection on this and other extra work on the whole improvement	1,040 00
	<hr/> \$3,500 00

Respectfully,  
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
March 20, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—The Hon. George C. Clausen, Commissioner of Parks for the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, in communication of March 6, 1900, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, requests "an additional bond issue to the amount of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500), pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 676, Laws of 1897, to meet the expense of certain additional items of work, the need for which has developed in the carrying out of the plans for the improvement of the park in the Eleventh Ward bounded by Houston, Stanton, Sheriff and Pitt streets (Hamilton Fish Park), which is now under contract."

There appears to be no reason why the request of the Commissioner should not be granted. Of the \$179,500 bonds authorized for this park, I am informed by the Department of Parks that there remains available only \$300.65.

In accordance with the laws cited above, two park sites were chosen, viz.: William H.

Seward Park (Division Street Park) and Hamilton Fish Park (Eleventh Ward Park), and the land is now being acquired by condemnation proceedings.

Of the \$3,000,000 authorized by law, bonds to the amount of \$270,956.66 have been issued, and of which \$179,500 has been appropriated for the improvement of Hamilton Fish Park, \$2,500 for the improvement of William H. Seward Park, and the remainder, \$28,956.66 has been appropriated for payments on account of the expenses of the two Commissions for acquiring title as the same have been taxed by the courts.

The preliminary report of the Commission in the Hamilton Fish Park is shortly to be presented to the court for confirmation and carries for awards the sum of \$1,719,505, with interest from June 22, 1897. To this must be added the costs and expenses of the Commission not already paid for, bringing the total amount to a sum over \$2,000,000 for the acquiring of title.

I am informed that the awards and costs in the William H. Seward Park will, when added to the above amount, carry the total in excess of the \$3,000,000 limit, as fixed by the law.

Under these circumstances, it may be necessary to issue bonds for the above improvement, pursuant to section 48 of the Greater New York Charter.

Respectfully,  
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the expenditure of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500) by the Park Department for the improvement of Hamilton Fish Park, in the Eleventh Ward, Borough of Manhattan, and that, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
March 2, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to request your Honorable Board to authorize an issue of bonds to the amount of thirty thousand six hundred dollars (\$30,600), pursuant to the provisions of chapter 666 of the Laws of 1897, to provide funds for the planting and improvement of the grounds around Grant's Tomb, and also including that portion of the Riverside Park between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, embracing the steep embankments of the park west of the tomb.

Plans showing the proposed work, which is intended to provide for the complete embellishment of this portion of the park, are sent herewith, together with an estimate of quantities and cost of items or work involved, aggregating the sum asked for.

It being advisable that this improvement be undertaken at once in order to take the fullest advantage of the coming season, I beg to request your consideration of the matter at as early a date as possible.

Respectfully,

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

ESTIMATE OF COST.

Estimate of cost of grading, planting, sodding, and furnishing trees, shrubs and other necessary material for the completion of the surroundings of Grant's Tomb, including the improvement of Riverside Park, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets.

1. 8,000 cubic yards of mould furnished and delivered on the ground, as required, at \$1.50 per cubic yard.	\$12,000 00
2. 120,000 square feet of sod furnished and laid, as required, at \$0.03 per square foot.	3,600 00
3. Trees, shrubs, evergreens, vines and specimens for planting around Grant's Tomb.	8,500 00

	\$24,100 00
Labor	6,500 00
	<hr/> \$30,600 00

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 19, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. George C. Clausen, Commissioner of Parks, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, in communication of March 2, 1900, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, requests the Board "to authorize an issue of bonds to the amount of \$30,600, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 666 of the Laws of 1897, to provide funds for the planting and improvement of the grounds around Grant's Tomb, and also including that portion of the Riverside Park between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, embracing the steep embankment of the park west of the tomb."

It is scarcely necessary to say anything relative to the importance of the proposed work. The plans show the character of it, and the estimate is as near as can be made in advance.

Under the law, 80 per cent. of the work is to be done by contract at public letting, and 20 per cent. "as the present work, labor and materials are now done and furnished for the system of public parks in the City of New York."

Chapter 666, Laws of 1897, authorizes the issue of bonds or stock to the amount of \$400,000, not more than \$200,000 in any one year. Of this there has been authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment \$228,500, of which \$208,500 has been issued.

There remains to be authorized \$171,500, so that the amount of funds available under the law is more than sufficient for the expenditure asked for.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the plans and specifications for planting and improving the grounds around Grant's Tomb and also including that portion of the Riverside drive between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, embracing the steep embankments of the park west of the tomb; and

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 666 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorizes the Comptroller, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of thirty thousand six hundred dollars (\$30,600), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 28, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I beg to transmit herewith, for the approval of your Honorable Board, plans and specifications for staircase, etc., for City Prison (Tomb). The estimated cost of same, including architects' fees, is twenty-six thousand five hundred dollars (\$26,500).

If these plans and specifications are approved, I would ask permission to advertise for proposals for same, cost to be charged to the balance remaining of the appropriation made to this Department under chapter 628, Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 642, Laws of 1897, and section 170 of the Charter of Greater New York.

Respectfully,

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 15, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. Francis J. Lantry, Commissioner, Department of Correction, in communication of February 28, 1900, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, says:

"I beg to transmit herewith for the approval of your Honorable Board, planned specifications for staircase, etc., for City Prison (Tomb). The estimated cost of same, including architects' fees, is twenty-six thousand five hundred dollars (\$26,500)."

If these plans and specifications are approved, I would ask permission to advertise for proposals for same, cost to be charged to the balance remaining of the appropriation made to this



Department under chapter 626, Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 642, Laws of 1897, and section 170 of the Charter of Greater New York."

The plans and specifications comprise the work of taking down the present staircase from the prison yard to the bridge over Franklin street, with the walls, etc., inclosing the same, as well as a portion of the present fence wall on the same street; and the erection of an additional length of fence wall, similar to that lately built, and remodeling present bridge with new staircase, etc., to same.

The plans and specifications are signed by the Commissioner and the architects of the building, Messrs. Withers & Dickson, and the plans are approved by the Consulting Architect of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Mr. George B. Post, who also approves the specifications, with certain exceptions, and they have been changed to conform to his suggestions.

The law bearing on this matter is chapter 626, Laws of 1896:

Section 2. "Before proceeding to erect any building or any addition to, or extension of, an existing building, or to make any alterations or improvements as authorized by the last preceding section, the said commissioner of correction may, from time to time, present to the said board of estimate and apportionment a statement of any work proposed to be done, with plans and specifications therefor, and an estimate of the approximate probable cost thereof, whereupon the said board of estimate and apportionment may, by resolution, authorize said work to be done wholly or in part, and may approve the plans and specifications therefor."

Section 3. "When any work provided for by this act shall have been authorized, and the plans and specifications therefor approved by the board of estimate and apportionment, the said commissioner of correction shall proceed to execute and carry out said work, which shall be done by contract made at public letting to the lowest bidder, pursuant to the general provisions of law and ordinances regulating the letting, execution and performance of public contracts in the city of New York."

All the requirements of the law have been fulfilled, and I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly "authorize the said work to be done," and "approve the plans and specifications therefor."

Respectfully,  
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

P. S. I append a statement showing that the balance in the above fund is sufficient to cover the improvement.

In pursuance of chapter 626, Laws of 1896, and chapter 642, Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment was authorized to direct the Comptroller to issue Consolidated Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of \$1,300,000 for the erection and alteration of buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at different times has authorized the Comptroller to issue bonds for the following:

Temporary Quarters, City Prison.....	\$13,000 00
Buildings, Riker's Island.....	64,000 00
City Prison, Tombs.....	973,000 00
Alterations, etc., Penitentiary.....	250,000 00
	\$1,300,000 00

The appropriations made for all the above works, except \$973,000 for City Prison, have been used for the purposes specified or transferred to other works, there only remaining a small balance which will be adjusted when all the contracts chargeable to same are completed.

In regard to the amount \$973,000, appropriated for the City Prison, the following contracts and expenses are chargeable against it:

CONTRACT NO.	CONTRACTOR.	AMOUNT.
15371	P. J. Carlin & Co., stone-work.....	\$345,000 00
15371	" piling, estimated, \$50,000, incl.....	9,840 00
15371	" strengthening girders.....	31,000 00
15371	" iron cell work.....	310,000 00
15601	W. G. Triest, iron structural work.....	25,790 00
15371	Armstrong & Bolton, steam heating.....	25,375 00
15371	Hower & Barrett, plumbing.....	66,500 00
	P. J. Carlin & Co., portico.....	10,974 00
		\$869,479 00
	Architect's fees, 2 1/2 per cent, on above.....	21,740 00
	Inspection, estimated.....	5,000 00
	Surveys.....	300 00
		\$917,519 00
	Amount appropriated.....	973,000 00
	Balance.....	\$14,519 00

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the plans and specifications for a staircase, etc., in the New City Prison, transmitted under date of February 28, 1899, by the Commissioner of Correction, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 626 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 642 of the Laws of 1897, and that, for the purpose of providing means for the construction thereof, the sum of twenty-six thousand five hundred dollars (\$26,500) be and the same is hereby made applicable from the appropriations aggregating nine hundred and seventy-three thousand dollars (\$973,000) heretofore made for the construction of the City Prison, pursuant to the authority of said laws.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council, and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
April 24, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—On April 5, 1898, this Board adopted a resolution appropriating the sum of \$112,056.45 for various purposes, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of the Greater New York Charter.

Among the items of this appropriation was one of \$86,247.60 for the County Abstract of Richmond County, being the county audits included in the budget of Richmond County, adopted December 28, 1897. The appropriations of this county budget being applicable for disbursement by the Comptroller of The City of New York without further action by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of the Greater New York Charter, it was unnecessary to make use of the appropriation of April 5, 1898, so far as it related to this item; and in the financial treatment of the appropriations of 1898 by the Department of Finance, this item was disregarded and no account taken thereof in the Revenue Bonds issued to supply deficiencies in the several budgets applicable for use in the year 1898.

This being the case, if this appropriation is allowed to stand, there will be a perpetual surplus in the appropriation account of 1898, amounting to \$86,247.60, and I therefore recommend that the following resolution be adopted rescinding the action of April 5, 1898, so far as it relates to this item.

Respectfully,  
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 5, 1898, appropriating the sum of one hundred and twelve thousand and fifty-six dollars and forty-five cents (\$112,056.45) for various purposes, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of the Greater New York Charter, be and the same is hereby modified and amended by striking therefrom the item and title "County Abstract, Richmond County" (Richmond County Budget adopted December 28, 1897) eighty-six thousand two hundred and forty-seven dollars and sixty cents, and reducing the total of said appropriation to the sum of twenty-five thousand eight hundred and eight dollars and eighty-five cents.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, dated April 26, 1900, recommending an appropriation of \$3,675.40 for the House of St. Giles the Cripple, for the year 1900.

The Mayor moved that it be referred to the Comptroller.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, April 28, 1900.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Last September I made application to your Honorable Board for an increase in appropriation, which would at least enable me to revise the salary list of Assistant Engineers, Transmitters, Computers, Draughtsmen, etc., employed in the Topographical Bureau of this Department. The application was not granted.

Because of a failure to procure the additional money a large percentage of the employees in this Bureau are anxious either to sever their connection altogether with the municipal service or to be permitted to take employment in other departments where the compensation has always been from ten per cent. to forty per cent. higher than the prevailing rates in the Board of Public Improvements.

During the past four weeks twelve of these employees have petitioned for a transfer to the work under the supervision of the Rapid Transit Commissioners, and in some of these cases (the President of the Commission has urged me to permit the changes to be made. Other employees have resigned, preferring to accept work for private parties than to remain in this Department for the pay they are receiving.

With the vast amount of work on hand for which taxpayers throughout all the boroughs are clamoring, the hundreds of Rule, Draft and Damage maps in his prepared in over 300 street opening proceedings for the use of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, forces me to apply for aid to your Board in order that my Department may be kept intact.

There is no question that the employees have a just grievance. On the present pay-rolls more than one-half of the Assistant Engineers (which is the highest classified grade in the Civil Engineering Class), are receiving salaries far below the amount suggested by the Civil Service minimum, viz., \$150 per month. The average yearly compensation of the entire force of Assistant Engineers is but \$1,634.

In the next highest grade, which includes Transmitters, Draughtsmen and Computers, many of the salaries are as low as \$900 per annum, while the minimum salary suggested by the Civil Service is \$1,320.

The average salary paid by this Department is as follows: Computers, \$1,250; Transmitters, \$1,125; Draughtsmen, \$1,018. (There are 24 Draughtsmen receiving but \$2.80 per day.)

Of the Chainmen and Rodmen, the average salary of 14 out of the full force of 20, is but \$800 per year, which is considerably less than is paid to any class of skilled labor inside or outside of the Government service.

If the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will grant an additional appropriation of \$7,000 for the balance of the present year, it will enable me to at least do partial justice to my employees, and will, to a very great extent, enable me to keep my force together.

This request is not an unreasonable one, when the fact is taken into consideration that upon my application \$7,000 was transferred from my appropriation for the year 1900 to meet the necessary expenses of transporting and exhibiting the large map of The City of New York at the Paris Exposition. If these expenses could be charged against the appropriation of last year, there would have been no necessity of encroaching upon this year's appropriation, but, under the Charter, the balance of appropriation (\$7,000) had to pass over to the General Fund on December 31 last. Therefore, the request I now make is not unreasonable when all the circumstances are fully explained.

Respectfully,  
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation in the Budget for the year 1900, entitled "Redemption of the City Debt," the sum being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made for said year to the Board of Public Improvements, entitled "Surveying, Laying-out Maps, Plans, etc., in the Borough of The Bronx," the sum of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

BOARD OF EDUCATION,  
PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 27, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor:

DEAR SIR—Inclosed herewith please find certified copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education at a meeting held on the 25th inst., relative to the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 3, 1900, regarding school sites and school buildings in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Also copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on October 2, 1899, referred to in the report first mentioned.

Respectfully,  
A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

To the Board of Education:

The Joint Committee, consisting of the Committee on Buildings and the Committee on Sites, to which was referred the certified copy of the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 3, 1900, requesting a statement of the number and location of school sites (a) which have been acquired or (b) which are in course of condemnation in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, showing also (c) on which of such sites buildings can be erected and equipped with the appropriations now available for new school buildings in these boroughs, and (d) a statement of the proposed sites, other than the above, which it is desired to acquire, respectfully reports as follows:

(a) List of school sites which have been acquired.

Your Committee interprets this to mean school sites other than for high schools and for light and air, and therefore submits the following list as comprising those in which title has now vested in the City but are not built upon:

Lots Nos. 216 to 234 (inclusive) East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, in rear of Public School 39, for new building.

Plot on north side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Morris and Grant avenues.

Plot on Amethyst avenue (proposed) and Victor street (proposed), north of Morris Park avenue, Van Nest Park.

Plot on east side of Avenue C, between Eighth and Ninth streets, Unionport.

Plot on east side of Wadsworth avenue, One Hundred and Eighty-second and One Hundred and Eighty-third streets, for new Public School 132.

Plot on Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, between First avenue and Avenue A.

Plot on west side of Ogden avenue, on south side of Public School 91.

Lots Nos. 306 to 312 (inclusive) East Seventy-sixth street, in rear of Public School 70.

Plot (100 by 125 feet) on southeast corner of Elliott avenue and Juliana street, Olinville, on north side of plot owned by the City. Acquired March 17, 1899.

Nos. 112, 114 and 116 Sheriff street, on north side of Public School 22. Acquired March 20, 1899.

Twelve lots on One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets, beginning 125 feet east of Broadway. Acquired March 24, 1899.

Nos. 124, 126 and 128 East Fifty-second street, in rear of Public School 18. Acquired April 11, 1899.

Nos. 332 to 340 (inclusive) East Thirty-eighth street and No. 233 East Thirty-seventh street, adjoining site of Public School 49. Acquired July 24, 1899.

All that portion of block bounded by Ogden avenue, One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Merriam avenue not previously required for school purposes. Acquired August 1, 1899.

Plot (150 feet by 201 feet) on One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets, between Fifth and Lenox avenues, beginning 450 feet east of Lenox avenue.

Title vested in the City on June 16, 1899, in accordance with chapter 630 of the Laws of 1897.

(b) List of sites "which are in course of condemnation."

Your Committee interprets this to mean sites upon which school buildings are to be erected and upon which action has been taken by the Board requesting the Corporation Counsel to take the necessary steps, etc., to acquire the property by condemnation proceedings, but subsequently asked that said proceedings be held in abeyance owing to the fact that there were not funds to meet the awards when made.



The following list is therefore submitted as outlined above:

Plot consisting of Nos. 6, 8 and 10 Dominick street, Nos. 3 to 13 (inclusive) Clarke street, and Nos. 540 to 548 (inclusive) Broome street, for new Public School 38 (152 feet 10 inches by 168 feet 9 inches by 102 feet 2 inches by 84 feet 6 inches by 49 feet 6 inches by 84 feet).

Block bounded by Manhattan, East Houston, Lewis and East Third streets (211 feet 8 inches by 105 feet 3/4 inch by 213 feet 6 3/4 inches by 167 feet 3 1/2 inches).

Plot of twelve lots on Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, between First and Second avenues, beginning 175 feet west of First avenue (150 feet by 201 feet 5 inches).

Plot of sixteen lots on Gerard and Walton avenues, beginning 189 feet 7 3/4 inches north of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street (new line) (200 feet by 247 feet 1 1/4 inch by 201 feet 5 1/4 inches by 223 feet 3/4 inch).

Plot on north side of Dongan street, between Intervale avenue and Kelly street (200 feet by 200 feet).

Plot on north side of Two Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Von Humboldt and Faraday avenues, Riverdale (210 feet 10 1/2 inches by 200 feet).

Plot consisting of Nos. 305 to 321 (inclusive) East Eighty-second street, between First and Second avenues (150 feet by 102 feet 2 inches).

Plot of twelve lots on One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, beginning 350 feet west of Seventh avenue (150 feet by 109 feet 10 inches).

Plot of twelve lots on One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets, between Lenox and Seventh avenues, beginning 150 feet east of Seventh avenue (150 feet by 109 feet 10 inches).

Plot at southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street (proposed) and Prospect avenue (150 feet by 101 feet).

Lots Nos. 204, 206 and 208 Monroe street, and Nos. 57, 59 and 61 Gouverneur street, on east side of Public School 31 (64 feet 11 1/4 inches by 122 feet 7 1/4 inches by 67 feet 7 3/4 inches by 122 feet 9 1/4 inches).

Lots Nos. 34, 36 and 38 Essex street and Lot No. 29 Norfolk street adjoining Public School 75 (75 feet by 100 feet and 24 feet 10 inches by 100 feet).

Lots Nos. 527 to 537 (inclusive) East Fourth street, and Lot No. 722 East Fifth street, adjoining Public School 15 (121 feet 6 inches by 96 feet 3/4 inch and 22 feet 6 inches by 96 feet 3/4 inch).

Lot (25 feet by 75 feet) on Lenox avenue, on north side of Public School 89, and lot (25 feet by 99 feet 11 inches) on south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, distant 75 feet west of Lenox avenue.

Three vacant lots at southwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Lenox avenue, for Public School 89 (74 feet 11 inches by 75 feet).

Two vacant lots on south side of Eighty-sixth street, beginning 52 feet 2 1/2 inches east of Madison avenue, on north side of Public School 6 (51 feet 1 1/2 inches by 102 feet 2 inches).

Lots Nos. 208 to 218 (inclusive) East Thirty-third street, in rear of Public School 116 (100 feet by 98 feet 9 inches).

Lots Nos. 437 and 439 West Forty-ninth street, in rear of Public School 84 (50 feet by 100 feet 5 inches).

Lots Nos. 132 and 134 West Fifty-fifth street, on west side of Annex to Public School 59 (50 feet by 100 feet 5 inches).

Ten lots on north side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Fifth and Lenox avenues.

Of the foregoing sites, now in the hands of the Corporation Counsel for condemnation, the following are selected as the ones which should be acquired and improved immediately, for the reasons hereinafter set forth:

(1) Two lots on the south side of Eighty-sixth street, east of Madison avenue, and in rear of Public School 6. The lots are unimproved and are required to protect the light and air for the present school and to afford facilities to build an addition to accommodate the pupils now taught in the attic of the present school, in classrooms unsuitable for the purpose. Further, at the time this site was recommended the owner had already excavated and made all preparations for the erection of a six-story flat-house, and the delay in acquisition is a great hardship to him.

(2) Three lots on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Lenox avenue, and adjoining Public School 89.

The congested condition of this building has long been a notorious fact, so much so that the former Board selected a large school site two blocks to the westward, at One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Eighth avenue, and another at One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, between Lenox and Seventh avenues.

Your Committee believes that the new building now in course of erection at One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Eighth avenue will not do more than care for the pupils who are now in Public School 116, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Eighth avenue, an old skating rink hired for school purposes, and the overflow from Public School 68, One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and Lenox avenue, and Public School 5, One Hundred and Fortieth street and Edgecombe avenue, leaving Public School 89 without any real relief. If the lots on the corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street are taken and built upon as an addition to this school, it would save the City annually the sum of \$2,100, the amount paid for rent of temporary buildings now hired in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

(3) Plot on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Fifth and Lenox avenues.

A school site in this neighborhood should have been and would probably have been selected and built upon ere now were it not for the local opposition to all sites selected; and while every one acknowledged the great necessity, yet all sites were violently opposed until this last one, which is considered favorably on all sides.

The necessity for speedy and favorable action grows out of the fact that the City at the present time is paying \$15,250 per annum for rentals of hired buildings for Public School 95, on One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fifth avenue, which lease cannot be renewed, as the owner desires the premises for other purposes, and the four hundred boys—all the building can accommodate—will be left without school accommodations; for Public School 124, Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, formerly a concert hall and entirely unsuited for school purposes, being overcrowded with the three hundred and fifty pupils now in attendance; and for Public School 128, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, near Third avenue, a hired building, which is now being altered by the erection of a large mercantile building in the rear, so that a portion of the present building, which is small and unsuitable for the six hundred and fifty boys crowded into it, will be useless for school purposes.

It needs no argument to convince us that it is unwise and uneconomical to house these fourteen hundred children in unsuitable buildings, hired at an expense of \$15,250 per year; and if the owner of the building occupied by Public School 95 refuses to re-lease for school purposes, the boys cannot be accommodated elsewhere, owing to the fact that there are no buildings available for hiring and which comply with the requirements of the law.

(c) List showing "on which of such sites buildings can be erected and equipped with the appropriations now available for new school buildings in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx."

