

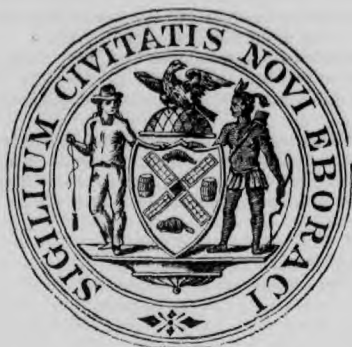
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1899.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, April 5, 1899.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of section 1544 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I have the honor to present the following report of the transactions of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, for the quarter ending March 31, 1899 :

STATEMENT OF REQUISITIONS DRAWN ON THE COMPTROLLER DURING THE QUARTER.

Chargeable to Appropriations of 1899.

General Administration—	
Salaries of Officers, etc.	\$5,837 46
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—	
Salaries of Deputies, Clerks and Employees.	91,836 16
Supplies and Repairs.	23,796 57
Lamps and Lighting.	16,339 89
Contingencies.	150 00
Borough of Brooklyn—	
Salaries of Deputy, Clerks and Employees.	37,377 97
Supplies and Repairs.	1,638 28
Lamps and lighting.	35,125 29
Contingencies.	162 42
Borough of Queens—	
Salaries of Deputy and Employees.	7,369 23
Supplies and Repairs.	2,301 13
Lamps and lighting.	37,305 56
Borough of Richmond—	
Salaries of Deputy and Employees.	3,126 76
Supplies and Repairs.	736 67
Lamps and Lighting.	200 00
Chargeable to Trust and Special Accounts—	
Gouverneur Slip Hospital Building Fund.	13,918 60
Public Building, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in Crotona Park, addition to.	27,046 33
Total.	\$304,388 32

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Contract Entered Into during Quarter.

Title.	Estimated Cost.
Coal to public buildings.	19,915 45

Contracts Completed during Quarter.

Furnishing steam-heating apparatus in Zbrowski Mansion.	\$1,140 00
Coal to public buildings.	15,288 00

During the quarter orders aggregating \$80,894.53 for furnishing supplies and making repairs to the various public buildings and offices, were issued as follows :

For carpets, linoleum, rugs, etc., to Commissioner of Jurors, Finance Department, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Board of Public Improvements, etc.	\$435 52
For carpentering work, etc., in Finance Department, Court of General Sessions, Civil Service Bureau, Armories of Eighth, Twelfth and Sixty-ninth Regiments, etc.	3,818 34
For coal to various public buildings, including Armories, etc.	13,178 58
For electrical work, batteries, bells, etc., in City Paymaster's office, County Clerk's office, City Clerk's office, Criminal Court Building, Armories of Ninth, Twelfth and Twenty-second Regiments, etc.	1,759 19
For furniture to Law Department, Court of General Sessions, Register's office, Mayor's office, Board of Aldermen, Finance Department, Supreme Court, Department of Sewers, Municipal Assembly, Department of Highways, Commissioner of Jurors, Department of Water Supply, Department of Taxes and Assessments, etc.	3,740 65
For furniture repairs in various public buildings, courts, offices, etc.	664 00
For heating (steam) City Hall, County Court-house, City Paymaster's office, Fourth, Sixth and Eleventh District Municipal Courts and Public Comfort Station, City Hall Park.	4,117 87
For ironwork in armories of Eighth, Ninth and Seventy-first regiments, Fulton and West Washington markets, Collector of Assessments and Arrears' office, Criminal Court Building, etc.	2,410 00
For law books for various courts, Finance Department, Commissioner of Accounts, Clerk of Board of Aldermen, Building Code Commission, office of City Clerk, etc.	1,825 75
For plumbing, steam and gas fitting, also plumber's supplies, in Finance Department, Criminal Court Building, Twenty-second Regiment Armory, Civil Service Bureau, etc.	4,638 06
For painting, etc., in armories of Eighth, Ninth, Twelfth and Seventy-first regiments and Squadron "A," New York County Jail, Office of Commissioner of Jurors, etc.	1,519 25
For roofing in markets, armories, free floating baths, Hall of Records, Brownstone Building, Ludlow Street Jail, etc.	1,765 60
For supplies to various public buildings (including armories), free floating baths, etc.	5,667 37
For telephones, extension sets, etc., to Mayor's office, Bureau of Municipal Statistics, Register's office, County Clerk's office, Civil Service Board, Recorder's office, Commissioner of Jurors, Board of Aldermen, various armories, courts, etc.	7,348 00
For typewriters, etc., to County Clerk's office, Department of Finance, Board of Public Improvements, Department of Water Supply, City Magistrates' courts, etc.	1,761 12
For Welsbach lights, etc.	1,610 00
For electric current, lighting, etc., in various public buildings (including armories).	11,248 25
For miscellaneous orders, such as awnings, ice, copying presses, directories, elevator repairs, etc., glazing, hardware, lumber, masonwork, oils, towel supply (cabinets, etc.), window shades, etc., etc.	13,986 98

The following is the number of lamps lighted at the close of the quarter :

Gas lamps.	25,037
Naphtha lamps.	1,979
Electric lamps.	4,353
Total.	31,369
Number of new gas lamps lighted during the quarter.	17
Number of new naphtha lamps lighted during quarter.	177
Number of new electric lamps lighted during quarter.	103
Number of gas lamps discontinued during quarter.	34

During the quarter 1,193 permits were granted for electric-lighting and for telephone and telegraph aerial lines, etc., as follows :

For telephone, telegraph and signal wires.	408
For electric light and power.	317
For rebuilding pole lines.	6
For resetting poles.	10
For city lamp-posts.	15
For subsidiary connections.	437

25,500 feet (4.83 miles) of overhead wire were removed from various streets and avenues.

2,824 certificates for interior wiring were issued.

Certificates were granted for the installation of 85,966 new incandescent lights, 963 arc lights, 35 generators of a total of 7,195 K.W. capacity ; 633 motors of a total of 3,137 $\frac{1}{2}$ H. P. capacity. 8,565 inspections were made on above work.

Maps have been completed during the quarter showing the distribution of the gas-mains of each gas company in the streets of the Borough of Manhattan, and an extension of this work to other boroughs is in progress.

8,442 gas-meters were tested and sealed.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

During the quarter orders aggregating \$20,017.79 for books, carpenterwork, carpets, clocks, copying presses, electrical supplies and repairs, elevator repairs, engineers', janitors' and painters' supplies, furniture, glazing, ice, lumber, masonwork, painting, plastering, plumbing, roofing, steam-fitting, steam-heating, telephones, typewriting machines, etc., were issued to the various public buildings, etc., as follows :

Administration Building, Wallabout Market.	\$293 19
Borough Hall.	3,042 99
Bridges—Department of.	105 75
Disciplinary Training School for Boys.	1,649 37
Hall of Records.	796 67
Health—Department of.	30 70
Kings County Court-house.	3,090 95
Kings County Jail.	1,352 90
Municipal Building.	4,839 83
Public Baths.	506 23
Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Department of.	729 12
Street Cleaning, Department of.	32 95
Armory—Headquarters Second Brigade.	22 00
“ Thirteenth Regiment.	655 36
“ Fourteenth Regiment.	212 75
“ Twenty-third Regiment.	260 27
“ Forty-seventh Regiment.	415 02
“ Troop “C”.	60 00
“ Second Signal Corps.	143 67
“ Third Gatling Battery.	103 80
“ Second Naval Battalion.	42 00
Court—City Magistrates', First District.	184 34
“ Second District.	138 54
“ Third District.	169 13
“ Fourth District.	195 33
“ Fifth District.	98 02
“ Sixth District.	114 00
“ Seventh District.	115 00
“ Eighth District.	175 79
Court—Municipal, First District.	49 95
“ Second District.	58 00
“ Third District.	194 22
“ Fourth District.	35 50
“ Fifth District.	98 45

Number of lamps (gas and electric) lighted March 31, 1899 ; also the number of lamps added during the quarter :

Gas lamps.	6,810
Welsbach lamps.	1,103
Electric lamps—	
1,200 candle-power.	4,012
600 candle-power.	210

Added during quarter :

Gas lamps.	511
Welsbach lamps.	383
Electric-lights.	46

Permits were granted for overhead, underground conductors and subways, as follows :

Amsterdam Electric Light, Heat and Power Company.	3
Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company.	10
Citizens' Electric Illuminating Company.	62
Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company.	1
Department of Water Supply.	1
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.	91
Flatbush Gas Company.	18
Municipal Electric-light Company.	19
Nassau Electric Railroad Company.	5
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.	459
Postal Telegraph Cable Company.	1
Stock Quotation Telegraph Company.	8
Western Union Telegraph Company.	11

202 miles of overhead wire were removed. Certificates were granted for the installation of 10,035 incandescent lamps, 332 arc lamps, 120 K. W. of generators and 382 H. P. of motors ; 712 interior wiring inspections were made ; 4,527 meters were certified.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Orders aggregating \$6,009.90 were issued for furnishing supplies and making repairs to the various public buildings, offices, etc., as follows :

For carpets, linoleum, etc.	\$65 00
For fuel.	781 50
For furniture.	856 40
For Janitor's supplies.	184 00
For typewriters.	175 00
For fitting-up offices.	939 63
For lighting public buildings, etc.	918 00
For repairs to buildings.	1,033 00
For miscellaneous supplies, etc.	1,057 35

The following is a list of permits issued for erecting, replacing and resetting poles, stringing wires, etc., as follows:

Electric Illuminating and Power Company.....	44
L. Faber.....	1
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	103
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company.....	38
Fire Department.....	33
Jamaica Electric-light Company.....	9
New York and Queens Light and Power Company.....	20
Newtown Light and Power Company.....	1
New York and Queens County Railway Company.....	25
New York Sugar Refining Company.....	1
Long Island Railroad Company.....	2
Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas Company.....	1
Total.....	278

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Orders aggregating \$1,295.97 were issued as follows:

For office furniture to Department of Street Cleaning and Finance Department.....	\$612 30
For fuel to Edgewater Village Hall, Surrogate's Office, Richmond, and New Brighton Village Hall.....	226 82
For typewriter and cabinet to Surrogate's Office, St. George.....	117 00
For miscellaneous supplies, etc., such as cartage, cleaning supplies, repairing typewriter, installing electric lamps, etc.....	339 85

The following is a list of permits issued during the quarter for telephone and telegraph lines, etc., viz.:

Western Union Telegraph Company.....	1
Staten Island Electric Railroad Company.....	2
American Telegraph and Telephone Company.....	3
Staten Island Midland Railroad Company.....	8
New York and Staten Island Electric Company.....	50
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	134
Richmond County Gas-light Company.....	34
Total.....	232

Further and detailed information in regard to the operations and transactions of the Department will be found in the following documents attached hereto:

Document "A"—Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures.
Document "B"—Statement in detail of Contracts, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
Document "C"—Report of Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
Document "D"—Report of Bureau of Lamps and Gas, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
Document "E"—Report of Assistant Engineer, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
Document "F"—Report of Electrical Bureau, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
Document "G"—Report of Chief Inspector of Meter Tests, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
Document "H"—Report of the Borough of Brooklyn.
Document "I"—Report of the Borough of Queens.
Document "K"—Report of the Borough of Richmond.

Very respectfully,

HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner.

DOCUMENT "A."

Statement of Appropriations, Trust and Special Accounts, showing the Total Expenditures during the Quarter ending March 31, 1899, and the Balances on April 1, 1899.

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION.	APPROPRIATIONS WITH TRANSFERS, 1898.	REQUISITIONS FROM JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1898.	REQUISITIONS ON LIABILITIES OF 1898 DURING FIRST QUARTER OF 1899.	BALANCES OF 1898 ON APRIL 1, 1899.	APPROPRIATIONS WITH TRANSFERS, 1899.	REQUISITIONS DURING FIRST QUARTER OF 1899.	BALANCES OF 1899 ON APRIL 1, 1899.
Salaries, General Administration.....	\$18,200 00	\$17,787 14	.....	\$412 86	\$25,200 00	\$5,837 46	\$19,362 54
<i>Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.</i>							
Salaries of Deputies, Clerks and Employees.....	322,267 00	320,920 92	\$136 00	1,210 08	362,715 00	91,836 16	270,878 84
Supplies and Repairs.....	365,520 00	290,849 47	66,233 11	8,437 42	245,520 00	23,796 57	221,723 43
Lamps and Lighting.....	1,252,236 00	1,108,660 63	109,179 87	34,395 50	1,340,236 00	16,339 89	1,323,896 11
Furnishing, etc., and Two New Elevators, Brownstone Building.....	15,000 00	14,967 46	.....	32 54	.....	.....	.....
Altering Building on Southwest Corner of Prince and Wooster Streets.....	12,000 00	11,953 00	.....	47 00	.....	.....	.....
Contingencies.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,500 00	150 00	1,350 00
<i>Borough of Brooklyn.</i>							
Salaries of Deputy, Clerks and Employees.....	130,082 00	126,936 52	74 00	3,071 08	157,500 00	37,377 97	120,122 03
Supplies and Repairs.....	211,000 00	101,513 00	67,591 72	41,895 28	111,000 00	1,638 28	109,361 72
Lamps and Lighting.....	776,012 67	291,719 07	472,122 51	12,171 09	8,6012 67	35 125 29	840,887 38
Contingencies.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000 00	162 42	837 58
<i>Borough of Queens.</i>							
Salaries of Deputy and Employees.....	25,860 00	24,662 10	.....	1,197 90	30,420 00	7,369 23	23,050 77
Supplies and Repairs.....	26,000 00	20,514 59	4,479 71	1,005 70	20,000 00	2,361 13	17,638 87
Lamps and Lighting.....	244,291 84	106,894 83	111,129 91	26,267 10	344,091 84	37,365 56	306,726 28
Lamps and Lighting, Long Island City.....	73,800 00	50,920 64	4,833 34	18,045 82	.....	.....	.....
Contingencies.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500 00	.....	500 00
<i>Borough of Richmond.</i>							
Salaries of Deputy and Employees.....	11,080 00	11,076 39	.....	3 61	13,080 00	3,126 76	9,953 24
Supplies and Repairs.....	13,386 30	10,333 05	2,745 79	307 46	8,000 00	736 67	7,263 33
Lamps and Lighting.....	124,328 75	47,566 67	48,118 76	28,643 32	125,528 75	200 00	125,328 75
Lighting in the former Village of Tottenville.....	800 00	800 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Contingencies.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500 00	.....	500 00
Totals.....	\$3,621,864 56	\$2,558,075 88	\$886,644 92	\$177,143 76	\$3,662,804 26	\$263,423 39	\$3,399,380 87

NOTE.—Requisitions during first quarter of 1899 on liabilities of 1897: "Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs," \$385; "Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices," \$204.90.

TITLES OF TRUST AND SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.	BALANCES ON JANUARY 1, 1899.	REQUISITIONS DURING FIRST QUARTER OF 1899.	BALANCES ON APRIL 1, 1899.	TITLES OF TRUST AND SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.	BALANCES ON JANUARY 1, 1899.	REQUISITIONS DURING FIRST QUARTER OF 1899.	BALANCES ON APRIL 1, 1899.
Construction of Seventh District Police Court and Prison, etc.....	\$8,566 21	.....	\$8,566 21	Fund for Public Comfort Station.....	\$602 20	.....	\$602 20
Gouverneur Slip Hospital Building Fund.....	133,932 00	\$13,918 60	120,013 40	Fund for Public Bath-house on Rivington Street.....	99,307 50	.....	99,307 50
Public Building, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in Crotona Park.....	7,488 25	.....	7,488 25	Fund for Construction of the Hall of Records.....	2,203,252 76	.....	2,203,252 76
Public Building, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in Crotona Park, Addition to.....	29,160 08	27,046 33	2,113 75	Totals.....	\$2,483,665 01	\$40,964 93	\$2,442,700 08
Revenue Bond Fund—Alterations and Changes in the City Hall.....	893 26	.....	893 26				
Revenue Bond Fund—Altering and Fitting up Brown Stone Building.....	462 75	.....	462 75				

DOCUMENT "B."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Contracts Entered Into during Quarter.

TITLE.	CONTRACTOR.	ESTIMATED COST.
Coal to public buildings.....	New York Central Coal Company.....	\$19,915 45

Contracts Completed during the Quarter.

TITLE.	CONTRACTORS.	COST.
Steam-heating apparatus, Zbrowski Mansion.....	William N. Tobin.....	\$1,140 00
Coal to public buildings.....	Wynn Bros.....	15,288 00
Total.....		\$16,428 00

Contracts in Progress and Not Completed.

CONTRACTOR.	ESTIMATED COST.	AMOUNT PAID.
Electric lighting streets, Borough of The Bronx.....	Bronx Gas and Electric Company.....	\$71,250 00
Coal to public buildings.....	New York Central Coal Company.....	19,915 45
Gas lighting streets, Borough of The Bronx.....	New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company (Limited).....	3,640 32
Hall of Records, Chambers, Centre and Reade streets.....	John Pierce.....	1,997,900 00
Rivington street bath.....	John F. Johnson.....	95,700 00
Gouverneur Slip Hospital.....	Mapes-Reeve Construction Company.....	116,000 00
Total paid.....		\$119,348 95

DOCUMENT "C."

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, }
NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, NEW YORK, April 7, 1899. }

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

SIR—In accordance with your instructions, I have the honor to submit the following report of the transactions of this Bureau for the quarter ending March 31, 1899:

CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING.

The usual orders for cleaning glass in doors and windows were renewed. Plumber's supplies, carpenter's supplies, janitor's supplies, engineer's supplies and electrical supplies furnished. 2 barrels soap powder, 1 barrel of boiler compound also furnished. 36 Welsbach lights, 36 green porcelain shades, 36 G. D. glass cups, 36 cup holders and 60 burners and tubes furnished and put in place. The damaged connections from water column were removed and repacked with new connections, including fittings, brass pipe, etc. 2 one and one-half water meters were furnished and connected with boilers in above building. 4 helios arc lamps with necessary wiring and connections were furnished and installed on ground floor of rotunda of above building. The large skylight and dome light on roof of above building was reglazed where necessary, mosaic tiling and door saddles throughout building repaired where necessary, new parts replacing old and defective parts. The frames and wire screens of cold air ducts were repaired and frames covered with cloth. Around five radiators on ground floor galvanized iron screens were placed. Electric fans on White street side of engine-room were inclosed with galvanized iron screens. Defective copper in gutters on roof was removed and replaced with best quality 16-ounce copper properly soldered, and the following repairs were made and supplies furnished to range in janitor's apartments: 6 covers, 4 cross pieces, 1 set of bricks, 1 grate, grate rests, 1 elbow and 14 feet 6 inches pipe. 6 pumps were overhauled and repaired, and the following new parts furnished: Piston rods coupled with a spool, set of rubber valves, set of gaskets, springs and valve-plates.

The Elevators.

Twelve compression grease cups were furnished and placed on traveling sheaves of elevators. No. 1, safety apparatus and car platform repaired. No. 2, safety apparatus repaired. No. 3, safety apparatus repaired, cut-off adjusted, lever sheaves rebushed, pins in same renewed and new operating cable furnished. No. 4, safety apparatus repaired. Matron's Room—Order was renewed for 1 toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly. Recorder's Room—Order was renewed for 1 set of telephone instruments connected with exchange. Superior Court, Part I.—Order was renewed for 1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly. Grand Jury Room—25 leather chairs were re-upholstered, varnished and rubbed down. Coroners' Office—Order was renewed for a supply of clean towels weekly. Health Department—1 quartered oak desk with filing compartment furnished, and 23 yards of best quality Wilton velvet carpet furnished and laid. District Attorney's Office—4 co-partnership directories, 2 oak Ropp top desks, 2 revolving desk chairs, 1 six-foot standing desk and 1 revolving high stool furnished. Court of Special Sessions—Order was renewed for 3 towel cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly; 26½ yards of best quality Wilton velvet carpet furnished and laid; ceilings, walls and woodwork of above court and offices washed off, walls and ceilings painted and woodwork varnished and rubbed down. Court of General Sessions—Order was renewed for 5 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly; 5 oak wardrobes, a supply of law books, 3 Japanese screens, 3 ivory gavels, 2 sanitary washstands and 36 files for newspapers were furnished; the centre-piece on ceiling of Part III. was taken down and new centre-piece put in place of same. Clerk Court of General Sessions—Order was renewed for one towel cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly. Civil Service Board—One roll-top desk and three water coolers furnished, 35½ feet of quartered oak partition furnished and put up; a new water-closet, urinal and wash basin, properly connected, was furnished and put in place. Civil Service Board (Labor Bureau)—Order was renewed for telephone and extension desk set, 1 Eureka blotter bath and pads, 1 letter press and stand furnished. Partition was removed and a doorway, made to connect Examination Room with Gymnasium, was cut through.

COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

The usual orders for supplying steam and cleaning glass in windows and doors were renewed. Cleaning and engineers' supplies were furnished. Defective parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts; three carpet sweepers, 1 barrel of soap powder, and 300 feet of rubber hose with couplings, nozzle and reel complete furnished. Platform and steps leading to main entrance were recut and all joints pointed up; also side-walls and ceilings of passageway under steps cleaned off and all joints pointed up. County Clerk—The usual orders were renewed for telephone connected with exchange and extension desk set and for electric current to operate fan motors, 2 trolley ladders, 5 eight-foot ladders 5 book typewriters, 1 door mat and 1 revolving high chair furnished. Surrogates' Court—2 protective ventilators were furnished and put up, and 1 six-foot book-case furnished. Supreme Court—The order for use of telephone instruments was renewed; 1 telephone booth, 1 stenographer's table, 1 clock, 1 swivel chair, 6 revolving desk chairs, 1 leather lounge were furnished, and fender in Judge Freedman's private room altered and repaired and new fender furnished in Part V.; 1 volume of Law Journals bound.