Your Committee understands this to refer to the sum of \$1,900,000 voted for this purpose by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 1, 1900, and approved by the Board of Aldermen on April 24, 1900, but which has not yet been passed upon by the Municipal Council. When, however, this money becomes available, the resolution and the statement accompanying the same adopted by the Board of Education on October 16 last, a copy of which was then transmitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, a copy also being attached hereto, will give the desired information.

(d) A statement "of the proposed sites, other than the above, which it is desired to acquire."

In this connection your Committee has hesitated in recommending any new sites, but, owing to existing conditions and for the best interests of the schools, is compelled to name the following site on which should be erected a thirty-six classroom building to afford school accommodations for the neighborhood:

\*Plot north side of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Tinton and Union avenues.

The object of acquiring this site and erecting a building thereon is to relieve the excessively congested condition of the schools in this vicinity.

Public School 90, Eagle avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

Public School 133, One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, Fox and Simpson streets.

Public School 61, One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Third avenue.

These three schools form a triangle, the proposed site being nearly in the center. The site selected by the former Board of Education at Dongan street and Intervale avenue, and now in the hands of the Corporation Counsel for condemnation, is far to the east of the triangle thus formed, is in an unsettled neighborhood and could for the present well be released in favor of the site here proposed.

The pressure is so great that the Board is obliged to lease premises in this locality at an expense of from \$3,000 to \$3,500 per year in care for the children.

In selecting these four sites (marked with \*) your Committee does not recommend to the Board of Education the abandonment or the retardment of the proceedings to acquire any site heretofore approved either for new buildings and additions or to provide light and air for the old buildings, as they are all a necessity for the best interest of our schools, but does desire to emphasize the fact that great injustice is being done to such of our citizens whose property we have selected and recommended to be condemned, by the suspension of proceedings, as such action on our part places a lien or cloud upon the title of their property.

Your Committee is of the opinion that, were the Board in a position to do so, it should at once purchase many sites in the outlying districts of the greater city near the line of rapid transit to provide for the future rapid growth which will take place within a few years. The land at the

present time could be purchased at a price whereby the City could save an enormous amount of money.

However, as his Honor the Mayor has recently stated to some members of this Board that no more money for sites could be granted during the present year by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, it is respectfully recommended by your Committee that the four sites above mentioned be acquired at once and that a portion of the \$1,900,000 Corporate Stock be made available for the purpose. The acquisition of these sites would not only be a saving to the City on account of rentals paid, but would place the pupils now housed in temporary buildings in suitable quarters.

The following resolution is therefore submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to set aside from the appropriation of one million nine hundred thousand dollars of Corporate Stock for the construction, equipping and improving of school buildings in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, the sum of three hundred thousand dollars for the acquisition of the four sites hereinbefore mentioned, the remaining one million six hundred thousand dollars to be devoted to the erection of buildings on the sites owned by the Board and the four recommended to be acquired.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
EDWARD F. FARRELL,  
MILES M. O'BRIEN,  
WM. J. COLE,  
JOHN GREENE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,

Joint  
Committee  
on  
Buildings  
and Sites.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on April 25, 1900.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 1, 1900, authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of three million five hundred thousand dollars (\$3,500,000) for school sites and new school buildings, be and the same is hereby amended by adding after the words "boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx" the following words in parenthesis: "including three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) for sites"; and

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and hereby is requested to amend the ordinance relating therein passed by the Board of Aldermen and now under consideration in the Council so as to conform with the foregoing amendment.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the communication from the Corporation Counsel as follows:

"LAW DEPARTMENT,  
"OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,  
"NEW YORK, April 17, 1900."

"Hon. JOSEPH J. LITTLE, President, Board of Education:

"Sir—I enclose herewith the bill of costs, as taxed by a Justice of the Supreme Court, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 393 of the Laws of 1896, in the matter of acquiring title to lands for school sites, located as follows:

1. On the northerly side of Fifteenth street and the southerly side of Sixteenth street, between First avenue and Livingston place, in the Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, as a site for high school purposes:	
John Proctor Clarke, Special Counsel.....	\$2,500 00
2. On Tenth avenue, Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan, as a site for high school purposes:	
John Proctor Clarke, Special Counsel.....	2,500 00
3. On the southerly side of Fifty-second street, between Park and Lexington avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
Andrew L. Souland, Expert Witness.....	150 00
4. On the northerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street and the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, as a site for high school purposes:	
Andrew L. Souland, Expert Witness.....	250 00
5. On the southerly side of Sixty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
Andrew L. Souland, Expert Witness.....	100 00
6. At the northeasterly corner of Broome and Cannon streets, in the Thirteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
T. G. Smith, Expert Witness.....	300 00
Herbert C. Pass, Expert Witness.....	200 00
Thomas C. Smith, Expert Witness.....	200 00

"The expenses thus incurred and taxed are reasonable and were necessary for the proper presentation and defence of The City of New York before the Commissioners of Estimate and in court in said matters.

"Respectfully yours,  
"JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel."

—respectfully reports that, in view of the foregoing, the following resolutions are submitted:

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of five thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$5,250), be and the same is hereby appropriated from premiums derived from the sale of high school bonds, issued pursuant to chapter 412, Laws of 1897, said sum to be applied in payment of the following-named bills of costs, as taxed by a Justice of the Supreme Court, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 393 of the Laws of 1896, in the matter of acquiring title to lands for school sites, located as follows:

On the northerly side of Fifteenth street and the southerly side of Sixteenth street, between First avenue and Livingston place, in the Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, as a site for high school purposes:	
John Proctor Clarke, Special Counsel.....	\$2,500 00
On Tenth avenue, Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan, as a site for high school purposes:	
John Proctor Clarke, Special Counsel.....	2,500 00
On the northerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street and the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, as a site for high school purposes:	
Andrew L. Souland, Expert Witness.....	250 00
Total.....	\$5,250 00

Requisition for said sum being hereby made upon the Comptroller.

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$950) be and the same is hereby appropriated from premiums derived from the sale of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, issued pursuant to section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, said sum to be applied in payment of the following-named bills of costs, as taxed by a Justice of the Supreme Court, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 393 of the Laws of 1896, in the matter of acquiring title to lands for school sites, located as follows:

On the southerly side of Fifty-second street, between Park and Lexington avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
Andrew L. Souland, Expert Witness.....	\$150 00
On the southerly side of Sixty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
Andrew L. Souland, Expert Witness.....	100 00
At the northeasterly corner of Broome and Cannon streets, in the Thirteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
T. G. Smith, Expert Witness.....	300 00
Herbert C. Pass, Expert Witness.....	200 00
Thomas C. Smith, Expert Witness.....	200 00
Total.....	700 00
Total.....	\$950 00

Requisition for said sum hereby made upon the Comptroller.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on April 25, 1900.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.



And offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the appropriation of five thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$5,250) from premiums derived from the sale of High School Bonds, pursuant to chapter 412, Laws of 1897; said sum to be applied in payment of the following-named bills of costs, as taxed by a Justice of the Supreme Court, in the matter of acquiring title to lands for high school sites, located as follows:

1. On the northerly side of Fifteenth street and the southerly side of Sixteenth street, between First avenue and Livingston place, in the Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
John Proctor Clarke, Special Counsel .....	\$3,500 00
2. On Tenth avenue, Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
John Proctor Clarke, Special Counsel .....	2,500 00
3. On the northerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street and the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
Andrew L. Souard, Expert Witness .....	250 00
Total .....	\$5,250 00

—as specified in the resolution relating thereto adopted by the Board of Education April 25, 1900.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the appropriation of nine hundred and fifty dollars (\$950) from premiums derived from the sale of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, pursuant to section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, said sum to be applied in payment of the following-named bills of costs as taxed by a Justice of the Supreme Court in the matter of acquiring title to lands for school sites located as follows:

1. On the southerly side of Fifty-second street, between Park and Lexington avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
Andrew L. Souard, Expert Witness .....	\$150 00
2. On the southerly side of Sixty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, in the Nineteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
Andrew L. Souard, Expert Witness .....	100 00
3. At the northeasterly corner of Broome and Cannon streets, in the Thirteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan:	
T. G. Smith, Expert Witness .....	\$300 00
Herbert C. Plase, Expert Witness .....	200 00
Thomas C. Smith, Expert Witness .....	200 00
Total .....	\$950 00

—as specified in the resolution relating thereto, adopted by the Board of Education April 25, 1900.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Department of Water Supply, dated April 30, 1900, requesting the issue of bonds for the maintenance, etc., of the water supply in the several boroughs of the City.

The Mayor moved that it be referred to the Comptroller.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of four million dollars (\$4,000,000) in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds whereof shall be expended by the Commissioners of the New East River Bridge for the purposes specified in chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, as amended.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CHARLES T. BARNEY,  
No. 71 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,  
April 30, 1900.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—The Municipal Art Commission asks for an appropriation of five hundred and fifty dollars (\$550) for the protection of City property. There are very fine busts of De Witt Clinton and Henry Clay which are practically on the floor in the Governor's room, and in danger of injury. It would cost four hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$475) to place these appropriately and safely. The other seventy-five dollars (\$75) are for incidental expenses in the same room.

Very truly yours,

C. T. BARNEY, President Municipal Art Commission.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the request of the President of the Municipal Art Commission for an appropriation of five hundred and fifty dollars (\$550) for renovating certain statuary in the City Hall, be and the same is hereby referred to the Municipal Assembly with the request that that Honorable Body authorize this expense to be incurred, chargeable against the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies for the year 1900."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 412 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby quitclaims all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to the premises situate in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point where the easterly line or side of Bushwick avenue is intersected by the southerly line or side of Noll street, running thence westerly along the southerly line or side of Noll street eight inches more or less; thence southerly along the easterly line of Bushwick avenue fifty feet four and one-half inches; thence easterly at right angles to Bushwick avenue, eight inches more or less, and thence northerly along the easterly line or side of Bushwick avenue fifty feet four and one-half inches to the point or place of beginning, for the following consideration:

1. The payment to the Comptroller of The City of New York of the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100).

2. The execution and delivery by the grantees of the foregoing property of a deed re-conveying to The City of New York said property, subject only to a right or easement which will permit the continuance thereon of the portion of the building now erected, during the life of said structure, and

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and hereby is requested to prepare the deeds or other instruments necessary to carry this grant into effect.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Secretary presented communications from the Department of Bridges and Board of Public Improvements dated April 19 and 20, 1900, in relation to the construction of a bridge over Newtown creek, at Grand street, Borough of Brooklyn.

The Mayor moved that it be referred to the Comptroller.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Secretary presented communications from the New East River Bridge Commissioners, dated April 21 and 26, 1900, requesting the approval of the purchase of property No. 40 Lewis street and No. 75 Suffolk street, Borough of Manhattan, for bridge purposes.

The Mayor moved that they be referred to the Comptroller.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Corporation Counsel, dated April 27, 1900, enclosing a communication from the New East River Bridge Commissioners dated March 30, 1900, requesting the Corporation Counsel to institute condemnation proceedings to acquire lands for bridge purposes, also a statement showing the assessed valuation for 1899 of the premises.

The Mayor moved that they be referred to the Comptroller.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Department of Parks, dated March 14, 1900, requesting an appropriation, by the issue of bonds, of \$29,300 for planting, etc., of Riverside Park, between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets, also an estimate of the cost thereof.

The Mayor moved that it be referred to the Comptroller.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The President of the Council moved that this Board do now adjourn.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

THOS. L. FEITNER, Secretary.

## MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

### THE COUNCIL.

The President filed in the office of the City Clerk on Thursday, May 10, 1900, the following Committee of the Council to co-operate with a similar Committee of the Board of Aldermen in extending a reception to representatives of South African Republics:

Councilmen Oakley, Hart, Mundorf, Goodwin, Hottenroth, O'Grady, Sulzer, Leich, McGarry, Engel, Van Nostrand, Conly, Hester, Ryder, and Christman.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES, First Deputy and Acting City Clerk.

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,  
CENTER, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS,  
NEW YORK, May 12, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the requirements of section 284 of the Charter, I transmit herewith, for publication in the CITY RECORD of May 12, a list of applications received since May 3 for appointment to the position of Patrolman.

Respectfully yours,

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

Patrolmen.

NAME.	Address.	Occupation.
Harrison S. Vinag.	Stillwell street, Unionville, Brooklyn.	Bookkeeper.
Joseph Daniel Friedman.	378 Willis avenue, Bronx.	Cigar-maker.
Frank Walter Thayer.	1413 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.	Butler.
Charles Thun.	25 Newell street, Brooklyn.	Confessor.
John Carmody.	766 Third avenue, Manhattan.	Watchman.
William F. J. Buckley.	331 East Thirtieth street, Manhattan.	Clerk.
Frederic J. Kelly.	229 Madison avenue, Manhattan.	Gardener.
Patrick McClelland.	152 East One Hundred and Tenth street, Manhattan.	Conductor.
William J. Powers.	437 Ninth avenue, Manhattan.	Clerk.
John W. Seymour.	324 West Forty-seventh street, Manhattan.	Agent and Operator.
John L. Hennessey.	109 East One Hundred and Twenty-Eighth street, Manhattan.	Collector.
John J. Joyce.	103 Third place, Brooklyn.	Plumber.
Charles E. O'Connor.	213 Pacific street, Brooklyn.	Clerk.
Robert D. Gammon.	103 King street, Manhattan.	Accountant.
Charles Rieth.	309 East Ninetieth street, Manhattan.	Rider.
Charles F. H. Starks.	403 Linden street, Brooklyn.	Motorman.
John A. Schilling.	250 Forty-seventh street, Brooklyn.	Frauman.
John Loucks, Jr.	313 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn.	Consolidated Gas Company.
James Sweeney.	230 Troy avenue, Brooklyn.	Conductor.
John M. O'Neill.	80 Montgomery street, Manhattan.	Clerk.
Timothy J. Gleason.	174 Spring street, Manhattan.	Laborer.
Hugo O. Unsche.	335 Kent street, Brooklyn.	Clerk.
Charles F. Lander.	1224 Prospect avenue, Bronx.	Plumber.
Peter M. Nolan.	32 South street, Manhattan.	Braintish.
Vincent J. McCabe.	730 Quincy street, Brooklyn.	Clerk.
John Donovan.	26 Goerck street, Manhattan.	Conductor.
William Warr Orr.	63 East Eighty-seventh street, Manhattan.	Horseman.
Jaques Cohn.	203 West Houston street, Manhattan.	Clerk.
John McNamara.	213 Pacific street, Brooklyn.	Engraver.
Edward Feldman.	1044 Prospect avenue, Manhattan.	Clerk.
Edward Beron.	301 East One Hundred and Third street, Manhattan.	Conductor.
John F. Walker.	Smith lane and Ninety-sixth street, Brooklyn.	Clerk.
Walter J. Van Duren.	144 Seined street, Brooklyn.	Metal cutter.
Patrick J. Curran.	722 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.	Lumber.
Henry Walker.	122 Park avenue, Brooklyn.	Plumber.
Max O. Kampspe.	422 Ninth avenue, Manhattan.	Derrick maker.
Michael Daly.	1497 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.	Power.
Frederick Seipp.	20 North Chambers street, Manhattan.	Clerk.



## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Docks held Friday, March 30, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.  
Present—The full Board.  
The Board proceeded to open estimates on Contracts No. 679 and No. 680, a representative of the Comptroller being present.

## Contract No. 679.

Two estimates were received as follows:

	Per Cubic Yard.
William P. Baird, with security deposit of \$300.....	\$0 85
Stephen A. Knolly, with security deposit of \$300.....	87

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the contract opened this day for furnishing granite stones for bulkhead or river wall, under Contract No. 679, be and hereby is awarded to William P. Baird, he being the lowest bidder, subject to the approval of Matthew Baird and James Baird, as sureties by the Comptroller.

## Contract No. 680.

Three estimates were received as follows:

Henry L. Spearin, with security deposit of \$850.....	\$53,123 00
William H. Jenks, with security deposit of \$850.....	48,990 00
Bernard Koff, with security deposit of \$850.....	44,833 00

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the contract opened this day for preparing for and building a new wooden pier, with appurtenances, at the foot of Broad street, East river, to be known as Pier, new No. 4, under Contract No. 680, be and hereby is awarded to Bernard Koff, he being the lowest bidder, subject to the approval of the sureties, Henry Weiler and Charles S. Hirsch by the Comptroller.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller the security deposits made by the above bidders at the time of submitting their estimates.

The minutes of the meeting held March 23, 1900, were approved.

Thomas F. Myers appeared and again requested permission to place a dump on the Pier foot of West Fifty-sixth street, North river, stating that said dump was to be used only in connection with the removal of dirt and ashes to be excavated from the roadway of West Fifty-seventh street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, in regulating and grading said street.

On motion, permission was granted said Myers to dump the material on scows at said pier, the privilege to continue only during the pleasure of the Board and, for a period not longer than thirty days, compensation to be paid therefor at the rate of \$5 per day, payable at the end of each week to the Dock Master.

The following communications were again tabled for two weeks:

From the Engineer-in-Chief—Recommending that a shed be constructed on the new Pier to be built at the foot of Pike slip, East river.

From the Treasurer—Recommending that arrangements be made for sprinkling the new-made land along the water front during the coming season.

The application of the Panama Railroad Company, requesting that permission be granted the Terminal Warehouse Company to assign the lease of Pier, new 57, North river, was tabled for one week.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 10923, recommending that permission be granted the Consolidated Ice Company to replace the engine-house, ice-bridge, scales and scale-house on Pier, new 1, Wallabout basin, Borough of Brooklyn, was tabled, and.

On motion, the Dock Master of the district was directed to continue collecting wharfage at Pier, new 1, Wallabout basin, Borough of Brooklyn, until such time as the two new piers thereat shall have been completed and made ready for occupancy, and the Secretary was directed to notify the Consolidated Ice Company that their lease of said pier will not commence until that time.

The following communications were referred to the Treasurer:

From Benjamin Griggs—Requesting permission to land the steamer "William V. Wilson" at Pier, old 38 1/2, North river.

From the Hudson River Traffic Association—Requesting a lease for a term of ten years, with the privilege of renewal, of the bulkhead between Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets, North river, with permission to erect and maintain the necessary structures thereon, for the purpose of receiving and handling building material thereat.

From Clinton Stephens—Requesting permission to place and maintain a float at the foot of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Long Island Sound, for the purpose of landing naphtha-boats thereat.

From Charles L. Duran—Requesting a lease of the pier at the foot of Fordham road, Harlem river.

From A. C. Gildersleeve—Requesting a lease of the land under water between Dyckman and Two Hundred and Third streets, North river.

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

Pennsylvania Railroad Company—To dredge in the slips on the south side of Pier 4, between Piers 4 and 5, on the north side of Pier 5 and on the south side of Pier 15, North river.

Joseph Thompson—To connect water-main with Pier, old 41, North river, any pavement necessary to be removed thereat to be taken up and relaid by the force of this Department at the cost and expense of the permittee.

Occident Dock Company—To repair water-pipe leading to Pier, new 59, North river, all pavement necessary to be removed, to be taken up and relaid by the force of this Department at the cost and expense of said company.

James Tregarten, Son & Co.—To dredge at the north side of the Pier foot of Seventh street, East river, and to drive about ten fender-poles on the north side of their dry dock thereat, the work to be kept within existing lines.

Marco Brothers—To erect a coal hoisting-tower at their coal pucker south of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Mott Haven canal, in accordance with plans submitted as amended.

New York and Boston Deepwood Company—To extend to the existing pier-head line the pier about 104 feet north of Greene street, Greenpoint, Borough of Brooklyn, in accordance with plans submitted as amended.

Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company—To erect a coal tower on its property at the foot of Division avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, in accordance with plans submitted as amended.

Starlin Ship Yard and Iron Works—To repair the dock at Port Richmond, Staten Island, the work to be kept within existing lines.

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

Atlas Line of Mail Steamers, to enlarge the steam plant and to install an electric-lighting system at Pier, new 55, North river, in accordance with plans to be submitted to and approved by the Engineer in Chief.

Union Stock Yard and Market Company, to construct a manure dumping platform on the south side of the Pier, foot of West Fortieth street, in accordance with plans submitted as amended.

The following communications were ordered on file:

From the Comptroller—Approving sureties on Contract No. 678, for building a new Pier at the foot of Coenties slip, East river.

From the Corporation Counsel—

1st. Returning approved form of lease of Pier, new 41, North river, to the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company. Officers of the Board authorized to execute same.

2d. Advising that the question as to the ownership of certain pieces of property in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens is now being investigated.

3d. Advising that the City has no right to interfere with the operation of the ferry by the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company between Totterville, Staten Island, and Perth Amboy, New Jersey, and that no rental can be charged for the franchise therefor.

From the Department of Public Improvements—In relation to the dredging required at the bulkhead foot of Harrison street, Borough of Brooklyn, made necessary by the deposit of material from the sewer thereat. Action of the Secretary, in requesting the Corporation Counsel to advise the Board as to whether the City should do such dredging, approved.

From the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York—Accepting the terms and conditions of the resolution adopted March 16, 1900, agreeing to lease to said company the pier and bulkhead to be constructed at the foot of Thirty-ninth street, East river. Secretary directed to request the Corporation Counsel to prepare the necessary form of lease.

From the Harlem Board of Commerce—Requesting that repairs be made to the Pier at the foot of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, North river. Action of the Secretary, in replying that the Board is now considering the question of the improvement of the water front in the vicinity of said pier, approved.

From the Consolidated Gas Company of New York—Requesting permission to run injection and overflow pipes through the bulkhead and under the Pier at the foot of East Twenty-eighth street. Application denied.

From the New York Sand and Gravel Company—Advising that it will discontinue the use of the premises at the foot of Seventh street, Unionport, Borough of The Bronx, on March 31, 1900. Permit revoked, to take effect on that date.

From Henry L. Spearin—Requesting an extension of time on Contract No. 661.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the time for the completion of the work of building a Pier at the foot of Fordham road, Harlem river, under Contract No. 661, Henry L. Spearin, contractor, be and hereby is extended to and including March 10, 1900, provided the written consent of the sureties on said contract be filed in this Department.

From the Atlantic Dredging Company—Requesting an extension of time on Contract No. 665.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the time for the completion of the work of dredging on the East and Harlem rivers, under Contract No. 665, Atlantic Dredging Company, contractor, be and hereby is extended to and including August 31, 1900, provided the written consent of the sureties on said contract be filed in this Department.

From the President—Recommending that the lease of Pier, old 38, East river, and the permits for land under water for platforms adjoining said pier and for the extension to the pier be cancelled, to enable this Department to proceed with the improvement of the water front thereat.

On motion, the following preambles and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, In and by an indenture made the 30th day of April, 1893, by and between the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, by the Board of Docks, party of the first part, and the Maine Steamship Company, party of the second part, all and singular the wharfage and cramage which may arise, accrue or become due for the use and occupation, in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, of all that certain public wharf property situate on the East river, in The City of New York, and known and described as Pier, old 38, East river, and the bulkhead westerly thereof, together with the right to use the shed on said pier, was granted for a term of ten years from the 1st day of June, 1897; and

Whereas, In and by said lease, the party of the second part covenants and agrees that if at any time during the term thereof, the said Board of Docks shall determine to proceed with the work of building or rebuilding the wharfs, piers, bulkheads, basins, docks or slips within the section or district of the water front which shall include the wharf property therein described, according to any plan or plans then adopted and approved, or which might thereafter be adopted and approved, and if the said Board of Docks shall determine that for the purpose of such building or rebuilding it will be necessary to terminate the interest of the party of the second part in such wharfage and cramage, that then, upon receipt by the said party of the second part of written notice of a resolution of the said Board of Docks to that effect, the interest of the said party of the second part in said wharfage and cramage and in said wharf property, or part thereof, shall be thereby terminated, and that no claim for damages or compensation in favor of the said party of the second part shall at any time be made by the said party of the second part or by any persons whomsoever by reason of the termination of such interest in said wharfage or cramage or wharf property, or for damages or injury to any steam or sailing vessel or water craft moored thereon, or on, in or about the same, or to or on account of any structures or improvements that may have been erected or made by the party of the second part; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Docks hereby determines to proceed with the work of building and rebuilding wharves, piers, bulkheads, basins, docks or slips within the section or district of the water front of The City of New York, between Catharine and Montgomery streets, on the East river, which said district includes the wharf property heretofore described, according to the plan of the Department of Docks and Ferries adopted on the 30th day of December, 1898, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 3d day of February, 1899; and

Resolved, That the said Board of Docks hereby determines that for the purpose of such building and rebuilding, it will be necessary to terminate the interest of the Maine Steamship Company as party of the second part under the indenture of lease above referred to, in the said wharf property above described and in the wharfage and cramage to arise, accrue or become due from the said wharf property, or from any part thereof; and be it further

Resolved, That the said Board of Docks hereby terminates the interest of the Maine Steamship Company as party of the second part in the lease above recited, said termination to take effect June 1, 1900; and

Resolved, That the permit granted to the Maine Steamship Company May 20, 1898, to use and occupy land under water for the extension to Pier, old 38, East river, and for land under water for platform northerly thereof, and the permit granted said company May 27, 1898, to use and occupy land under water for platform south of said pier, be and they are hereby revoked, to take effect June 1, 1900; and be it further

Resolved, That notice of these preamble and resolutions terminating the interest of the said Maine Steamship Company as party of the second part in the said indenture of lease above recited be duly served upon said company.

From the Treasurer and Commissioner Meyer—Recommending that an agreement be entered into between this Department and the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, for the purchase of its property westerly of Montgomery street, East river, for the sum of \$57,500, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; and that a lease be granted said company of the piers to be thereat constructed, to be known as Piers, new 37 and 38, East river, together with the adjoining bulkheads, for a term of ten years, at an annual rental of \$65,000.

On motion, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That, in accordance with section 822 of the Greater New York Charter, an agreement be entered into between this Board and the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company for the purchase of all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emolument and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on the southerly side of South street, in the Borough of Manhattan, beginning at a point about two hundred and seventy-seven feet four inches westerly of the westerly line of Montgomery street, produced, and running thence easterly about two hundred and seventy-seven feet four inches to the westerly line of Montgomery street, produced, for the sum of fifty-seven thousand five hundred dollars; provided, however, that a good and sufficient title in all respects to the said property, together with all rights, terms, easements and privileges appurtenant thereto or connected therewith can be acquired by, conveyed to, and vested in, The City of New York, free from all incumbrances, subject, however, to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Resolved, That, by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board by law, and in pursuance of the statutes in such cases made and provided, this Board hereby agrees to lease, assign and to farm-let unto the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company all and singular the wharfage which may arise, accrue or become due in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, for the use and occupation of the following described wharf property:

The bulkhead to be built extending from the southerly side of Montgomery street, produced, southerly a distance of about 625 feet to a point on the bulkhead line midway between Piers, new 37 and new 38, as shown on the map or plan heretofore mentioned, together with two piers to be built in front of said bulkhead, to be known as Piers, new 37 and 38, East river.

Also the following described premises, to wit:

The land under water in front of said above described bulkhead extending outshore from said bulkhead a distance of 50 feet.

The lessee shall have the privilege of erecting platforms in front of said bulkheads, extending outshore a distance of not more than 50 feet, and shall have the privilege of erecting sheds on said platforms and also on the said Piers, new 37 and 38, said platforms and sheds to be erected under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and to revert to and become the property of The City of New York, free from all incumbrances, upon the expiration or sooner termination of the lease.

The location of said piers shall be so fixed as to accommodate the business of the company by moving their centre lines easterly or westerly, if necessary, not to exceed 10 feet, it being understood that the change of lines shall be within the lines shown on the new plan adopted by the Board of Docks, December 30, 1898, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, February 3, 1899.

The lease to be for a term of ten years, commencing September 1, 1900, from which date the rental on all the property hereby leased shall commence to run; the rental to be at the rate of \$65,000 per annum, to be payable quarterly in advance to the Treasurer of this Department.

It being understood and agreed that this resolution shall be of no force or effect unless the said New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company shall file in this office within ten days its written acceptance of the terms and conditions hereof, and agree to execute a lease containing the usual covenants and conditions as at present embodied in leases of wharf property now used by this Department.

From the Treasurer—Recommending that a renewal lease of the bulkhead between Piers new 36 and 57, North river, be granted J. B. and J. M. Cornell at an annual rental of \$2,750, in accordance with the terms of the existing lease. Recommendation adopted, and the Secretary directed to request the Corporation Counsel to prepare the necessary form of lease.

From the Chief Clerk—

1st. Requesting authority to apply to the first quarter's rent of Pier, new 1, Wallabout basin, Borough of Brooklyn, the sum of \$625, amount overpaid by the Consolidated Ice Company for the pier formerly used thereat. Authority granted.

2d. Requesting authority to apply to the quarter's rent due May 1, 1900, for Pier, new 19, North river, the sum of \$1,441.66, the amount overpaid by the Old Colony Steamboat Company for Pier, old 40, East river. Authority granted.

3d. Requesting that the rental of the property occupied by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company at the westerly half of Pier, old 51; westerly half of Pier, old 52 and the bulkhead, etc., thereat; for the land under water for platforms between Piers 49 and 50, between Piers 51 and 52, and for widening Pier 49, East river, and for Pier, new 36, East river, be made payable at the end of each month instead of quarterly in advance.

On motion, the permits of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company to use and occupy the above parcels, were amended by making the compensation therefor payable monthly at the end of each month to the Treasurer.



From the Dock Superintendent—Report for the week ending March 24, 1900.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1st. Report for the week ending March 24, 1900.

2d. Reporting the commencement of the work of paving the filled-in land at the Wallabout basin, under Contract No. 671, March 27, 1900; and of dredging on the North river, between the Battery and West Thirty-fourth street, under Contract No. 672, March 25, 1900.

3d. Recommending that the Department of Street Cleaning be directed to vacate the dump at the foot of Thirty-eighth street, East river, within thirty days, in order to enable this Department to proceed with the proposed improvement of the water front thereat. Recommendation adopted.

4th. Reporting repairs required to the fender-pile on the westerly side of Pier 3, East river, and recommending that the owner be directed to make the necessary repairs thereat. Recommendation adopted.

5th. Recommending that he be directed to prepare requisitions for paving with second-hand Belgian blocks an area 46 by 117 feet north of West Eightieth street, an area of about 235 by 23 feet between West Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, and an area of 46 by 117 feet at the south half of West Eighty-first street and southerly thereof, on the North river, the work to be done under Treasurer's order. Recommendation adopted.

6th. Recommending that necessary repairs be made by the force of the Department to the deck sheathing leading to the ramp of the dump on Pier 61, East river, and to the pavement adjacent thereto; to the fender-pile at the Pier foot of East Third street, and to the deck sheathing on the Pier foot of Fifth street, East river. Recommendation adopted.

7th. Submitting plans, specifications and form of contract for extending Pier "A," North river, inshore a distance of fifty feet.

On motion, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to extend Pier "A," North river, inshore a distance of fifty feet, for the purpose of providing additional office accommodations for the Department, and that all the work hereby ordered be performed otherwise than by contract, in accordance with section 821 of the Greater New York Charter, and that all the work, materials, tools, etc., necessary therefor not now contracted for, or which may not hereafter be contracted for, be purchased by the Treasurer otherwise than by contract.

Resolved, That the plans, specifications and form of contract submitted this day by the Engineer-in-Chief for the superstructure to the extension of Pier "A," North river, inshore a distance of fifty feet, be and hereby are approved, subject to the approval of the Corporation Council as to form, and the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of contract printed and proper advertisements inviting estimates inserted in the newspapers designated by law.

8th. Submitting specifications and form of contract for furnishing yellow pine timber.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the specifications and form of contract submitted this day by the Engineer-in-Chief for furnishing yellow pine timber be and are hereby approved, subject to the approval of the Corporation Council as to form, and the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have as sufficient number of blank forms of contract printed and proper advertisements inviting estimate inserted in the newspapers designated by law.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Murphy, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending March 30, 1900, amounting to \$6,149.55, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.
1900.			
Mar. 22	H. A. Park & Co.	2 mos. rent, lower end N. side Pier 52, E. R.	\$125 00
" 23	Peter J. Moran	1 " bath house, etc., R. W. 2448 St.	40 00
" 28	Brown & Fleming	1 " dump'g tol. on Pier, old 23, N. R.	333 34
" 28	"	1 " S. side Pier 61, W. 35th St.	104 17
" 29	John H. Stearns	1 " Pier ft. E. 32d St.	300 00
" 29	N. Y. & So. Rly. Co. & Steam Trains Co.	1 " Ferry ft. Whitehall St., N. Y., to S. W. Rly.	1,730 25
" 28	N. Y. & College Pt. Ry. Co.	1 " " " " " " " " " " " "	625 00
" 24	Southern Pacific Co.	Cost repairing pavem't at entrance to bld. shed on Pier, new 38, N. R.	453 75
" 26	Stringham Oyster Co.	Cost replacing retaining piles on S. side of southernmost oyster boat in basin ft. Bloomfield St., N. R.	12 80
" 26	Van Orden Bros.	Cost replacing retaining piles on S. side of southernmost oyster boat in basin ft. Bloomfield St., N. R.	12 80
" 26	John Klunk	Cost of relaying pavem't taken up to facilitate the cleaning of sewer bet. Piers, new 37 and 38, N. R.	7 67
" 27	Dock Master	Wharfage, Manhattan, March 1900	964 13
" 27	"	" Brooklyn, " "	48 50
" 27	"	" Queens, " "	2 30
" 29	Collectors	" Manhattan, January, 1900	379 73
" 29	"	" Brooklyn, " "	32 70
" 29	"	" Queens, " "	2 49
" 24	"	" Manhattan, February, 1900	5,149 28
" 24	"	" Brooklyn, " "	100 48
" 29	"	" Queens, " "	6 00
" 29	"	" Manhattan, March, 1900	2 00
		Date deposited, March 30, 1900	\$6,149 55

Respectfully submitted,  
CHARLES F. MURPHY, Treasurer.

The Auditing Committee submitted a report of thirteen bills or claims, amounting to \$68,084.46, which had been audited and approved. The report was ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

Audit No.	Name.	Amount.	Total.
<b>Acquired Property.</b>			
18519.	72 feet 6 inches of bulkhead south of Perry street, North river.		
	Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, Trustee, bulkhead and water rights.	\$36,397 50	
18520.	Mary E. Dutel et al, bulkhead and water rights.	12,396 25	
			\$48,793 75
<b>Construction.</b>			
18521.	Michael McGrath, granite.	\$9,193 73	
18522.	Naughton & Co., piles.	7,350 50	
18523.	Charles J. O'Neil, towing.	997 50	
18524.	Henry P. Drew, iron.	810 38	
18525.	George C. Flint & Co., chairs, etc.	141 00	
18526.	Eugene Dietzen Company, blue print paper, etc.	17 40	
			18,530 71
<b>General Repairs.</b>			
18527.	Thomas Kelly, services of horse, cart and driver.	\$210 00	
18528.	Peter McGlynn, services of horse, cart and driver.	210 00	
18529.	Addison Johnson, Art. and Warden, bass brooms.	140 00	
18530.	James B. Cahill, services of horse, cart and driver.	105 00	
18531.	Thomas J. Jeffers, services of horse, cart and driver.	105 00	
			770 00
			\$68,084 46

Respectfully submitted,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM, } Auditing  
CHARLES F. MURPHY, } Committee.

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

Register No.	For What.	Estimated Cost.
17243.	Machinery steel.	\$24 47
17244.	Feed pump, etc.	89 50
17245.	Hardware.	10 04
17246.	Repairs and painting.	900 00
17247.	Repairs and painting.	3,000 00
17248.	Repairs and painting.	1,300 00
17249.	Repairs and painting.	1,700 00
17250.	White pine, etc.	850 00
17251.	Hackmatac knees.	180 00
<b>Requisition No.</b>		
839.	Cleaning supplies.	105 00
2042.	Services of horse, cart, etc.	210 00
2052.	Services of horse, cart, etc.	210 00
2062.	Services of horse, cart, etc.	105 00

On motion, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, By section 822 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Docks of The City of New York is authorized to acquire, in the name and for the benefit of the corporation of The City of New York, wharf property in said city, and all rights, terms, easements and privileges pertaining thereto, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and agree with the owners of any such property, rights, terms, easements or privileges upon a price for the same, and in case of failure to agree upon a price, to initiate legal proceedings to acquire the same for the improvement of the water front of said city; and

Whereas, The Board of Docks is desirous of acquiring, in the name and for the benefit of The City of New York, the following-described premises, to wit:

All wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on the southerly side of South street, beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of Clinton street, produced, and running thence westerly and along the southerly side of South street about 48 feet; and

Whereas, It appears that James Keese is the owner in fee simple of the above-described premises, together with all hereditaments, including the riparian and wharfage rights,

Resolved, That this Board offers to purchase the above-described premises, with all hereditaments, and to pay for a good and sufficient title thereto, free from all incumbrances, the sum of nine thousand six hundred dollars, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Resolved, That a copy of these preamble and resolutions be served upon James Keese, and that he be and hereby is requested, within ten days from receipt thereof, to notify this Board, in writing, whether he will sell the said riparian and wharfage rights and interests as aforesaid to The City of New York for the price above mentioned, and in the event that the said James Keese shall fail to notify this Board of his willingness to so convey the respective rights and interests as aforesaid, it shall be deemed that no price can be agreed upon for the purchase of said property between the owner thereof and this Department.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, in accordance with the terms of the grants to Caleb F. Lindsey, dated July 1, 1850, the owners of the land under water be and are hereby directed to build, regulate, make and finish Twelfth avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets; the north half of Forty-second street and the south half of Forty-third street, and regulate and pave the same and lay the sidewalks thereof.

The Secretary reported that the pay-roll for the week ending March 23, 1900, amounting to \$14,507.95, had been approved, audited and transmitted to the Department of Finance for payment.

The Board went into executive session at 2.50 p. m.

The communication from the Municipal Civil Service Commission, submitting the names of Hugh Clark and John J. Halladay for appointment as Enginemen, was referred to the Treasurer.

The following communications were ordered on file:

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—  
1st. Advising that Thomas F. Carroll successfully passed on February 28, 1900, the examination for an increase in his compensation, in accordance with the resolution adopted December 29, 1899.

2d. Submitting the name of Albert J. Micklej for appointment as Mechanical Draughtsman.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:  
Resolved, That Albert J. Micklej, having been duly verified by the Municipal Service Commission as eligible for such position, be and he is hereby appointed Mechanical Draughtsman in this Department, on probation, with compensation at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, to take effect when he reports for duty.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1st. Reporting the death of Patrick H. Dwyer, Dock Builder. Secretary directed to take his name from the list of employees.

2d. Recommending that the titles of James Dugan and Terence McGirr be changed from Dock Builder to Laborer. Recommendation adopted.

On motion, Julia E. Dowling was reinstated as Recreation Pier Attendant, and William Atkinson was reinstated as Laborer.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That William Haggerty, having resigned from the Department of Water Supply of his own volition and with no charges pending against him, be and he is hereby appointed Laborer in this Department, with compensation at the rate of 25 cents per hour while employed.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

WM. H. BURKE, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

At a meeting of the Police Board of the Police Department of The City of New York, held on the 30th day of April, 1900.

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

The minutes of April 25 were read and approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE WAS GRANTED TO

Sergeant Thomas Murphy, Third Precinct, thirty days, half-pay, sick.

REPORTS, ETC., ORDERED ON FILE.

Chief of Police—Leaves of absence granted under the rule.

Corporation Counsel—Approving form of contract for doorman's and stable supplies.

Civil Service Board—Forwarding additional name for eligible list of Patrolmen.

Horgan & Slattery—Relative to specifications for station-houses, Thirty-fourth and Sixty-fifth Precincts.

Sergeant Egan—Relative to purchase of three horses.

Consul-General, Brazil—Acknowledgment.

William W. Huppin—Asking suspension of action on license to Dewey Theatre.

Edward Bell, President, Riot Relief Fund—Resolution appropriating \$1,000 to ex-Patrolman Patrick A. O'Keefe.

Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Joseph Ebberts, Nineteenth Precinct; Patrolman Henry Metz, Twenty-second Precinct; Patrolman William S. Frazer, Thirty-fifth Precinct.

Death of Patrolman William H. Murphy, Third Precinct, at 11 A. M., April 25.

Patrolman Daniel B. Danegun, Third Precinct—Asking promotion.

Acting Chief—Including report of Sergeant McCormick, Bicycle Squad, condemning use of Lovell Diamond Bicycle.

Inspector Brooks—On complaint against Patrolman Patrick Gublin, Tenth Precinct, for assault on Italian push-cart peddler.

Sixteenth Precinct—On disposition of arrests for violation of concert law at No. 16 Varick place.

Twenty-eighth Precinct—On complaint of "Anon," of loafers, Eighty-fourth street and Third avenue.

Thirty-ninth Precinct—On accident in which Patrolman George Kaib and horse Ted were injured.

Forty-fourth Precinct—On complaint of Walter S. Finley, of disorderly boys.

Forty-fourth Precinct—On disposition of case of John Kelle, arrested for violation of concert law, April 15.

Benjamin Murphy, Chief of Police, Jersey City—Relative to assistance of Captain White and Detective Henry J. Pease, Seventy-seventh Precinct, in arrest of Casmer Teresnick for murder.

Inspector Kane—On complaint of Morris Gintler against Patrolman William F. Driscoll, Twenty-seventh Precinct.

Inspector Brennan—On complaint of Edward Coates, of conduct of three officers, Fifty-fifth Precinct.



Thirty-second Precinct—On complaint of Mrs. Truman Rees, of Standard Photo Enlarging Company. To Mayor.

Fifty-sixth Precinct—On complaint of Department Parks, of disorderly boys at Fort Greene Park.

Fifty-seventh Precinct—On complaint of John E. S. Sutton, of disorderly boys.

APPLICATIONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS.

Patrolman Thomas McGee, Twenty-sixth Precinct, for retirement.

Thomas H. Kelly, Twenty-eighth Precinct, for retirement.

James Donaghy and Theresa H. Gallagher, for pension.

Board of Surgeons—Certificate in case of Patrolman Hugh McNeal, License Squad.

COMMUNICATIONS REFERRED TO THE CHIEF CLERK TO ANSWER.

Civil Service Board—Asking certificate of employment of William Daly as Roofer in Department of Street Cleaning.

Civil Service Board—Relative to examination of Clerks George H. Mellich and D. W. Craig; enclosing blanks, etc.

Hargan & Slatery—Acknowledgment.

Fred. L. Hoffman—Asking certain statistics.

Philip E. Caulton—Asking application blanks.

E. J. D. Potter—Asking relative to permit to carry pistol.

E. W. Tooker—Debt complaint against Patrolman Loretta Young.

THE CHIEF OF POLICE REPORTED THE FOLLOWING TRANSFERS, ETC.:

Patrolman Benjamin F. Schert, from First Precinct to Second Precinct.  
 " Frank J. McGuire, from Twelfth Precinct to Second Precinct.  
 " Thaddeus J. Murphy, from Fourteenth Precinct to Sixth Precinct.  
 " John J. Murray, from Fifteenth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.  
 " John H. Ryan, from Seventeenth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.  
 " Michael Kelly, No. 1, from Seventeenth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.  
 " John W. Colgan, from Nineteenth Precinct to Eighth Precinct.  
 " Artemus W. Bosard, from Nineteenth Precinct to Eighth Precinct.  
 " Fred. Squires, from Twentieth Precinct to Eighth Precinct.  
 " Nicholas A. Butterfield, from Twentieth Precinct to Tenth Precinct.  
 " Philip M. Minor, from Twenty-fourth Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct.  
 " John Dunn, from Thirty-second Precinct to Twenty-fourth Precinct.  
 " Louis Hyman, from Thirty-second Precinct to Twenty-fourth Precinct.  
 " John F. McLaughlin, from Thirty-second Precinct to Twenty-fourth Precinct.  
 " Denis R. Schill, from Thirty-second Precinct to Twenty-fourth Precinct.  
 " David Carefale, from Thirty-sixth Precinct to Eighteenth Precinct.  
 " John F. Fraser, from Thirty-sixth Precinct to Eighteenth Precinct.  
 " James F. Haddock, from Thirty-sixth Precinct to Eighteenth Precinct.  
 " Max Junker, from Thirty-sixth Precinct to Twenty-ninth Precinct.  
 " Thomas J. Donohue, from Thirty-eighth Precinct to Twenty-ninth Precinct.  
 " Louis J. Schery, from Thirty-eighth Precinct to Twenty-ninth Precinct.  
 " William A. Sexton, from Thirty-eighth Precinct to Twenty-ninth Precinct.  
 " Sylvester S. Vliet, from Thirty-eighth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.  
 " Patrick Mallon, from Thirtieth Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct.  
 " Michael R. Sheehan, from Thirtieth Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct.  
 " William Woods, from Thirty-seventh Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.  
 " Edwin Thwaite, from First Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.  
 " Louis Winters, Jr., from Twenty-first Precinct to Ninth Precinct.  
 " Timothy Culhane, from Twenty-second Precinct to Thirty-second Precinct.  
 " John Farrow, from Thirty-second Precinct to Twenty-second Precinct.  
 " Chester A. Marvin, from Nineteenth Precinct to Eightieth Precinct.  
 " Thomas Donovan, from Sixty-third Precinct to Seventy-fifth Precinct and assigned to duty in Deputy Chief Mackellar's office.  
 " Oscar Jones, Seventy-eighth Precinct, assigned to duty as Precinct Detective.  
 " Richard M. McKenna, from Seventh Precinct to Thirty-ninth Precinct.  
 " John McDonald, from Thirty-ninth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.  
 " William Wood, from Twenty-fifth Precinct to Thirty-seventh Precinct.  
 " William Sexton, from Twenty-ninth Precinct to Thirty-eighth Precinct.  
 " George Price, from Thirty-eighth Precinct to Twenty-ninth Precinct.  
 " Herman Hemmelt, from Thirty-seventh Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.  
 " William McMahon, from Sixty-ninth Precinct to Seventieth Precinct.  
 " John S. McNamara, from Seventieth Precinct to Sixty-ninth Precinct.  
 " James L. Calahan, from Fifty-sixth Precinct to Forty-eighth Precinct.  
 " James J. Gannon, from Forty-eighth Precinct to Sixty-seventh Precinct.  
 " James F. Haven, from Sixty-seventh Precinct to Fifty-sixth Precinct.  
 " Joseph Atkinson, from Fifty-sixth Precinct to Sixty-sixth Precinct.  
 " James Mullally, from Sixty-sixth Precinct to Fifty-sixth Precinct.  
 " Daniel B. McGinnis, from Forty-fourth Precinct to Seventy-first Precinct.  
 " Michael Gordon, from Seventy-first Precinct to Forty-fourth Precinct.  
 " John Crawley, from Fifty-eighth Precinct to Seventy-seventh Precinct.  
 " John Fennell, from Forty-fifth Precinct to Forty-third Precinct.  
 " William D. Hutton, from Forty-third Precinct to Forty-fifth Precinct.  
 " John McGowan, from Seventy-third Precinct to Fifty-fifth Precinct.  
 " Andrew Brown, from Fifty-sixth Precinct to Fifty-third Precinct.  
 " Thomas Fox, from Fifty-third Precinct to Fifty-sixth Precinct.  
 " John McDonald, from Seventh Precinct to Thirty-ninth Precinct.  
 " Arthur W. Bull, from Thirty-ninth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.  
 " William B. Hutter, from Forty-fifth Precinct to Forty-third Precinct.  
 " Robert Parks, from Forty-third Precinct to Forty-fifth Precinct.