CITY HALL.

The usual orders for supplying steam, furnishing current to operate electric motor, and cleaning glass in windows and doors of above building, were renewed. Cleaning supplies also furnished. Defective tin on roof of above building cut out and replaced with new tin of best quality, painted bottom and top. The pump at above building was overhauled, repaired and put in first-class order, new parts replacing old and worn parts. Reporters' Room—1 dozen chairs furnished. Councilmanic Committee Room—The order for telephone for the year was renewed, and 1 toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished. Board of Aldermen—Order for use of 2 sets of telephone instruments was renewed; 2 toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished. Clerk of the Board of Aldermen—A supply of law books, 1 toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished. Order was renewed for the use of 2 telephones in above office. City Record Office—1 toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished. 1 oak roll-top desk, 2 revolving chairs, 1 oak high standing desk and 1 revolving stool with back furnished. President of the Borough of Manhattan—Order was renewed for 1 telephone and 2 extension desks sets, 1 blotter, bath and pads, 1 business directory and 1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly; 1 rotary neostyle complete and 1 Kinsman electric light desk-lamp furnished. City Clerk—1 rotary neostyle complete, 2 Century stapling machines, 2 Century postal scales, 1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly; 35 copies of Jefferson's Manual, 1 table, 1 roll-top desk, 2 revolving desk chairs and 1 wardrobe furnished. Order for telephone in above office was renewed, 2 Kinsman electric desk lamps furnished and bell outfit furnished and installed. Bureau of Licenses—Order for telephone connected with exchange was renewed. Mayor's Office—2 toilet outfits, with a supply of clean towels, weekly; 1 blotter bath and pads complete, 1 oak 4-fold screen with leather panels, a supply of law books, 1 club directory and 1 United Charities Directory furnished. One Mayor's flag, 45 by 36, made of banner silk, with silk fringe, furnished. Old and wornout parts of Welsbach lamps replaced with new parts. Orders were renewed for telephone; 2 extension desk sets and cherry booth.

BROWNSTONE BUILDING.

Defective tin roof of above building cut out and replaced with new tin of best quality, painted bottom and top; 1 water-meter was connected to boiler in above building. The marble tiling throughout the building where defective was removed and replaced with new tiling. City Court—The order was renewed for switch-board set of telephone instruments, also sanitary washstand; 1 wooden armchair; 1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished.

HALL OF RECORDS.

The usual cleaning supplies were furnished. Order was renewed for the use of one set of telephone instruments connected with exchange, and one desk set of instruments connected with telephone in above office, 1 Century postal scale, 18 desk chairs, 9 revolving desk chairs, 1 letter-press and stand and 1 barrel soap powder furnished; old and worn parts of Welsbach lights removed and replaced with new parts.

Defective tin on roof of above building cut out and replaced with new tin of best quality, painted bottom and top, tiling repaired and all joints cemented and pointed up in toilet room floor. New closet on top floor was rubbed down and varnished.

HARLEM COURT-HOUSE.

The usual cleaning and engineers' supplies were furnished. Old and worn parts for Welsbach lights were replaced with new parts. A new handrope was put in elevator. Plastering in above buildings repaired, new plaster caps and bases furnished and put in place where necessary.

WEST FIFTY-FOURTH STREET COURT-HOUSE.

The usual cleaning and engineers' supplies furnished. Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. Defective tin on roof of above building cut out and replaced with new tin, painted bottom and top.

THIRD DISTRICT COURT-HOUSE.

The usual cleaning supplies were furnished, including 1 barrel of soap powder and 1 barrel of disinfectant; 1 1-inch water meter was furnished and connected to boiler at above building.

SEVENTH DISTRICT COURT-HOUSE.

The usual cleaning supplies were furnished. Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights were replaced with new parts, 1 barrel soap powder furnished. One 48-foot flag pole with gilt ball on top, properly braced, was furnished and erected on roof of above court-house, two sets of halyards and one United States flag, 10 by 15, furnished.

MARKETS.

Fulton—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. Defective tin on roof of above market cut out and replaced with new tin of best quality, painted bottom and top. All galvanized iron on roof of awnings, extending from curb to house-line on Fulton, South and Beekman street. Sides of above market was removed and recovered with 26-gauge galvanized iron. All skylight frames removed and recovered with same material; iron rafters, rivets, purl lines, braces, etc. repaired and where necessary replaced with new parts.

Centre—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. Defective tin on roof of above market cut out and replaced with new tin of best quality, painted bottom and top.

Tompkins—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts.

Washington—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts.

Clinton—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. Defective tin on roof of above market cut out and replaced with new tin of best quality, painted bottom and top.

West Washington Market—Defective tin on roof of above market cut out and replaced with new tin of best quality, painted bottom and top. The steel rolling shutters at above market were entirely overhauled and repaired, new shutters replacing defective and worthless shutters; new spring shafts, etc., also furnished.

Jefferson—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts.

ARMORIES.

Fifth Brigade Headquarters—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above office.

Seventh Regiment Armory—Cleaning and engineer's supplies were furnished.

Eighth Regiment Armory—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above armory. Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. 1 barrel of disinfectant, 1 swing crane with winch attached having necessary wire cable having a capacity of 2,000 pounds, were furnished. For the use of Commissary and Ordnance Officer the rooms on the top floor of above armory were altered and fitted as directed, new partitions, shelving, etc., all properly painted, varnished, etc.

Ninth Regiment Armory—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above armory; 455 feet of 3/4-inch wire cable for use of electric-lights was furnished and put up. All chandeliers throughout building were repaired, caps and sockets soldered, defective wiring removed and replaced, defective brass tubes in cellar replaced with iron pipe and grounded sockets, switches and cut-outs where defective replaced. New lockers in above armory were filled, rubbed down and varnished.

Twelfth Regiment Armory—Order was renewed for use of telephone with exchange in above armory; old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts; 2 barrels disinfectant furnished. Order was renewed for electric current to operate motor at above armory. A storm-door, built in sections so as to make same portable, was erected at main entrance of above armory; said storm-door was painted inside and outside three coats of best quality paint.

Twenty-second Regiment Armory—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts; 6 leader-heads at above armory were repaired and one new leader, properly secured, was furnished and put upon Boulevard side of above armory. The order was renewed for furnishing electric current to operate motor. Main steam line was overhauled and repaired; 5-inch tee was drilled and tapped, new valves provided and radiators connected.

Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above armory. Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. Leader on Hall place side of above armory was repaired and made good. 1 one and one-half-inch water meter was furnished and connected to boiler in above armory. Company Rooms A, B, C and D were entirely overhauled and repaired, 5 new revolving galvanized-iron chimney tops and bases, properly secured and braced, were furnished and put up.

Seventy-first Regiment Armory—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. Cleaning supplies, also 9 dozen cuspidors, 2 dozen cans potash, 1/2 steel ice choppers, 1 dozen snow shovels furnished; 100 four-inch tubes were taken out of boiler No. 2, inside of boiler cleaned out, new tubes beaded over at back ends put in, seams were caulked and re-riveted on outside.

Squadron "A" Armory—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above office. Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. 150 tons of tank were furnished, reflectors at above armory were rearranged so as to permit of properly lighting the ring. Plastering throughout the armory where necessary was entirely overhauled and repaired. The partition of gun cases in reception-room was refilled, stained and varnished, and in Troop "2" of above armory the 34 connecting lockers were filled, varnished and rubbed down. 1 two-inch and three-inch water meter were furnished and connected to boilers in above armory.

First Battery—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above armory. 1 double pedestal flat-top desk furnished. Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights were replaced with new parts.

Second Battery—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. 1 step-ladder and 1 double pedestal flat-top desk furnished.

First Naval Battalion—Electric supplies, consisting of plugs, receptacles, sockets, etc., furnished.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

First District—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above court. 1 closet, 2 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly, and 1 barrel of soap powder furnished. Orders were renewed for cleaning glass in windows and doors of above court. There was also furnished and installed, complete, 2 pair of push buttons on judge's desk, 1 bell in clerk's office, 1 buzzer in ante-room and 3 buttons over door in judge's office.

Second District—1/2 barrel disinfectant, a supply of law books and 1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished. Stove-pipe of furnace was taken down and flue cleaned out from cellar to roof and one new shaker was furnished. Stove in clerk's office was overhauled and repaired, 48 feet of 5-inch stove-pipe, elbows, dampers, chimney tops, etc., furnished. Roof in Centre Market place side of above court was cut out and replaced with new tin of best quality, painted bottom and top.

Third District—1 toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

Fourth District—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. Order for a supply of steam during the year was renewed, 1 toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels furnished.

Fifth District—1 clock, a supply of law books, 1 ivory gavel, 1 barrel soap powder and 2 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished. The official seal of above court was repaired and put in first-class order. The fronts of pigeon-hole and book-cases were painted, grained and varnished.

Sixth District—Order for a supply of steam for use of above court during year was renewed. A supply of law books and 1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, was furnished.

Seventh District—A supply of law books and 1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished.

Eighth District—1 official seal press furnished.

Ninth District—A supply of law books consisting of New York Reports, Appellate Division Reports, Miscellaneous Reports, Lawyers Reports (annotated), New York Supplement and McCall's Clerk Assistant were furnished. 2 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished.

Tenth District—Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. A supply of law books, 1 typewriter and 1 barrel of soap powder were furnished.

Eleventh District—22 yards of best quality carpet was furnished and laid, 1 rug, 2 umbrella-stands and a supply of law books furnished. Order for a supply of steam during the year was renewed, 14 window shades made of best quality Nonpareil shade cloth, hung on Hartshorn spring rollers, were furnished and put up on windows of above court.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

First District—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above court. One typewriter and one toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished. Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts.

Second District—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above court. One typewriter was furnished. Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. One toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels furnished.

Third District—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above court. One toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels, furnished.

Fourth District—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above court. Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts. Also one typewriter furnished.

Fifth District—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above court. One toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished.

Sixth District—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above court. One toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, was furnished.

COUNTY JAIL.

Thirty Welsbach lamps complete, with necessary burners, mantles, shades, chimneys, etc., were furnished and put up as directed; new parts to keep the lamps in perfect order replaced old and worn parts after being in use; 2 large mats were furnished and delivered; one 1½-inch water meter was furnished and properly connected to boiler in cellar of above jail. 37 window shades made of best quality Nonpareil shade cloth, hung on Hartshorn spring rollers, were furnished and put up on windows of above jail; on federal side of above jail 28 cells on upper tiers, all lime and whitewash was cleaned off, ceilings and walls and all joints were pointed up. All ceilings and walls of above cells were painted three coats of best Atlantic lead paint ground in linseed oil, and in hall and vestibule at main entrance all tiling was repaired, damaged tiling removed and new tiling of similar design substituted in place of same.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Sixty-five Welsbach lamps, with necessary burners, mantles, shades, etc., for the proper lighting of above building, were furnished and put up as directed; old and worn parts for lamps were replaced with new parts; 1 barrel of soap powder was furnished.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts; also order for extension set of desk telephone instruments connected with telephone in above office was renewed. Typewriter was entirely overhauled and repaired, new parts replacing old and worn parts; 1 bottle of typewriter oil and 2 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

87¾ yards of linoleum was furnished and laid. Order for rapid safety filters was renewed for the year; 1 rubber mat, 34 by 60; 1 clock; 1 nine double drawer index cabinet, made of quartered oak, with base, desk top and roll curtain; 1 quartered oak cabinet, 7 feet 6 inches by 3 feet 4 inches by 22 inches, with glass doors on top, panel doors at bottom, top part divided in spaces 3 inches by 9 inches by 6¼ inches, bottom part having shelves hung on brass hinges and having Yale locks and keys; 1 atlas, 2 5-foot quartered oak double desks, 1 oak table, 2 typewriting chairs, 1 Remington typewriter, 1 tabulator, 1 book typewriter, 9 bent-wood cane-seat chairs, 8 high desk chairs, 6 high stools, 6 revolving desk chairs were furnished; 9 sets of Springfield sliding fixtures, with cords, etc., complete, were furnished and attached to window shades in above office. All shades were repaired where necessary; 1 desk was entirely overhauled and repaired and put in first-class order; 34 awnings were repaired and covered with best quality awning covering, and together with pulleys, ropes, etc., complete, were put up on windows of above Department; 3 protective ventilators were furnished and placed in windows of above Department; 42 tin cylinder cases, 3 feet 8 inches long, 3¾ diameter, were also furnished.

City Chamberlain—One toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished.

Receiver of Taxes—The order for a supply of electric current to operate motor in above office during year 1899 was renewed and one revolving desk chair furnished.

Collector of Assessments and Arrears—30 feet of partition railing 6 feet high, having two openings with gate hand holes, glass shelves and brackets, made of ¾-inch No. 14 flat wire, 2-inch mesh with scrolls and pickets on top, together with locks, spring hinges, all finished in gold bronze, was furnished and put up in above office; 6 bentwood cane seat chairs, 6 high desk chairs and 6 high stools furnished.

City Paymaster—Orders were renewed to connect above office with the burglar-alarm service of Holmes Electric Protective Company, to keep in repair signal boxes, cleaning glass in windows and doors of above office and a necessary supply of steam for heating, etc.; 1 barrel of soap powder, 1 double desk, 1 flat top desk and 1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Three Corporation Directories, 1 round top desk, 3 chairs, 1 mahogany table and 1 clock furnished and laid in above office.

Surveyor's Office—One toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, one 4-foot clothes closet, 1 coat and hat tree with umbrella stand combined, 2 oak revolving chairs, 6 bentwood cane chairs and 4 revolving high chairs were furnished.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Order was renewed for the use of 2 telephones connected with exchange in above office. Also 1 extension set of desk telephone instruments connected with telephone in above office and a supply of law books was furnished.

SOUTH GATE-HOUSE, CENTRAL PARK.

Ten Welsbach lights complete, with necessary burners, mantles, chimneys, shades, etc., were furnished and put up.

ENGINE-HOUSE, CENTRAL BRIDGE.

Ten Welsbach lights complete, with necessary burners, mantles, chimneys, shades, etc., were furnished and put up.

GATE-HOUSE, CONVENT AVENUE, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET.

Fifteen Welsbach lights complete with necessary burners, mantles, chimneys, shades, etc., were furnished and put up.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above office. 27¾ yards of best quality carpet and 71½ yards of linoleum were furnished and laid in above office, 1 six-foot quartered oak high standing desk, 1 letter-press and stand, 11 window shades made of best quality Nonpareil shade cloth, hung on Hartshorn spring rollers, were furnished and put up complete in above office; 28 feet of paneled partition, made of quartered oak, upper panels glazed with D. T. crystalline glass doors, hung on bronze butts, with mortise locks, bronze knobs and elongated escutcheons, was furnished and erected in above office; base and chair railing in above office altered and repaired; large wardrobe moved and placed as directed; all the above painted, varnished and rubbed down; stationary desks and partition in adjoining office was painted, grained, varnished and rubbed down.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Orders were renewed for the year for use of 1 set of telephone instruments connected with exchange, and 1 extension desk set connected with telephone in above office, 1 cherry, sound proof, telephone booth, and 4 copies of the Charter of Greater New York furnished.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above office.

SUPREME COURT, APPELLATE DIVISION.

Orders were renewed for use of 2 telephones connected with exchange in above office. The order was renewed for a supply of clean towels weekly during the year.

CORPORATION COUNSEL'S OFFICE.

49 yards of best quality velvet carpet, with best paper lining, was furnished and laid in above office; 4 dozen hand-towels, 8 typewriter chairs, 1 5-foot 6-inch roll-top desk, 11 Bank of England chairs, and 1 oak chair was furnished. 114 window shades, made of best quality Nonpareil shade cloth, hung on Hartshorn rollers, were furnished and put up complete in above office. Closets in Chief Clerk's and Record rooms were filled, stained, varnished and rubbed down, and shelves in Library were painted, grained and varnished.

Bureau of Street Openings—1 Kinsman electric desk light, with necessary wiring, etc., was furnished and installed in above office.

EXEMPT FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts.

VOLUNTEER FIREMAN'S ASSOCIATION.

20 Welsbach lights, with necessary burners, mantles, shades, globes, etc., were furnished and put up complete in above Association. Old and worn parts as required were renewed.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Store-room, No. 5 Duane street—Defective tin on roof of above building was cut out and replaced with new tin of best quality, painted bottom and top, remainder of roof was painted with best quality metallic paint. Old leader on front of building was taken down and new galvanized-iron leader properly secured was furnished and put up.

BUILDING CODE COMMISSION.

12 copies each of Building Code of New York and Building Code of Brooklyn were furnished.

ENGINE HOUSE—CENTRAL BRIDGE.

Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts.

SOUTH GATE-HOUSE.

(Central Park.)

Old and worn parts of Welsbach lights replaced with new parts.

PRESIDENT BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Order was given for use of switch-board set of telephone instruments, having 2 trunk lines connected with exchange and 4 extension stations connected with switch-board, during the year.

Order was given for seven toilet sets, with a supply of clean towels weekly. 1 typewriter desk, 1 typewriter chair, 1 five-foot roll-top desk, a revolving desk chair, 2 oak hat and coat trees, 1 revolving bookcase, 1 paper file cabinet, containing 18 paper files, were furnished, also 17¼ yards of rubber runner was furnished and laid.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

1 Eureka blotter bath, with a supply of pads complete, was furnished and in office of Snow Department, No. 28 Chambers street. All the old stoves and flues were cleaned and repaired; new stovepipe, elbows, shakers, etc., were furnished and placed, replacing worn and defective parts.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Order was renewed for 1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

Order was renewed for 5 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly. 2 typewriter chairs; 1 revolving chair and 2 roll-top desks were furnished; 1 set of rubber keys for typewriter were furnished and put on typewriter at above office.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

Order was renewed for 4 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly. 1 copy of Charter of Greater New York, and 6 B. B. letter files, for use of above office, were furnished.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

6 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly, were furnished. 3 Century stapling machines, 2 Century postal scales, and 1 5-foot roll-top desk were furnished.

Corporation Yard, One Hundred and Twenty-third Street—2 rubber door mats, each 4 feet by 2 feet 6 inches, were furnished.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

The order was renewed for the year for use of 1 switch-board set of telephone instruments, having 2 trunk wires connected with exchange, and 4 extension stations connected with switch-board. A supply of rubber stamps and self-inking pads and a supply of printed forms furnished.

Commissioner's Office—Toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels were furnished; 1 set of Springfield sliding fixtures, with cords, etc., complete, attached to window shade, was furnished and put up; 1 typewriter for use of Stenographer, and 1 oak combination document file case, with base, containing 12 document files and 3 drawers, were furnished.

Deputy Commissioner's Office—Toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished.

Chief Clerk's Office—Toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

General Bookkeeper's Office—Toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly furnished; 4 sets of Springfield sliding fixtures, with cords, etc., complete, attached to window shades, were furnished and put up.

Electrical Bureau—Toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly furnished; 1 Eureka blotter bath, with a supply of pads complete; 2 nickel stop-watches, for testing electric meters; 2 Weston volt meters (double scale instrument with the necessary key), Scale 0 to 150, and 0 to 300; 1 Weston No. 4 Watt meter, with 300 volt multiplier; 12 wiremen's knives, 12 rolls of mimeograph paper, 12 tubes of mimeograph ink, 60 blue mimeograph blotters, 9 by 13, and 1 bottle of benzine were furnished; letter press was entirely overhauled, repaired and put in first-class order; also 1 oak cabinet, 2 feet 10 inches by 4 feet 8 inches by 2 feet, containing nine drawers, was furnished.

Bureau of Meter Tests—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above office. 2 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly. 2 steel dies and 4,000 12-inch wires were furnished.

Bureau of Engineer Inspector—125 blue prints, 125 black prints; 14 camel's hair brushes; 2 rolls of excelsior tracing cloth; 1 fifty-foot steel tape; 12 celluloid triangles; 3 rubber triangles; 4 wood curves; 1 proportional divider; 1 drop spring bow pen; 1 german-silver parallel ruler; 2 steel straight edges; 2 triangular paragon scales; 2 triangular scale guards; 2 map measures; 6 maps of Manhattan and the Bronx, 4 mounted on cloth and 2 unmounted; 100 prints of maps, 1 map of Brooklyn, uncolored, mounted; 2 maps of Brooklyn, colored, mounted; 9 maps of Queens, uncolored, 4 mounted and 5 unmounted, and 2 maps of Manhattan, 1 unmounted and 1 mounted, were furnished.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies—4 sets of Springfield sliding fixtures, with cords, etc., complete, attached to window shades, were furnished and put up. Typewriter in above office was entirely overhauled and repaired and put in first-class order; 30 paper files; 6 Century stapling machines and a supply of stationery, including books, printed forms, etc., furnished. Coal scale was overhauled, repaired and put in first-class order. A supply of coal and wood for heating, etc., and a supply of ice was furnished the different public buildings, courts and offices in care of this Department.

2 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels, were furnished. Cleaning supplies, such as pails, brooms, mops, dusters, ash-cans, metal polish, soap, sapollo, scrub brushes, etc., were received, stored and furnished to the different buildings as required. Orders were renewed for winding and repairing clocks, repairing call-bells, annunciators, etc.; horse and wagon for use of Superintendent, and insurance and inspection of elevators. A supply of lumber, paints, hardware, etc., for use of mechanics in employ of this Department was furnished. Repairs of a general nature to public buildings, courts and offices not hereinbefore mentioned, were made to the plumbing, gas-fitting, steam-fitting, mason work, plastering, woodwork, painting, tinwork, furniture, etc.