Sergeant Michael W. Tierney, from Ninth Precinct to Twenty-sixth Precinct.

Patrolman James F. Birmingham, from Fourteenth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.

" Frank L. Malone, from Twenty-second Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct.

" Cornelius O'Donnell, from Thirty-first Precinct to Twenty-second Precinct.

" Sylvester McGrath, from Forty-third Precinct to Seventy-second Precinct.

" James J. Gannon, from Sixty-seventh Precinct to Forty-eighth Precinct.

" John A. Geary, from Forty-eighth Precinct to Sixty-seventh Precinct.

" Charles Williams, from Thirty-ninth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.

" Arthur W. Bull, from Seventh Precinct to Thirty-ninth Precinct.

Patrolman Thomas Donoghue, Third Precinct, remanded and transferred to Fourteenth Precinct.

Roundsman George Fennell, from First Precinct to Fourteenth Precinct.

" Michael Breen, from Fourteenth Precinct to First Precinct.

Patrolman Frank J. McGuire, from Second Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.

" Miles J. O'Connell, from Sixth Precinct to Second Precinct.

" Walter A. Kelly, from Sixteenth Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct.

" Michael Nolan, from Thirty-eighth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.

" Sylvester S. Vliet, from Thirtieth Precinct to Thirty-eighth Precinct.

" William E. Keegan, from Thirty-sixth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.

" Eugene Lefchild, from Eleventh Precinct to Thirty-sixth Precinct.

" Francis J. Farley, from Thirty-sixth Precinct to Twenty-second Precinct.

" Richard W. Abbott, from Twenty-second Precinct to Thirty-sixth Precinct.

" James J. Drum, from Twelfth Precinct to Sixth Precinct.

" Michael J. Phenev, from Twenty-fourth Precinct to Forty-third Precinct.

" William Hencken, from Second Precinct to Fifty-fourth Precinct.

" Peter Clancy, from Thirty-first Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct.

Roundsman William F. Fennelly, Seventh Precinct, remanded to regular duty and transferred to Twenty-sixth Precinct.

" Thomas McGuire, Twenty-sixth Precinct to Seventh Precinct and assigned to duty as Acting Sergeant.

Patrolman Christopher T. Fitzgerald, from Twentieth Precinct to Central Office Squad and detailed to duty in Bureau of Information.

" Peter J. Peidy, from Seventy-sixth Precinct to Seventy-fifth Precinct and detailed to duty in Bureau of Licenses, Borough of Queens.

Sergeant Thomas H. Mannion, relieved of command of Third Court and transferred to Eighty-first Precinct.

" John L. Zimmerman, from Eighty-first Precinct to Third Court and assigned to duty as Sergeant in command.

Roundsman Thomas J. O'Brien, from Third Court to Fifteenth Precinct.

" Cornelius Casey, from Fifteenth Precinct to Third Court.

Sundry temporary details, etc.

COMMUNICATIONS REFERRED TO THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

Mayor—Complaint of H. D. Sherill relative to push-cart vendors.

Hon. Fred. Bowley, Borough of Queens—Suggesting establishment of sub-station at North Beach.

For Report.

Mayor—Inquiry of Louis G. Ayre as to Hitchcock Land Improvement Company.

Mayor—Complaint of Annie Goldberg of trucks at No. 49 Essex street.

Henry Roth—Complaint of disorderly boys.

Henry G. Young—Complaint of disorderly persons.

Sarah H. Emmeran—Relative to charges against Matron Maloney.

M. B. Stanton, etc.—Calling attention to heroic conduct of Patrolman Byron H. McCauley.

Hine Sing—Asking appointment of William Bach as Special Patrolman.

Arno Muller—Asking appointment of Edward J. Graham as Special Patrolman.

Louis Stauch—Asking appointment of John J. McLaren as Special Patrolman.

Frank Dorn—Asking appointment of Adolph Schindler as Special Patrolman.

Communication from Department of Buildings relative to insufficient means of escape from station-house, Fulton street, east of Front street, was referred to the Corporation Counsel for opinion as to whether or not the Police Board is required to place fire-escapes on station-houses.

LAW CASES REFERRED TO THE CORPORATION COUNSEL.

New York Supreme Court—The People ex rel. William E. Strahel. Writ of certiorari.

Municipal Court, First District—Writ of replevin for money taken by Inspector Rhodes from No. 9 Hamilton avenue.

Communication from Christian J. Bode, attorney for Henry Briggs, asking a rehearing on complaint against Roundsman Peter F. McNeely, was referred to the Complaint Clerk to put upon the calendar.

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS WERE DENIED:

Elnora McMahon—For increase of pension.

Captain Michael A. McNamara, Seventy-third Precinct—For full pay while sick for February and March, 1900.

Patrolman William C. Vail, Seventy-eighth Precinct—For full pay while sick, March 1 to March 10, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS LAID OVER.

Chief of Police—Relative to a fund established to provide a yearly medal for Brooklyn Police for acts of valor, etc.

Sergeant Foody, Second Court—Relative to arrest of Special Patrolman Gollie.

Whereas, The Police Board has regraded the persons named in the annexed pay-roll, by reason of an opinion of the Corporation Counsel; it is therefore

Resolved, That the certificate, signed by the President of the Police Board and the Chief Clerk, be attached to the pay-roll containing the names of James J. Curtin and John Hovey, who have been regraded as Patrolmen (late of the Central Park Police), and by reason of being so regraded became entitled to receive the amounts, respectively, due them for and on account of salary for the year 1898, pursuant to the opinion of the Corporation Counsel, rendered to the Comptroller of the City of New York, dated September 12, 1899, the amount of said payment (in the aggregate), being two hundred and three dollars and seventy-five cents due the officers, and four dollars and fifteen cents due the Police Pension Fund, the last amount being two per cent. deduction upon the amount due them of two hundred and seven dollars and ninety cents.

Resolved, That the following Patrolmen be and are hereby advanced in grade, their efficiency and conduct having been satisfactory:

ADVANCED TO FIRST GRADE—FROM \$1,350, APRIL 20, 1900.

Patrolman George Selby, Sixty-third Precinct.

ADVANCED TO SECOND GRADE—FROM \$1,350, APRIL 21, 1900.

Patrolman Henry J. Brown, Forty-fourth Precinct.

" Joseph Gibbins, Forty-fourth Precinct.

" Frank T. Hochwald, Sixty-eighth Precinct.

" Gustav Knobloch, Sixty-eighth Precinct.

" William F. Maher, Fifty-fourth Precinct.

" John J. McCaffrey, Sixty-fourth Precinct.

" Richard McHenry, Forty-seventh Precinct.

" Patrick Quade, Fifty-seventh Precinct.

" Alber D. Schultz, Fifty-fifth Precinct.

" Peter A. Smith, Sixtieth Precinct.

" George H. Wise, Forty-fourth Precinct.

" Henry W. Wyman, Forty-fourth Precinct.

ADVANCED TO SECOND GRADE—FROM \$1,350, APRIL 22, 1900.

Patrolman Eugene W. Brownell, Fifty-ninth Precinct.

" Frederick Collins, Fifty-seventh Precinct.

" Charles De Camillon, Forty-seventh Precinct.

" George English, Fifty-eighth Precinct.

" Michael Foley, Seventieth Precinct.

" Edward Fitzgerald, Forty-ninth Precinct.

" William J. Hennessy, Forty-ninth Precinct.

" William C. Klepper, Fifty-fourth Precinct.

" Joseph L. Moran, Forty-third Precinct.

" William H. Newell, Fifty-fifth Precinct.

" Albert H. Owens, Sixty-seventh Precinct.

" Frank B. Pasfield, Sixty-third Precinct.

" Alfred W. Shuttleworth, Fifty-fourth Precinct.

" Andrew B. Touhey, Fifty-first Precinct.

ADVANCED TO SECOND GRADE—\$1,350—APRIL 23, 1900.

Patrolman Charles H. Chamberlain, Forty-sixth Precinct.

" John J. Dawling, Forty-ninth Precinct.

" William J. Hayes, Fiftieth Precinct.

" Daniel F. O'Connor, Fiftieth Precinct.

" Richard Owens, Sixtieth Precinct.

" John F. Rhatigan, Fifty-sixth Precinct.

" Theo. Smedeker, Sixtieth Precinct.

ADVANCED TO SECOND GRADE—\$1,350—APRIL 25, 1900.

Patrolman John J. Hallahan, Forty-ninth Precinct.

" Donald McLean, Second Precinct.

ADVANCED TO FIFTH GRADE—APRIL 23, 1900.

Patrolman Walter J. Abrams, Sixth Precinct.

" John J. Coleman, Thirty-fifth Precinct.

" Peter M. Duffy, Sixth Precinct.

" George S. Evans, Sixth Precinct.

" John F. Fitzpatrick, Twelfth Precinct.

" Jesse S. Joy, First Precinct.

" Joseph E. Miller, Twelfth Precinct.

" Frank J. Mueller, Tenth Precinct.

" John Murphy, Twelfth Precinct.

" Charles A. O'Rourke, Ninth Precinct.

" Henry Otto, Thirty-fifth Precinct.

" Terrence D. Quinn, Twenty-sixth Precinct.

" Elroy J. Quick, Thirty-fifth Precinct.

" Charles A. Voss, Hike.

" Charles F. Wireman, Eighteenth Precinct.

" Leonard J. Woodie, Fourteenth Precinct.

" Edison L. Yaw, Sixth Precinct.

Resolved, That the following Patrolmen be and are hereby advanced to grades as specified, and as of the dates respectively named, pursuant to an opinion of the Corporation Counsel dated April 21, 1900 (they having received compensation at the rate of \$900 per annum from the date of their employment on probation on the former Park Police, and having been appointed permanently as Patrolmen April 4, 1898), and that the Chief Clerk be directed to prepare a pay-roll of said names and the amount due each.

PATROLMAN.	PRECINCT.	TO SIXTH GRADE.	TO FIFTH GRADE.	TO FOURTH GRADE.
Edward R. Schneider	Twenty-seventh	Apr. 4, 1898	Apr. 4, 1898	Apr. 4, 1900
John J. Kerns	Thirty-first	" 4 "	" 4 "	" 4 "
Mark F. Horrigan	Twenty-seventh	" 4 "	" 4 "	" 4 "
Albert E. Stanley, Jr.	Seventh	" 4 "	" 4 "	" 4 "
Albert B. Van Winkle	Sixth	" 4 "	" 4 "	" 4 "
Charles E. Lee	Twenty-seventh	" 4 "	" 4 "	" 4 "
Maudie Hammon	Seventeenth	" 4 "	" 4 "	" 4 "
John Elert	Twenty-seventh	" 4 "	" 4 "	" 4 "
Joseph W. Kenney	Thirtieth	" 4 "	" 4 "	" 4 "



Resolved, That the following Patrolmen be and are hereby advanced to grades as specified, and as of the dates respectively named, they having been appointed permanently as follows: John J. Mitchell, January 2, 1889; Charles Hodgins, January 3, 1891, and Selah T. Terwilliger, January 5, 1891; and that the Chief Clerk be directed to prepare a pay-roll of said names and the amount due each:

PATROLMAN.	PRECINCT.	TO THIRD GRADE.	TO SECOND GRADE.	TO FIRST GRADE.
John J. Mitchell	Twenty-sixth	Jan. 2, 1891	July 2, 1891	Jan. 2, 1899
Charles Hodgins	Thirty-eighth	" 3, "	" 3, "	" 3, "
Selah T. Terwilliger	Twenty-ninth	" 5, "	" 5, "	" 5, "

Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to the following officers:

Roundsman John J. Collins, Fifty-fifth Precinct, from April 7 to April 17, 1900.  
Patrolman Frank Richards, Eleventh Precinct, from April 4 to April 18, 1900.  
" Martin F. Fay, Twenty-fifth Precinct, from March 7 to April 5, 1900.  
" Francis J. Brennan, Thirty-third Precinct, from March 17 to April 10, 1900.  
" Joseph P. McCormick, Forty-seventh Precinct, from March 16 to April 13, 1900.

#### RETIRED OFFICER, ON APPLICATION.

Patrolman David Maxwell, Sixty-seventh Precinct, \$700 per year.

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

Joseph H. Mahoney for Bowery Bay Building and Improvement Company.

John Altridge for Jacob Baker.

William Hynes for Holmes Electric and Protective Company.

Henry Richman for Holmes Electric and Protective Company.

Thomas M. Clifford for P. T. Walton.

Felix Gorman for Thomas C. Eppig.

Eugene Calhoun for Frank T. Gould.

Sam M. Kutz for Fresh Mineral Water Manufacturing Association.

Resolved, That the Board of Surgeons be directed to examine the following officers and report as to their physical condition, with a view to retirement:

Patrolman Thomas J. Munday, Twenty-first Precinct.

" John Carstens, Eighty-first Precinct.

Resolved, That the following concert licenses be granted:

Madison Square Garden Company, Madison Square Garden, one year from May 1, \$500.

Mandelstein & Wormser, Columbia Music Hall, Nos. 117-123 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, May 1 to August 1, \$150.

Ernest Hofman, Bushwick Music Hall, No. 1579 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn, May 1 to August 1, \$150.

E. D. Miner, Miner's One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

H. B. Sire, President Greater New York Amusement Company, The New York, Broadway, Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, May 1 to August 1, \$150.

Koster & Bial Company, Koster & Bial's, No. 145 West Thirty-fourth street, May 1, 1900, to May 1, 1901, \$500.

Patrick O'Neill, Clarendon Hall, Nos. 114-116 East Thirteenth street, May 1 to August 1, \$150.

Maurice Stack, International Music Hall, Nos. 396-397 West street, one year from May 1, \$500.

Philipp Dietrich, Dietrich's Columbia Casino, northeast corner One Hundred and Tenth street and Broadway, May 1 to August 1, \$150.

Philipp Dietrich, Dietrich's Annex, No. 533 West One Hundred and Tenth street, May 1, to August 1, \$150.

Albert J. Kramer, Atlantic Garden, No. 50 Bowery, one year from May 1, \$500.

Max Hochstim, Sans Souci, No. 100 Third avenue, one year from May 1, \$500.

Est. of H. C. Miner, Miner's Bowery Theatre, No. 165 Bowery, one year from May 1, \$500.

John F. Reilly, Ban Ton Music Hall, Nos. 115-117 West Twenty-third street, one year from May 1, \$500.

Est. of H. C. Miner, Miner's Eighth Avenue Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

Otto Huber, Brewery Company, Brooklyn Music Hall, Alabama avenue and Fulton street, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

Hammerstein Amusement Company, Victoria, Seventh avenue and Forty-second street, one year from May 1, \$500.

Montgomery Maze, Grand Central Palace, Lexington avenue, Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, one year from May 1, \$500.

Hartig, Seaman & Tuck, Harlem Music Hall, one year from May 1, \$500.

L. Maus, Lion Palace, One Hundred and Tenth street and Broadway, May 1 to August 1, \$500.

George C. Boldt, Waldorf-Astoria, Fifth avenue, Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, May 1 to August 1, \$150.

Henry Connors, Imperial Hotel, Ocean avenue and Thompson's walk, Coney Island, one year from May 1, \$500.

Joseph A. McGinn, Sea Beach Palace, Coney Island, May 1 to August 1, \$150.

F. B. Henderson & Co., Henderson Music Hall, Ocean avenue and Henderson's walk, Coney Island, one year from May 1, \$500.

John T. Rowe, Inman's Casino, Ocean avenue and Henderson's walk, Coney Island, May 1 to August 1, \$150.

Timothy D. Sullivan and Maurice Kraus (constituting firm of Sullivan & Kraus), The Dewey, No. 126 East Fourteenth street, one year from May 1, \$500.

Resolved, That the following applications for concert licenses be denied:

Casper Iba, Empire Music Hall, No. 253 Bowery.

William H. Meegan, Jamaica Music Hall, Queens.

Ellia Semansky, Lenox Music Hall, No. 1915 Third avenue.

Otto Urinstein, Lyceum Concert Garden, No. 502 Bowery.

Joseph Cassidy, Royal Music Hall, No. 310 Bowery.

Resolved, That the following amusement licenses be granted:

Brady & Ziegfeld, Manhattan Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

Percy G. Williams, Novelty Theatre, Driggs avenue and South Fourth street, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

A. H. Shelden & Co., Third Avenue Theatre, Nos. 443 to 447 Third avenue, one year from May 1, \$500.

Henry V. Donnelly, Murray Hill Theatre, Lexington avenue, Forty-first and Forty-second streets, one year from May 1, \$500.

Theodore Moss, Wallack's Theatre, No. 1220 Broadway, one year from May 1, \$500.

B. F. Keith, Keith's, No. 52 East Fourteenth street, one year from May 1, \$500.

Henry W. Savage, President and General Manager, American Theatre, Eighth avenue and Forty-second street, one year from May 1, \$500.

Jacob Litt, Broadway Theatre, No. 1441 Broadway, one year from May 1, \$500.

R. M. Gulick & Co., Star Theatre, Manhattan, one year from May 1, \$500.

August Pitou, Grand Opera House, Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue, May 1 to August 1, \$250.

M. Heine, Windsor Theatre, Nos. 45 and 47 Bowery, one year from May 1, \$500.

Daniel Frohman, Lyceum Theatre, Nos. 314 and 316 Fourth avenue, one year from May 1, \$500.

Daniel Frohman, Daly's Theatre, No. 1231 Broadway, one year from May 1, \$500.

L. A. Phillips, Phillip's Lyceum Theatre, Montrose avenue and Leonard street, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

A. H. Reeves, Criterion Theatre, Brooklyn, Nos. 968 and 970 Fulton street, one year from May 1, \$500.

Madison Square Garden Company, Garden Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

Charles E. Evans, Herald Square Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

Adler & Edelstein, People's Theatre, Nos. 100 and 201 Bowery, one year from May 1, \$500.

Joseph E. Moss, Harlem Museum, No. 2098 Third avenue, May 1 to August 1, \$150.

Charles Frohman, Madison Square Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

Sheldon & Barry, Carnegie Music Hall, one year from May 1, \$500.

F. F. Proctor, Proctor's Palace, one year from May 1, \$500.

A. Lichtenslein, Harlem Opera House, one year from May 1, \$500.

A. Philipp, Germania Theatre, East Eighth street, one year from May 1, \$500.

L. Spachner, Thalia Theatre, No. 46 and 48 Bowery, one year from May 1, \$500.

George W. Lederer, Casino Theatre, Broadway and Thirty-ninth street, one year from May 1, \$500.

Charles Frohman, Garrick Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

Hayman & Frohman, Columbus Theatre, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

H. C. Kenansly & Co., Hippo Theatre, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

Al. Hayman & Co., Knickerbocker Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

Charles Frohman, Criterion Theatre, Broadway and Forty-fourth street, one year from May 1, \$500.

Charles Frohman, Empire Theatre, Broadway and Fortieth street, one year from May 1, \$500.

J. Wesley Rosenquest, Fourteenth Street Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

Eden Musee American Company, Eden Musee, one year from May 1, \$500.

F. F. Proctor, Proctor's Fifth Avenue, No. 1187 Broadway, one year from May 1, \$500.

F. F. Proctor, Proctor's Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

Hyde & Behman Amusement Company, Park Theatre, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

Hyde & Behman Amusement Company, Hyde & Behman's Theatre, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

Hyde & Behman Amusement Company, Star Theatre, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

Hyde & Behman Amusement Company, Amphion Theatre, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

Hyde & Behman Amusement Company, Gayety Theatre, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

Hyde & Behman Amusement Company, Grand Opera House, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

Annie Isabel Hecht, Montauk Theatre, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

Henry Rosenberg, Metropolitan Theatre, Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-second street, Bronx, one year from May 1, \$500.

Antonio Pastor, Pastor's Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

G. H. Huber, Huber's Museum and Theatre, one year from May 1, \$500.

Estate of James Donaldson, London Theatre, Nos. 235 and 237 Bowery, one year from May 1, \$500.

May Donaldson, Olympia Theatre, No. 2304 Third avenue, one year from May 1, \$500.

Gilmore & Tompkins, Academy of Music, Manhattan, one year from May 1, \$500.

Chui You, Chinese Opera House, Nos. 5 and 7 Doyers street, one year from May 1, \$500.