Free Floating Baths—On Bath No. 9 16 feet of smoke pipe, with cap and tee joint, was furnished and put up. Coal and wood for heating, etc., was also furnished. The baths are now in winter quarters and are being entirely overhauled and repaired, so that they will be in first-class condition for the bathing season.

Public Comfort Stations—Order was renewed for supplying electric current to operate motor; plumbing work at above stations is kept in first-class order, small repairs being made as often as necessary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

Coal and wood for heating, etc., and janitor's and engineer's supplies, including 1 oil-tank, were furnished. 12 window shades, made of best quality Nonpareil shade cloth, hung on Hartshorn spring rollers, were furnished and put up complete on third floor of above building.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, was furnished; furnace was overhauled and repaired, and 1 quartered oak cabinet (glazed), 3 feet 6 inches by 6 feet 6 inches, was furnished.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Auditor's Office—2 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly, were furnished. Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above office. 3 wardrobes, 2 roll-top desks, 2 umbrella stands, 1 typewriter chair, 3 revolving desk chairs, 2 revolving high stools, with backs, 1 6-foot oak table and 1 4-gallon porcelain-lined water cooler, with stand, furnished.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished. 1 extension set of telephone instruments connected with telephone furnished.

FIRST DISTRICT MUNICIPAL COURT.

A supply of law books were furnished.

SECOND DISTRICT MUNICIPAL COURT.

A supply of law books were furnished. Furnace was entirely overhauled and repaired and new parts furnished to replace defective parts. Chimney flues in above building were cleaned down and 2 galvanized iron chimney tops, properly braced, were furnished and put up.

DEPUTY RECEIVER OF TAXES.

Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above office. 2 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly, was furnished. 20 yards of best quality carpet was furnished and laid and 1 wardrobe was furnished. To connect bill room with main office a well hole was cut and 1 flight of stairs erected. 14 silver-plated signs were furnished and placed as directed.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Topographical Bureau—1 No. 7 typewriter, 2 tabulators, 2 sets of rubber keys and 1 table furnished.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

2 toilet cabinets, with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished.

<i>Borough of Manhattan.</i>		
Consolidated Gas Company, Branch 1—		
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	2,004	
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	.....
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	2	2,005
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	.....
Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....	.....
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....	.....	2,005
Consolidated Gas Company, Branch 2—		
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	1,016	
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter...	2	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	5	1,023
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	.....	4
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....	.....	.....
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....	.....	1,023

Consolidated Gas Company, Branch 3—				New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company—			
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	1,085			New lamps lighted in quarter.....			
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....				Old lamps relighted in quarter.....			
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	5	1,090		Lamps discontinued in quarter.....			
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....				Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			279
Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....							
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			1,090	<i>Borough of The Bronx.</i>			
Consolidated Gas Company, Branch 4—				New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company—			
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	3,531			Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Woodlawn Heights.....	33		
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	1			Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Wakefield.....	115		
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	3	3,535		Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Eastchester.....	88		
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....		1		Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Williamsbridge.....	236		
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....				Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Bronx and Pelham parkway.....	159		
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			3,534	Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Bronx Park.....	131		
Consolidated Gas Company, Branch 6—				Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Cedar Park.....	9		
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	6,875			Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Claremont Park.....	18		
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	1			Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Crotona Park.....	45		
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	13	6,889		Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Gun Hill road.....	34		
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....		13		Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Moshulu parkway.....	67		
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....				Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Moshulu avenue.....	71		
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			6,876	Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, St. Mary's Park.....	24		
Equitable Gas-light Company—				Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Van Cortlandt Park.....	56		
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	3,433			Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Washington Bridge Park.....		1,136	
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....				Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter, Williamsbridge.....	2		
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	14	3,447		Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter, Cedar Park.....	9		
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....		12		Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter, Claremont Park.....	36		
Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....				Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter, Crotona Park.....	53		
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			3,435	Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter, Moshulu avenue.....	1		
Standard Gas-light Company, Madison Square Branch—				Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter, St. Mary's Park.....	35		
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	648			Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter, Van Cortlandt Park.....	5		
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....				Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter, Washington Bridge Park.....	24	165	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		648		Total number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899, Borough of The Bronx.....			1,301
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....				Total number of naphtha lamps, March 31, 1899.....			1,580
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....				<i>Borough of Manhattan.</i>			
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			648	WELSBACH NAPHTHA LAMPS.			
Standard Gas-light Company, Harlem Branch—				Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America—			
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	1,261			Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Central Park.....	379		
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....				Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Riverside Drive.....	8	387	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		1,261		Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....		12	
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....				Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....		269	
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....				Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			399
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....		1,261		<i>Borough of Manhattan.</i>			
Total number of lamps lighted by Standard Gas-light Company, March 31, 1899.....			1,909	ELECTRIC LAMPS.			
<i>Borough of The Bronx.</i>				Brush Electric Illuminating Company—			
Central Union Gas Company—				Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	863		
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	1,630			Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	1		
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	9			Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		864	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		1,639		Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....			
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....		6		Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....			
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....				Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			864
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			1,633	Edison Electric Illuminating Company—			
Northern Union Gas Company—				Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	444		
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	2,836			Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....			
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	4			Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		444	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		2,840		Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....			
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....		38		Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....			
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....				Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			444
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			2,802	Harlem Lighting Company—			
Yonkers Gas-light Company—				Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	85		
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	735			Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....			
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....				Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		85	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		735		Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....			
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....		2		Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....			
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric-lights.....				Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			85
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			733	Manhattan Electric-light Company—			
Total number of gas-lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			25,037	Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	721		
<i>Borough of Manhattan.</i>				Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....			
NAPHTHA LAMPS.				Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		721	
New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company—				Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....			
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Central Park.....	121			Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....			
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Riverside drive.....	132			Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			721
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Morningside Avenue, West.....	15			Mount Morris Electric-light Company—			
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898, Morningside Park.....	11		279	Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	524		
				Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	26		
				Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		550	
				Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....			
				Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....			
				Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			550
				Total number of electric lamps, Borough of Manhattan, March 31, 1899.....			2,664

Borough of The Bronx.				Eastchester Electric Company—			
North River Electric-light and Power Company—				Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	69		
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	962			Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....			
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	2			Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		69	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		964		Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....			
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....				Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....			
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....				Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....		69	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			964	Total number of electric lamps in Borough of The Bronx.....			1,689
Bronx Gas and Electric Company—				Total number of electric lamps, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....			4,353
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	496			RECAPITULATION.			
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	74			Number of gas lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	25,054		
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		570		Number of naphtha lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	1,415		
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....				Number of Welsbach naphtha lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	327		
Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....				Number of electric lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	4,250	31,105	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			570	Number of new gas lamps lighted during the quarter.....	17		
Pelham Electric-light and Power Company—				Number of new naphtha lamps lighted during the quarter.....	165		
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1898.....	86			Number of new Welsbach naphtha lamps lighted during the quarter.....	12		
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....				Number of new electric lamps lighted during the quarter.....	103	297	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....		86		Number of old gas lamps relighted during the quarter.....	42		
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....				Number of old naphtha lamps relighted during the quarter.....		42	
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....				Number of old electric lamps relighted during the quarter.....			31,445
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			86	Less gas lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	76		
				Less naphtha lamps discontinued during the quarter.....			
				Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....			76
				Total number of lamps lighted March 31, 1899.....			31,369

EXHIBIT "E."

Statement giving the illuminating power, in candles, of the gases supplied to the city by the several gas-light companies during the quarter ending March 31, 1899, as shown by the weekly observations at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

MONTH OF—	EAST RIVER GAS COMPANY.			CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY, BRANCH 1.			CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY, BRANCH 2.			CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY, BRANCH 3.			CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY, BRANCH 4.			CONSOLIDATED GAS COMPANY, BRANCH 6.			NEW YORK MUTUAL GAS-LIGHT COMPANY.			EQUITABLE GAS-LIGHT COMPANY.			STANDARD GAS-LIGHT COMPANY.		
	Illuminating Power in Candles.			Illuminating Power in Candles.			Illuminating Power in Candles.			Illuminating Power in Candles.			Illuminating Power in Candles.			Illuminating Power in Candles.			Illuminating Power in Candles.			Illuminating Power in Candles.			Illuminating Power in Candles.		
	Lowest.	Highest.	Average.	Lowest.	Highest.	Average.	Lowest.	Highest.	Average.	Lowest.	Highest.	Average.	Lowest.	Highest.	Average.	Lowest.	Highest.	Average.	Lowest.	Highest.	Average.	Lowest.	Highest.	Average.	Lowest.	Highest.	Average.
January.....	24.10	26.84	25.79	23.93	25.14	24.56	20.80	22.12	21.38	25.08	25.28	25.18	21.60	23.0	22.16	20.34	22.54	21.74	27.26	29.00	28.12	24.82	26.12	25.44	22.98	25.92	24.72
February.....	26.24	28.48	27.34	20.04	27.10	23.70	19.52	20.88	20.27	23.68	27.82	25.41	18.64	23.35	21.60	19.18	22.84	20.86	27.04	29.56	28.43	24.92	28.82	26.89	23.55	27.30	25.48
March.....	24.83	27.45	26.48	24.92	26.22	25.50	21.10	23.08	22.10	23.74	26.22	25.33	20.16	22.34	21.48	19.83	22.06	20.76	26.76	29.48	28.01	22.60	26.72	25.06	24.52	25.44	24.92
Distance from gas works.....	1.39 miles.			1.86 miles.			1.60 miles.			3.84 miles.			3.38 miles.			1.05 miles.			1.60 miles.			2.79 miles.			1.05 miles.		
Testing burner.....	Bray's Silt Union No. 7.			Bray's Silt Union No. 7.			Bray's Silt Union No. 7.			Bray's Silt Union No. 7.			Bray's Silt Union No. 7.			Bray's Silt Union No. 7.			Bray's Silt Union No. 7.			Bray's Silt Union No. 7.			Bray's Silt Union No. 7.		

DOCUMENT "E."

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT ENGINEER, NO. 346 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, April 10, 1899.

Hon. HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner:

SIR—In accordance with your instructions I submit herewith a report of the transactions of this office for the quarter ending March 31, 1899.

Men have been employed outside in the general work of checking the number, location and character of new street lamps and of lamps shown on maps of Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens, which were compiled during the year 1898. This work is still in progress.

An index map of the Borough of Queens has been prepared and a copy furnished the General Office of this Department, showing areas lighted by each company under each existing contract.

Maps have been completed during the quarter showing the distribution of the gas-mains of each gas company in the streets of the Borough of Manhattan, and an extension of this work to other boroughs is in progress.

Plans have been drawn for remodeling the basement of the Seventh Regiment Armory, providing bathing accommodations for seventy-five men at a time in dressing-rooms, steam-room, shower-baths and swimming-baths.

From time to time 24-hour records of gas pressure in various public buildings are taken with a Bristol recording gauge to ascertain that an economical and effective pressure is being maintained in each place.

Personal inspections have been made at night of the lighting of armories and markets in the Borough of Manhattan, and a marked improvement noted where the Welsbach system has been adopted. The following table shows by comparison with the corresponding quarter of 1898 the saving in public buildings lighted with Welsbach incandescent gas lamps.

Cost of Lighting by Gas during First Quarter of 1898 and 1899.

	1898.	1899.
County Court-house.....	\$1,613 81	\$996 79
Register's Office.....	266 47	211 75
County Jail.....	381 62	239 97
Eighth Regiment Armory.....	1,040 61	613 51
Twelfth Regiment Armory.....	680 36	347 70
Twenty-second Regiment Armory.....	1,373 88	959 03
Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory.....	237 31	165 68
Seventy-first Regiment Armory.....		
Second Battery Armory.....	2,024 88	1,181 61
Squadron "A" Armory.....	1,336 53	781 00
Washington Market.....	810 13	383 30

	1898.	1899.
Fulton Market.....	608 80	153 42
Centre Market.....	\$177 75	\$69 82
Clinton Market.....	125 77	107 54
Tompkins Market.....	294 65	45 22
Jefferson Market.....	219 38	146 87
Fifty-seventh Street Court-house.....	132 02	81 60
Fifty-fourth Street Court-house.....	448 50	335 54
Harlem Court-house.....	304 00	217 46
Gate-house at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.....	28 66	21 08
Gate-house at Central Park.....	47 67	36 58
Volunteer Firemen's Headquarters.....	55 97	34 10
Total.....	\$12,208 77	\$7,129 57

Gross saving in 1899..... \$5,079 20
Due to change in price of gas..... 313 04

Total cost of all mantles, chimneys, globes and other repairs during the quarter.... \$4,766 16
1,194 76

Net saving in first quarter of 1899..... \$3,571 40

The net saving is over 29 2-10 per cent.

At the Jefferson Market clock tower an automatic device has been placed in service to light and extinguish the gas, and superfluous jets have been removed.

The cost of lighting this clock tower during the first quarter of 1898 was..... \$262 27
The cost for the first quarter of 1899 was..... 127 49

Saving during the first quarter of 1899 was..... \$134 78
Due to change in price of gas..... 6 72

The saving is over 48 per cent., and no expense has been incurred.

Very respectfully,
FRANK D. LEFFINGWELL, Assistant Engineer.

DOCUMENT "F."

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
OFFICE, No. 346 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, April 10, 1899.

Hon. HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner:

DEAR SIR—I submit herewith a report of work done by the Electrical Bureau of this Department, Manhattan, for quarter ending March 31, 1899:

Permits granted for telephone, telegraph and signal wires.....	408
Permits granted for electric light and power.....	317
Permits granted for rebuilding pole lines.....	6
Permits granted for resetting poles.....	10
Permits granted for city lamp-posts.....	15
Permits granted for construction of electrical subway subsidiaries.....	437

Total..... 1,193

Without any additional expense to the City, 25,500 feet of overhead wire have been removed by the Inspectors of this Bureau. Have received 3,069 applications for interior wiring inspections and issued 2,824 certificates, covering 2,851 of these applications, for work completed in compliance with the rules and regulations of this Department. There are 849 of these applications now on hand for work not yet complete, which are receiving regular inspections as the nature of the work may require.

We have sent 436 complaint notices to the various companies and contractors that they have violated the requirements of this Department; of this number, 406 have been attended to, while the balance of 135 which include those left over from last quarter.

The certificates granted during the quarter cover the installation of 85,966 new incandescent lights, 963 arc lights, 35 generators of a total of 7,195 K.W. capacity, 633 motors of a total of 3,137 H.P. capacity. Inspections made on above work, 8,565.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK E. BROWN, Chief Inspector.

DOCUMENT "G."

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
BUREAU OF METER TESTS, OFFICE, No. 214 EAST NINTH STREET,
NEW YORK, April 1, 1899.

Hon. HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, No. 346 Broadway, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I herewith submit a detailed report of the business transactions of the Bureau of Meter Tests for the quarter ending March 31, 1899, as follows:

On January 1, 1899, the number of new and repaired meters on hand to be tested were 371, and during the same month there were received 3,762, for February 3,716, and for March 3,461, making in all for the quarter a total of 11,310, including special tests, all ranging in capacity from 3-light to 300-light.

Of these, 8,442 were approved, tested, badged, and sealed, as correct; 60 were rejected on account of being fast or slow, or not being sound, and returned for repair and adjustment.

280 special tests were made upon request of companies or consumers, of which 163 were found to register fast, 90 were found to register slow, and 26 were found correct, and one was found not to register, all of which certificates were issued, bearing my official signature.

I also approved, tested, badged, and sealed, by request of the Mutual Gas Company, at their works, one 5-foot and one 10-foot holder.

RECAPITULATION.

January 1, 1899. Meters on hand not tested.....	371
March 31, 1899. Meters received for the quarter.....	10,939
Total.....	11,310
March 31, 1899. Meters approved, tested, badged and sealed.....	8,442
" 31, " Meters rejected.....	60
" 31, " Meters special tests.....	280
Total.....	8,782
March 31, 1899. Meters on hand to be tested.....	2,528
Total.....	11,310

You will observe by this report that we have on hand for the commencement of the new quarter over 2,500 meters to be tested, and as the business of the Bureau is largely on the increase, I would respectfully suggest, for your consideration, the putting in of additional holders in hopes to meet the demands.

Respectfully submitted,
ANTHONY CLINCHY, Chief Inspector, Bureau of Meter Tests.

DOCUMENT "H."

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, April 10, 1899.

Hon. HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Manhattan, New York, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—I send herewith report of the operations of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Brooklyn, for the quarter ending March 31, 1899, as follows:

Very respectfully,
WILLIAM WALTON, Deputy Commissioner.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE AMOUNT OF REQUISITIONS FORWARDED TO THE GENERAL OFFICE FOR TRANSMISSION TO THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Salaries Deputy, Clerks, Laborers, Cleaners, Janitors and Employees.....	\$37,377 97
Supplies and repairs.....	1,638 28
Lamps and lighting.....	35,125 29
Contingencies.....	162 42
Total.....	\$74,303 96

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF CONTRACTS.

Contracts entered into, none.

Contracts Completed.

Actual cost, including Architect's fees of \$155.50.

Alterations and furnishing room on south side of Borough Hall, top floor—Charles Hart, Principal..... \$3,455 50

SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.

Municipal Building—		Municipal Building—	
Books.....	\$14 20	Painting.....	\$715 00
Carpenter work.....	612 31	Painters' supplies.....	15 61
Bookbinders' machines, etc.....	290 90	Plumbing.....	46 27
Carpets.....	317 47	Rental of registers.....	15 00
Clocks.....	26 00	Roofing.....	57 25
Copying presses.....	59 40	Rubber goods.....	54 90
Electrical supplies and repairs.....	179 50	Signs.....	84 00
Elevator repairs.....	25 00	Soap.....	38 00
Engineers' supplies.....	40 50	Steam fitting.....	138 59
Flags.....	7 50	Tiling.....	8 25
Furniture.....	461 81	Telephones.....	588 00
Gas fixtures.....	55 17	Typewriting machines.....	40 50
Glazing.....	68 47	Water coolers.....	5 25
Ice.....	86 65	Wire gauges.....	6 90
Ironwork.....	266 19		
Janitors' supplies.....	206 26		
Locksmithing.....	31 50		
Maps.....	175 80		
Office supplies.....	101 69		

Borough Hall—

Carpets.....	\$109 20
Electrical repairs and supplies.....	80 12
Elevator repairs.....	128 26
Engineers' supplies.....	19 70
Flags.....	122 86
Furniture.....	347 00
Glazing.....	13 50
Ice.....	57 75
Janitors' supplies.....	148 18
Locksmithing.....	44 30
Lumber.....	7 50
Maps.....	15 00
Office supplies.....	50 50
Painting.....	115 00
Plastering.....	31 00
Plumbing.....	134 99
Rental of registers.....	20 00
Roofing.....	120 42
Signs.....	157 75
Steam fitting.....	155 28
Telephones.....	625 00
Tiling.....	8 25
Typewriting machines and repairs.....	163 06
Wood.....	8 00
Total.....	\$3,041 99

Kings County Court-house—

Carpenter work.....	\$641 16
Carpets.....	85 67
Electrical repairs and supplies.....	211 85
Furniture.....	372 70
Glazing.....	47 33
Ice.....	96 25
Ironwork.....	13 75
Janitor's supplies.....	180 80
Locksmithing.....	2 50
Painting.....	150 00
Plumbing.....	340 40
Rental of registers.....	15 00
Roofing.....	19 00
Signs.....	12 00
Telephones.....	480 00
Typewriting machines.....	364 50
Water coolers.....	14 00
Wood.....	44 00
Total.....	\$3,090 91

Hall of Records—

Carpenter work.....	\$251 15
Carpets.....	9 22
Electrical repairs and supplies.....	15 40
Flags.....	9 75
Furniture.....	2 00
Ice.....	48 13
Ironwork.....	1 87
Janitor's supplies.....	28 00
Locksmithing.....	2 50
Office supplies.....	42 95
Painting.....	77 00
Plastering.....	2 00
Plumbing.....	115 70
Rental of Registers.....	15 00
Telephones.....	55 00
Typewriting machines.....	121 00
Total.....	\$796 67

Kings County Jail—

Carpets, rugs, etc.....	\$7 00
Engineer's supplies.....	2 00
Furniture.....	137 25
Galvanized-iron buckets.....	23 23
Glazing.....	76 53
Hardware.....	1 00
Insect destroyers.....	167 50
Ironwork.....	19 00
Locksmithing.....	21 50
Painters' supplies.....	104 42
Plumbing.....	260 01
Roofing.....	286 03
Rubber hose.....	7 00
Soap.....	81 25
Steam fitting.....	21 18
Telephones.....	90 00
Wax tapers.....	3 00
Wood.....	45 00
Total.....	\$1,352 90

Public Baths—

Carpenter work.....	\$500 00
Clocks.....	5 00
Janitors' supplies.....	1 23
Total.....	\$506 23

Disciplinary Training School for Boys—

Builder's materials.....	\$125 00
Carpenter work.....	50 07
Cleaning cesspool.....	100 00
Engineer's supplies.....	34 40
Glazing.....	67 50
Janitor's supplies.....	2 40
Lumber.....	288 00
Mason work.....	25 00
Plumbing.....	320 00
Roofing.....	335 00
Rubber boots.....	7 00
Telephones.....	85 00
Tools and implements.....	150 00
Total.....	\$1,649 37

Department of Health—

Electrical work.....	\$15 00
Ice.....	7 70
Wood.....	8 00
Total.....	\$30 70

Administration Building, Wallabout Market—

Carpenter work.....	\$31 35
Clocks.....	10 00
Hardware.....	48 00
Janitor's supplies.....	2 50
Lubricating oil.....	1 70
Oil can.....	50 00
Painting.....	140 93
Repairing sweepers.....	10 00
Total.....	\$284 28