H. B. Sire, President, Greater New York Amusement Company, The New York, Broadway, Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, May 1 to August 1, \$150.

Maurice Graa Opera Company, Metropolitan Opera House, one year from May 1, \$500.

Crowell Haddon, Treasurer, Academy of Music, Brooklyn, one year from May 1, \$500.

Notice of lien by Crandall & Hunter upon pay of James J. Curtin and John Hoey was referred to the Treasurer.

Resolved, That the following-named persons appearing upon the eligible list dated April 24, be and are hereby employed as Patrolmen on Probation, viz: John H. Gleason, John Taggart, John T. Carberry, George J. Von Hatten, William Dexter, Henry C. Dukeshire, Neil Browne and Edward J. Connolly.

On recommendation of the Board of Surgeons.

Resolved, That John Larkin, Joseph L. Naughton and William F. Henne, whose names appear on eligible list dated April 24, be referred to the Civil Service Commissioners for further physical examination.

On recommendation of the Superintendent of Telegraph.

Resolved, That the contract for supplying the Police Department with two thousand five hundred and fifty feet of lead-covered underground cable for the purpose of transferring the police telephone lines from Police Headquarters, Municipal Building, to the new Police Headquarters, No. 16 Smith street, Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby awarded to the National Cables and Cable Company for the sum and price of eight hundred and seventy-nine dollars, such cable to be furnished as follows:

1,200 feet 15-pair cable, to be laid on Smith street, from No. 16 Smith street to Atlantic avenue, 16 cents per foot.

350 feet 75-pair cable, to be laid on Smith street, from No. 16 Smith street to Fulton street, 48 cents per foot.

1,000 feet 40-pair cable, to be laid on Fulton street, from Smith street to Myrtle avenue, 22 cents per foot.

Drawing, splicing and connecting same, 6 cents per foot. All such cable to be paper insulated cable.

Resolved, That Patrolman Michael J. O'Laughlin be and is hereby granted permission to receive an honor medal from Volunteer Life Saving Corps of New York Inland Waters, for the rescue of a drowning person.

On reading and filing report of Inspector John J. Hatley, Third District.

Resolved, That honorable mention be and is hereby made in the records of the Department of the meritorious conduct of Patrolmen James F. Hannon and Martin Fay, Twenty-fifth Precinct, for bravery in rescuing Miss Margaret Harrington from the top floor of burning building No. 1368 Third avenue, at about 6.20 p. m., March 7, 1900, and that the medal of honor of the Department be and is hereby awarded to each of them.

On reading and filing report of Inspector John Brennan, Eighth District.

Resolved, That Roundsman John J. Collins, Bicycle Squad, Fifty-fifth Precinct, be and is hereby commended for bravery in stopping a runaway horse on Ocean parkway, April 6, 1900.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the Police Department of The City of New York be and is hereby authorized and directed to pay over to the heirs of Joseph Frankau, deceased, the amount of his salary amounting to the sum of seventy-six dollars and thirty-nine cents, due at the time of his death, without letters of administration.

Resolved, That the President of the Police Board be and is directed to request the District Attorney of the County of Queens to furnish to the Police Board any information he has in reference to the conduct of police officers mentioned in the presentment of the Grand Jury of Queens County.

On reading and filing report of Sergeant Thomas E. O'Brien, Inspector of Repairs and Supplies.

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the Police Department with building materials in accordance with the specifications therein, be and is hereby awarded to John Egan, No. 609 West Twenty-fourth street, for the sum and price as follows:

5,000 square feet of 3/4 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality white wood, dressed both sides. \$174 00

3,000 square feet of 1/2 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality white pine, dressed both sides. 135 00

3,000 square feet of 3/4 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality white pine, dressed both sides. 165 00

6,000 square feet of 3/4 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality white pine, dressed both sides. 390 00

10,000 square feet of 3/4 by 12 inches by 14 feet, No. 1, best quality white pine shelving. 400 00

7,500 square feet of 1 1/2 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality white pine, dressed on both sides. 487 50

6,000 square feet of 1 1/4 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality white pine, dressed both sides. 390 00

6,000 square feet of 1 1/2 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality white pine, dressed on both sides. 390 00

100 pieces of 1 1/4 by 24 inches by 7 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality white pine, dressed both sides. 210 00

200 square feet of 1 1/4 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality, black walnut, dressed both sides. 50 00

200 square feet of 3/4 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality, quartered oak, dressed on both sides. 22 00

200 square feet of 3/4 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality, quartered oak, dressed both sides. 24 00

200 square feet of 1 1/4 by 12 inches by 14 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality, quartered oak, dressed both sides. 26 00

500 pieces of 3/4 by 5 inches by 7 feet clear, well seasoned, best quality spruce, dressed on both sides and edges. 45 00

25,000 square feet of 3/4 by 2 1/2 inches clear, kiln-dried, best quality, light, even-colored maple, tongued and grooved flooring, with fly-matched ends. All flooring to be free from knots, sap, shakes, splits and all other imperfections. 1,050 00

500 linear feet of 3/4 by 4 inches North Carolina crown moulding, as per detail. 12 00

500 linear feet of 1 1/4 by 4 1/2 inches white pine crown moulding, as per detail. 15 00

500 linear feet of 3/4 by 3 1/2 inches white pine crown moulding, as per detail. 11 50

1,000 linear feet of 3/4 by 2 1/2 inches white pine base moulding, as per detail. 19 00

1,500 linear feet of 3/4 by 1 inch white pine moulding, as per detail. 11 25

3,000 linear feet of 3/4 by 1 1/4 inches white pine panel moulding, as per detail. 27 00

500 linear feet of 3/4 by 3/4 inch North Carolina quarter round, as per detail. 3 00

1,000 linear feet of 3/4 by 3/4 inch North Carolina quarter round, as per detail. 6 00

1,000 linear feet of 3/4 by 3/4 inch North Carolina quarter round, as per detail. 6 00

500 linear feet of 1 by 1 inch North Carolina quarter-round, as per detail. 3 75

1,000 linear feet of 11-16 by 3/4 inch white pine cove, as per detail. 7 00

1,000 linear feet of 3/4 by 1 1/4 inches white pine cove, as per detail. 8 50

250 2 feet by 6 feet 10 inches by 1 1/4 inches best quality white pine paneled doors, moidled on one side, all to be made as per detail. 475 00

8,000 linear feet of 3/4 by 3 inches best quality, clear, well seasoned, tongued, grooved and headed, white pine wainscoting, to be free from knots, sap, shakes, splits or other imperfections. 168 00



600 linear feet of 1 1/4 by 2 1/4 inches clear, well seasoned white pine nosing, as per detail.....	\$15 50
150 pieces of 2 by 5 inches by 6 feet in rough oak stall slats, half-nosed on one end, as per detail, all to be free from knots, sap, shakes, splits and be of an even width and thickness throughout entire lot.....	54 00
2,500 square feet of 1 1/4 by 12 inches best quality yellow pine step plank, to be nosed, tongued and grooved, as required. All to be free from knots, sap, shakes, splits and all other imperfections, and to be cut into lengths as directed.....	87 50
5,000 square feet of 3 by 4 inches clear, best quality, yellow pine calked flooring, to be tongued, grooved and milled, as per detail.....	175 00
3,000 square feet of 3 by 6 inches, matched, tongued and grooved spruce flooring, to be free from large or loose knots, sap, shakes or splits.....	90 00
2,500 square feet of 1 1/4 by 4 inches clear, well seasoned, best quality, tongued and grooved, yellow pine flooring, to be free from knots, sap, shakes, splits and all other imperfections.....	127 75
150 2 by 9 by 13 feet, best quality, rough spruce plank, to be free from knots, sap, shakes or splits.....	75 00
600 linear feet of 3 by 4 1/2 inches clear, well seasoned, best quality, oak door saddle, as per detail.....	21 00
10,000 square feet of 3 by 12 inches best quality spruce timber, in lengths as required.....	275 00
200 3 by 4 inches by 14 feet best quality spruce joists.....	67 20
200 2 by 4 inches by 14 feet best quality spruce joists.....	44 80
100 2 by 3 inches by 14 feet best quality spruce split joists.....	16 80
500 1 by 2 inches by 12 feet spruce furring strips.....	16 50
10,000 linear feet of 3/4 by 2 1/2 inches clear, kiln-dried, best quality quartered oak, tongued, grooved and beaded wainscoting, as per detail.....	400 00
500 linear feet of 3/4 by 6 inches clear, kiln-dried, best quality quartered oak base, as per detail.....	35 00
500 linear feet of 3/4 by 2 inches quartered oak base moulding, as per detail.....	15 00
500 linear feet of quartered oak capping and molding for wainscoting, as per detail, 500 feet of each member to be furnished.....	52 50
5,000 square feet of 1/2 by 1 inches best quality clear, selected stock, North Carolina, tongued, grooved and beaded, ceiling.....	115 00
3,500 linear feet of 2 by 4 inches best quality yellow pine, dressed on both sides and edges, all to be free from knots, sap, shakes, splits or other imperfections.....	105 00
250 1 by 5 1/2 inch by 16 feet. Tongued and grooved merchantable pine plank, dressed on one side only.....	122 50
1,500 square feet 3/4 by 2 1/2 inch. Clear, kiln dried, best quality, tongued and grooved, ash wainscoting, as per detail.....	105 00
1,500 linear feet, clear, well seasoned ash capping, as per detail.....	52 50
1,500 linear feet, ash moulding, as per detail.....	22 50
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$6,845 55</b>

—making a total of six thousand eight hundred and forty-five dollars and fifty-five cents, he being the lowest bidder, and that the President be and is hereby authorized to execute such contract for and in behalf of the Police Board on the approval of sureties by the Comptroller.

On reading and filing eligible list and certificate from the Labor Bureau of the Civil Service Commission.

Resolved, That Thomas McNoy, No. 151 Lincoln avenue, be and is hereby appointed Stableman, to be assigned by the Chief to the Borough of The Bronx.

Resolved, That the Bid of Morgan & Bro., Nos. 252 to 256 West Forty-seventh street, be and is hereby accepted, as follows: For removing voting booths and shelves sited in the Sixth Precinct, fifteen dollars; Eighth Precinct, five dollars; Tenth Precinct, fifteen dollars; Sixteenth Precinct, ten dollars; Nineteenth Precinct, fourteen dollars; Twentieth Precinct, nineteen dollars; Twenty-sixth Precinct, thirty-five dollars; to the storage warehouse, Nos. 252 to 256 West Forty-seventh street; and that the Superintendent of Elections prepare agreement therefor.

On reading and filing communication from the President of the Health Department.

Resolved, That Joseph Dowling, Twenty-first Precinct, be transferred to the Tenement-house Squad, in the place of Dermott Maloney, to be assigned to patrol duty by the Chief.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be and is hereby directed to prepare specifications and advertise for proposals for furnishing the Police Department with stationery and printing for primary election and for the general election; also specifications, etc., for official and sample ballots.

Resolved, That permission be granted to officers of the Twelfth Precinct to present silver having cup in Sergeant John J. McDermott on twenty-fifth anniversary of his connection with the Police Department.

On recommendation of the Committee on Pensions.

Resolved, That pension be granted to Mary E. Thompson, guardian, for the minor children of William Thompson, pensioner, deceased, at the rate of \$4 per week for the benefit of Walter Thompson, son of said William Thompson, until he shall have arrived at the age of 18 years.

Trial was had of charge against Patrolman Frederick J. Egan, Thirty-fourth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, before Commissioner Sexton, who reported the complaint dismissed. The following applications for concert license were laid over:

Terence P. O'Quigley, No. 390 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.  
Otto Ahrensdt, No. 290 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.  
Arthur F. Maylanth, No. 429 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.  
Charles J. Appel, Nos. 424 and 426 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.  
Herman Becker, No. 331 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.  
James Wilson, No. 132 Bowery, Manhattan.  
Frederick F. Fleck, No. 104 Bowery, Manhattan.  
Martin Stahl, No. 291 Bowery, Manhattan.  
Frank Pennachler, No. 101 Mulberry street, Manhattan.  
John Penta, No. 18 West street, Manhattan.  
Felix de Sorente, No. 335 East One Hundred and Ninth street, Manhattan.  
Max Pozzo, No. 16 Varick place, Manhattan.  
G. H. Huber, Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street, Bronx.  
Luigi Melmar, No. 130 Sachman street, Brooklyn.  
William H. Daly, No. 439 Grand street, Brooklyn.  
Pasqual Bismora, No. 172 Stone avenue, Brooklyn.  
Thomas B. Carr, No. 196 Grand street, Brooklyn.  
Solomon Pariser, Ocean avenue, near Thompson's Walk, Brooklyn.  
Henry Koster, Ocean avenue, and Jones' Walk, Brooklyn.  
George Lawrence, Ocean avenue and Jones' Walk, Brooklyn.  
Ernest Barnett, Ocean avenue and Bushman's Walk, Brooklyn.  
L. Redelshelmer, Surf avenue and West Tenth street, Brooklyn.  
George Bonhay, Old Bowery Bay road, North Beach, Queens.  
Frederick Erbe, North Beach, Queens.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX—SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 7, 1900.

### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SYNOPSIS OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 5, 1900.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during the week ending May 5, 1900, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

Central Office—Appointments, resignations, dismissals, etc., as per list attached. Proposals accepted, as per list attached.

#### ALMSHOUSE.

##### Appointments.

May 1, 1900. Taylor, Mary, Hospital Helper..... \$144 00

##### Resignation.

Apr. 30, 1900. Killweather, Mary, Hospital Helper..... \$144 00

##### Suspension.

Apr. 25, 1900. O'Brien, Patrick, Stoker (without pay, pending an investigation for failure to report for duty)..... \$360 00

#### BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

##### Appointments.

Apr. 28, 1900.	O'Connor, Kate, Hospital Helper.....	\$120 00
" 28, "	Downing, Mary, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 28, "	Foley, Nora, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 27, "	Clark, Mary, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 27, "	Flaherty, Mary, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
May 1, "	Halloran, Mary, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
Apr. 26, "	Mannell, Tessie, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 30, "	Bradley, Annie, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 30, "	Martin, Della, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
May 3, "	Brown, Mary, No. 2, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 2, "	Scott, Kate, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 1, "	Peterson, Hannah, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 1, "	Flaherty, Mary, No. 2, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 1, "	Hussey, Esther, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 2, "	Andrews, Ellen, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 1, "	Furey, Kate, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 1, "	Brooklyn, Kate, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 1, "	Brady, Kate, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 4, "	Colburn, Alice, Hospital Helper.....	120 00

##### Resignation.

April 30, 1900. Adams, Edward, Hospital Helper..... \$120 00

##### Suspension.

May 3, 1900. Gaylord, George S., Orderly (without pay, pending investigation on the charge of using insulting and abusive language)..... \$480 00

##### Dismissals.

April 27, 1900.	Larkin, Alice, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	\$120 00
" 27, "	Manning, Mary, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 27, "	Jones, Mary, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 26, "	Doobly, Jane, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 25, "	Davis, Kate, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 25, "	Craggy, Lizzie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
" 30, "	Barrett, Nellie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
May 2, "	O'Rourke, Maggie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
April 30, "	Meising, Lizzie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00
May 3, "	Finnegan, Bridget, Hospital Helper (absence without leave).....	120 00

#### CITY HOSPITAL.

##### Appointments.

May 1, 1900.	McCullough, Daniel, Hospital Helper.....	\$144 00
" 1, "	Madigan, John, Hospital Helper.....	60 00
" 3, "	Early, Thomas, Hospital Helper.....	144 00
" 3, "	Connors, Patrick, Hospital Helper.....	144 00
" 1, "	Elvin, Mary, Superintendent's Cook.....	240 00
" 1, "	Wade, George F., Hospital Helper.....	120 00

##### Returned to Pay-roll.

May 1, 1900. Smith, Philip, Steward (suspended March 7, 1900, for two months without pay, after a hearing, for intoxication and absence without leave)..... \$500 00

##### Resignations.

April 30, 1900.	Engel, Thomas, Hospital Helper.....	\$60 00
" 30, "	Buckley, John, Hospital Helper.....	120 00
" 30, "	Kelly, James, Hospital Helper.....	144 00
May 2, "	Dobson, Frederick, Hospital Helper.....	144 00
" 2, "	Smith, John, Hospital Helper.....	144 00
Apr. 30, "	Reise, Margaret, Hospital Helper.....	144 00
May 4, "	Reilly, James, Hospital Helper.....	144 00
" 4, "	West, John G., Hospital Helper.....	144 00

##### Dismissal.

April 30, 1900. Kearns, Kate, Waitress (insubordination, period of probation)..... \$240 00

#### GOVERNOR'S HOSPITAL.

##### Appointments.

May 1, 1900.	Kelly, Alice, Assistant Cook.....	\$192 00
" 1, "	Hall, Henry, Hospital Helper.....	\$144 00

##### Dismissal.

May 1, 1900. Carroll, Lizzie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave)..... \$144 00

#### HARLEM HOSPITAL.

##### Resignations.

April 30, 1900.	McGuillan, Rosanna, Hospital Helper.....	\$144 00
" 30, "	Giamera, Lizzie, Hospital Helper.....	144 00

#### FORDHAM HOSPITAL.

##### Resignations.

April 30, 1900.	Scott, Kate, Hospital Helper.....	\$144 00
" 30, "	Murray, John, Hospital Helper.....	144 00

#### METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL.

##### Appointments.

May 1, 1900.	Hepkirk, Francis J., Hospital Helper.....	\$60 00
" 1, "	McMahon, John, Hospital Helper.....	60 00

##### Resignations.

May 1, 1900. Smith, Kate, Hospital Helper..... \$144 00

##### Dismissal.

Apr. 30, 1900. Smith, Lizzie, Hospital Helper (absence without leave)..... \$150 00

##### Leave of Absence Granted.

May 5, 1900. Dickerman, Laura, Pupil Nurse (for two weeks without pay)..... \$120 00

#### OUT-DOOR POOR.

##### Appointments.

May 3, 1900. Gullfoyle, Edwin C., Examiner Charitable Institutions (certified by Civil Service May 1, 1900)..... \$1,000 00

##### Transfered.

May 1, 1900. Tonkin, James H., Clerk (from Storehouse)..... \$600 00

#### INFANTS' HOSPITAL.

##### Suspension.

May 1, 1900. Lewis, Harry P., Physician (without pay, for insubordination, pending investigation)..... \$500 00

##### Steamboats.

##### Appointments.

May 5, 1900. Colbert, Maurice, Stoker (certified by Civil Service, March 26, 1900)..... \$400 00

##### Transfer.

May 1, 1900. Callahan, Frank, Mate (from Department of Correction, transfer certified by Civil Service, May 1, 1900)..... \$720 00

##### Reinstatement.

May 4, 1900. Barrett, Andrew, Stoker (certified by Civil Service, October 28, 1899; appointed December 13, 1899, at Alms House; resigned April 17, 1900)..... \$400 00



STOCKHOUSE.  
Transferred.

May 1, 1900. Tonking, James H., Clerk (To Out-door Poor). \$600 00

The following proposal of April 9, 1900, was accepted April 30:  
Mahony Brothers, for material and work required for the refitting with new sash and window frames for Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island, for the sum of. \$12,914 00

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 11, 1900.

## Supervisor of the City Record:

Sir—The following appointments, etc., in this Department, from May 4 to date, are forwarded for publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to resolution adopted by the Police Board, on January 10, 1898:

## Appointed Private Secretary to Commissioner Hess.

Edward Hines, No. 214 East Forty-ninth street, \$2,500 per annum.

## Retired on Pension.

Inspector George R. Rhodes, Eleventh Inspection District.  
Patrolman Thomas McGee, Twenty-sixth Precinct.

## Resigned from Force.

Patrolman Henry Gannon, Eighteenth Precinct.

## Promoted.

Captain Thomas L. Oulahan, to Inspector of Police.  
James Kane, to Inspector of Police.  
Roundman Dennis Grady, Central Office, to Sergeant of Police.  
Patrolman James Kiernan, Central Office, to Roundman of Police.  
Respectfully,  
WM. H. KIFF, Chief Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND,  
THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
May 9, 1900.

## Supervisor of the City Record:

Sir—I beg to report the following action taken in connection with employees of this Department, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond:

Discharged, for Misconduct and Inefficiency, the charges being sustained at a hearing given this date.

Frank W. Burke, Painter.

Resignation Accepted, May 3, 1900.

John P. Hayes, Laborer.

Respectfully,

WILLIS HOLLY,

Secretary, Park Board.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE  
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,  
ZEROWSKI MANSION, CLAREMONT PARK,  
May 10, 1900.

## Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 154b, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby notify you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, that Bernard Farley, Inspector, has been discharged, owing to the completion of the work upon which he was engaged.

Respectfully yours,

AUGUST MOEBUS,

Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.  
ALFRED M. DOWNER, Private Secretary.

## Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
DAVID J. ROCHER, Chief of Bureau.  
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. GEORGE W. BROOKS, Jr., Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 18, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; WILLIAM H. JORDAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.  
Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM H. MCCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.  
Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City; PETER FLANAGAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Queens.

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books  
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor; SOLOMON BERNICK, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWLEY, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND  
The Mayor, Chairman; HENRY S. COLES, Comptroller; PATRICK KERNAN, Chamberlain; RANDOLPH GUNNINGHAM, President of the Council; and ROBERT M. CHAMBERLAIN, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, Members. EDGAR J. LARRY, Secretary.  
Office of Secretary, Room No. 21, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ESTIMATES AND APPORTIONMENT  
The Mayor, Chairman; THOMAS L. FRYMIRE (President), Department of Taxes and Assessments; Secretary; the COMPTROLLER, President of the Council, and the CORPORATION CLERK, Members; CHARLES V. ADAMS, Clerk.  
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Room 8, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 M.

BOARD OF ARMYORY COMMISSIONERS.  
The Mayor, ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Chairman; THE PRESIDENT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, THOMAS L. FRYMIRE, Secretary; THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, HENRY S. COLES; Brigadier-General JAMES

McLELLAN and Brigadier-General MCCORMICK BUTY, Commissioners.  
Address THOMAS L. FRYMIRE, Secretary, Stewart Building.  
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

## THE COUNCIL.

RANDOLPH GUNNINGHAM, President of the Council.  
P. J. SCHULY, City Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

THOMAS F. WOODS, President.  
MICHAEL P. BLAKE, Clerk.

## BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

Borough of Manhattan.  
Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 10, 11 and 12 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
JAMES J. COUGAN, President.  
JAN EDGAR RIGGS, Secretary.

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

Borough of Brooklyn.  
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#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

##### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE**  
Police Department with Two Thousand Six Hun-  
dred Tons of Anthracite Coal, viz: One thousand six  
hundred and forty tons of Egg-size and two hundred  
and twenty tons of Nut-size in the Borough of  
Brooklyn, and three hundred and sixty tons of Egg-  
size and two tons of Nut-size in the Borough of  
Queens, will be received at the Central Office of the  
Department of Police, in the City of New York, until  
2 o'clock P. M.

FRIDAY, THE 23rd DAY OF MAY, 1900.

The person or persons making an estimate shall  
furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Esti-  
mates for Furnishing Coal for Station-houses, etc., in  
the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens," and with  
his or their name or names, and the date of presen-  
tation, 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.

The coal is to be free burning, of the first quality of  
either of the kinds known and mined as follows:

"Scranton," by the Delaware, Lackawanna and  
Western Railroad Company.  
"Lackawanna," by the Delaware and Hudson Canal  
Company.  
"Pittston," by the Pennsylvania Coal Company.  
"Wilkesbarre," by the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal  
Company.  
"Jersey," by the New York, Susquehanna and  
Western Railroad Company.

Bidders will state the kind of anthracite coal they  
propose to furnish by giving the name of its mine or  
other business appellation.

The attention of bidders is called to the following  
provisions of the contract: "And it is hereby expressly  
agreed by and between the parties to this contract that  
the said party of the second part may and it is hereby  
authorized to increase or diminish the amounts of coal  
required to be furnished herein by an amount not to  
exceed ten per cent, without any other compensation  
to the said party of the first part than the prices per  
ton herein agreed upon to be paid for the amount  
actually furnished under this agreement."

Bidders will state a price per ton of two thousand  
two hundred and forty pounds for the coal to be deliv-  
ered. The price must be written in the bid and stated  
in figures. Permission will not be given for the with-  
drawal 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 pub-  
lic interests.

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

The coal is to be delivered within one year from the  
date of the execution and delivery of the contract, in  
such quantities and at such times and places in the  
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens as the Inspector of  
Repairs and Supplies of the Police Department may  
direct.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract

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 readvertised 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 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 box, and no estimate can be deposited  
in said box until such check or money has been ex-  
amined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct.  
All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder,  
will be returned to the persons making the same within  
three days after the contract is awarded. If the suc-  
cessful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days  
after notice that the contract has been awarded to him  
to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by  
him shall be forfeited 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.

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by appli-  
cation to the undersigned at his office in the Central  
Department.  
By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

New York, May 12, 1900.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

##### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE**  
Police Department with Two Thousand Six Hun-  
dred Tons of Anthracite Coal, viz: Two thousand  
One Hundred and Forty Tons of Egg-size and Three  
Hundred Tons of Nut-size, for the Boroughs of Man-  
hattan and The Bronx, and One Hundred and Fifty  
Tons of Egg-size for the Borough of Richmond, will  
be received at the Central Office of the Department  
of Police, in the City of New York, until 2 o'clock  
P. M.

FRIDAY, THE 23rd DAY OF MAY, 1900.

The person or persons making an estimate shall  
furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Esti-  
mates for Furnishing Coal for Station-houses, etc., in  
the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond,"  
and with his or their name or names, and the date of presen-  
tation, 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.

The coal is to be free burning, of the first quality of  
either of the kinds known and mined as follows:

"Scranton," by the Delaware, Lackawanna and  
Western Railroad Company.  
"Lackawanna," by the Delaware and Hudson Canal  
Company.  
"Pittston," by the Pennsylvania Coal Company.  
"Wilkesbarre," by the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal  
Company.  
"Jersey," by the New York, Susquehanna and  
Western Railroad Company.

Bidders will state the kind of anthracite coal they  
propose to furnish by giving the name of its mine or  
other business appellation.

The attention of bidders is called to the following  
provisions of the contract:

"And it is hereby expressly agreed by and between  
the parties to this contract that the said party of  
the second part may, and it is hereby authorized  
to increase or diminish the amounts of coal required  
to be furnished herein by an amount not to exceed  
twenty per cent, without any other compensation to  
the said party of the first part than the prices per  
ton herein agreed upon to be paid for the amount  
actually furnished under this agreement."

Bidders will state a price per ton of two thousand  
two hundred and forty pounds for the coal to be deliv-  
ered. The price must be written in the bid and stated  
in figures. Permission will not be given for the with-  
drawal 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 pub-  
lic interests.

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

The coal is to be delivered within one year from the  
date of the execution and delivery of the contract, in  
such quantities and at such times and places in the  
Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond as  
the Inspector of Repairs and Supplies of the Police  
Department may direct.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be  
awarded will be required to give security for the per-  
formance of the contract in the manner prescribed by  
law in the sum of Ten 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, to the effect that if the con-  
tract be awarded to the person making the estimate,  
they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as  
his sureties for his faithful performance; and that if he  
shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to  
the Corporation any difference between the sum to  
which he would be entitled 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 as  
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 men-  
tioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirma-  
tion, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same,  
that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New  
York, and is worth the amount of the security required  
for the completion of this contract and herein stated,  
over and above all his debts of every nature, and over  
and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise,  
and that he has offered himself as a surety in good  
faith and with the intention to execute the bond re-  
quired by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the  
security offered will be subject to approval by the Com-  
ptroller of the City of New York after the award is  
made and prior to the signing of the contract.



troller 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 readvertised 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 estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board, **WILLIAM H. KIVE**,  
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, May 12, 1900.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.**  
**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY**  
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 100 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

**ANDREW J. LALOR**,  
Property Clerk.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.**  
**OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PRO-**

erty Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

**CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD**,  
Deputy Property Clerk.

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**WILLIAM A. BUTLER**,  
Supervisor, City Records.

SEPTEMBER 6, 1899.

## NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY**  
the Executive Committee of the Normal College of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board of Education, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M., on

**MAY 22, 1900,**

for Repairing the Premises of the Normal College. Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the Estimating Room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Security by one of the guarantee companies, for the faithful performance of the contract, will be required.

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

A certified check or certificate of deposit must accompany each proposal to the amount of five per cent of the proposal.

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

Proposals to be addressed to "The Executive Committee for the Care, etc., of the Normal College of The City of New York."

Dated Borough of Manhattan, May 11, 1900.

**MILES M. O'BRIEN,**

**RICHARD H. ADAMS,**

**WALDO H. RICHARDSON, M. D.,**

**JOHN GREENE,**

**ABRAHAM STERN,**

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**PATRICK J. WHITE,**

**THOMAS HUNTER,**

Executive Committee of the Normal College of The City of New York.

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

### CORNELL UNIVERSITY STATE SCHOLARSHIPS.

(NOTICE PURSUANT TO THE LAWS OF 1894, CHAPTER 356, TITLE 12.)

**A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION OF CANDI-**

dates for the State Scholarships in Cornell University, falling to the County of Kings, will be held at the Hall of the School Board, No. 121 Livingston street, in the Borough of Brooklyn,

**SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1900,**

commencing at 9 A. M.

Candidates must be at least 16 years of age and of six months' standing in the common schools or academies of the State during the year immediately preceding this examination, and actual residents of this State.

No person should enter an examination unless prepared to accept a scholarship, should one be awarded.

The examination will be upon the following subjects, viz.: English, history (Greco-Roman, English, American), plane geometry, algebra through quadratic equations, and either Latin, French, or German, at the option of the candidate.

There will be as many candidates appointed from this county as there are assembly districts in this county. Candidates will become entitled to the scholarships in the order of their merit.

Dated at New York City, this sixth day of May, 1900.

**EDWARD G. WARD,**

Superintendent of Schools,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

### CORNELL UNIVERSITY STATE SCHOLARSHIPS.

(NOTICE PURSUANT TO THE LAWS OF 1894, CHAPTER 356, TITLE 12.)

**A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION OF CANDI-**

dates for the State Scholarships in Cornell University, falling to the County of Richmond, will be held at Public School No. 14, in the village of Stapleton,

**SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1900,**

commencing at 9 A. M.

Candidates must be at least 16 years of age and of six months' standing in the common schools or academies of the State during the year immediately preceding this examination, and actual residents of this State.

No person should enter an examination unless prepared to accept a scholarship, should one be awarded.

The examination will be upon the following subjects, viz.: English, history (Greco-Roman, English, American), plane geometry, algebra, through quadratic equations, and either Latin, French, or German, at the option of the candidate.

There will be as many candidates appointed from this county as there are assembly districts in this county. Candidates will become entitled to the scholarships in the order of their merit.

Dated at Stapleton, Richmond County, this 8th day of May, 1900.

**HUBBARD R. VETMAN,**

Superintendent of Schools,  
Borough of Richmond.

### CORNELL UNIVERSITY STATE SCHOLARSHIPS.

(NOTICE PURSUANT TO THE LAWS OF 1894, CHAPTER 356, TITLE 12.)

**A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION OF CANDI-**

dates for the State Scholarships in Cornell University, falling to the County of Queens, will be held at the High School Building in the Village of Jamaica,

**SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1900,**

commencing at 9 A. M.

Candidates must be at least 16 years of age and of six months' standing in the common schools or academies of the State during the year immediately preceding this examination, and actual residents of this State.

No person should enter an examination unless prepared to accept a scholarship, should one be awarded.

The examination will be upon the following subjects, viz.: English, history (Greco-Roman, English, American), plane geometry, algebra, through quadratic equations, and either Latin, French or German, at the option of the candidate.

There will be as many candidates appointed from this county as there are Assembly Districts in this county. Candidates will become entitled to the scholarships in the order of their merit. For circulars giving full information address the undersigned.

Dated at JAMAICA, N. Y., this sixth day of May, 1900.

**EDWARD L. STEVENS,**

Superintendent of Schools,  
City of New York,  
Borough of Queens.

### SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED

by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M., on

**MONDAY, MAY 21, 1900,**

for Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Public Schools 4, 12, 14, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

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Dated Borough of Manhattan, May 11, 1900.

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### CORNELL UNIVERSITY STATE SCHOLARSHIPS.

(NOTICE PURSUANT TO THE LAWS OF 1894, CHAPTER 356, TITLE 12.)

**A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION OF CANDI-**

dates for the State Scholarships in Cornell University, falling to the County of Kings, will be held at the Hall of the School Board, No. 121 Livingston street, in the Borough of Brooklyn,

**SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1900,**

commencing at 9 A. M.

Candidates must be at least 16 years of age and of six months' standing in the common schools or academies of the State during the year immediately preceding this examination, and actual residents of this State.

No person should enter an examination unless prepared to accept a scholarship, should one be awarded.

The examination will be upon the following subjects, viz.: English, history (Greco-Roman, English, American), plane geometry, algebra, through quadratic equations, and either Latin, French or German, at the option of the candidate.

There will be as many candidates appointed from this county as there are assembly districts in this county. Candidates will become entitled to the scholarships in the order of their merit.

Dated at New York City, this sixth day of May, 1900.

**EDWARD G. WARD,**

Superintendent of Schools,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

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will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau in the date of payment.

BIRD & COLER,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, MAY 5, 1900.

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,  
FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, MAY 4, 1900.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR ALTERING A PAVILION, TO BE KNOWN AS "ANNEX PAVILION," AT WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR ALTERING a pavilion to be known as "Annex Pavilion," at Willard Parker Hospital, Borough of Manhattan, for the Department of Health of the City of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Department, at their office, southeast corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, until 12 o'clock on Wednesday.

MAY 10, 1900.

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

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Department of Health, enclosed "Estimate for altering a Pavilion, to be known as 'Annex Pavilion,' at Willard Parker Hospital, Borough of Manhattan, for the Department of Health of the City of New York," also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known as he engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of \$5,000.

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

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

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

3rd. Bidders will state in their estimate a price for the whole of the work to be done in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performance of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimate for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the statement of his or their estimate, and receive the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect, and in case of failure or neglect so to do as they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be reawarded and rates and so on until it is accepted and executed.

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on his being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the supplies by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract, such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bid or esti-

mate, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application thereof at the office of the Department. The Department reserves the right to reject all bids if not deemed for the interests of the City of New York.

Comptroller and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained by application to the Secretary of the Board, at his office, fourth floor, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, New York.

M. C. MURPHY,

President.

WM. T. JENKINS, M. D.,

JOHN H. CONRY, M. D.,

ALVAN H. DOTY, M. D.,

BERNARD J. YORK,

Commissioners.

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,  
No. 148 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET,  
NEW YORK CITY, MAY 10, 1900.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN THE ERECTION AND INSTALLATION OF A BAKERS' OVENS AND BAKERS' MACHINERY, IN THE PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS and work required in the erection and installation of a Bakers' Ovens and Bakers' Machinery in the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 12 A. M. of

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, addressed "Bid or Estimate for a Bakers' Ovens and Bakers' Machinery, Blackwell's Island," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner and read.

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF NOT DEEMED FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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 amount of ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (\$1,500) DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence or place of business of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the 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, trust, bond or security companies in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on his being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the supplies by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract, such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Bidders will write on the amount of their estimates in addition to furnishing the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and the proper envelope to inclose same, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, and Hogan & Shattuck, architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York.

City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioners of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
MAY 12, 1900.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

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

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1900.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CEMENT PIPE, GRANITE HEADS FOR STRAIGHT SIDE INLETS AND IRON BASIN PANS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The quantities required of the above are as follows: 400 linear feet 12-inch Cement Pipe, 2,700 linear feet 15-inch Cement Pipe, 950 linear feet 24-inch Cement Pipe, 12 sets of Granite Heads for Straight Side Inlets, 12 sets of Iron Basin Pans.

The cement pipe to be of the standard sizes and dimensions used by the Department of Sewers, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The basin-heads and check pieces to be of granite of the size, shape and dimensions prescribed by the Department of Sewers, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for straight side basins.

The cast-iron pans to be of the sizes and forms and thickness to fit side inlet basins.

The above to be delivered on Ocean Parkway, between Twenty-second avenue and Kings Highway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, immediately after the award of the contract.

The amount of security required is \$1,500.

Bidders, or their representatives, must satisfy themselves, by personal examination, as to the nature and quantity of the work and materials required, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding relative to the nature or quantity of the work to be done or materials to be furnished.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on his being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the 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 section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

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

Each item of the proposals and information relative thereto can be had at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park, or at the Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,

GEORGE V. BLOWER,

AUGUST MOERUS,

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
MAY 2, 1900.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder or

bidders indicated thereon, will be received by the Park Board, at its office, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1900.

No. 1. FOR REPAIRS TO THE DRAINAGE OF A PORTION OF THE EAST DRIVE IN CENTRAL PARK, between Eighty-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. COAL FOR PARKS IN BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 3. SHARP BUILDING SAND OR GRAVEL, LIKE SAMPLE, FOR PARKS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 4. BUNTING FLATS, ETC., FOR PARKS IN BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 5. SHALE, SAND, STONE, SCREENINGS, FOR PARKS, IN BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

THE CONTRACTORS MUST BE BID FOR SEPARATELY. BIDDERS MUST NAME PRICE FOR EACH AND EVERY ITEM INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS UPON WHICH THESE BIDS ARE BASED, AND ALSO STATE THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THEIR BIDS.

Bidders, or their representatives, must satisfy themselves, by personal examination, as to the nature and quantity of the work and materials required, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding relative to the nature or quantity of the work to be done or materials to be furnished.

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

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

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

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

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

Specifications, blank forms for proposals and information relative thereto can be had and plans may be seen at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,

GEORGE V. BLOWER,

AUGUST MOERUS,

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
MAY 3, 1900.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

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FRIDAY, MAY 19, 1900.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY FOR THE CENTRE PAVILION OF THE EASTERN PARKWAY ELEVATION OF THE BROOKLYN INSTITUTE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Bidders, or their representatives, must satisfy themselves, by personal examination, as to the nature and quantity of the work, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding relative to the nature or quantity of the work to be done.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without



any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk thereof, 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 amount, 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 is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety; the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
GEORGE V. BROWER,  
AUGUST MOERUS,  
Commissioners of Parks of the City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
May 5, 1900.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1900,

for the following work to be done and materials to be furnished to the Borough of Brooklyn:

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE BAY RIDGE PARKWAY, from Fourth Avenue to the present Shore Drive.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING TWO STONE ARCHWAYS UNDER SECOND AND THIRD AVENUES.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 5,000 CUBIC YARDS OF LOAM, TO BE DELIVERED ON OLEAN PARKWAY, between Twenty-second Avenue and Kings Highway.

Specifications and plans of the above may be seen at the Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn.

THE CONTRACTS MUST BE BID FOR SEPARATELY. BIDDERS MUST NAME A PRICE FOR EACH AND EVERY ITEM INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS UPON WHICH THESE BIDS ARE BASED, AND ALSO STATE THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THEIR BIDS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him, or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any collusion 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 thereof, 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 amount, 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 is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation

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

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

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

Blank forms for proposals for the contracts can be had at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park, and at Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,  
GEORGE V. BROWER,  
AUGUST MOERUS,  
Commissioners of Parks of the City of New York.

## CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 577 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 725 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 43, Schermerhorn Building, No. 300 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, January 1, 1900.  
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,  
CHARLES A. JACKSON,  
OSCAR S. BAILEY,  
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,  
Clerk.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following-named streets, to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 300 Broadway, on or before May 29, 1900, at 12 o'clock A. M., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury.

Borough of THE BROOKLYN.

List 6900. Norwood Avenue, between Woodland road and Two Hundred and Seventh street; Hill Avenue, between Woodland road and Two Hundred and Seventh street; Perry Avenue, between Woodland road and Two Hundred and Seventh street; Two Hundred and Fifth street, East, between Woodland Avenue and Welton Avenue; Two Hundred and Sixth street, East, between Woodland Avenue and Perry Avenue; Two Hundred and Seventh street, between Woodland road and Parkside place, and Parkside place, between East Two Hundred and Fifth street and East Two Hundred and Seventh street.

List 6901. Tremont Avenue, from the New York and Hudson Railroad to the Transverse road under the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and from said Transverse road to Jerome Avenue.

List 6902. One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, from Brook Avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

List 6903. One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Jerome Avenue to Boscobel Avenue.

List 6904. Brown place, from One Hundred and Thirty-second street to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

List 6905. Crotona Park, South, from Fulton Avenue to Prospect Avenue.

List 6906. One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, East, from Franklin Avenue to Boston Road.

List 6907. Cheever place, from Mott Avenue to Gerard Avenue.

List 6908. Barretto street (For street), from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to Intervale Avenue.

Borough of MANHATTAN.

List 6909. Sherman Avenue, from Tenth Avenue to Kingsbridge Road.

List 6910. Cooper Street, from Academy Street to Ithaca Street.

List 6911. Neagle Avenue, between Kingsbridge Road and Tenth Avenue, excepting between Kingsbridge Road and Dyckman Street.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOS. A. WILSON,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
JOHN E. MEYENBERG,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 300 Broadway,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
May 12, 1900.

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

## Borough of THE BROOKLYN.

List 6898. No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, between Webster Avenue and Park Avenue; and in Park Avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-third and East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

List 6899. No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Rogers place, between Westchester Avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

List 6900. No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in Barretto street, from the existing sewer in Intervale Avenue to the amount south of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Webster Avenue to Park Avenue; and both sides of Park Avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-third to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Rogers place, from Westchester Avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; and north side of Westchester Avenue, from Stebbins Avenue to Rogers place.

No. 3. Both sides of Barretto street, from Intervale Avenue to a point distant about 450 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 300 Broadway, New York, on or before June 5, 1900, at 12 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOS. A. WILSON,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
JOHN E. MEYENBERG,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 300 Broadway,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
May 4, 1900.

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 6945. No. 1. Sewer in Sixty-third street, between East River and Avenue A, with overflow at Avenue A.

Borough of THE BROOKLYN.

List 6946. No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Prospect Avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; and in East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, between Prospect and Tinton Avenue.

List 6947. No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from the existing sewer in Intervale Avenue to Prospect Avenue.

List 6948. No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Crotona Park, North, from Arthur Avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

List 6949. No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Lind Avenue, from Wolf Street to Aqueduct Avenue.

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

No. 1. East side of Third Avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Sixty-ninth street; west side of Second Avenue, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-ninth street; east side of Second Avenue, from Sixty-first to Sixty-ninth street; both sides of First Avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-ninth street; east side of First Avenue, from Sixty-ninth to Seventy-ninth street; both sides of Avenue A, from Sixty-third to Seventy-ninth street; both sides of Sixty-third street, from Third Avenue to East River; both sides of Sixty-fourth street, from Third Avenue to Avenue A; both sides of Sixty-fifth, Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, from Third Avenue to East River; south side of Sixty-eighth street, from Second to Third Avenue; both sides of Sixty-eighth street, from Second Avenue to East River; south side of Sixty-ninth street, from First to Second Avenue; both sides of Sixty-ninth street, from First Avenue to East River; and both sides of Seventy-ninth street, from First Avenue to Avenue A.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Boston Road to Prospect Avenue; both sides of Home Street, from Tinton Avenue to Prospect Avenue; both sides of Prospect Avenue, from Stebbins Avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; and both sides of Tinton Avenue, from Home Street to One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Intervale Avenue to Prospect Avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Crotona Park, North, from Arthur Avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Lind Avenue, from Wolf Street to Aqueduct Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 300 Broadway, New York, on or before June 5, 1900, at 12 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOS. A. WILSON,  
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Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 300 Broadway,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
May 5, 1900.

## DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, May 5, 1900.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL whom it may concern that, pursuant to the provisions of the several laws of this State relative to the collection of taxes, water assessments, rents and rates, the said assessments, rents and rates levied and assessed in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens (formerly Long Island City), for the year beginning May 1, 1899, and ending April 30, 1900, will become due and payable on and after May 16, 1900, and must be paid to the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply at his office in the Hackett Building on Jackson Avenue, First Ward (former Long Island City), Borough of Queens; that the same may be paid without fee or interest charge within the period beginning May 16 and ending June 15, 1900; that on all bills remaining unpaid after June 15, and for thirty (30) days next following, interest will be added at the rate of two-thirds of one per cent., and that all such assessments, water rents and rates which are not paid within sixty (60) days from and after May 16, 1900, will be levied and collected in the manner provided by law, together with interest thereon,

at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, from said date, May 16, 1900.

The office hours for receiving money are from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 noon.

Taxpayers will please bring their last tax receipts or exact descriptions of their respective lots, in order to avoid delays or the payment of rates on the wrong property.

(Signed) WILLIAM DALTON,  
Commissioner of Water Supply.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, May 1, 1900.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Water Assessment rolls for the First Ward of the Borough of Queens (formerly known as Long Island City), City of New York, for the year from May 1, 1899, to May 1, 1900, have been completed and are now on file in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply for the Borough of Queens, in the Hackett Building, in the First Ward of said Borough of Queens, in said City of New York.