Administration Building, Wallabout Market—

Roofing.....	\$25 48
Rubber hose.....	29 00
Telephones.....	32 00
Tiling.....	7 25
Wood.....	2 00
Total.....	\$293 19

Storehouse, Department of Public Buildings,

Lighting and Supplies—	
Paints.....	\$22 70
Sealing tools and materials.....	157 50
Soap.....	3 00
Tools.....	13 10
Total.....	\$196 30

Stable, Department of Street Cleaning—

Plumbing.....	\$32 95
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Department of Bridges—

Typewriting machines.....	\$105 75
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Horse Keep, Etc.—

Board of horses.....	\$360 00
Harness and harness repairs.....	50 00
Nose bags.....	2 00
Oats, hay, corn, etc.....	44 67
Shoeing.....	75 00
Stable utensils.....	1 15
Total.....	\$532 82

First District City Magistrate's Court—

Copying press.....	\$20 10
Furniture.....	5 44
Glazing.....	2 50
Janitor's supplies.....	7 00
Locksmithing.....	7 00
Painting.....	60 00
Roofing.....	10 00
Steam-heating.....	3 30
Telephones, court.....	44 00
Telephones, residence.....	25 00
Total.....	\$184 34

Second District City Magistrate's Court—

Drugs.....	\$3 00
Hardware.....	1 35
Ironwork.....	13 86
Janitor's supplies.....	51 33
Telephones, court.....	40 00
Telephones, residence.....	25 00
Wood.....	4 00
Total.....	\$138 54

Third District City Magistrate's Court—

Clocks.....	\$2 50
Furniture.....	20 00
Glazing.....	5 87
Janitor's supplies.....	21 08
Roofing.....	31 68
Telephones, court.....	48 00
Telephones, residence.....	28 00
Typewriting repairs.....	12 00
Total.....	\$169 13

Fourth District City Magistrate's Court—

Furniture.....	\$6 50
Gas fixtures.....	4 00
Glazing.....	4 00
Janitor's supplies.....	21 50
Locksmithing.....	16 25
Painting.....	18 93
Plumbing.....	23 15
Telephones, court.....	75 00
Telephones, residence.....	26 00
Total.....	\$195 33

Fifth District City Magistrate's Court—

Furniture.....	\$10 52
Janitor's supplies.....	18 50
Plumbing.....	15 00
Telephones, court.....	40 00
Telephones, residence.....	14 00
Total.....	\$98 02

Sixth District City Magistrate's Court—

Carpets, rugs, etc.....	\$12 00
Furniture.....	8 00
Janitor's supplies.....	26 00
Telephones, court.....	42 00
Telephones, residence.....	26 00
Total.....	\$114 00

Seventh District City Magistrate's Court—

Hardware.....	\$2 00
Janitor's supplies.....	46 00
Plumbing.....	25 00
Telephones, court.....	42 00
Total.....	\$115 00

Eighth District City Magistrate's Court—

Carpenter work.....	\$3 29
Ladder.....	4 50
Plumbing.....	22 00
Telephones, court.....	120 00
Telephones, residence.....	26 00
Total.....	\$175 79

First District Municipal Court—

Books.....	\$13 00
Janitor's supplies.....	6 50
Plumbing.....	22 45
Wood.....	8 00
Total.....	\$49 95

Second District Municipal Court—

Janitor's supplies.....	\$4 00
Telephones.....	50 00
Wood.....	4 00
Total.....	\$58 00

Third District Municipal Court—		Twenty-third Regiment Armory—	
Duck aprons for skylight.....	\$9 00	Carpenter work.....	\$35 00
Janitor's supplies.....	20 30	Electrical work.....	61 40
Painting.....	90 50	Lumber.....	28 79
Steam-heating.....	19 42	Plumbing.....	105 00
Telephones.....	55 00	Roofing.....	12 58
	\$194 22	Steam-heating.....	17 50
			\$260 27
Fourth District Municipal Court—		Forty-seventh Regiment Armory—	
Janitor's supplies.....	\$35 50	Mason work.....	\$139 75
		Plumbing.....	17 50
Fifth District Municipal Court—		Roofing.....	248 77
Gas-fixtures.....	\$55 00	Wood.....	9 00
Hardware.....	1 45		\$415 02
Janitor's supplies.....	19 50	Troop "C" Armory—	
Telephones.....	23 00	Plastering.....	\$12 00
	\$98 45	Telephones.....	54 00
			\$66 00
Headquarters Second Brigade—		Second Signal Corps Armory—	
Telephones.....	\$22 00	Gas-fitting.....	\$5 50
		Iron work.....	22 25
Thirteenth Regiment Armory—		Janitor's supplies.....	45 70
Ash cans.....	\$87 00	Plastering.....	7 00
Carpenter work.....	126 00	Steam-heating.....	3 22
Plastering.....	42 00	Telephones.....	60 00
Plumbing.....	31 00		\$143 67
Roofing.....	165 00	Third Gatling Battery Armory—	
Steam-heating.....	139 36	Painting.....	6 00
Telephones.....	65 00	Plastering.....	30 00
	\$655 36	Plumbing.....	34 00
		Roofing.....	13 80
Fourteenth Regiment Armory—		Telephones.....	20 00
Furniture.....	\$174 25		\$103 80
Locksmithing.....	9 50	Second Naval Battalion Armory—	
Painting.....	15 00	Telephones.....	\$42 00
Plumbing.....	10 00		
Wood.....	4 00		
	\$212 75		

RECAPITULATION—SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.

Borough Hall.....	\$3,042 99
Municipal Building.....	4,839 83
Kings County Court-house.....	3,090 95
Hall of Records.....	796 67
Kings County Jail.....	1,352 90
Disciplinary Training School for Boys.....	1,649 37
Public Baths.....	506 23
Department of Health.....	30 70
Administration Building, Wallabout Market.....	293 19
Storehouse, Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	196 30
Stable, Department of Street Cleaning.....	32 95
Department of Bridges.....	105 75
Horse keep, etc., Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	532 82
City Magistrates' Court, First District.....	184 34
“ Second District.....	138 54
“ Third District.....	169 13
“ Fourth District.....	195 33
“ Fifth District.....	98 02
“ Sixth District.....	114 00
“ Seventh District.....	115 00
“ Eighth District.....	175 79
Municipal Court, First District.....	49 95
“ Second District.....	58 00
“ Third District.....	194 22
“ Fourth District.....	35 50
“ Fifth District.....	98 45
Armory, Headquarters Second Brigade.....	22 00
“ Thirteenth Regiment.....	655 36
“ Fourteenth Regiment.....	212 75
“ Twenty-third Regiment.....	260 27
“ Forty-seventh Regiment.....	415 02
“ Troop "C".....	66 00
“ Second Signal Corps.....	143 67
“ Third Gatling Battery.....	103 80
“ Second Naval Battalion.....	42 00
Total.....	\$20,017 79

CONTINGENCIES.

Car-fares, postage stamps, etc.....	\$247 42
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STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF LAMPS (GAS AND ELECTRIC) LIGHTED MARCH 31, 1899; ALSO THE NUMBER OF LAMPS ADDED DURING THE QUARTER.

Gas lamps.....	6,810
Welsbach lamps.....	1,103
Electric lamps—	
1,200 candle-power.....	4,012
600 candle-power.....	210

Added during Quarter.

Gas lamps.....	511
Welsbach lamp.....	383
Electric-lights.....	46

Report of the Bureau of Electricity and Gas, for the Quarter ending March 31, 1899.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED.	OVERHEAD.	UNDER-GROUND CONDUCTORS.	SUBWAYS.	TOTALS.
Permits granted.....	604	12	90	706
Amsterdam Electric Light, Heat and Power Company.....	3	.....	.....	3
Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company.....	9	1	.....	10
Citizens' Electric Illuminating Company.....	62	.....	.....	62
Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company.....	1	.....	.....	1
Department of Water Supply.....	1	.....	.....	1
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	16	.....	75	91
Flatbush Gas Company.....	17	.....	1	18
Municipal Electric-light Company.....	17	.....	2	19
Nassau Electric Railroad Company.....	5	.....	.....	5
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	438	11	10	459
Postal Telegraph Cable Company.....	1	.....	.....	1
Stock Quotation Telegraph Company.....	8	.....	.....	8
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	11	.....	.....	11
Applications withdrawn or awaiting report April 1, 1899.....	589	12	88	689
	15	0	2	17
Total.....	604	12	90	706

Number of miles of overhead wire removed.....	202
Number of applications for interior wiring certificates.....	411
Number of certificates granted—	
Incandescent lamps, 10,035.....	
Arc lamps, 332.....	
K. W. of generators, 120.....	
H. P. of motors, 382.....	352
Number of interior wiring inspections made.....	712
Number of meters certified, routine.....	4,527
Number of meters proved and sealed, complaint.....	27
Number of meters proved and rejected, complaint.....	11

DOCUMENT "I."

JAMAICA, N. Y., April 10, 1899.

Hon. HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner, Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor of transmitting and respectfully submit the following detailed report of the transactions of this Department for the quarter ending March 31, 1899:

Respectfully yours,

JOEL FOWLER, Deputy Commissioner.

QUARTERLY REPORT ENDING MARCH 31, 1899—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT.

Requisitions were made on the general office for transmission to the Finance Department, chargeable to the several appropriations, viz.:

"Salaries of Deputy and Employees"—	
January.....	\$2,465 91
February.....	2,451 66
March.....	2,451 66
	\$7,369 23
"Supplies and Repairs"—	
February.....	\$732 40
March.....	1,628 73
	2,361 13
"Lamps and Lighting, Borough of Queens"—	
February.....	\$10,177 83
March.....	27,187 73
	37,365 56
	\$47,095 92

ORDERS ISSUED.

Orders were issued during the quarter for "Supplies and Repairs" to the various buildings and departments, in the Borough of Queens, with estimated or returned amounts as follows:

Fuel.

Town Hall, Jamaica.....	\$180 00
Town Hall, Flushing.....	125 00
Town Hall, Newtown.....	175 00
Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	237 50
City Magistrate's Court, Long Island City.....	28 50
Healy Building, Far Rockaway.....	25 00
Village Hall, Jamaica.....	10 50
	\$781 50

Carpets (Linoleum, etc.).

Department of Health, Jamaica.....	65 00
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Furniture (Desks, Chairs, etc.).

Finance Department, Long Island City.....	\$26 00
Finance Department, Jamaica.....	375 00
Highway Department, Long Island City.....	261 20
City Magistrate's Court, Flushing.....	35 00
Department Assessments and Arrears, Long Island City.....	64 20
Department Taxes and Assessments, Long Island City.....	75 00
Coroner's Office, Jamaica.....	20 00
	\$856 40

Janitor's Supplies.

Department Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	184 00
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Repairs to Buildings.

Town Hall, Jamaica.....	\$154 00
Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	829 00
Village Hall, Jamaica.....	50 00
	\$1,033 00

Fitting Up Offices.

Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	939 65
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Miscellaneous.

Town Hall, Jamaica.....	\$38 50
Town Hall, Flushing.....	69 50
Town Hall, Newtown.....	30 00
Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	95 00
City Magistrate's Court, Long Island City.....	5 00
Healy Building, Far Rockaway.....	30 00
Department Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Queens.....	692 75
Department of Finance, Jamaica.....	35 60
Department of Health, Jamaica.....	11 00
Office, President of Borough, Long Island City.....	50 00
	\$1,057 35

Typewriters.

Department of Highways, Long Island City.....	175 00
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Total.....\$5,091 90

Orders were issued during the quarter for lighting public buildings, etc., etc., for the quarter, in the Borough of Queens; the estimated cost of same being, as follows:

Jamaica Gas-light Company—	
Village Hall, Jamaica.....	\$8 00
13 gas lamps in Village of Jamaica.....	100 00
4 gas lamps at Soldiers' Monument, Jamaica.....	30 00
East River Gas Company—	
Pumping Stations Nos. 1 and 2, and the City Magistrate's Court, Long Island City.....	150 00
Newtown Gas Company—	
18 Welsbach lamps in Elmhurst.....	140 00
New York and Queens Light and Power Company—	
Whitestone Water Works and Town Hall, Flushing.....	60 00
Armory at Flushing.....	150 00
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company—	
Disposal Works, Far Rockaway.....	55 00
Electric Illuminating and Power Company—	
Hackett Building, Long Island City, 136 incandescent and 3 arc lights.....	225 00
Total.....	\$918 00

CONTRACTS.

There were no contracts entered into during the quarter ending March 31, 1899.

There were no contracts completed during the quarter ending March 31, 1899.

Following is a list of contracts not yet completed, with dates of expiration:

Electric Illuminating and Power Company, Long Island City, expires January 1, 1900.
Margaret Dwyer, Village of Flushing, expires on thirty days' notice.
Flushing Gas and Electric-light Company, Village of Flushing, expires December 20, 1902.
Edward Garsia, Jr., Town of Flushing, expires January 1, 1907.
Jamaica Electric-light Company, Village of Jamaica, expires December 1, 1901.
Jamaica Electric-light Company, Brooklyn Hills, expires December 10, 1907.
Jamaica Electric-light Company, Woodhaven, expires January 1, 1907.

Jamaica Electric-light Company, District No. 5, expires December 17, 1907. (Validity of this contract questioned.)
Jamaica Gas-light Company, Dunton, expires October 1, 1907.
Jamaica Gas-light Company, public buildings, expires January 1, 1902.
New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company, Arverne-by-the-Sea, expires October 1, 1902.
New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company, Rockaway Beach, expires October 1, 1902.
Patrick Neagle, Inwood, expires February 1, 1908.
Newtown Light and Power Company, Town of Newtown, expires May 25, 1905.
Newtown Gas Company, Town of Newtown, for the term of seven (7) years, to be calculated from the time each lamp is erected and lighted.
New York and Queens Light and Power Company, College Point, expires December 17, 1902.
New York and Queens Light and Power Company, Village of Flushing, expires January 1, 1903.
New York and Queens Light and Power Company, Town of Flushing, expires December 30, 1907.
New York and Queens Light and Power Company, Village of Whitestone, expires December 25, 1902.
New York and Queens Light and Power Company, Village of Whitestone, expires December 25, 1902.
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company, Far Rockaway, expires July 6, 1902.
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company, Inwood and Edgemere, expires December 27, 1907.
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company, Rockaway Beach, expires September 15, 1902.
Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas-light Company, Richmond Hill, expires December 9, 1901.
Wellsbach Street Lighting Company of America, College Point, expires December 17, 1902.
Bowery Bay Electric Light and Power Company, North Beach, expires December 10, 1907.
New York and Queens Light and Power Company, Village of Whitestone, expires December 25, 1902.

Summary of Street Lights in the Borough of Queens, New York City.

CONTRACTOR.		Arc.	Incandescent.	Gas.	Naphtha.	Oil.	Total.
Bowery Bay Electric Light and Power Company	North Beach.....	28	...	...	...	...	28
Margaret Dwyer.....	Village of Flushing.....	...	...	...	...	40	40
Electric Illuminating and Power Company	Long Island City.....	388	...	...	...	...	388
Flushing Gas and Electric Light Company	Village of Flushing.....	...	...	75	...	...	75
Edward Garsia, Jr.....	Town of Flushing.....	...	...	...	44	...	44
Jamaica Electric-light Company.....	Brooklyn Hills.....	30	...	...	...	...	30
".....	District No. 5.....	500	...	...	...	...	500
".....	Village of Jamaica.....	190	...	...	...	...	190
".....	Woodhaven.....	237	...	...	...	...	237
Jamaica Gas-light Company.....	Dunton.....	...	...	15	306	...	321
".....	On order in Village of Jamaica.....	...	...	17	...	...	17
Patrick Neagle.....	Inwood.....	...	...	...	250	...	250
New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company.....	Arverne.....	...	...	...	200	...	200
New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company.....	Rockaway Beach.....	...	...	...	95	...	95
Newtown Light and Power Company.....	Town of Newtown.....	61	...	...	...	...	61
Newtown Gas Company.....	".....	...	...	3,355	...	...	3,355
New York and Queens Light and Power Company.....	Village of College Point.....	87	...	...	...	...	87
New York and Queens Light and Power Company.....	Village of Flushing.....	148	...	...	...	...	148
New York and Queens Light and Power Company.....	Town of Flushing.....	98	...	...	...	...	98
New York and Queens Light and Power Company.....	Village of Whitestone.....	9	...	...	...	...	9
New York and Queens Light and Power Company.....	".....	140	...	...	...	...	140
Wellsbach Street Lighting Company of America.....	College Point.....	...	...	200	...	...	200
Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas-light Company.....	Richmond Hill.....	...	...	398	...	...	398
Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas-light Company.....	".....	...	...	30	...	...	30
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company.....	Far Rockaway.....	72	...	...	...	...	72
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company.....	Inwood.....	15	...	...	...	...	15
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company.....	Edgemere.....	25	...	...	...	...	25
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company.....	Rockaway Beach.....	54	...	...	...	...	54
Total.....		1,942	140	4,060	925	40	7,107

JAMAICA, April 12, 1899.

Hon. HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner, Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, No. 346 Broadway, N. Y. City:

DEAR SIR—The following is a summary of electrical transactions of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Queens, for the quarter ending March 31, 1899:

Exterior Permits Granted.

Electric Illuminating and Power Company.....	44
L. Faber.....	1
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	103
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company.....	38
Fire Department.....	33
Jamaica Electric-light Company.....	9
New York and Queens Light and Power Company.....	20
Newtown Light and Power Company.....	1
New York and Queens County Railway Company.....	25
New York Sugar Refining Company.....	1
Long Island Railroad Company.....	2
Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas Company.....	1
Total.....	278

Permits granted for telephone, telegraph and signal wires.....	137
" electric light and power.....	140
" gas.....	1
Total.....	278

Total applications received.....	278
" permits granted.....	278

Interior Work.

Total applications received.....	137
" certificates granted.....	102
" incandescent lights.....	3,347
" arc lights.....	21
" outlets.....	204
" motors, 32½ H. P.....	11
" heaters.....	3
" generators, 12½ K. W.....	2

Total inspections made by Inspectors.....	1,719
Total complaints.....	72
" complaints attended to.....	20
Total poles removed.....	100
" miles of wire removed.....	15.59
Total City lights changed—Arc.....	2
" Gas.....	1

Gas meters tested and sealed—None.
No appliances.

Respectfully submitted,
JOEL FOWLER, Deputy Commissioner,

REPORT OF ELECTRICAL TRANSACTIONS.

Exterior Wiring Permits issued during the Quarter ending March 31, 1899.

COMPANY.	JANUARY.	FEBRUARY.	MARCH.	TOTAL.
Electric Illuminating and Power Company.....	12	14	18	44
L. Faber.....	1	..	..	1
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	25	20	58	103
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company.....	24	3	11	38
Fire Department.....	29	..	4	33
Jamaica Electric-light Company.....	3	1	5	9
New York and Queens Light and Power Company.....	5	4	11	20
Newtown Light and Power Company.....	1	..	..	1
New York and Queens County Railroad Company.....	13	4	8	25
New York Sugar Refining Company.....	1	..	..	1
Long Island Railroad Company.....	..	2	..	2
Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas Company.....	..	..	1	1
Total.....	114	48	116	278

For what Purpose.

	JANUARY.	FEBRUARY.	MARCH.	TOTAL.
Erect poles.....	6	..	22	28
Erect poles and wires.....	13	2	8	23
Replace poles and wires.....	41	12	13	66
Replace poles.....	..	..	1	1
Move poles.....	..	1	2	3
Reset poles.....	4	..	..	4
Erect City lights.....	..	1	10	11
Move City lights.....	..	1	1	2
String wires.....	43	31	59	133
Move wires.....	4	..	..	4
Hang lamps.....	3	..	..	3
Total.....	114	48	116	278

Permits granted for telegraph, telephone and signal wires.....	137
Permits granted for electric light and power wires.....	140
Permit granted for gas.....	1
Total.....	278

Total applications received..... 278

Total permits granted..... 278

Interior Wiring, Applications Received and Certificates Granted during the Quarter ending March 31, 1899.

	APPLICA-TION.	CERTIFI-CATE.	INCANDES-CENT.	ARC.	OUTLETS.	MOTORS.	HEATERS.	GENERA-TORS.
January.....	38	31	1,289	17	34	7 21½	2	...
February.....	32	26	915	..	12	2 10½	1	1 5 KW
March.....	57	45	1,143	4	158	2 ¾	..	1 7½
Total.....	127	102	3,347	21	204	11 32½ HP	3	2 12½

Applications from last quarter, work not completed..... 56
Total number of inspections made by Inspectors..... 1,719

February—Report of erection and removal of City lights: Jamaica Electric-light Company transferred two arc lights from Long Island Railroad Company's yard to Jamaica and Flushing road, north of Hillside avenue, near Normal School, Jamaica.

March—Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas-light Company transferred gas lamp from the corner of Vine street and Liberty avenue to corner of Liberty avenue and Spruce street, Richmond Hill.

The following is a list of the Complaints issued for Exterior Wiring and Erection of Poles; also Interior Wiring, during the Quarter ending March 31, 1899.

COMPANY.	JANUARY.	FEBRUARY.	MARCH.	TOTAL.
New York and Queens Light and Power Company.....	..	2	..	2
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	1	4	3	8
New York and Queens County Railroad Company.....	3	1	4	8
Electric Illuminating and Power Company.....	3	2	15	20
Automatic Telephone Company (McGuire).....	1	1	..	2
Queens Borough Electric-light and Power Company.....	1	..	1	2
Long Island Railroad Company.....	1	..	..	1
Thomas Attix.....	..	2	..	2
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	..	1	1	2

COMPANY.	JANUARY.	FEBRUARY.	MARCH.	TOTAL.
Fire Department.....	..	1	..	1
B. O. Ellis & Co.....	..	1	..	1
W. S. Worth.....	..	1	..	1
Jamaica Electric-light Company.....	..	4	8	12
J. Rusby.....	1	1
Cook Electrical Construction Company.....	2	2
L. B. Faber.....	1	1
Oxley & Enos.....	5	5
Bradley & Hubbard.....	1	1
Total.....	10	20	42	72

Total complaints..... 72
Total complaints attended to..... 20

There are 64 complaints left over which are now being attended to.

The following is a Report of the Number of Poles and Amount of Wire Removed by the different Companies during the Quarter ending March 31, 1899.

COMPANY.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		TOTAL.	
	Poles.	Miles Wire.	Poles.	Miles Wire.	Poles.	Miles Wire.	Poles.	Miles Wire.
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	10	4.19	5	1.18	4	7.71	19	13.08
Electric Illuminating and Power Company.....	7	..	8	.03	15	..	30	.03
New York and Queens County Railroad Company.....	..	..	7	..	..	..	7	..
Fire Department.....	..	..	..	1.50	1	.75	1	2.25
Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company.....	..	..	..	..	3	.23	3	.23
Jamaica Electric-light Company.....	..	..	..	..	40	..	40	..
Total.....	17	4.19	20	2.71	63	8.69	100	15.59

DOCUMENT "K."

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
OFFICE, RICHMOND BUILDING, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND,
NEW BRIGHTON, April 10, 1899.

Hon. HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I respectfully submit the following report of the transactions of this Department, in the Borough of Richmond, for the quarter ending March 31, 1899.

Very respectfully,

EDWARD I. MILLER, Deputy Commissioner.

Orders Issued during Quarter ending March 31, 1899.

DATE.	DESCRIPTION.	WHERE FURNISHED.	AMOUNT.
Jan. 5, 1899	Atlas.....	{ Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and } Supplies.....	\$30 00
Feb. 15, "	Carting furniture.....	Edgewater Village Hall.....	4 68
Jan. 11, "	{ Carting and fitting up office } furniture.....	District Attorney's Office.....	45 00
Feb. 7, "	Cleaning supplies.....	Edgewater Village Hall.....	32 82
Mar. 6, "	Coal.....	".....	25 00
" 4, "	".....	Surrogate's Office, Richmond.....	55 00
Jan. 9, "	Coal and wood.....	New Brighton and Edgewater Village Halls.....	146 82
Feb. 25, "	Desk and chair.....	Department of Health.....	34 00
Jan. 31, "	Installing electric lamps.....	Surrogate's Office, Richmond.....	98 75
Feb. 15, "	Law books.....	Board of Coroners.....	31 90
Jan. 13, "	Office furniture.....	Department of Street Cleaning.....	120 00
Feb. 7, "	".....	Department of Finance.....	492 30
Jan. 31, "	Roll-top desk.....	{ Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and } Supplies.....	33 00
Mar. 7, "	Repairing typewriter.....	Department of Highways.....	24 70
" 3, "	Typewriter and cabinet.....	Surrogate's Office, St. George.....	117 00
Jan. 11, "	Wood.....	" Richmond.....	5 00
Total.....			\$1,295 97

Statement of Vouchers Transmitted to General Office, Quarter ending March 31, 1899.

DATE.	IN FAVOR OF.	AMOUNT.
"Supplies and Repairs," 1898.		
Jan. 9, 1899	Thomas Sheridan.....	\$115 00
" 16, "	Charles Schneider.....	16 35
" 17, "	G. R. Mersereau.....	45 00
" 17, "	".....	16 00
" 17, "	".....	70 00
" 17, "	".....	18 00
" 17, "	".....	120 00
" 25, "	".....	7 00
" 25, "	".....	38 00
" 25, "	".....	710 25
" 25, "	".....	670 85
Total.....		\$1,826 45

DATE.	IN FAVOR OF.	AMOUNT.
"Lamps and Lighting," 1898.		
Jan. 1, 1899	New York and Staten Island Electric Company.....	\$407 73
" 1, "	".....	377 82
" 1, "	".....	423 80
" 1, "	".....	8,230 12
" 1, "	".....	2,293 59
" 1, "	".....	2,901 07
" 1, "	".....	365 74
" 1, "	".....	2,929 30
" 1, "	".....	3,248 47
" 1, "	".....	2,670 90
Total.....		\$23,848 54
"Supplies and Repairs," 1899.		
Jan. 9, 1899	E. Robinson & Co.....	\$30 00
" 16, "	E. N. Crocheron.....	5 00
" 18, "	Thomas F. Quinlan.....	146 82
" 23, "	G. R. Mersereau.....	120 00
" 25, "	".....	45 00
Feb. 20, "	Charles Schneider.....	32 82
" 27, "	Thomas Sheridan.....	98 75
Mar. 4, "	M. Feldhusen.....	4 68
" 8, "	Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict.....	117 00
" 10, "	Thomas F. Quinlan.....	25 00
" 13, "	Steele Brothers.....	55 00
" 13, "	Hillard Manufacturing Company.....	24 70
" 16, "	Martin B. Brown Company.....	31 90
Total.....		\$736 67
"Lamps and Lighting," 1899.		
Jan. 31, 1899	Alexander Van Pelt.....	\$100 00
Feb. 28, "	".....	100 00
Total.....		\$200 00

RECAPITULATION.

"Supplies and Repairs," 1898.....	\$1,826 45
"Lamps and Lighting," 1898.....	23,848 54
"Supplies and Repairs," 1899.....	736 67
"Lamps and Lighting," 1899.....	200 00
Total.....	\$26,611 66

Permits Granted during Quarter.

Name of Company.	Number of Permits.
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	1
Staten Island Electric Railroad Company.....	2
American Telegraph and Telephone Company.....	3
Staten Island Midland Railroad Company.....	8
New York and Staten Island Electric Company.....	50
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	134
Richmond County Gas-light Company.....	34
Total.....	232

Amount of overhead wire taken down, 9,915 feet.
Number of certificates for interior wiring issued, 50.
Number of generators, 1 twenty K. W.
Number of motors, 1 twenty horse-power, 1 fifteen horse-power, 3 five horse-power, 3 one horse-power, 1 three horse-power and 2 two horse-power.

Private Lighting.

Number of incandescent lights installed..... 2,077

Number of Lamps Burning at End of Quarter.

Arc lamps.....	382
Incandescent lamps.....	3,216
Oil lamps.....	100

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Corporation Counsel for the week ending July 15, 1899:

The City of New York, or The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

COURT.	REGIS-TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM-MENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme, Richmond Co.....	12 312	July 10 1899	Brice, Edward.....	For services and mileage as Deputy Sheriff during 1898, \$35.50.
Municipal First Dist. }	12 313	" 10	{ Jacobs, Louis, vs. John F. Harriot, as Property Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York.	To recover sum taken from Morris Chorowsky, \$170.
Supreme ...	12 314	" 10	Chatillon, John & Sons, a corporation (ex rel.), vs. Thomas L. Feitner et al..	Certiorari to review the action of Tax Commissioners in assessing relator's personal property for 1899.
"	12 315	" 11	Brennan, William J.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$1,234.18.
"	12 316	" 11	Burns, Thomas F.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$463.48.
"	12 317	" 11	Canavan, John.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$1,994.48.
"	12 318	" 11	Eagan, Dennis F.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$1,430.59.
"	12 319	" 11	Gallagher, Frank.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$181.20.
"	12 320	" 11	Grant, John R., Jr.....	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$723.45.

COURT.	REGIS- TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM- MENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.	COURT.	REGIS- TER FOLIO.	WHEN COM- MENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme	12 321	1899, July 11	Givnan, John J.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$573.20.	Supreme	12 358	1899, July 15	Klein, Emilie, vs. Trustees of New York and Brooklyn Bridge.	For personal injuries received by falling down stairs from the gallery to promenade, September 16, 1897, \$20,000.
"	12 322	" 11	Joyce, Thomas J.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$333.98.	"	12 359	" 15	Sheehan, John C. (ex rel.), vs. Daniel F. McMahon, Chairman, Executive Committee, Democratic Party in the County of New York, Bernard J. York, et al.	Mandamus to compel the authentication of Democratic lists submitted by John C. Sheehan, etc.
"	12 323	" 11	Hall, William T.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$543.98.	"	12 360	" 15	Anderson, Edward.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Rigger and Painter on New York and Brooklyn Bridge, \$110.20.
"	12 324	" 11	Kerr, Ironson	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$1,355.81.	"	12 361	" 15	Boyle, Thomas	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Machinist on New York and Brooklyn Bridge, \$418.
"	12 325	" 11	Harris, James	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$601.47.	"	12 362	" 15	Dellett, Henry J.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Engineer in Department of Street Improvements, \$1,200.
"	12 326	" 11	Macklin, Francis	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$403.29.	"	12 363	" 15	Duffy, Patrick	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Painter on New York and Brooklyn Bridge \$34.40.
"	12 327	" 11	Maslen, Isaac B.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$1,353.18.	"	12 364	" 15	Fagan William	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Wheelwright in Department of Street Cleaning, \$150.
"	12 328	" 11	Mayer, Alfred J.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$1,235.50.	"	12 365	" 15	Fleming, Edward	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Painter in Department of Street Cleaning, \$225.
"	12 329	" 11	Reid, James D.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$305.11.	"	12 366	" 15	Gannon, William	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Rigger on New York and Brooklyn Bridge, \$300.
"	12 330	" 11	Shevlin, George H.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$608.40.	"	12 367	" 15	Johnson, John	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Blacksmith in Department of Street Cleaning, \$100.
"	12 331	" 11	Smith, Zephaniah C.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Steam Engineer in Dock Department, \$1,625.59.	"	12 368	" 15	Kalb, George	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Carpenter in Department of Street Cleaning, \$225.
Supreme, Kings Co.	12 332	" 11	Whiting, Gilbert L.	For fees as Commissioner of Estimate, etc., opening Church avenue, Brooklyn, during 1897, \$92.	"	12 369	" 15	Keegan, Richard H.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Plumber in Department of Street Cleaning, \$150.
"	12 333	" 11	McGoldrick, Michael F.	For fees as Commissioner of Estimate, etc., opening Third avenue, Brooklyn, during 1897, \$104.	"	12 370	" 15	McLarny, Francis J.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Painter in Department of Street Cleaning, \$400.
Supreme	12 334	" 11	McGinn, John	To recover for loss of horse hired to Street Cleaning Department, \$125.	"	12 371	" 15	McMahon, Eugene	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Blacksmith in Department of Street Cleaning, \$150.
"	12 335	" 11	McNulty, Patrick J.	For overtime work of Street Cleaning Employees, Drivers and Sweepers, \$108.153.	"	12 372	" 15	Scott, William	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Painter on New York and Brooklyn Bridge, \$51.60.
Supreme, Kings Co.	12 336	" 11	Bailey, Edwin, et al., vs. City of New York, The Board of Education et al., No. 1.	To foreclose mechanics' lien on contract of Gibbons & Sons, for erecting school building in Town of Hempstead, \$1,261.69.	"	12 373	" 15	Smith, Albert J.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Rigger on New York and Brooklyn Bridge, \$834.
"	12 337	" 11	Bailey, Edwin, et al., vs. City of New York, The Board of Education et al., No. 2.	To foreclose mechanics' lien on contract of Gibbons & Sons, for erecting school building in Town of Hempstead, \$595.96.	"	12 374	" 15	Smith, William J.	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Blacksmith in Department of Street Cleaning, \$150.
Supreme	12 338	" 11	Carroll, Michael	To recover for extra work as Hostler in Street Cleaning Department, \$19.70.	"	12 375	" 15	Wurth, Henry	For difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at the time of service as Blacksmith in Department of Street Cleaning, \$150.
"	12 339	" 11	Gavigan, Michael	To recover for extra work as Hostler in Street Cleaning Department, \$102.44.	Supreme, Kings Co.	12 376	" 15	Kane, Patrick L.	Summons only served.
"	12 340	" 11	Woods, Thomas	To recover for extra work as Hostler in Street Cleaning Department, \$23.64.	Supreme	12 377	" 15	Pagelow, Alfred	Damages for personal injuries by falling in Sixth avenue, due to defective paving, \$25,000.
Supreme, Kings Co.	12 341	" 11	Pennsylvania and Delaware Oil Co.	For oil sold to the City of Brooklyn during 1897, \$31.20.	"	12 378	" 15	Macklin, John	For publishing the official canvass of Richmond County in "Staten Island Leader" in 1897, \$672.
"	12 342	" 11	Harris, Isaac, et al.	For repairing break in Central avenue sewer in Brooklyn, \$7,281.87.	Supreme, Richmond Co.	12 379	" 15	Pape, Adolph	For goods sold to School District No. 3, Middletown and Southfield, during 1897, \$35.70.
"	12 343	" 11	Houston, Andrew M.	As assignee to recover for furniture sold by United States School Furniture Co., \$156.76.	Supreme	12 380	" 15	Moor, William Ovid	For services as Expert Chemist, etc., in People vs. Trumbull W. W. Cleveland, \$700.
"	12 344	" 11	Bailey, Albert W.	For services as Commissioner of Estimate, etc., opening Church avenue, Brooklyn, during 1897, \$92.	Supreme, Queens Co.	13 49	" 11	Dowling, Edward, as trustee.	To recover for work performed and materials furnished by John J. O'Connor in painting, etc., fixture in Long Island City Library, between June 9 and August 6, 1896, \$82.
"	12A 3	" 11	Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company (ex rel.) vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's personal property for 1899.	Supreme	13 50	" 11	John Kress Brewing Company.	To recover amounts of various warrants issued by Long Island City, \$985.
Supreme	12A 4	" 11	Goldman, Sachs & Co. (ex rel.) vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's personal property for 1899.	Supreme, Queens Co.	13 52	" 12	Todd, Estelle (ex rel.), vs. F. DeHaas Simonson, et al., composing School Board of the Borough of Queens.	Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator to position of Clerk in School Board.
"	12A 4	" 11	Metropolitan Street Railway Company (ex rel.) vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's personal property for 1899.	"	13 53	" 12	Cisco, Elizabeth (ex rel.), vs. School Board, Borough of Queens.	Mandamus to compel respondents to admit children of relator to public school in Borough of Queens.
"	12 345	" 12	Ettlinger, Louis	To recover rent for eleventh and twelfth floors of Nos. 585 and 587 Broadway, leased to Board of Education during quarter ending May 1, 1899, \$2,000.	Supreme, Kings Co.	13 54	" 13	Bailey, Edwin, et al., doing business under the firm name of E. Bailey & Sons, vs. Board of Education of The City of New York, et al.	To foreclose mechanics lien on School Building at Rockaway Park, Town of Hempstead.
"	12 346	" 12	Miller, Martin (ex rel.), vs. J. Sergeant Cram et al., Commissioners of Department of Docks and Ferries	Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator as Foreman Dock Builder in Dock Department.	Supreme, Queens Co.	13 55	" 13	Woods, Anthony F.	To recover difference between salary of plaintiff in 1898 paid him as Patrolman, etc., \$645.75.
Supreme, Kings Co.	12 347	" 12	Riedinger, Emelie (Matter of)	For order directing payment of award for Parcel No. 251, Bronx River Proceeding.	"	13 56	" 13	Conroy, Thomas	To recover difference between salary of plaintiff in 1898 paid him as Patrolman and as Sergeant, etc., \$530.49.
Supreme	12 348	" 12	Goldbowitz, Max E., vs. Henry Gerstein et al.	To recover goods in possession of Property Clerk of the Police Department or value, \$207.13.	"	13 57	" 13	Fitzgerald, George	To recover difference between salary of plaintiff in 1898 paid him as Patrolman and as Sergeant, etc., \$544.11.
City	12 348	" 12	Bogin, Simon, vs. John F. Harriot.	Summons only served.	"	13 58	" 13	Farrell, Peter C.	To recover difference between salary of plaintiff in 1898 paid him as Patrolman and as Sergeant, etc., \$546.25.
Supreme	12 349	" 13	Skidmore, Rosa A., as general guardian of Samuel Tredwell Skidmore, a minor, vs. William H. Glover et al.	To foreclose mortgage on premises, Eighteenth avenue and White Plains road, \$1,800.	"	13 61	" 14	Zimmer, Charles J.	To recover for labor performed, etc., Department of Public Instruction, Long Island City, in 1897, \$25.
"	12 350	" 13	Harrison, Louis B., vs. Village of New Brighton.	To recover for construction of sewer in Jewett avenue, Village of New Brighton, extra work and damages, \$8,213.20.	"	13 62	" 14	Ward, Patrick	To recover difference between salary of plaintiff in 1898 paid him as Patrolman and as Sergeant, etc., \$544.35.
"	12 351	" 13	Morrison, Frances Viola	Damages for alleged personal injuries received by falling into depression in sidewalk in front of vacant lot or premises, No. 542 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, February 5, 1899, \$5,000.	"	13 63	" 14	Downey, Patrick J.	To recover difference between salary of plaintiff in 1898 paid him as Patrolman and as Sergeant, etc., \$567.51.
Supreme, Kings Co.	12 352	" 13	Schavrien, Elias	Damages for personal injuries caused by falling upon defective sidewalk on Stockton street, between Tompkins and Throop avenues, April 23, 1899, \$5,000.	Supreme, Kings Co.	13 65	" 14	Jurgens, William B. A.	To recover amounts of warrants issued by Long Island City, General Improvement Commission, to Annie Gallagher, as salary as Janitress, \$384.80.
Supreme	12 353	" 13	Devery, William S. (Application of)	For appointment of referee.	Supreme, Queens Co.	13 66	" 14	White, Timothy F.	To recover difference between salary of plaintiff as Patrolman and Captain for 1898, etc., \$994.86.
"	12 355	" 13	Peirce, John (ex rel.), vs. Municipal Assembly of The City of New York et al.	Mandamus to compel Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock for purpose of paying relator.	"	13 68	" 15	Law, Edward M.	To recover for services as Inspector of Election, Town of Newtown, December 22, 1897, \$6.
"	12A 5	" 13	National Academy of Design (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.	"	13 69	" 15	Morgan, William E.	To recover for work, labor, etc., of J. M. Waddle for opening Nineteenth street, from Eleventh to Fourteenth avenues, Whitestone, September, 1897, \$50.
"	12A 5	" 13	Lee, Alleine (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.	"	13 71	" 15	Anabie, Eliphalet Nott (ex rel.), vs. Thomas L. Feitner, et al., Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of The City of New York.	Mandamus to compel respondents to correct assessment rolls of Long Island City for the year 1897.
"	12A 6	" 13	Satterlee, Edward R., et al. (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 6	" 13	Lee, Benjamin F., et al. (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
Supreme, Kings Co.	12A 7	" 13	Zolikoff, Oscar F., et al. (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 8	" 13	Smallwood, Eliza B. (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 8	" 13	Newell, Julia Pomeroy (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 9	" 13	Cabot, Catherine H., and another (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 9	" 13	Strong, William E. (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 10	" 13	Nelson, William (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 10	" 13	Cabot, Catherine H. (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 7	" 13	Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 11	" 13	Pomeroy, Josephine (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 11	" 13	Baldwin, Minnie E. (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 12	" 13	Bacon, Harriet (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 12	" 13	Pomeroy, Eugene Cowles (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
"	12A 13	" 13	United States Mortgage and Trust Company (ex rel.), vs. Tax Commissioners.	Certiorari to review assessment on relator's real estate for 1899.					
Supreme	12 356	" 14	Kostor, William H. (ex rel.), vs. Henry S. Kearny, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies of The City of New York.	Mandamus to compel reinstatement of relator to position of Clerk in Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.					
"	12 357	" 14	Levy, Louis (ex rel.), vs. John Whalen, Corporation Counsel of The City of New York.	Mandamus to compel respondent to take necessary proceedings to acquire title to real estate, etc.					

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

James Carroll; John Cullen—Judgments of affirmance entered on remittitur from Court of Appeals and for \$109.02 costs.

John J. McCunney—Judgment of affirmance entered on remittitur from Court of Appeals with \$84.32 costs.

Morris Littman, Executor, etc.—Judgment of affirmance entered on remittitur from Court of Appeals and for \$114.37 costs.

Alfred J. Tyrrell—Judgment of affirmance entered on remittitur and for \$233.37 costs.

People ex rel. John J. Tucker vs. Robert A. Van Wyck et al.; People ex rel. George Walton Green vs. Robert A. Van Wyck et al.; People ex rel. Henry W. Cannon vs. Robert A. Van

Wyck et al.—Judgments of affirmance entered on remittitur from Court of Appeals and for \$101.53 costs.

John J. Scannell, etc., vs. Zalmon Goodsell et al. (two actions)—Orders of discontinuance entered.

Matter of the Application of John T. Stephenson—Order entered referring claim to Francis B. Delahanty.

Isaac Bell Brennan, as Receiver, etc.—Order entered amending judgment by canceling lien of Catherine I. Cattaberry and undertaking.

John Melody—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

Patrick J. McNulty (two actions); People ex rel. Woodbridge Company vs. Tax Commissioners (two proceedings)—Orders of discontinuance entered.

People ex rel. Denis J. Mahoney vs. Police Commissioners—Order on remittitur entered affirming judgment dismissing writ with costs.

Charles W. Watson vs. Bird S. Coler (two cases)—Orders entered discontinuing the actions without costs.

People ex rel. Severin Warschauer vs. William Dalton—Judgment entered on remittitur from Court of Appeals and for \$109.37 costs.

George W. Tice et al. vs. Francis J. Lantry et al.—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

Consolidated Ice Company—Judgment entered dismissing complaint and for \$107.82 costs.