The said rolls have been left with the said Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply, where the same can be seen and examined by any person interested therein, up to and including May 15, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except on Saturdays, when the office will close at 12 o'clock noon.

The Commissioner of Water Supply, or the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply, will be at the said office, in the Hackett Building, in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, on Thursday, May 10, and Friday, May 11, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., on Saturday, May 12, from 9 A. M. to 12 M., on Monday, May 13, and Tuesday, May 14, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., for the purpose of reviewing said assessments for water rates and rents, when all grievances respecting the same will be heard, considered and determined.

WILLIAM DALTON,  
Commissioner of Water Supply.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

FRIDAY, MAY 19, 1900.

SALE WILL BEHOLD PUBLIC'S STATION AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

Sale to Continue Until Property is All Sold.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York will sell at public auction, under the direction of Peter F. Meyer & Co., Auctioneers, on the premises, the following-described buildings now standing within the purchase line of the New Croton Reservoir:

Parcel No.	FORMER OWNER.	DESCRIPTION.	Minimum Price.
149	Est. D. W. Slawson	House	\$100.00
	"	Cider mill, machinery, etc.	100.00
	"	Barn, 30 feet by 54 feet	20.00
	"	Barn, 25 feet by 34 feet	15.00
	"	Barn, 24 feet by 30 feet	15.00
	"	Ice-house	10.00
157	Joseph Benedict	House	25.00
	"	Barn, 45 feet by 25 feet	30.00
	"	Barn, 25 feet by 36 feet	20.00
	"	Barn, 25 feet by 34 feet	20.00
	"	Barn, 25 feet by 25 feet	15.00
158	M. C. Terrell	House	100.00
	"	Barn	30.00
	"	Shed	5.00
	"	House, tenant	15.00
159	Robert F. White	Barn, connected	75.00
160	Edward O'Connor	House	60.00
161	N. Reynolds	"	125.00
	"	Barn	45.00
162	W. H. Gardner	House	150.00
163	Oscar Moersch	Shed	20.00
164	M. C. Terrell	House	35.00
	"	Barn	15.00
	"	Ice-house	10.00
165	Bridget Doyle	House	40.00
166	Jane Hawley	"	40.00
167	Est. Leander	"	40.00
168	Est. Leander	House	25.00
169	Est. Stephen Butler	Barn	10.00
170	Est. Stephen Butler	House	20.00
171	Est. Stephen Butler	House	20.00
172	Est. Stephen Butler	House	20.00
173	Est. Stephen Butler	House	20.00
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196	Est. Stephen Butler	House	20.00
197	Est. Stephen Butler	House	20.00
198	Est. Stephen Butler	House	20.00
199	Est. Stephen Butler	House	20.00
200	Est. Stephen Butler	House	20.00

## TERMS OF SALE.

First—The purchase money must be paid on the day of sale.

Second—The buildings will be sold to the stone foundations.

Third—The buildings must be moved off the City's property by August 1, 1900.

Fourth—No building will be sold for less than the minimum price given in the City Record and in the posters.

Fifth—The buildings must be moved to new sites which are at least two hundred and fifty feet from the Croton river or any of its affluents or any drain emptying therein.

Sixth—None of the buildings shall be moved to land required for the New Croton Reservoir, as shown on the maps on file in the County Clerk's Office, at White Plains, Westchester County, New York.

Seventh—If any building or part of the same is left on the property of the City of New York on and after the first day of August, 1900, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the buildings or any part of building so left, and also to the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale, and the Aqueduct Commissioners may at any time on or after the first day of August, 1900, remove said buildings or parts of buildings, or remove or destroy the same.

The Aqueduct Commissioners reserve the right to



include from such sale any building or buildings that may be designated by the Engineer.

By order of the Assistant Commissioners of The City of New York.

JOHN J. RYAN,  
President.

HARRY W. WALKER,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 7, 1900.

### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR DRY GOODS, ETC., FOR THE YEAR 1900.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE ABOVE-MENTIONED SUPPLIES, IN CONFORMITY WITH SAMPLES AND SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CENTRAL OFFICE OF THIS DEPARTMENT, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK MIDDAY.**

**MONDAY, MAY 21, 1900.**

All goods to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1900 free of expense. No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except as herein specified, and none will be paid for by the Department.

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of fifty per cent. of the bid for each article. (No bonds or deposits required on bids under One Thousand Dollars.)

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

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

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

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

Bidders must state the price of each article per pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and stated up, as the bids will be read from the total footings and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item or state.

All estimates not conforming to these requirements may be considered as informal.

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 23, 1900.

### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ALTERATIONS TO THE MEN'S DORMITORY ON RANDALL'S ISLAND.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE-MENTIONED WORK, IN CONFORMITY WITH PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M.**

**MONDAY, MAY 21, 1900.**

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of One Thousand (1,000) Dollars.

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

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

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the plans and specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whenever they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

Bidders will write out the amount of their 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. Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 2, 1900.

### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO AMBULANCE NO. 8, AND REPAIRS TO TRANSFER WAGON FOR OUT-DOOR POOR DEPARTMENT.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE-MENTIONED WORK, IN CONFORMITY WITH PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M.**

**MONDAY, MAY 21, 1900.**

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 Repairs to Ambulance No. 8, and Repairs to Transfer Wagon for Out-Door Poor Department," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Four Hundred (400) 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 collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the plans and specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whenever they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

Bidders will write out the amount of their 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.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor, foot of East Twenty-sixth street.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,  
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 2, 1900.

### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR LIST OF HOSPITAL SUPPLIES, NO. 1, AND LIST OF REPAIRS, NO. 2, FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE BELOW-MENTIONED HOSPITAL SUPPLIES WILL BE RECEIVED AT**

the Central Office of this Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, until 12 o'clock noon.

**MONDAY, MAY 21, 1900.**

at which time they will be publicly opened and read. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposal for Hospital Supplies," with his or their name or names, and address, which should also be written on the page of the specifications designated therefor, and the date of presentation, in the hand of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department and read.

Bidders must state the price of each article per pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and stated up, as the bids will be read from the total footings and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item, or group of items.

All estimates not conforming to these requirements may be considered as informal.

If two or more bids are alike, the Department reserves the right to allot the article or articles among the bidders, or to make the award to any one of them. Bidders are not compelled to furnish more than 20 per cent. of any article in excess of the mentioned amount. But if they are willing, and the Department deems it advantageous, further purchases of the respective articles may be made, at the contract price, during the balance of the year.

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

All bids must be based upon the descriptions furnished or samples exhibited by this Department, and not on samples furnished by the bidder.

Samples will be on exhibition at the General Drug Department on the grounds of Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, during office hours, from Thursday, May 17, until the bids are opened.

#### SPECIFICATIONS.

**NOTE—All quantities to be "more or less."**

#### 1. DRUGS.

*Class 1—Drugs and Sundries.*  
*N. B.—Bids, to be considered, must be made on every line and item in this class.*

Contract	Line.	
2094.	1	5 pounds Ammonium Iodide, 1 lb. b.
2095.	2	20 pounds Ammonium Sulphate C. P.
2096.	3	10 pounds Borax, 5 lb. orig. b.
2097.	4	50 pounds Citric Acid, 1 oz. orig. p.
2098.	5	10 pounds Fl. Extract Conioides.
2099.	6	10 pounds Fl. Extract Digitalis.
2100.	7	10 pounds Iodine, 1 oz. orig. b.
2101.	8	10 pounds Potassium Iodide, 1 lb. b.
2102.	9	10 pounds Sodium Iodide, 1 lb. b.
2103.	10	10 pounds Strontium Iodide, 1 lb. b.
2104.	11	10 pounds Strontium Sulphate, 1 lb. b.
2105.	12	25 ounces Supracetol Gland, delec. Armour.
2106.	13	25 ounces Thyroid Gland, delec. Armour.
2107.	14	4 gross each, Boxes, Paper, Sliding, Sample.
2108.	15	No. 135 (1 1/2 inches by 1 1/2 inches by 1 1/2 inches).
2109.	16	No. 136 (1 1/2 inches by 1 1/2 inches by 1 1/2 inches).
2110.	17	2 dozen Brushes, Paste, Adams, "All Gavey, No. 1."
2111.	18	4 dozen Brushes, Paste, Adams (1244), No. 1.
2112.	19	10-200 Filters, White, Prat-Dumas, "22-7."
2113.	20	10-200 Filters, White, Prat-Dumas, "40-1."
2114.	21	2 cases (20 boxes each), Fly Paper, Tangle Foot.
2115.	22	3 Jars, Shave w. Lids, 1 sample, 20 gall.
2116.	23	1 Pill Machine, Cooper's, complete.
2117.	24	4 sets Weights, Metric, W. T. & Co.'s Cat., page 124 (of 1900), 100 gm. to 500 gm.

*Class 2—Chemical Apparatus.*  
*N. B.—Bids, to be considered, must be made on every line and item in this class.*

2118.	1	6 Casseroles, E. & A. 500, 1-inch.
2119.	2	6 Casseroles, E. & A. 500, 1-inch.
2120.	3	6 Dishes, Evaporating, E. & A. 675, 8-inch.
2121.	4	6 Dishes, Evaporating, E. & A. 675, 8-inch.
2122.	5	2 dozen Jars, Museum, W. T. & Co. 5000.
2123.	6	3 1/2 ft. 1-inch.
2124.	7	24 dozen Test Tubes, metric, 4 sizes, 1 dot nests in box, 3 in 6 inches.
2125.	8	4 dozen Test Tubes, 6 1/2 by 3 1/2 inches, like sample.
2126.	9	40 pounds Tinkling, I. R., vulc. E. & A. 2003, any size, strictly like sample.

*Class 3—Miscellaneous.*  
*N. B.—Bids, to be considered, must be made on every line and item in this class.*

2127.	1	Alarm Clocks, "New Haven Spruce."
2128.	2	6 Bells, Flute, Brass, like sample.
2129.	3	22 Cuspidors, loaded, like sample.
2130.	4	1 dozen Files, best, half-round, 8-inch.
2131.	5	1 dozen Hammers, Maydole's Atlas, 15-pound.
2132.	6	1 Meat Chopper, Entomorph No. 22.
2133.	7	2 Nail Pullers, Grist, 18-inch.
2134.	8	2 Perforators, tin, iron-bound, like samples.
2135.	9	4 Pliers, best, side cutting, 7-inch.
2136.	10	4 Pliers, best, end cutting, 7-inch.
2137.	11	2 Signs, jap. tin, lettered, like sample.
2138.	12	2 Step-ladders, best, Udell's, 8 feet.
2139.	13	2 Step-ladders, best, Udell's, 8 feet.
2140.	14	2 Step-ladders, best, Udell's, 10 feet.
2141.	15	6 dozen papers, Tinned Tacks, 4 oz., like sample.
2142.	16	2 Tin Pans, 13 inches by 20 inches, like sample, each with wood box.
2143.	17	400 square feet Wire Gauge, 23 inches wide, like sample.

*Class 4—Agate Ware, E. & A. G.*

2144.	1	100 Agate Ware, E. & A. G. (Agate Nickel-Steel, not furnished), covers to be "retained" when there is a choice, as follows:
2145.	2	1 Agate Tea Pot, 1000; 1 Agate Tea Pot, 1000; 1 Coffee Pot, 1000; 1 Tea Kettle, 1000 (bottom 10-inch); 1 Clinch Saucepan, 800; 1 Clinch Saucepan, 800; 1 Royal Saucepan, 1000; 1 Convec. Saucepan, 1000; 2 Convec. Saucepan, 1000; 1 Oval Tureen, 1000; 1 Milk Boiler, 1000; 1 Milk Boiler, 1000; 1 Corn Boiler, No. 2.

*Class 5—Rubber Stamps and Electro.*  
*N. B.—Bids, to be considered, must be made on every line and item in this class.*

2146.	1	1 lot (24) Rubber Hand Stamps, cushioned, size and lettering like sample.
2147.	2	1 Electro for Printing Druggists' Labels, like sample.

*Class 6—Nitrous Oxide Supplies.*  
*N. B.—Bids, to be considered, must be made on every line and item in this class.*

2148.	1	20 charges Nitrous Oxide Gas for 100-gallon cylinders (S. N. White Dental Co.).
2149.	2	1 Nitrous Oxide Gasoline 300 Cylinders, 100-gallon (S. N. White Dental Co.).

*Class 7—Surgical Supplies, Special.*  
*N. B.—Bids, to be considered, must be made on every line and item in this class. All these articles are to be of German or U. S. origin.*

2150.	1	10 Baupies, Deschamps, Beutler, cyclind.
2151.	2	10 Baupies, Deschamps, Beutler, cyclind.
2152.	3	10 Baupies, Deschamps, Beutler, cyclind.
2153.	4	10 Baupies, Deschamps, Beutler, cyclind.
2154.	5	10 Baupies, Deschamps, Beutler, cyclind.
2155.	6	10 Baupies, Deschamps, Beutler, cyclind.
2156.	7	10 Baupies, Deschamps, Beutler, cyclind.
2157.	8	10 Baupies, Deschamps, Beutler, cyclind.
2158.	9	10 Baupies, Deschamps, Beutler, cyclind.
2159.	10	10 Baupies, Deschamps, Beutler, cyclind.



- The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all of the bids offered, and to accept any bid offered.
- LEWIS NIXON,  
President.
- JAMES D. HILL,  
Secretary.
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- BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.**
- (BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.)  
Nos. 19 and 21 PARK ROW,  
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 so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Bailey avenue, between Harlem River terrace and Kingsbridge road, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 and 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 23d day of May, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which such proposed change of grades will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 2d day of May, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:
- Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 430 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, desiring it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of Bailey avenue, between Harlem river terrace and Kingsbridge road, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:
- Beginning at a point distant 344.85 feet northerly from the first tangent point south of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street, the elevation to be 51.0 feet above mean high-water datum as hereinafter:
- 1st. Thence northerly for 942.79 feet, the grade to be 26.6 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 2d. Thence northerly to the southeastern tangent point in Bailey avenue at Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 14.7 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 3d. The grade 23.0 feet in East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, on the eastern side of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, Pumpsam Division, is herewith discontinued.
- All elevations refer to mean high water datum as established in the Borough of The Bronx.
- Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above-named avenue at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 23d day of May, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m.
- Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
Nos. 19 and 21 PARK ROW,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, A  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE  
Board of Public Improvements of The City of  
New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do,  
proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New  
York, by laying out West One Hundred and Seventy-  
sixth street and West One Hundred and seventy-sev-  
enth street, from Kingsbridge road to Eleventh avenue,  
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 Nos. 19 and 21 Park row,  
Borough of Manhattan, on the 23d day of May,

1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which time 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 2d day of May, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 26 of chapter 28 of the laws of 1897, do hereby give, viz.:

The provisions of section 430 of chapter 578a, Laws of 1947, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Kinsbridge road and

(a) *West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth Street.*  
Beginning at the southwest house-corner of Wise One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Eleventh

1st. Thence westerly and parallel to the northern house-line of West One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street along the southern house-line of West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to its intersecting with the eastern house-line of Kingsbridge road.

and Seventy-sixth street is 66 feet from an l parallel to the previous course.

(b) *West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street.*  
Beginning at the southwest house-corner of West One Hundred and Seventy seventh street and Eleventh avenue, dist 100.66 feet northily from the northwest house-corner of Eleventh avenue and West One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street;

1st. Thence westerly and parallel to the northern house-line of West One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street along the southern house-line of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to its intersection with the eastern house-line of Kingsbridge road;

2d. The northern house-line of West One Hundred and Seventy seventh street is 66 feet from and parallel to the previous course.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out of the above-named streets at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board, on the 2nd day of May, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out of the above-named streets will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 23d day of May, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Secretary.

Dated New York, May 8, 1900.

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**MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.**

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF NEW YORK,  
CENTRE, ELM, MANHATTAN AND WHITE STREETS,  
NEW YORK, MAY 10, 1900.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT**  
open competitive examinations will be held at the  
offices of this Commission for the following positions,  
upon the dates specified:

Thursday, May 17, to A. M., INSPECTORS OF  
MASONRY. Subjects of examination: Writing,  
arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience. No  
notice to appear for this examination will be issued on

Saturday, May 10, 9:30 A. M., ASSISTANT ENGR.  
NEERS (CIVIL), RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.



The salaries will be, for Grade A, \$4,000; Grade B, \$3,500; Grade C, \$3,000 per year.

All who pass this examination will be eligible for appointment to Grade A, and will be so notified.

A second examination will be held at a later date, at which those who have passed this examination may appear, if they desire, and be examined for either Grade B or Grade C, but not for both.

Candidates will be examined on May 12 and 13 in technical knowledge, experience, mathematics and writing a report. The later examination will be purely technical. No notice to appear for this examination will be issued on any application filed after Saturday, May 12, 1900, at 12 noon.

**Monday, May 11, 10 A. M., RECREATION PIER ATTENDANTS (FEMALES).** Subjects of examination: Reading, arithmetic, duties and experience. No notice to appear for this examination will be issued on any application filed after Monday, May 7, 1900.

**Tuesday, May 12, 10 A. M., RECREATION PIER ATTENDANTS (MALES).** Subjects of examination: Reading, arithmetic, duties and experience. No notice to appear for this examination will be issued on any application filed after Monday, May 7, 1900.

LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
New York, May 4, 1900.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING** this Department with the Fire-hose below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 127 and 129 East Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M.,

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1900,**

at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

**Borough of Brooklyn and Queens.**

Five hundred (500) feet of 3½ inch Rubber and Duck Woven Fire-hose, "Comstock" brand or equal thereto. Amount of security required, Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

The time for the delivery of the hose is sixty days. No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the security required. Such check or money must not be delayed in the transit 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 to said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at Two (2) Dollars.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the hose, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

JOHN J. SEANNELL,  
Commissioner.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, May 10, 1900.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE** with section 400 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by residents of the Fifteenth District for Local Improvements, asking that Twenty-seventh street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, be repaved with asphalt, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Fifteenth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 2nd day of May, 1900, at 10 A. M., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JAMES J. COOGAN,  
President.

I. E. RINES,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,  
New York, May 11, 1900.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

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

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 1900,**

at 12 o'clock A. M., at which time they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read.

For the following work in the

**Borough of The Bronx.**

No. 1. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BELMONT STREET, from Morris avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

No. 2. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BELMONT PLACE, between Hoffman street and Morris street.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx.

JAS. KANE,  
Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,  
New York, May 3, 1900.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

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

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1900,**

at 12 o'clock A. M., at which time they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read.

For the following work in the

**Borough of The Bronx.**

No. 1. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, from Webster avenue to Valentine avenue, WITH BRANCH IN FORDHAM ROAD, from Kingsbridge road to Valentine avenue.

No. 2. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN KELLY STREET, from Intervale avenue to Westchester avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx.

JAS. KANE,  
Commissioner of Sewers.

## SUPREME COURT.

### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening

**GARDNER AVENUE**, from Johnson avenue to Flushing avenue, in the Eighteenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 18th day of February, 1900, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessors, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, and filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 15th day of February, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessors, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and

premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 6th day of June, 1900, at 12 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, May 10, 1900.

ANDREW T. VAN THUM, Jr.,  
JAMES P. FARRELL,  
ALBERT J. BUTTLING,  
Commissioners.

M. E. FISHER,  
Clerk.

### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening

**EAST THIRTY-SECOND STREET**, from Church avenue to Avenue C, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 18th day of September, 1899, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessors, parties or persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, and filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 15th day of September, 1899; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessors, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by law.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 6th day of June, 1900, at 12 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further and other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, May 10, 1900.

THOMAS F. SMITH,  
JOHN W. CARPENTER,  
SEWARD SHANAHAN,  
Commissioners.

M. E. FISHER,  
Clerk.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to **EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET** (although not yet named by proper authority), from Eldon avenue to Mott avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 18th day of February, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of April, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York and entered in the Index of Conveyances, Section 9, Block Nos. 2382, 2383, 2407, 2408, 2410, 2419, 2421, 2443, 2444, 2454, 2459, 2460, on the Land Map of the County of New York, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessors, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Chapter 27, title 1 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or supplementary thereto.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, sixth floor, Nos. 92

and 94 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of June, 1900, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, May 12, 1900.

JOHN J. QUINLAN,  
GEORGE DRAKE SMITH,  
MAURISON GRANT,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

### FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York to certain lands on **CHAMBERS, CENTRE AND READE STREETS**, in the Sixth Ward of said City, duly selected and located by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York as a site upon which to erect a building sufficient to provide suitable accommodation for the office and use of the Register of the City and County of New York and for other public offices, uses and purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 27 of the Laws of 1897.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE RE-**port of Franklin B. Men, Michael Coleman and S. Stanwood Menken, the Commissioners of Appraisal duly appointed in the above-entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 25th day of May, 1900, was filed in the office of the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York (the successor of the Commissioner of Public Works of The City of New York), Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of May, 1900.

Notice is further given that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court at a Special Term thereof to be held in Part III, in the First Judicial Department, at the County Court-house in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 24th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or at some thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 11, 1900.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

### SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of Thomas F. Gilroy, Commissioner of Public Works of The City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1887, and the laws amendatory thereof, on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under said acts.

**COUNSEL DAM—SEVENTH SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDING.**

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Third Separate Report of Henry C. Henderson, James H. Briggs and Quinton Corwin, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter, was filed in the Clerk's office of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, on the 10th day of March, 1900.

Notice is further given that said report includes and affects the parcels of land designated as Parcels Nos. 24, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134 and 135.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Second Judicial District, in the Court-house, in the Village of White Plains, State of New York, on the 19th day of May, 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or at some thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming the said Third Separate Report, and for such other relief as may be just.

Dated, New York, April 21, 1900.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Office and post office address,  
No. 2 Tryon row,  
New York City.

### SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application and petition of Charles H. T. Collins, as Commissioner of Public Works of The City of New York, for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York, under chapter 189 of the Laws of 1891, and the acts amendatory thereof, to acquire certain real estate, as the term "real estate" is defined in said acts, for the purpose of providing for the sanitary protection of the sources of the water supply of the City of New York.

**DISCONTINUANCE PROCEEDING—NOTICE OF FILING AND APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER CONFIRMING.**

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Third Separate Report of William Temple Emmet, Leonard Rose and John A. Conolly, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter, was filed in the Clerk's office of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, on the 10th day of March, 1900, and a certified copy thereof was filed at Carmel, Putnam County Clerk's Office, on the 12th day of March, 1900.