People ex rel. Harry S. Van Demark—Judgment entered on Appellate Division order affirming order with \$80.82 costs.

William J. Walsh et al. vs. James Campbell et al.—Order entered denying motion to vacate judgment.

George Steinson vs. Board of Education—Judgment entered in favor of the defendant and for \$109.82 costs.

People ex rel. Consumers' Brewing Company of Mount Vernon vs. Tax Commissioners—Judgment entered reversing Special Term order and quashing writ of certiorari with \$43.47 costs.

Antonio Scuturo vs. Robert J. Wright—Judgment entered dismissing complaint without costs.

People ex rel. Henry Corn vs. Tax Commissioners; People ex rel. George R. Hull vs. Tax Commissioners—Orders entered denying motions for writs of mandamus with \$10 costs.

The Prince Line (1895) Limited vs. John F. Harriot—Judgment entered for possession of property and for \$172.15 costs against defendant, Harriot.

William V. O'Callaghan; John Denice; Stephen H. Moore; Edward J. Campbell; David Murphy; Thomas F. Kerr—Orders entered discontinuing actions without costs.

People ex rel. Frederick M. Czaki vs. B. S. Coler, Comptroller—Order entered denying motion for writ of mandamus.

People ex rel. Robert Miller vs. Tax Commissioners; People ex rel. John J. Herrick vs. Tax Commissioners—Appellate Division orders of affirmance entered.

People ex rel. Grace Brickwedel vs. William Dalton—Order entered granting peremptory writ of mandamus.

New York and Sea Beach Railroad Company vs. Staten Island Rapid Transit Company et al.—Order entered discontinuing action without cost.

Victoria E. Bell—Judgment entered on decision in favor of the plaintiff.

Edwin Davidson, by guardian, etc.—Order entered denying motion for possession of certain papers.

Murray G. Heyson—Order entered opening default and allowing judgment to plead upon payment of \$63.58 costs.

People ex rel. James W. Dixon vs. F. B. Simonson et al.—Order entered granting peremptory writ of mandamus.

Jamaica Water Supply Company vs. James P. Keating—Order entered denying motion for injunction.

Judgments were entered in favor of the plaintiffs in the following actions: Carlos F. McDonald, \$144.06; Kate F. Allen, \$2,235.15; Mary A. Campbell, \$1,783.40; Otis Brothers & Co., \$57.26; Bernard Mullen, \$227.60; James Norton, \$217.25; S. Edson Gage, \$107.12; Lillie B. Cleverdon, \$361.69; Alfred T. Wilson, \$41.94; Edward K. Burke, \$29.50; Christopher Missall, \$178.44; Mary C. Gough, \$681; Thomas Butler, \$148.50; Henry Meyer, \$63.25; Alert Hose Company No. 1, \$142.86; Margaret Boyce, \$425; A. L. Newton Company, \$143.20; The Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, \$8,500; William D. Jones, \$5,427.34; John C. Carlin, \$568.74; William J. Kinsley, \$1,733.90; James P. Rapelye, \$42.41; S. Edson Gage, \$107.12; Ferdinand M. Jeffries, \$1,081.08; Albert Filliol, \$549.85; James Davren, \$325.84; Michael J. Drummond vs. Long Island City, \$234.15.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ARGUED.

Matter of Tenth avenue school site—Motion to confirm report of Commissioners submitted to Bischoff, J.; decision reserved; J. P. Clarke for the City.

In re Orson D. Munn (Morris street sewer)—Motion to vacate assessment argued before Bischoff, J.; decision reserved; G. L. Sterling for the City.

William J. Walsh vs. James Campbell et al.—Motion for stay made before Bischoff, J.; motion granted upon giving a bond for \$500; G. H. Cowie for the City.

People ex rel. James Gillfillian vs. Henry S. Kearny—Motion for mandamus argued before Bischoff, J.; decision reserved; W. B. Crowell for the City.

Matter of the estate of Mary M. White—Motion for the issuance of a commission to John J. Mahoney submitted to Varnum, S.; C. A. O'Neil for the City.

People ex rel. Henry C. Holt vs. Henry S. Kearny; People ex rel. Denis Byrne vs. Henry S. Kearny—Motions for mandamus argued before Bischoff, J.; T. Connolly and C. W. Ridgway for the City.

People ex rel. Thomas B. Doane vs. John J. Scannell—Motion for order of substitution argued before Bischoff, J.; decision reserved; W. B. Crowell for the City.

People ex rel. Augustus F. Weiss vs. John J. Scannell—Motion for writ of mandamus argued before Bischoff, J.; motion denied without costs; W. B. Crowell, for the City.

St. Nicholas Park, one hearing; Riverside Park, one hearing; Eleventh Ward Park, one hearing; C. D. Olendorf for the City.

One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets school site, one hearing; One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets school site, one hearing; C. N. Harris for the City.

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

BOARDS OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

MINUTES.

Pursuant to call by President Haffen, the members of the Local Board, Twenty-first District, met at 10.30 A. M., August 16, 1899, at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park.

Present—President Haffen, Alderman Geiger and Councilman Murray.

Minutes of previous meeting read and adopted.

PETITIONS.

East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street, Sewer, from Prospect Avenue to Dawson Street, and in Hewitt Place, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street to Longwood Avenue.

Petition of Theodore E. Macy and others, dated July 3, 1899, was read, and, on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Prospect avenue to Dawson street, and in Hewitt place, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Longwood avenue, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

East One Hundred and Sixty-third Street, Sewer, from Third Avenue to Cauldwell Avenue, with Branch in Eagle Avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third Street to East One Hundred and Sixty-first Street.

Petition of George A. Macdonald was read, and, on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Cauldwell avenue, with branch in Eagle avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

East One Hundred and Seventy-third Street and Suburban Place, Sewer, from Boston Road to Crotona Park, East, and in Crotona Park, East, from Summit west of Suburban Place to Summit east of East One Hundred and Seventy-third Street.

Petition of August Vogel and others, dated June 12, 1899, was read, and on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Suburban place, from Boston road to Crotona Park, East, and in Crotona

Park, East, from summit west of Suburban place to summit east of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

East One Hundred and Seventy-third Street Opening, from Crotona Park, East, to the Boston Road.

Petition of Edward M. Scudder and others, dated June 12, 1899, was read, and on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that proceedings be initiated for acquiring title to East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Crotona Park, East, to Boston road, and that a copy of this petition be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth Street, Regulating and Grading, from Webster Avenue to Kingsbridge Road.

Petition of John M. Ruhl and others, dated July 7, 1899, was read, and on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements, that East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, from Webster avenue to Kingsbridge road, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built and fences erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Bathgate Avenue, Sewer Construction, from East One Hundred and Seventy-second Street to Wendover Avenue.

Petition of M. Scheringer and others was read. On motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in Bathgate avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-second street to Wendover avenue, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Bathgate Avenue, Asphalt Blocks, from Wendover Avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-eighth Street.

Petition of D. Pohndorf and others, representing over 1,200 feet, was read. Mr. M. J. McDermott and others appeared in opposition to asphalt block. Mr. John Bedell thought that at the present time macadam was the proper material. Mr. McDermott was of the opinion also that for the present the macadamising of Bathgate avenue would serve all purposes and that the Department of Highways could lay macadam on Bathgate avenue as well as on other thoroughfares. This matter, after further discussion, was laid over.

Crotona Park, East, Opening, from Crotona Park, South, to Boston Road.

Petition of Edward M. Scudder and others, dated June 12, 1899, was read, and on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that proceedings be initiated for acquiring title to Crotona Park, East (Penfold avenue), from Crotona Park, South, to Boston road, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Creston Avenue, Change of Grade, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth to One Hundred and Eighty-ninth (Welch) Street.

Petition of J. A. Goulden and others was read, and on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that the grade of Creston avenue be changed from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to One Hundred and Eighty-ninth (Welch) street, so that the trees now standing may not be disturbed, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Rockwood Street, Acquiring Title, from Wallon Avenue to Grand Boulevard and Concourse—Reconsidered.

Petition of William B. Ewing and others, on motion of Councilman Murray the matter was laid over.

Suburban Place, Acquiring Title, from Crotona Park, East (Penfold Avenue), to Boston Road.

Petition of Edward M. Scudder and others, dated June 12, last, was read, and on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that proceedings be initiated for acquiring title to Suburban place, from Crotona Park, East (Penfold avenue) to Boston road, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Timpson Place, Regulating and Grading, One Hundred and Forty-fourth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street.

Petition of J. H. Adderley and another, dated June 24, last, was read. Alderman Geiger expressed the belief that more property-owners should be represented on the petition in this matter and it was laid over until one or more signers should be obtained.

Receiving-basins.

A report of the Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of The Bronx, dated July 24, 1899, was read, and on motion of Alderman Geiger it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements, the altering, rebuilding and improving of receiving-basin on the west side of Valentine avenue, about thirty-five feet north of Burnside avenue.

Also—

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements, the altering, rebuilding and improving of receiving-basin on the southwest corner of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Trinity avenue.

One Hundred and Seventieth Street, Asphalt Strips, from Webster to Franklin Avenue.

Petition of Henry Zeltner Brewing Company, dated July 23, 1899, was read, and, on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements, the laying of asphalt strips on both sides of East One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Webster avenue to Franklin avenue.

East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh Street, Asphalt repaving, from Alexander Avenue to Willis Avenue.

Laid over.

East One Hundred and Forty-first Street, Asphalt repaving, Third to Willis Avenue.

Laid over.

Exterior Street, Acquiring Title, Cromwell's Creek to One Hundred and Fiftieth Street.

On request of counsel this matter was again laid over.

Office Room for Department of Street Cleaning.

The following communication of the Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Borough of the Bronx, was read and laid over:

JULY 18, 1899.

Hon. LOUIS F. HAFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx:

DEAR SIR—Will you kindly use your influence to procure for this Department the rooms now occupied by Mr. Connell, the Auditor of The Bronx, and which he is about to vacate.

The office which I am now quartered in is entirely too small, and I therefore make the above request.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH LIEBERTZ, Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

One Hundred and Sixty-third Street, Water-main, from Jackson Avenue to Forest Avenue.

Petition of Ellen Mulholland, per Thomas T. Uren, was read, and, on motion of Alderman Geiger, the matter was recommended.

One Hundred and Sixty-seventh Street, Water-main, from Third to Fulton Avenue.

Petition of John J. Barry and others was also recommended.

One Hundred and Forty-fourth Street, Asphalt Repaving, from Brook to Third Avenue.

Petition of Anna Fitzgerald and others, dated June 29, 1899, was read, and, on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That this Board hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street be repaved with asphalt between Brook avenue and Third avenue.

East Side of Third Avenue at One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street—Reflagging.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with abutting property-owners in relation to the condition of sidewalk at this point.

Lights in front of Church of Living Hope, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Southern Boulevard, recommended.

Adjournment.

JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.
TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

MINUTES.

Pursuant to call by President Haffen, the members of the Local Board, Twenty-second District, met at 12 A. M., August 16, 1899, at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park.

Present—President Haffen and Alderman Gass.
Minutes of previous meeting read and adopted.

PETITIONS.

Gas—Westchester Avenue, between White Plains Road and Marion Street.

The following, signed by Frank Friedleben and others, was submitted by Aldermen Gass, and, on motion, the matter was recommended to the Board of Public Improvements and Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies:

To the Hon. Local Board, Twenty-second District, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned, owners and occupants of abutting property, respectfully petition that you may order gas-mains to be put in Westchester avenue, between White Plains road and Marion street, Wakefield, Borough of The Bronx.

FRANK FRIEDLEBEN and sixteen others.

NEW YORK, August 10, 1899.

Gas—Parker Avenue, from Julianna Street to Elizabeth Street, and from Elizabeth Street to Morris Street.

On motion of Alderman Gass, the following petition was recommended to the Board of Public Improvements and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies:

June 16, 1899.

To the Honorable President and Local Board of Improvements, Borough of The Bronx:

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned citizens, taxpayers and residents of Williamsbridge, would respectfully petition your Honorable Board to recommend the laying and extending of gas-mains from the intersection of Newell avenue and Barker avenue, along said Barker avenue to Julianna street, along said Barker avenue, from Julianna street to Elizabeth street, along said Barker avenue, from Elizabeth street to Morris street.

(Signed) JOSEPH BUEHLER, Barker avenue, near Elizabeth street, and 41 others.

Becker Avenue, Gas, from White Plains Road to the Railroad Station at Wakefield.

The following petition was also submitted, signed by Peter Herrman and eight others, and like action taken.

We, the undersigned taxpayers on Becker avenue, in the late Village of Wakefield, respectfully petition that gas-mains be laid and lamps erected and maintained along said Becker avenue, from the White Plains road to the Railroad Station. With the exception of White Plains road, Becker avenue is the most important avenue in the late Village of Wakefield, leading, as it does, from White Plains road to the Railroad Station. The avenue, at present, is lighted with naphtha lamps, and the lighting of said avenue by gas-lamps would not require any more expense than is now entailed by the present system of lighting by naphtha.

PETER HERRMANN, Becker avenue, and eight others.

Adjournment.

JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 220 FOURTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, August 14, 1899.

OPERATIONS FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 12, 1899.

	MANHATTAN AND BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS AND RICHMOND.	TOTAL.
Plans filed for new buildings.....	64	56	6	126
Estimated cost.....	\$3,684,480	\$350,925	\$10,700	\$4,046,105
Plans filed for alterations.....	70	42	21	133
Estimated cost.....	\$96,610	\$22,985	\$13,079	\$132,674
Buildings reported as unsafe.....	44	11	.....	55
Buildings reported for additional means of escape.....	20	12	.....	32
Other violations of law reported.....	177	50	.....	227
Unsafe building notices issued.....	110	11	.....	121
Fire-escape notices issued.....	26	12	.....	38
Violation notices issued.....	322	50	.....	372
Unsafe building cases forwarded for prosecution.....	3	2	.....	5
Fire-escape cases forwarded for prosecution.....	54	36	.....	90
Violation cases forwarded for prosecution.....	198	39	.....	237
Iron and steel inspections made.....	5,132	293	.....	5,425
Complaints lodged with the Department.....	32	20	.....	52
Plans filed for plumbing.....	.....	.....	12	12
Estimated cost.....	.....	.....	\$3,884	\$3,884

A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Know all men by these presents, That, whereas the Municipal Assembly has adopted, and I have approved, a resolution reading as follows:

No. 1495.

Whereas, The Manhattan and Jersey City Railway Company has presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York its application in writing for a grant of a franchise or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in the Borough of Manhattan, for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof, together with the necessary connections, switches, sidings, turn-outs, turn-tables and cross-overs, for the convenient operation of said railroad; it is

Resolved, the Council concurring, That the 18th day of September, 1899, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, in the City Hall in The City of New York be, and they hereby are, designated as the time and place when and where the said application of the Manhattan and Jersey City Railway Company to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, for a grant of a franchise or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in the Borough of Manhattan, in said application mentioned, for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof in the manner and form as are particularly set forth in said application and therein described, will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York, to be designated in writing therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provision of the laws in such case made and provided, such notice to be published at the expense of the applicant.

Resolved, further, That the notice to be published by the City Clerk shall be substantially in manner and form as follows:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK, ROOM
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE DAY OF 1899.

The Manhattan and Jersey City Railway Company having filed its application in writing to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated the 15th day of August, 1899, for a grant of a franchise or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in the Borough of Manhattan, hereinafter mentioned, for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath

the surface thereof, with all necessary connections, switches, sidings, turn-outs, turn-tables and cross-overs for the convenient operation of said railroad underneath the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways in the said Borough of Manhattan, to wit:

Beginning at some convenient point at or near the intersection of Liberty and Washington streets; going thence in a northerly direction under and along Washington street to or near the point at which this street crosses Dey street; thence turning in a westerly direction through Dey street, passing under and along Dey street, under and across West street, and under the bulkhead and piers at or near the foot of Dey street, and under and across the Hudson river to the limits of the ownership and jurisdiction thereof by The City of New York, and to the boundary line of the State of New York at or near Jersey City; the line also branching off from Washington street at Cortlandt street and going in a westerly direction under and along Cortlandt street and crossing under West street and going under the bulkhead and piers at or near the foot of Cortlandt street; thence under and across the Hudson river to the limits of the ownership and jurisdiction thereof by The City of New York, and to the boundary line of the State of New York at or near Jersey City; also a branch passing under and along West street between the two lines above mentioned, making a connection between the two.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the resolutions and directions of both houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which were adopted by the Board of Aldermen and concurred in by the Council on the 15th day of August, 1899, public notice of such application is hereby given, and that at the Aldermanic Chamber in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of September, 1899, at three o'clock in the afternoon, said application of said railway company will be first considered and public hearing had thereon.

All persons interested in said application are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, as an opportunity will then and there be given them to be heard in relation thereto.

Now, therefore, I, Randolph Guggenheimer, Acting Mayor of The City of New York, do hereby designate the "New York Journal and Advertiser," and the "New York Times," two daily newspapers published in The City of New York, as the two newspapers in which the notice provided for in the foregoing resolution shall be published.

In witness whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office, this twenty-first day of August, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

[SEAL.]

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, Acting Mayor.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Know all men by these presents, That, whereas the Municipal Assembly has adopted and I have approved a resolution reading as follows:

No. 1511.

Whereas, The Manhattan Tunnel Railway Company has presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York its application, in writing, for a grant of a franchise or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in the Borough of Manhattan, for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof, together with the necessary connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, turn-tables and cross-overs, for the convenient operation of its railroad, it is

Resolved, the Council concurring, That Friday, the 8th day of September, 1899, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the chambers of the Council, in the City Hall in The City of New York, be and they hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the said application of the Manhattan Tunnel Railway Company to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York for a grant of a franchise or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in the Borough of Manhattan, in said application mentioned, for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof, in the manner and form as are particularly set forth in said application and therein described will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York, to be designated in writing therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of law in such case made and provided; such notice to be published at the expense of the applicant.

Resolved, further, That the notice to be published by said City Clerk shall be substantially in manner and form as follows:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK, ROOM
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE DAY OF 1899.

The Manhattan Tunnel Railway Company having filed its application in writing to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated the 19th day of June, 1899, for a grant of a franchise or right to use certain streets, avenues and highways in the Borough of Manhattan, hereinafter mentioned, for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof, together with all necessary connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, turn-tables and cross-overs for the convenient operation of said railroad, underneath the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways in said Borough of Manhattan, to wit:

Beginning at a point in Chambers street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, one hundred feet or thereabouts easterly from the easterly line of West Broadway, and thence running westerly and underneath said Chambers street, crossing under the lines of West Broadway, Greenwich, Washington and West streets to the shore line of the Hudson river and thence still westerly through a tunnel or tunnels underneath the said Hudson river to the limits of the ownership and jurisdiction thereof, by The City of New York and to the centre of said river and boundary line of the State of New York.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the resolutions and directions of both houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which were adopted by the Board of Aldermen and concurred in by the Council on the day of 1899, and approved by his Honor the Mayor of the said City, on the day of 1899, public notice of such application is hereby given, and that, at the Councilmanic Chamber, in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the day of 1899, at o'clock in the noon, such application of said railroad company will be first considered and a public hearing had thereon.

All persons interested in said application are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, and an opportunity will be then given them to be heard in relation thereto.

Now, therefore, I, Randolph Guggenheimer, Acting Mayor of The City of New York, do hereby designate the "New York Journal and Advertiser" and the "New York Times," two daily newspapers published in The City of New York, as the two newspapers in which the notice provided for in the foregoing resolution shall be published.

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

[SEAL.]

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, Acting Mayor.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Known all men by these presents, That, whereas the Municipal Assembly has adopted and I have approved a resolution reading as follows:

No. 1490.

Whereas, The New York and Brooklyn Railroad Company has presented to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York its application in writing for an extension of a grant of a franchise or right to construct a tunnel under certain streets, avenues and highways and other properties in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Manhattan for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof, together with the necessary connections, switches, sidings, turnouts, turn-tables and cross-overs for the convenient operation of said railroad; it is

Resolved, the Council concurring, That, Monday, the 18th day of September, 1899, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Chamber of the Council in the City Hall in The City of New York, be, and they hereby are, designated as the time and place when and where the said application of the New York and Brooklyn Railroad Company to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, for an extension of a grant of a franchise or right to construct a tunnel under certain streets, avenues and highways and other property in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Manhattan, in said application mentioned, for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof, in the manner and form as are particularly set forth in said application and therein described, will be first considered, and that the City Clerk shall cause public notice thereof to be published for at least fourteen days in two of the daily newspapers published in The City of New York to be designated in writing therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of the laws in such case made and provided, such notice to be published at the expense of the applicant.

Resolved, further, That the notice to be published by the City Clerk shall be substantially in manner and form as follows:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK, ROOM
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE DAY OF 1899.

The New York and Brooklyn Railroad Company having filed its application in writing to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, dated the day of 1899, for an

extension of a grant of a franchise or right to construct a tunnel under certain streets, avenues and highways in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Manhattan, hereinafter mentioned, for the construction and operation of a tunnel railroad underneath the surface thereof, together with all necessary connections, switches, sidings, turn-outs, turn-tables and cross-overs, for the convenient operation of said railroad underneath the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways in said boroughs of Brooklyn and Manhattan, to wit:

Beginning at some convenient point at or near the junction of Ann street and Park row, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, County of New York, and running thence by a convenient and eligible route or routes underground to and under the waters of the East river and to and under the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York and County of Kings, to the junction of Adams and Willoughby streets in the said Borough of Brooklyn.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the resolutions and directions of both houses of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, which were adopted by the Board of Aldermen and concurred in by the Council on the 15th day of August, 1899, and approved by his Honor the Mayor of said City on the day of , 1899, public notice of such application is hereby given; and that, at the Councilmanic Chamber, in the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Monday, the 18th day of September, 1899, at two o'clock in the afternoon, such application of said railroad company will be first considered and a public hearing had thereon.

All persons interested in said application are notified to be present at the time and place aforesaid, as an opportunity will then and there be given them to be heard in relation thereto.

Now, therefore, I, Randolph Guggenheimer, Acting Mayor of The City of New York, do hereby designate the "New York Journal and Advertiser" and the "New York Times," two daily newspapers published in The City of New York, as the two newspapers in which the notice provided for in the foregoing resolution shall be published.

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

[SEAL.]

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, Acting Mayor.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,
New York, August 21, 1899.
Number of licenses issued and amounts received
therefor in the week ending Saturday, August 19, 1899:
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Monday, Aug. 14, 1899	68	\$277 25
Tuesday, " 15, "	55	172 00
Wed'sday, " 16, "	49	153 00
Thursday, " 17, "	46	224 50
Friday, " 18, "	52	192 25
Saturday, " 19, "	30	143 25
Totals.....	300	\$1,162 25

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Monday, Aug. 14, 1899	82	\$338 00
Tuesday, " 15, "	64	216 50
Wed'sday, " 16, "	40	165 50
Thursday, " 17, "	61	211 50
Friday, " 18, "	47	156 50
Saturday, " 19, "	28	107 00
Totals.....	322	\$1,195 00

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Monday, Aug. 14, 1899	4	\$8 00
Tuesday, " 15, "	8	18 50
Wed'sday, " 16, "	..	.....
Thursday, " 17, "	..	.....
Friday, " 18, "	3	6 00
Saturday, " 19, "	..	.....
Totals.....	15	\$32 50

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Monday, Aug. 14, 1899	2	\$10 00
Tuesday, " 15, "	3	24 00
Wed'sday, " 16, "	5	25 00
Thursday, " 17, "	..	.....
Friday, " 18, "	2	10 00
Saturday, " 19, "	..	.....
Totals.....	12	\$69 00

DAVID J. ROCHE,
Chief of Bureau of Licenses.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.
ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
DAVID J. ROCHE, Chief of Bureau.
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; WILLIAM H. JORDAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.
Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM H. McCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.

Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City; PETER FLANAGAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Queens.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT
The Mayor, Chairman; THOMAS L. FEITNER (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, and the CORPORATION COUNSEL, Members; CHARLES V. ADEK, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.
The Mayor, Chairman; BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller; PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain; RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council, and ROBERT MUIR, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, Members. EDGAR J. LEVY, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Room No. 11, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.
The Mayor, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary; HENRY S. KEARNEY, McCOSKEY BUTT and JAMES MCLEER, Commissioners.
Address THOMAS L. FEITNER, Stewart Building.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE COUNCIL.

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council.
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

THOMAS F. WOODS, President.
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN C. HERTLE and EDWARD OWEN.

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. COOGAN, President.
IRA EDGAR RIDER, Secretary.

Borough of The Bronx.

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Borough of Queens.

FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.
Office, Long Island City. 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. until 12 M.

Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.
Office of the President, First National Bank Building New Brighton; 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.
No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
WM. B. DAVENPORT, Public Administrator.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209 Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. RYAN, MAURICE J. POWER, WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, JOHN P. WINDOLPH and THE MAYOR, and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary, A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.
MICHAEL T. DALY, EDGAR J. LEVY, Deputy Comptrollers.

Auditing Bureau.

JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Manhattan.
EDWARD J. CONNELL, Auditor of Accounts, Borough of The Bronx.

WILLIAM MCKINNY, First Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Brooklyn.
FRANCIS R. CLAIR, Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Queens.
WALTER H. HOLT, Auditor of Accounts, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan.
JOHN KELLEHER, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES E. STANFORD, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of The Bronx.

MICHAEL O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN F. ROGERS, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.

GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.
JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan.
JOHN J. UNDERHILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of The Bronx.
JAMES B. BOUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.
FREDERICK W. BLACKWERN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.
MATTHEW S. TULLY, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 18th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Department of Highways.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.
WILLIAM N. SHANNON, Deputy for Manhattan.
THOMAS R. FARRELL, Deputy for Brooklyn.
JAMES H. MALONEY, Deputy for Queens.
JOHN P. MADDEN, Deputy for Queens.
HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy and Chief Engineer for Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Sewers.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.
MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, Deputy for Manhattan.
THOMAS J. BYRNES, Deputy for Brooklyn.
WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn.
MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Deputy Commissioner Sewers, Borough of Queens.
HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Richmond. Office "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Bridges.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner.
THOMAS H. YORK, Deputy.
SAMUEL R. PROBASCO, Chief Engineer.
MATTHEW H. MOORE, Deputy for Bronx.
HARRY BEAM, Deputy for Brooklyn.
JOHN E. BACKUS, Deputy for Queens.

Department of Water Supply.

No. 150 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.
JAMES H. HASLIN, Deputy Commissioner.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.
W. G. BYRNE, Water Register.
JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building.
WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Queens, Long Island City.
THOMAS J. MULLIGAN, Deputy Commissioner Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building.

HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Street Cleaning.

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

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of Corporation Counsel.

Staats-Zeitung Building, 3d and 4th floors 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JOHN WHALEY, Corporation Counsel.
THEODORE CONNOLLY, W. W. LADD, Jr., CHARLES BLANDY, Assistants.
WILLIAM J. CARR, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes
Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES C. SPENCER, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

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

Bureau of Street Openings.

Nos. 99 and 92 West Broadway.
JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Central Office.

Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN W. KELLER, President of the Board; Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Deputy Commissioner.

ADOLPH SIMIS, Jr., Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn.
EDWARD GLINNE, Deputy Commissioner.

JAMES FRENEY, Commissioner for Richmond.

Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturdays, 12 M.

Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
JOHN J. SCARNELL, Fire Commissioner.
JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.
EDWARD F. CROKER, Chief of Department, and in Charge of Fire-alarm Telegraph.
JAMES DALE, Deputy Chief, in Charge of Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
GEORGE E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles.
PETER SERRY, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan The Bronx and Richmond.
ALONZO BRYMER, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
Central Office open at all hours.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Pier "A," N. R., Battery place.
J. SERGFANT CRAM, President; CHARLES F. MURPHY, Treasurer; PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.
WILLIAM H. BURKE, Secretary.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL C. MURPHY, President, and WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D., JOHN B. COSBY, M. D., THE PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD, ex-officio, and the HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, ex-officio, Commissioners.
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.
CHARLES F. ROBERTS, M. D., Superintendent, Borough of Manhattan.

EUGENE MONAHAN, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of The Bronx.
ROBERT A. BLACK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Brooklyn.

OED L. LUSK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Queens.

JOHN L. FERNY, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Richmond.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Arsenal Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, President, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.
GEORGE V. BROWER, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.
AUGUST MOEBUS, Commissioner in Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Main Office, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

THOMAS J. BRADY, President of the Board of Buildings and Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

JOHN GUILFOYLE, Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn.
DANIEL CAMPBELL, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.

A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary.
Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

Office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.

Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, Richmond Hall, New Brighton Staten Island, Borough of Richmond. Branch office: Room 1, second floor, Town Hall, Jamaica, Long Island, Borough of Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
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New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, Hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
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First District—Criminal Court Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

SECOND DIVISION.

Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—No. 318 Adams street. JACOB BRENNER, Magistrate.
Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY BRISTOW, Magistrate.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TEALE, Magistrate.

Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
Fifth District—Ewen and Powers streets. ANDREW LEMON, Magistrate.
Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WORTH, Magistrate.
Seventh District—No. 31 Grant street, Flatbush. ALFRED E. STEERS, Magistrate.
Eighth District—Coney Island. J. LOTT NOSTRAND, Magistrate.

Borough of Queens.

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

Borough of Richmond.

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County Court-house, Brooklyn.
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County Office Building, Richmond, S. I.
STEPHEN D. STEVENS, County Judge.

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County Court-house, 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 2.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 23.
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Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 32.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 30.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 24.
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 22.
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CITY COURT.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

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

CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.
Court-house, No. 111 Fifth avenue, corner Eighteenth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
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COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

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

QUEENS COUNTY COURT.

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

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Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A. M.

Justices, First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAYERS JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN B. McKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second Division—Trial days—Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.
Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKEE, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; CHARLES F. WOLZ, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

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

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

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

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

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

WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

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

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice. Clerk.

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

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.

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

HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.

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

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

Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.

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

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

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

JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice. JAMES J. GALLIGAN, Clerk.

Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. ADOLPH N. DUMAHAUT, Clerk.

Borough of The Bronx.

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

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.

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

JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice. HOWARD SPEAR, Clerk.

Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on Bath avenue and Bay Twenty-second street, Bath Beach.

CORNELIUS FURGUESON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

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

Borough of Queens.

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

THOMAS C. KADIN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week day. Court held each day, except Saturday.

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

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

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

Third District—JAMES F. McLOUGHLIN, Justice; GEO. W. DAMON, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.

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

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

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

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

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

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

WILLIAM A. BUTLER,
Supervisor, City Record.

NOVEMBER 28, 1898.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, August 15, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE work and furnishing the materials called for in the approved forms of contract now on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, for building overflow and blow-off sewers, water-pipes and appurtenances, in connection with the Jerome Park Reservoir of the New Croton Aqueduct, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, of The City of New York, will be received at this office until

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1899,

at 12 o'clock, noon, and they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible, and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

Blank forms of said approved contract and the specifications thereof, and bids or proposals and proper envelopes for their enclosures, form of bonds and all other information, can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

JOHN J. RYAN, President.

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES MCCARTNEY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
NASSAU AND WASHINGTON STREETS,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
August 7, 1899.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Bridges, in the Park Row Building, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, in the Borough of Manhattan, until 3 o'clock P. M.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24, 1899,
for the following work in the Borough of Brooklyn:

THE CONSTRUCTING OF NEW GATES FOR THE FOLLOWING BRIDGES: HAMILTON AVENUE, NINTH STREET, THIRD STREET, UNION STREET, AND CARROLL STREET.

PLACING ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT FOR THE HANDLING OF CARROLL STREET BRIDGE.

PLACING ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT FOR THE HANDLING OF WASHINGTON AVENUE BRIDGE.

The Commissioner of Bridges reserves the right to reject all bids received if he deems it for the best interest of the City.

Blank forms of proposals, forms of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment and surety required, with any further information desired, will be furnished upon application at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Bridges, No. 179 Washington street, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN L. SHEA,
Commissioner of Bridges.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, on behalf of the Fire Department, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at their sales stables, Nos. 130 and 132 East Thirteenth street, Borough of Manhattan,

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within the time specified in the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractors for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at Ten (10) Dollars.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, if deemed to be for the public interest.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred (3,500) Dollars.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of One Hundred and Seventy-five (175) Dollars.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 17, 1899.

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to the provisions of the several laws of this State relative to the collection of taxes, water assessments, rents and extra rates, notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the water assessments rents and extra rates have been duly made, levied and assessed for the First Ward of the Borough of Queens (formerly known as Long Island City) for the year from May 1, 1898, to May 1, 1899, and that the same are now due and payable and must be paid to the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply, at his office in the Hackett Building, First Ward (formerly known as Long Island City), Borough of Queens, City of New York; that the same may be paid without fee or charge from and beginning June 19, 1899, and up to July 22, 1899, and that during the next thirty days thereafter interest will be added at the rate of two-thirds of one per cent., and if not paid within sixty days such taxes, assessments, water rents and rates will be levied and collected in the manner provided by law together with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum from said June 19, 1899.

The office hours for receiving money are from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. and on Saturday until 12 noon.

Taxpayers will please bring their last tax receipt or an exact description of their lots in order to avoid delay or paying on the wrong property.

WILLIAM DALTON,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, August 17, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1899,

at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read.

For the following works in the

Borough of Brooklyn:

- No. 1. SEWERS IN GREENE AVENUE, from Patchen avenue to Bushwick avenue; BUSHWICK AVENUE, from Greene avenue to Weirfield street; WEIRFIELD STREET, from Bushwick avenue to Evergreen avenue; EVERGREEN AVENUE, from Weirfield street to Halsey street; HALSEY STREET, from Evergreen avenue to Central avenue, and CENTRAL AVENUE, from Halsey street to Eldert street, being known as the "Main Sewer Relief and Extension."

Borough of The Bronx.

- No. 2. SEWER IN ST. MARY'S STREET, from Robins avenue to Cypress avenue.
- No. 3. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, from Webster avenue to Brook avenue.
- No. 4. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from the existing sewer in West Farms road to Southern Boulevard.
- No. 5. SEWER IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, from Grand avenue to Davidson avenue, and in DAVIDSON AVENUE, from the Fordham road to East One Hundred and Ninety-second 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 work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof.

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

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

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

handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained as to the Borough of Brooklyn in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, and as to the Borough of The Bronx in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in The City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in The City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, April 17, 1899.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
WARREN W. FOSTER,
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk

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 Ballot-boxes will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1899.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Ballot-boxes," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The boxes are to be of the first quality, and to be made in accordance with specifications and of material, as per sample in the office of the Superintendent of Elections.

Bidders will state a price for the work and material furnished, in accordance with specifications. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire quantity of boxes are to be completed within twenty days after the execution and delivery of this contract, and are to be delivered in such quantities and at such places within The City of New York as may be required by the Superintendent of Elections.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above 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 his 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 relet, 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 inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department, or at the office of the Superintendent of Elections.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, August 19, 1899.

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 Illuminating Gas to the various Precinct Station-houses, Stables and Department Buildings in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of

FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Illuminating Gas in the Borough of Brooklyn," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of illuminating gas required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price or rate per one thousand cubic feet for the entire schedule, or for any portion of the same, for which they will contract to supply the illuminating gas for the term of one year, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to the public interests so to do.

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above 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 his 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 relet, 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 inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by

The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, August 14, 1899.

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 Illuminating Gas to the various Precinct Station-houses, Stables and Department Buildings in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Illuminating Gas in the Borough of Queens," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of illuminating gas required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price or rate per one thousand cubic feet for the entire schedule, or for any portion of the same, for which they will contract to supply the illuminating gas for the term of one year, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to the public interests so to do.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law in the sum of 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, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above 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 his 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 relet, 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 inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, August 14, 1899.

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 Illuminating Gas to the various Precinct Station-houses, Stables and Department Buildings in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Illuminating Gas in the Borough of The Bronx," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of illuminating gas required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price or rate per one thousand cubic feet for the entire schedule, or for any portion of the same, for which they will contract to supply the illuminating gas for the term of one year, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to the public interests so to do.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law in the sum of 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, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the estimate is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above 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 his 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 relet, 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 inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, AUGUST 14, 1899.

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 Illuminating Gas to the various Precinct Station-houses, Stables and Department Buildings in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of **FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.**

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Illuminating Gas in the Borough of Richmond," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of illuminating gas required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price or rate per one thousand cubic feet for the entire schedule, or for any portion of the same, for which they will contract to supply the illuminating gas for the term of one year, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved

by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to the public interests so to do.

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, and herein stated, over and above 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 his 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 relet, 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 inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, AUGUST 14, 1899.

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 Illuminating Gas to the various Precinct Station-houses, Stables and Department Buildings in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, for the term of one year, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of **FRIDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1899.**

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimates for Furnishing Illuminating Gas in the Borough of Manhattan," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and quantity of illuminating gas required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state the price or rate per one thousand cubic feet for the entire schedule, or for any portion of the same, for which they will contract to supply the illuminating gas for the term of one year, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to the public interests so to do.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above 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 his 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 relet, 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 inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, AUGUST 14, 1899.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1898.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE POLICE DEPARTMENT of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry Street, Room No. 2, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
August 18, 1899.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 21 Park Row, Room 1701, until one (1) o'clock P.M. on **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1899.**

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1701, No. 21 Park Row, at the hour above mentioned.

FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND LABOR REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF A PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE SYSTEM, PLUNGE AND SHOWER BATHS FOR THE SEVENTH REGIMENT ARMORY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

Plans for above work can be seen at office of Horgan & Slattery, Architects, No. 1 Madison Avenue, who will give all necessary instructions and information in regard to the work.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room 1701, No. 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR ENGINEERS' AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES, ETC., for the balance of the year 1899, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon, on **TUESDAY, AUGUST 22, 1899,**

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

The awards will be made to the lowest bidders (see also note at end of specifications for supplies). The Department reserves the right to take more or less, or none at all, of any of the articles, according as the demand therefor may be.

All bids must be based upon the descriptions furnished or samples exhibited by this Department and not on samples furnished by the bidder.

Bidders must state the price of each article per foot, pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footing and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

All estimates not conforming to these requirements may be considered as informal.

If two or more bids are alike, the Department reserves the right to allot the article or articles among the bidders, or to award to any one of them. Bidders are not compelled to furnish more than 20 per cent. of any article in excess of the mentioned amount. But if they are willing, and the Department deems it advantageous, further purchases of the respective articles may be made, at the contract price, during the balance of the year.

Samples will be on exhibition at the Storehouse, Flatbush, during office hours, until the bids are opened. All goods to be delivered as directed, at Storehouse, Flatbush, Borough of Brooklyn (unless otherwise stated in specifications), weight, etc., allowed as received at institutions.

Line Nos.	ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES.
1408.	300 feet 1½-inch wrought iron Pipe, Diamond S.
1409.	100 feet 1½-inch extra heavy wrought iron Pipe, Diamond S.
1410.	2 dozen 1½-inch Jenkins Brothers Globe Valves.
1411.	½ dozen 2-inch Jenkins Brothers Globe Valves.
1412.	100 feet 4-inch wrought iron Pipe, Diamond S.
1413.	100 feet 3-inch wrought iron Pipe, Diamond S.
1414.	5 dozen 1½-inch cast iron Tees.
1415.	4 dozen 1½-inch pipe rail Elbows, side outlet right.
1416.	4 dozen 1½-inch pipe rail Elbows.
1417.	4 dozen 1½-inch pipe rail Tees.
1418.	4 dozen 1½-inch pipe rail Floor Flanges.
1419.	12 1-inch Shoulder Nipples.
1420.	12 ¾-inch Nipples, 3½ inches long.
1421.	12 ¾-inch Shoulder Nipples.
1422.	24 1-inch Nipples, 3½ inches long.
1423.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 2 inches long.
1424.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 2½ inches long.
1425.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 3 inches long.
1426.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 3½ inches long.
1427.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 4 inches long.
1428.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 5 inches long.
1429.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 6 inches long.
1430.	1 dozen 2-inch Nipples, 2 inches long.
1431.	1 dozen 2-inch Nipples, 2½ inches long.
1432.	1 dozen 2-inch Nipples, 3 inches long.
1433.	1 dozen 2-inch Nipples, 3½ inches long.
1434.	1 dozen 2-inch Nipples, 4 inches long.
1435.	1 dozen 2-inch Nipples, 5 inches long.
1436.	1 dozen 2-inch Nipples, 6 inches long.
1437.	1 dozen 4-inch Union Flanges.
1438.	1 dozen 3-inch Union Flanges.
1439.	1 dozen 2½-inch Union Flanges.
1440.	1 dozen 1-inch by 1½-inch Elbows.
1441.	1 dozen 1½-inch by 1½-inch Elbows.
1442.	1 dozen 1½-inch by 2-inch Elbows.
1443.	1 dozen ¾-inch Nipples, 3½ inches by 4 inches long.
1444.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 2 inches long.
1445.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 2½ inches long.
1446.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 3 inches long.
1447.	1 dozen 1½-inch Nipples, 3½ inches long.
1448.	1 dozen 1½-inch Split Floor Plate, Cast Iron.
1449.	1 dozen 2-inch Split Floor Plate, Cast Iron.
1450.	1 dozen 1½-inch Split Ceiling Plate, Cast Iron.

1451. 1 dozen 2-inch Split Ceiling Plate, Cast Iron.
 1452. 1 dozen 1½-inch Pipe Hook Plate.
 1453. 2 dozen Cast Iron Bushings, 1½-inch to 1 inch.
 1454. 5 dozen ¾-inch Brass Unions, Rough.
 1455. 4 dozen ¾-inch Brass Unions, Rough.
 1456. 4 dozen Flame Plate as per sketch at Storehouse.
 1457. 25 pounds Garlick, Rod Packing, 1½ by 2½.
 1458. 1 dozen Pure Gum Gaskets, 1½ by 10½.
 1459. 4 Water Glass Fixtures, ¾ Glass, 1½-inch pipe thread.
 1460. 1 dozen 6-inch Coarse Flat Files, Stubbs.
 1461. 1 dozen 6-inch Smooth Flat Files, Stubbs.
 1462. 1 dozen 4-inch Smooth Flat Files, Stubbs.
 1463. 1 dozen 4-inch Coarse Flat Files, Stubbs.
 1464. 1 dozen ¾-inch Round Files, Stubbs.
 1465. 1 dozen ¾-inch Square Files, Stubbs.
 1466. 1 dozen 12-inch Coarse Flat Files, Stubbs.
 1467. 1 dozen 12-inch Smooth Flat Files, Stubbs.
 1468. 1 Sanders Hinge Pipe Vise, No. 2.
 1469. 2 Iron Coal Wheelbarrows, capacity 200 lbs.
 1470. 2 sheets Rubber, 3 by 3 feet, ¼-inch thick, Rainbow.
 1471. 200 feet Cut Belt Lacing.
 1472. 4 2-inch Wrought Iron Flanges, riveted to boilers, as per sketch at Storehouse.
 1473. 8 Bundy Radiators, Standard Loops, 2 by 12 by 36.
 1474. 4 Bundy Radiators, Standard Loops, 2 by 15 by 36.
 1475. 4 sets Furnace Door Shields for Boilers.
 1476. 4 square yards Usdurian Packing, ½.
 1477. 25 gallons Black Asphalt Varnish.
 1478. 2 Combination Vise 83, Parker's Patented.
 1479. 2 3-inch Christoffels Electric Tube Scrapers.
 1480. 1 square yard Rubber Sheet, 1-16 inch.
 1481. ½ dozen Swing Check Valves, ½.
 1482. ½ dozen Swing Check Valves, ½.
 1483. ½ dozen Swing Check Valves, 1½.
 1484. 8 Gauge Glasses, ½ by 14 inches.
 1485. 4 Gauge Glasses, ½ by 20½ inches.
 1486. 1 dozen Hose Reels, as per sample at hospital.
 1487. 100 feet 2-inch Steam-pipe.
 1488. 2 dozen 1½-inch Ells.
 1489. 2 dozen 1½-inch Tees.
 1490. 2 dozen 5-inch Short Nipples.
 1491. 1 dozen 5-inch Union Flanges.
 1492. 910 Iron Bars for window guards at hospital, as per sample.
 1493. Furnish all labor and material required to set up and properly connect one 6 by 4 by 6 inches Worthington Pump and Automatic Receiver. The steam for the above pump to be taken from the boilers, independent of all other pipes, and each boiler must have its own valve, so arranged that steam may be taken from one or all the boilers, the exhaust to connect to sewer direct, and from time to time as the Commissioners may determine. All underground pipes must be run in a wood trench, made of 2-inch round spruce planks (asphalted). The several return and drip pipes to be connected into 4-inch main pipe, which is to connect to the receiver, and so arranged with valves as to permit the condensation to flow to tank or receiver, as may be desired.