Notice is further given that the said report includes and affects the parcels of land designated as follows: Carmel—Nos. 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13 and 15; and Patterson Station—No. 29.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Second Judicial District, in the Court-house, in the Village of White Plains, State of New York, on the 19th day of May, 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or at some thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming the said Third Separate Report, and for such other relief as may be just.

Dated, New York, 11th day of April, 1900.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Office and post office address,  
No. 2 Tryon row,  
New York City.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening

**A PUBLIC PLACE**, bounded by Tremont avenue, Barnside avenue, Webster avenue and Rye avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

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



First—That we have completed our estimate of assessment for lots, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the first day of May, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of June, 1900, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said assessment, together with our benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of June, 1900.

Third—That pursuant to the notice heretofore given when we filed our estimate of damage the lands of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Morris avenue to Park avenue, and by the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Park avenue to Third avenue; on the south side by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Third avenue to Park avenue, and by the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Park avenue to Morris avenue; on the east by Park avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-third street to East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, and by the easterly side of Third avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-third street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; on the west by the easterly side of Morris avenue, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our last partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 1st day of June, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, April 9, 1900.

PETER A. WALSH,  
JAMES D. FARRELL,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Community of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening TRINITY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westchester avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of May, 1900, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges, and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 559 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 374 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 8, 1900.

WILHELM MURDOCK,  
LORENZO S. PALMER,  
PETER F. RAFFERTY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Community of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to all the real estate not owned by The Mayor, Aldermen and Community of The City of New York, or any right, title or interest therein not extinguishable by public authority, mentioned and described in the first section of an act entitled "An Act to provide for an addition to Riverside park, in the City of New York," being chapter 727 of the Laws of 1896.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of May, 1900, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 25, 1900.

ALEXANDER T. MASON,  
SAMUEL SANDERS,  
HENRY L. NELSON,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Community of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PUBLIC PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Hall street and Rogers place, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested

in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of assessment for benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the first day of May, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of June, 1900, at 4:30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said assessment, together with our benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of June, 1900.

Third—That pursuant to the notice heretofore given when we filed our estimate of damage the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Dawson street with the middle line of the block, between Stebbins avenue and Rogers place; running thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of that part of the middle line of the block, between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, lying westwardly from Stebbins avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the block to the easterly side of Forest avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Forest avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block, between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Hall place and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence northerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with the middle line of the block between Intervale avenue and Stebbins avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation northerly to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence southerly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to its intersection with the northerly easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Intervale avenue and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence southerly along said northerly easterly prolongation and parallel line to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Intervale avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 250 feet northerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Harrois street; thence southerly along said westerly side of Harrois street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 250 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Intervale avenue and Rogers place; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to the northerly side of Dawson street; thence southwestwardly along said northerly side of Dawson street to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our last partial and separate report herein will be presented in the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 1st day of June, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, April 24, 1900.

FRANK McDERMOTT,  
EDWARD S. KAUFMAN,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Community of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening TRINITY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westchester avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of May, 1900, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 559 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 374 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, April 24, 1900.

FRANK McDERMOTT,  
EDWARD S. KAUFMAN,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Community of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PUBLIC PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Hall street and Rogers place, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of May, 1900, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of chapter 22 of the Laws of 1895, and other acts of the Legislature pertaining thereto.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 1, 1900.

WILLIAM H. ELLISON,  
ROBERT McCAFFERTY,  
ROBT. E. DEYO,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of HURST (STREET) AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Greenwich avenue to Jackson avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 25th day of March, 1900, and duly entered in the office

of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 18th day of April, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed for indexing in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, in the respective owners, lessors, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of the City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 28th day of April, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessors, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office, on the 1st day of June, 1900, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other times and places as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, May 8, 1900.

JOHN ALLEN,  
F. GILSEY MEADING,  
C. J. DILLON,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to JUMEL PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Edgemoor road, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 18th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Jumel place, from West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Edgemoor road, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street distant 93.65 feet southerly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; 1st. Thence northerly and parallel to Amsterdam avenue for 165.50 feet to Edgemoor road; 2d. Thence southerly along said line for 78.20 feet; 3d. Thence southerly and parallel to Amsterdam avenue for 165.50 feet to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; 4th. Thence northerly along said line for 71.50 feet to point or place of beginning.

Jumel place is shown on map entitled "Plan and Profile, showing Edgemoor road, between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Tenth avenue, and the streets included between the same, Kingsbridge road and Tenth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of The City of New York, as altered, established and classified by the Commissioner of Public Parks, in pursuance to the provisions of chapter 684 of the Laws of 1894 and chapter 436 of the Laws of 1895, dated October 24, 1896."

Filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, Secretary of State of the State of New York, and Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks of The City of New York on or about March 10, 1898, and is also shown on map of the extension of Jumel place, from its present terminus to the westerly line of Edgemoor road, filed in the office of the Department of Public Works of The City of New York, Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, Register of the County of New York, Department of Public Parks of the State of New York, on or about the 15th day of September, 1899.

The land to be taken for Jumel place is located in Block 222 of Section 8 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 7, 1900.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hamilton terrace to Convent avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 18th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Hamilton

terrace to Convent avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Convent avenue distant 777 feet 6 inches northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street; 1st. Thence easterly and parallel with said street for 200 feet; 2d. Thence northerly and parallel to Convent avenue for 60 feet; 3d. Thence westerly and parallel to West One Hundred and Forty-first street for 200 feet to Convent avenue; 4th. Thence southerly for 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

And is shown on map entitled "Map and Profile of the New Streets, the Extension of West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, for a distance of 200 feet easterly from Convent avenue; and the new street to be known as Hamilton terrace, from West One Hundred and Forty-first street for a distance of 777 feet 6 inches northerly, said street being parallel to and distant 200 feet easterly from Convent avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York," filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York and in the office of the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York on or about September 20, 1899.

The land to be taken for West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street is located in Block 222 of Section 7 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 7, 1900.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to SULLIVAN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from West Third street to West Fourth street, in the Fifteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 18th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Sullivan street, from West Third street to West Fourth street, in the Fifteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of West Third street distant 200 feet easterly from the easterly line of Macdougall street; 1st. Thence northerly and parallel to said street to the southerly line of West Fourth street for 200 feet; 2d. Thence easterly and along said line for 50 feet; 3d. Thence southerly and parallel to Macdougall street to northerly line of West Third street for 200 feet; 4th. Thence westerly along said line for 50 feet to the point or place of beginning.

And is shown on map entitled "Map and Profile of the New Street, the extension of Sullivan street, from West Third to West Fourth street, in the Fifteenth Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York," filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York and in the office of the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York on or about the 1st day of January, 1900.

The land to be taken for Sullivan street is located in Block 241, Section 2 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 7, 1900.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to HAMILTON TERRACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from West One Hundred and Forty-first street to West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 18th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Hamilton terrace, from West One Hundred and Forty-first street to West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street distant 200 feet easterly from the easterly line of Convent avenue; 1st. Thence northerly and parallel with said avenue for 777.50 feet; 2d. Thence easterly and parallel to One Hundred and Forty-first street for 60 feet; 3d. Thence southerly and parallel to Convent avenue for 777.50 feet; 4th. Thence westerly for 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Shown on map entitled "Map and Profile of the New Streets, the extension of West One Hundred and Forty-first street, for a distance of 200 feet easterly from Convent avenue, and the new street to be known as Hamilton terrace, from West One Hundred and Forty-first street for a distance of 777 feet and 6 inches northerly, said street being parallel to and distant 200 feet easterly from Convent avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York," filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, and the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York on or about September 20, 1899.

The land to be taken for Hamilton terrace is located in Block 222 of Section 7 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 7, 1900.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.



## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Council of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and improvements required for the purpose of opening WALTON STREET (East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street) (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster street to Marion avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a residential street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter up to and including the 30th day of November, 1899, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices in the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 27th day of May, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 27, of chapter 372 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 12, 1899.

FREDERIC A. TANNER,  
CORNELIUS DONOVAN,  
HENRY REYNARD,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUFF,  
Clerk.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EXTERIOR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the westerly side of Cronwell's creek to East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 27th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Exterior Street, from the westerly side of Cronwell's creek to East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

- Beginning at a point in the western line of Exterior street, distant 100 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the land acquired for the approach to the Central Bridge over the Harlem river;
- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of Exterior street, distant 100 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the westerly line of the land acquired for the approach to the Central Bridge over the Harlem river;
- 2d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 30 degrees 30 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 4th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 5th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 6th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 7th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 8th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 9th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 10th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 11th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 12th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 13th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 14th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 15th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 16th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 17th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 18th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 19th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 20th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 21st. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 22nd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 23rd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 24th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 25th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 26th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 27th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 28th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 29th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 30th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 31st. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 32nd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 33rd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 34th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 35th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 36th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 37th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 38th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 39th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 40th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 41st. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 42nd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 43rd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 44th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 45th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 46th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 47th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 48th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 49th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 50th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 51st. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 52nd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 53rd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 54th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 55th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 56th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 57th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 58th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 59th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 60th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 61st. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 62nd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 63rd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 64th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 65th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 66th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 67th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 68th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 69th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 70th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 71st. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 72nd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 73rd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 74th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 75th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 76th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 77th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 78th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 79th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 80th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 81st. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 82nd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 83rd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 84th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 85th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 86th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 87th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 88th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 89th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 90th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 91st. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 92nd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 93rd. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 94th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 95th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 96th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 97th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 98th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;
- 99th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 100th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the right for 100 feet;

Exterior street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on sections 15 and 16 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York, on November 23, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on November 23, 1895.

The land to be taken for Exterior street is located in Blocks 1482 and 1483 of section 7 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ROCKWOOD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 27th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Rockwood street, from Walton avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

- Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Walton avenue, distant 40 feet southward from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Belmont street;
- 1st. Thence southeasterly along said eastern line of Walton avenue for 60 feet;

2d. Thence easterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 375 feet to the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse;

3d. Thence northwesterly along said last-mentioned line for 60 feet;

4th. Thence westerly for 25 feet to the point of beginning.

Rockwood street is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on sections 9 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York, on December 21, 1895, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on November 23, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on November 23, 1895.

The land to be taken for Rockwood street is located in Blocks 1482 and 1483 of section 7 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 5, 1900.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WIEGAND PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street to the southerly line of the property of the University of The City of New York, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 27th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Wiegand place, from East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street to the southerly line of the property of the University of The City of New York, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

- Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, as the same is laid down on the map or plan of section 14 of the Final Map of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, distant 277.48 feet westerly of the western line of Agard street, measured along the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street;
- 1st. Thence westerly along said northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street for 33.33 feet;
- 2d. Thence northwesterly, deflecting 110 degrees 4 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 250 feet;
- 3d. Thence northerly, deflecting 35 degrees 24 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 135.24 feet to the southerly line of the University of The City of New York;
- 4th. Thence easterly, deflecting 30 degrees 31 minutes 45 seconds to the right for 135.24 feet along the southerly line of the University of The City of New York;
- 5th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 70 degrees 5 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 135.24 feet to the point of beginning.

Wiegand place is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on sections 14 and 15 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York, on November 23, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, on November 23, 1895.

The land to be taken for Wiegand place lies in Blocks 1482 and 1483 of section 7 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 5, 1900.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to DAVIDSON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Fordham road, and from East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street to Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 27th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Davidson avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Fordham road, and from East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street to Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

- Beginning at a point in the southern line of Tremont avenue, distant 200 feet westward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;
- 1st. Thence westerly for 70 feet to the southerly line of Tremont avenue and curving to the left on the arc of a circle;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly for 75.58 feet on a straight line which forms an angle of 23 degrees 7 minutes 25 seconds to the west from the radius of the preceding curve drawn from the western extremity of said curve;
- 3d. Thence easterly, deflecting 12 degrees 13 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 65.54 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly for 171.51 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Burnside avenue, distant 200 feet westward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence westerly along the southerly line of Burnside avenue for 75.54 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly for 200 feet on a straight line forming an angle of 23 degrees 13 minutes 45 seconds to the west from the prolongation of the radius of the preceding curve through the western extremity of said curve to the southern line of Tremont avenue;

3d. Thence easterly along said line for 75.54 feet;

4th. Thence northeasterly for 171.51 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Burnside avenue, distant 200 feet westward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence westerly along the southerly line of Burnside avenue for 75.54 feet;
- 2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 23 degrees 30 minutes to the right for 200 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly along said line for 60 feet;
- 4th. Thence southeasterly for 915.47 feet to the point of beginning;

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Clinton place, distant 200 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of Clinton place for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 30 degrees to the left for 200 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly along said line for 60 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly for 200 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Clinton place, distant 200 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of Clinton place for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 30 degrees to the right for 200 feet to the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly along said line for 60 feet;
- 4th. Thence southeasterly for 200 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, distant 200 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 30 degrees to the left for 200 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly along said line for 60 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly for 200 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, distant 200 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 30 degrees to the right for 200 feet;
- 3d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 5 degrees 10 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 250 feet to the southern line of Fordham road;
- 4th. Thence easterly for 75.54 feet along the southern line of Fordham road and curving to the left on the arc of a circle;
- 5th. Thence southeasterly for 200 feet on a straight line which forms an angle of 23 degrees 13 minutes 45 seconds to the west from the southern prolongation of the radius of the preceding curve drawn through the eastern extremity of said curve;
- 6th. Thence southeasterly for 1,250.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street distant 200 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 30 degrees to the left for 200 feet;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly for 250.55 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street distant 200 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 30 degrees to the left for 200 feet;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly for 250.55 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street distant 200 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 30 degrees to the left for 200 feet;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly for 250.55 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street distant 200 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 30 degrees to the left for 200 feet;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly for 250.55 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street distant 200 feet northward from the intersection of said line with the western line of Jerome avenue;

- 1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 30 degrees to the left for 200 feet;
- 3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes to the left for 100 feet;
- 4th. Thence northeasterly for 250.55 feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, May 5, 1900.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Riverside avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 27th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as West Two Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Broadway to Riverside avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

- Beginning at a point in the western line of Broadway, distant 200 feet southward from the intersection of said line with the southern line of West Two Hundred and Sixty-first street;
- 1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Broadway for 60 feet;
- 2d. Thence westerly, deflecting 30 degrees to the right for 100 feet;
- 3d. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

4th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

5th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 100 feet;

6th. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 30 degrees 37 minutes 30 seconds to the left for 100 feet;

7th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

8th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

9th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

10th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

11th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

12th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

13th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

14th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

15th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

16th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

17th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

18th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;

19th. Thence westerly, deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 100 feet;



12. Thence westerly along the northern line of Boston road for 60 feet;  
13. Thence northerly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 10 feet;  
14. Thence easterly, deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 33.44 feet;  
15. Thence westerly for 5.75 feet, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 340 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course;  
16. Thence southerly for 260.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Suburban place is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on Section No. 20 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the City of New York on June 12, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York June 15, 1895.

The land to be taken for Suburban place is located in Block 209 of section 21 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 5, 1900.  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Crotona Park, East, to Boston road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 17th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Crotona Park, East, to Boston road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Boston road distant 106.61 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the western line of the Southern Boulevard;

1st. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle for 60.00 feet along the northern line of Boston road;  
2d. Thence northwesterly for 260.00 feet on a straight line which forms an angle of 90 degrees or minutes or seconds to the west with the radius of the preceding curve, drawn northwesterly from the western extremity;

3d. Thence northwesterly, curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 340 feet radius for 50.00 feet, the prolongation of the radius of said circle through the northern extremity of said curve forms an angle of 7 degrees 28 minutes 28 seconds to the west with said curve;

4th. Thence northwesterly for 350.00 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Seventy-third street is designated as a street of the first-class, and is shown on section No. 20 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on June 12, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on June 14, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York June 15, 1895.

The land to be taken for East One Hundred and Seventy-third street is located in Blocks 209 and 210 of section 21 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 5, 1900.  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CROTONA PARK, EAST (although not yet named by proper authority), from Crotona Park, South, to the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 17th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Crotona Park, East, from Crotona Park, South, to the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Crotona Park, where the same is intersected by the northern line of Western avenue;

1st. Thence southerly along the southern line of Western avenue for 50.35 feet;

2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 26 degrees 10 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 97.36 feet;

3d. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 250 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 27.16 feet;

4th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 313.70 feet to the northern line of Prospect avenue;

5th. Thence northwesterly along said line for 50 feet to the eastern line of Crotona Park;

6th. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Crotona Park for 225.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Crotona Park, where the same is intersected by the northern line of Western avenue;

1st. Thence southerly along the northern line of Western avenue for 50.35 feet;

2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 81 degrees 40 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 125.30 feet;

3d. Thence northwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 500 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 408.75 feet to the western line of Charlotte street;

4th. Thence northerly along the western line of Charlotte street for 60 feet to the eastern line of Crotona Park;

5th. Thence westerly and southerly along the eastern line of Crotona Park for 225.00 feet to the point of beginning.

## PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the western line of the Southern Boulevard distant 400.75 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street;

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of Southern Boulevard for 60.00 feet;

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees 6 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 60.00 feet;

3d. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees 6 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 60.00 feet;

4th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 77 degrees 37 minutes 2 seconds to the right for 354.39 feet;

5th. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 340 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 312.97 feet;

6th. Thence westerly on a straight line tangent to the preceding course for 403.48 feet;

7th. Thence westerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 600 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 90.53 feet to the eastern line of Charlotte street;

8th. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Charlotte street for 60.35 feet to the eastern line of Crotona Park;

9th. Thence easterly, northwesterly and northerly along the eastern line of Crotona Park for 450.00 feet;

10th. Thence easterly for 350.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Crotona Park, East, is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 20 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on June 12, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, June 14, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, June 15, 1895.

The land to be taken for Crotona Park, East, is located in Blocks 207, 208, 209, 210 and 211 of section 21 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 5, 1900.  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Teller avenue and Park avenue, West, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 17th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Teller avenue and Park avenue, West, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Teller avenue with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street (legally opened);

1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-second street for 75.00 feet to the western line of Park avenue (legally opened as Railroad avenue, West);

2d. Thence northwesterly along last mentioned line for 13.81 feet;

3d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 10 degrees 15 minutes 15 seconds to the left for 48.66 feet to the eastern line of Teller avenue;

4th. Thence southerly for 22.22 feet along said line to the point of beginning.

## PARCEL "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Park avenue (legally opened as Railroad avenue, West), with the northern line of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, as legally opened;

1st. Thence easterly along the northern line of said East One Hundred and Sixty-second street for 18.00 feet;

2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 12 degrees 45 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 20.28 feet to the eastern line of Park avenue (legally opened as Railroad avenue, West);

3d. Thence northwesterly along last mentioned line for 8.33 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Sixty-second street is designated as a street of the first-class, and is shown on section 20 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on October 11, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 9, 1895.

The land to be taken for East One Hundred and Sixty-second street is located in Blocks 240 and 241 of section 9 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 5, 1900.  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to HARLEM RIVER TERRACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the northern line of the land ceded November 27, 1891 for Heath avenue to Bailey avenue, also HEATH AVENUE, from Bailey avenue to Fort Independence street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 17th day of May, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Harlem River terrace, from the northern line of the land ceded November 27, 1891 for Heath avenue to Bailey avenue, also HEATH AVENUE, from Bailey avenue to Fort Independence street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Crotona Park, where the same is intersected by the northern line of Western avenue;

1st. Thence southerly along the northern line of Western avenue for 50.35 feet;

2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 26 degrees 10 minutes 10 seconds to the right for 97.36 feet;

3d. Thence southwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 250 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 27.16 feet;

4th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 313.70 feet to the northern line of Prospect avenue;

5th. Thence northwesterly along said line for 50 feet to the eastern line of Crotona Park;

6th. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Crotona Park for 225.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Crotona Park, where the same is intersected by the northern line of Western avenue;

1st. Thence southerly along the northern line of Western avenue for 50.35 feet;

2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 81 degrees 40 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 125.30 feet;

3d. Thence northwesterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle of 500 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 408.75 feet to the western line of Charlotte street;

4th. Thence northerly along the western line of Charlotte street for 60.35 feet to the eastern line of Crotona Park;

5th. Thence westerly and southerly along the eastern line of Crotona Park for 225.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Crotona Park, East, is designated as a street of the first class, and is shown on section 20 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on June 12, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, June 14, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, June 15, 1895.

The land to be taken for Crotona Park, East, is located in Blocks 207, 208, 209, 210 and 211 of section 21 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, May 5, 1900.  
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acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Harlem River terrace, from the northern line of the land ceded November 27, 1891 for Heath avenue to Bailey avenue, also Heath avenue, from Bailey avenue to Fort Independence street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

## PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Bailey avenue, distant 807.75 feet northerly from the intersection of the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue with the westerly line of Bailey avenue;

1st. Thence running northerly along the westerly line of Bailey avenue for 350.00 feet;

2d. Thence southerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 100 feet tangent to the preceding course for 44.55 feet to a point of reverse curve;

3d. Thence southerly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 1,350 feet for 607.91 feet;

4th. Thence southerly in a straight line tangent to the preceding course for 811.48 feet;

5th. Thence southerly and curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 1,000 feet for 730.73 feet to the northerly line of land ceded November 27, 1891;

6th. Thence easterly along the northerly line of land ceded November 27, 1891 for 100.00 feet;

7th. Thence northeasterly curving to the left along the arc of a circle whose radius is 1,000 feet and whose radius drawn to the west from the easterly end of the preceding course makes an angle with the preceding course of 14 degrees 27 minutes 47 seconds to the north for 730.73 feet;

8th. Thence northerly on a straight line tangent to the preceding course for 811.48 feet;

9th. Thence northerly and curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is 1,300 feet tangent to the preceding course for 318.17 feet;

10th. Thence southerly for 41.83 feet to the point of beginning.

## PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 725.00 feet northerly from the intersection of the westerly side of Kingsbridge road with the northerly side of Eastmarch place;

1st. Thence southerly along the southerly side of Kingsbridge road for 50.00 feet;

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 45 degrees 50 minutes 25 seconds to the left for 98.00 feet;

3d. Thence southerly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the left for 100.00 feet;

4th. Thence southerly in a straight line tangent to the preceding course for 71.43 feet;

5th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

6th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

7th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

8th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

9th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

10th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

11th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

12th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

13th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

14th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

15th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

16th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

17th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

18th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

19th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

20th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

21th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

22th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

23th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

24th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

25th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

26th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

27th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

28th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

29th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

30th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

31th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

32th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

33th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

34th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

35th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

36th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

37th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

38th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

39th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

40th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

41th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

42th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

43th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

44th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

45th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

46th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

47th. Thence southerly along the arc of a circle whose radius is 300 feet tangent to the preceding course and curving to the right for 71.43 feet;

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