1494. Furnish all labor and material required to erect a new cylinder, brasses, Gibbs, and new stand for Governor for Laundry Engine.
 PLUMBERS' SUPPLIES.
 1495. 2 12-inch Earthen Basin Bowls, common overflow.
 1496. 4 dozen Cocks for iron pipe, ¾.
 1497. 2 dozen Hose Bibb, ¾.
 1498. 2 dozen Plain Bibb, ¾.
 1499. 15 Water-closets, as per plate. Titian 548 R. Class A, J. L. Mott catalogue, with marble floor slab No. 4 design complete with all fittings and automatic flush, round cornered oak cistern, all fittings to be nickel plated.
 1500. 1 Water-closet (Silentis) Plate 5036 R. Oak seat and cistern with Italian marble floor slab, all fittings to be nickel plated.

MISCELLANEOUS.

1501. 1,150 square feet Vitrified Tile, laid complete as per sample at Kings County Hospital, concrete foundation to be furnished by department, and work to be guaranteed for three years.
 1502. 2,160 square feet Glazed Tile, with cap, colored bordered and sanitary base, laid complete and guaranteed for three years, walls to be made ready by the department.
 1503. 5,000 square feet Pressed Metal for Ceilings, samples at Kings County Hospital, put up complete, include all labor and materials.
 1504. 500 linear feet 12-inch Metal Cove for Ceiling work, patterns to be selected, put up complete, include all labor and material.
 1505. Electric Light Supply, Flatbush.
 1506. Gas Supply, Flatbush.
 1507. Gas Supply, Central Office and Morgue.
 1508. 20 dozen Towels, as per sample at Storehouse.

No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars.

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

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

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 419, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate of \$1,000 or over shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or security, trust or

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

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

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

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

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
 BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
 FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
 NEW YORK, August 9, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, HARDWARE AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS.

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the above-mentioned Supplies, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the Central Office of this Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, until 12 o'clock noon,

TUESDAY, AUGUST 22, 1899.

- Line Nos. Readvertised Lines.
 1414. 1 piece Marbleized Slate, 8 feet by 1½ inches by 1 inch, measured and put in place B. H.
 1420. 1 set Grate Bars, for "Perfect" Furnace No. 100.
 1463. Material and labor to construct a covered way for the delivery of patients from ambulances. To be 18 feet long, 10 feet wide, roof to be from 2 feet to 3 feet, pitch in centre, with necessary drainage through front supports. Material to be galvanized corrugated iron, angle iron, etc. Intending bidder to call and take exact dimensions. Bellevue Hospital.

DRY GOODS, ETC.

1487. 1 ball Dark Green Shade Cord (sample).
 1488. 6,000 yards Huckaback (sample).
 1489. 60 yards Material for Window Shades, dark green, 42 inches wide sample.
 1490. 2,500 yards Muslin, Bleached, 4½ (sample).
 1491. 2 rolls Webbing ¾ inches wide (sample).
 1492. Granite and Iron Ware.
 1493. 9 Pans, douché, agate, seamless, L. & G. Catalogue No. 2, or equal.
 1494. 3 Refuse Pails, agate, seamless, L. & G. Catalogue No. 224, or equal.
 1495. 6 Small Basins, agate, "Family," L. & G. Catalogue No. 304, or equal.
 1496. 2 Iron Kettles, 6-quart, Maslin, enameled. HARNESSE AND STABLE SUPPLIES.
 1497. 2 Wagon Saddles, (R. I. Stables), as per samples at Bellevue Hospital Stables.
 1498. 3 pairs Wagon Traces (R. I. Stables), as per samples at Bellevue Hospital Stables.

HARDWARE.

1499. 6 Broad Cutters, Arcadia Mfg. Co., or equal.
 1500. 1 Stow's Patent Adjustable Bar Folder, No. 50, 12-inch, for Tin.
 1501. 1 dozen Carriage Bolts, ¾ by ¾ inch.
 1502. 1 package Carriage Bolts, 1½ by ¾ inch.
 1503. 5 packages Carriage Bolts, 2½ by 5-16 inch.
 1504. 5 packages Carriage Bolts, 2½ by ¾ inch.
 1505. 2 packages Carriage Bolts, 3 by ¾ inch.
 1506. 2 packages Carriage Bolts, 4 by ¾ inch.
 1507. 2 packages Carriage Bolts, 4½ by ¾ inch.
 1508. 200 pounds Dock Spikes, 1½-inch.
 1509. 4 dozen pairs Hinges, flap, 2 dozen pairs each, ½-inch and 2-inch.
 1512. 1 Ice Axe.
 1513. 1 pair Ice Tongs, large.
 1514. 600 feet Leader Pipe, 5-inch.
 1515. 200 feet Leader Hooks, 5-inch.
 1516. 2 Mat Makers' Trimming Knives.
 1518. 1 dozen Springs for W. & W. Tailoring Machine.
 1519. 1 gross W. & W. Machine Needles, No. 4, for Buttonhole Machine No. 10.
 1520. 10 packages Wire Nails, 2 each, No. 10, 2½ inch; No. 12, 2 inch; No. 14, 1½ inch; No. 16, 1 inch; No. 18, ¾ inch.
 1521. 1 10 pound Stone Pencil Hammer.
 1522. 4 dozen Iron Casters, 1½ inch, for Hospital Chairs, R. & E. Catalogue, figure No. 7, page 226.

HOSPITAL FURNITURE AND APPARATUS FOR OPERATING ROOM.

1523. 1 Argand Burner Drop Light for throat service. 6 feet.

1524. 10 Infants' Swing Cribs, with attachment for bed, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 19971, or equal.
 1525. 10 Bottles, irrigating, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 17552, 3 gal., or equal.
 1526. 4 Bottles, irrigating, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 16997, 2 qt., or equal.
 1527. 1 dozen Bottles, specimen, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 18109, 6 by 6 inches, or equal.
 1528. 6 Bowls, glass, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 17496, 13¾ inches diameter, or equal.
 1529. 2 Bowls, glass, arm, for figure, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 17318, or equal.
 1530. 2 Pwells, immersion, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 17502, or equal.
 1531. 1 Bowl Stand with bowls and sockets, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 17339, or equal.
 1532. 1 Centrifuge, complete, with Dr. Daland's Haematokrit, Sedimentation attachment with one graduated and one ungraduated sedimentation tube and two plain sputum tubes, B. & L. Catalogue, No. 78ac, etc., or equal.
 1533. 2 Cabinets, slide, each for 240 slides, "Kraft's," or equal.
 1534. 6 Graduates, glass, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 17656, 8-oz., or equal.
 1535. 6 Jars, Dressing, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 18205, 8½ by 8½ inches, or equal.
 1536. 6 Jars, glass, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 18112, 6 by 6 inches, or equal.
 1537. 6 Jars, museum, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 18139, 3½ by 6 inches, or equal.
 1538. 3 Jars, museum, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 18139, 5½ by 8 inches, or equal.
 1539. 1 Incubator, B. & L. Catalogue, No. 3485, or equal.
 1540. 1 Microtome, sliding, E. Leitz Catalogue, No. 89, or equal.
 1541. 2 Knives for above.
 1542. 1 Freezing attachment for above.
 1543. 6 Pitchers, white, enamel, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 7550, 6 qt., or equal.
 1544. 1 dozen Sedimentation Tubes, ungraduated, B. & L. Catalogue, No. 1860, or equal.
 1545. 6 Sedimentation Tubes, graduated, B. & L. Catalogue, No. 1855, or equal.
 1546. 4 Trays, porcelain, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 17750, 11 by 9 inches, or equal.
 1547. 2 sets Trays, glass, instrument, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 17786, or equal, 4 to each set, sizes: 9 by 4½, 10½ by 6½, 12 by 7, 15½ by 9½.
 1548. 2 Trays, glass, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 17786, 12½ by 11½ inches, or equal.
 1549. 6 Urinals, plain, glass, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 18579, or equal.
 1550. 1 Wheel Stretcher, Kny Co. Catalogue, No. 16584, or equal.

IRON AND STEEL.

1549. 10 feet 7½-inch Tool Steel, ½ octagon.
 1550. 4 bars Tire Steel, 2 by ¾ inches.
 1551. 2 lengths Iron, Larnore, 2½ by ¾ inches.
 1552. 1 pair King Bolt Plates (sample).
 1553. 1 set Iron Tires for Surrey, at B. I. stables, put on complete.

WOODENWARE.

1557. 4 dozen Bowls, chopping, 14 inches.
 1558. 50 Handles, axe (sample).
 1559. 50 Handles, pick-axe (sample).
 1560. 50 Handles, sledge (sample).
 1561. 50 Handles, striking-hammer (sample).
 1562. 50 handles, stone hammer (sample).

MISCELLANEOUS.

1563. Calcium Chloride, viz.:
 50 pounds Crude Granular, in 5 lb. tins.
 50 pounds Crude Fused, in 5 lb. tins.
 1564. 28 dozen Condensed Milk, "Eagle Brand," or equal.
 1565. 1 barrel Disinfectant, "Tillinghast's," or equal.
 1566. 1 barrel Disinfectant, "Hydrocosol," or equal.
 1567. 8 Grate Pins, 2 each, Scorchers, Nos. 12, 14, 17 and 21.
 1568. 1 Hay Cutter Roller, No. 3, for 6 Knives.
 1569. ½ gross Lager Beer Bottles, patent stopper, for Kumys.
 1570. 3 dozen bottles Liquid Rennet, 4 ounce bottles.
 1571. 2 cases Malt Extract, Hoff's, or equal.
 1572. 2 dozen Thermometers, Dairy, No. 5, R. & E. Catalogue, or equal.
 1573. 1 8-pound Counter Scale, Union Scales, figure No. 1159, Single Beam, Tin Scoop.
 1574. 1 Range, 3 feet, D. H. & M., no waterback.
 1575. 1 Steam Table, 4 feet 6 inches by 2 feet, flat top with flange.
 1576. 1 "Tucker's" Grease Trap (Meyer, Sniffin Manufacturing Company), or equal.
 1577. 1 Wash Sink, three sections on brackets, with back enameled, or equal (Plate 483, G. Mott's Catalogue).
 1578. 1 Stow's Patent Bending Machine, No. 4, 6 inches, with 4 pairs rollers and rotary stand, or equal.
 1579. 1 pair Nippers, No. 3, improved cutting.
 1580. 25 pound Electric Wire, No. 8, B. & L. gauge, waterproof.
 1581. 25 pounds Electric Wire No. 12, B. & L. gauge, waterproof.
 1582. 15 pounds Electric Wire No. 14, B. & L. gauge, waterproof.
 1583. 500 feet Lamp Cord, No. 16.
 1584. 15 Gas Jet Clips.
 1585. 10 Edison Connecting Plugs.
 1586. 2 Electric Belts, 3-inch.
 1587. 6 Push Buttons.
 1588. 15 Waterproof Porcelain, Edison Base Sock-ets.
 1589. 6 Doors, white pine, 3 light sash. To be measured and put up on closet in room at Central Office.
 1590. 6 Doors, white pine, paneled. To be measured and put up on closet in room at Central Office.

CLOTHING FOR INSANE.

1501. 400 Hats, soft, black, in cases, regular sizes.
 No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors 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, Hardware, etc.," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 419, CHAPTER 378, LAWS OF 1897.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient

sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article. (No bonds or deposit required on bids under One Thousand Dollars.)

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders must state the price of each article per pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footing and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item. All estimates not conforming to these requirements may be considered as informal.

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
 NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
 NEW YORK CITY, August 10, 1899.

PROPOSALS FOR BALCONIES AND FIRE-ESCAPES FOR THE DINING-ROOM BUILDING, PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR BALCONIES and Fire-escapes for the Dining-room Building, Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, in conformity with plans and specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24, 1899.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Balconies and Fire-escapes for the Dining-room Building, Penitentiary, 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, or his duly authorized agent, of said Department, and read.

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

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Cor-

poration upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) Dollars each.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either currency or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Fifty (\$50) dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The work must conform in every respect to the plans and printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates. Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and George M. Walgrove, No. 42 East Twenty-third street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of the Department of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS,
NEW YORK, August 19, 1899.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held at the offices of this Commission for the following positions, upon the dates specified:

Tuesday, August 22, 10 A. M. INSPECTORS OF FIRE-ALARM BOXES. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, duties and experience.

Wednesday, August 23, 10 A. M. ASSISTANT INSPECTORS OF COMBUSTIBLES. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, duties and experience.

Thursday, August 24, 10 A. M. RECORD CLERKS. Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, spelling, dictation, letter-writing and a paper on criminal law.

Friday, August 25, 10 A. M. INTERPRETERS. Subjects of examination: Translations, oral and written.

Monday, August 28, 10 A. M. CLERK, BUILDING DEPARTMENT. Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, spelling, dictation, letter-writing and special paper.

Tuesday, August 29, 10 A. M. JUNIOR CLERKS (MALES). Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, spelling, dictation, letter-writing. In this examination, only applicants Nos. 456 to 647, whose applications were filed on or before July 31, 1899, will be examined.

Tuesday, August 30, 10 A. M. ASSISTANT SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF PARKS. Subjects of examination: Handwriting, arithmetic, spelling, dictation, letter-writing and special paper.

Wednesday, August 31, 10 A. M. HORTICULTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN. Subjects of examination: Technical knowledge, arithmetic and experience.

Thursday, August 31, 10 A. M. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF HOSPITALS. Subjects of examination: Duties, reports and experience.

Friday, September 1, 10 A. M. ASSISTANT FIRE MARSHAL. Subjects of examination: Duties, experience, arithmetic and handwriting.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

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 all such real estate, and to any right, title or interest therein, not owned by The City of New York, which shall be embraced within the lines of RIVERSIDE DRIVE AND PARKWAY (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Boulevard Lafayette in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, as laid out and established in pursuance of chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897.

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 I. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 15th day of September, 1899, 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 Riverside Drive and Parkway, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Boulevard Lafayette, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Section No. 2. Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, distance 630 feet westerly from the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence in a northerly direction, distance 471.51 feet to a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street distant 525 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence northerly and in a curved line to the left, radius 535.86 feet, distance 187.04 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 509.07 feet; thence northerly and in a curved line to the right, radius 1,201.30 feet, distance 149.72 feet to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Fortieth street distant 588 feet westerly from Boulevard; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 259.83, to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street distant 583 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence northeasterly and curving to the right, radius 227.89 feet, distance 216.42 feet to a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-second street, distant 512.73 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence in a reversed curve to the left, radius 484.44 feet, distance 328.26 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 431.18 feet to a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street distant 370 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence northeasterly and curving to the right, radius 729.71 feet, distance 210.87 feet; thence northerly and in a reversed curve to the left, radius 470 feet, distance 126.25 feet to a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street distant 305 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve and parallel to the Boulevard, distance 459.66 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence northerly and curving to the left, radius 1,834.07 feet, distance 503.10 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 528.20 feet; thence northerly and in a curved line to the left, radius 371.61 feet, distance 295.95 feet; thence in a northerly direction and in a reversed curve to the right, radius 300 feet, distance 235.62 feet; thence northerly and tangent to the last curve, distance 377.08 feet; thence northeasterly and curving to the right, radius 115 feet, distance 213.45 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, at a point distant 836 feet westerly from the Boulevard; thence easterly and along the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 136 feet; thence northerly and at right angle to said street, distance 49.68 feet; thence northerly and curving to the left, and in continuation of a reversed curve from the 1st curve above-mentioned, whose terminus is at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and distant 836 feet westerly from the Boulevard, radius 211 feet, distance 183.64 feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 150 feet; thence northeasterly and curving to the right, radius 53.60 feet, distance 45.33 feet; thence easterly and tangent thereto, distance 408.34 feet to the westerly line of Boulevard Lafayette; thence northerly and along said line, distance 63.57 feet, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly along said line, distance 51.93 feet; thence westerly, distance 478.30 feet; thence southerly and in a curved line to the left, radius 55.20 feet, distance 46.69 feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 200 feet; thence southerly and curving to the right, radius 61 feet, distance 95.82 feet; thence southerly and in a reversed curve to the left, radius 215 feet, distance 399.07 feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 377.08 feet; thence southerly and curving to the left, radius 400 feet, distance 192.52 feet to the easterly line of the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; thence southerly along said line, distance 392.98 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence easterly along said line, distance 156.37 feet; thence southerly and diagonally across said One Hundred and Fifty-first street, distance 62.33 feet, to the southerly line of said street; thence westerly along said line, distance 155.67 feet, to the easterly line of land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; thence southerly along the said line, distance 1,518.79 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence easterly along the said northerly line, distance 118.23 feet; thence southerly and across the said One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and in a curved line to the left, radius 829.71 feet, distance 96.00 feet; thence southerly and tangent to last curve, distance 4.35 feet, to the southerly line of said One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence westerly along said line, distance 119.32 feet, to the easterly line of the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; thence southerly along said line, distance 1,716.64 feet, to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence southerly along said easterly line of Twelfth avenue, distance 52.25 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly along said line, distance 141.72 feet; thence southerly and diagonally across said street, distance 60.47 feet, to the southerly line of said street; thence westerly along said southerly line, distance 149.22 feet, to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence southerly along said easterly line of Twelfth avenue, distance 719.50 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street extended easterly until it meet Twelfth avenue; thence easterly along said northerly line of said street produced, distance 145 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

As shown on three similar maps, plans and profiles of such said public drive and parkway so to be laid out as aforesaid, showing the location, width, course, windings and grades of the same, accompanied with explanatory remarks, and made by the Department of Public Works on the requisition of this Board, each of which is entitled "Map, Plan and Profile of a Public Drive and Parkway in the City of New York, as an extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette. Section No. 2, Extension of Riverside Drive and Parkway, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Boulevard Lafayette. Under authority of chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897."

The land to be taken for Riverside Drive and Parkway, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Boulevard Lafayette, is located in Blocks 2002, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096,

2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2134, 2103, 2104 of section 7 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, August 21, 1899.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on PROSPECT PLACE AND PARK PLACE, WEST OF NOSTRAND AVENUE, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected and approved as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

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, at a Special Term thereof for the Hearing of Motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of August, 1899, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate 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 to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on Prospect place and Park place, west of Nostrand avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situated, lying and being in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Park place (late Baltic street) distant two hundred (200) feet westerly from the westerly line of Nostrand avenue, running thence northerly and parallel to the said westerly line of Nostrand avenue, a distance of two hundred and fifty-five (255) feet and seven (7) inches to the southerly line of Prospect place (late Warren street); thence westerly along the said southerly line of Prospect place, a distance of two hundred and sixteen (126) feet and eight (8) inches; thence southerly and again parallel to said Nostrand avenue, a distance of one hundred (100) feet; thence westerly and parallel to said Prospect place, a distance of one hundred and twenty (120) feet and four (4) inches; thence southerly and again parallel to said Nostrand avenue, a distance of twenty-seven (27) feet and nine and one-half (9 1/2) inches; thence easterly and parallel to said Prospect place, a distance of one hundred and twenty (120) feet and four (4) inches; thence southerly and again parallel to said Nostrand avenue, a distance of one hundred and twenty-seven (127) feet and nine and one-half (9 1/2) inches to the northerly line of Park place; thence easterly along the said northerly line of Park place, a distance of two hundred and sixteen (126) feet and eight (8) inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, August 12, 1899.
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Borough of Brooklyn,
New York City.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening GUN HILL ROAD (formerly Olin avenue) (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Bronx river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, 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 16th day of September, 1899, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of September, 1899, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, 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 16th day of September, 1899.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Moshulu parkway, North, with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of a certain unnamed street running westerly from the westerly side of East Two Hundred and Eighth street, nearly opposite the junction of Kosuth place, with the easterly side of said Two Hundred and Eighth street to the easterly side of Moshulu parkway, North; running thence northerly along said easterly side of Moshulu parkway, North, and its prolongation northwardly on an arc of a circle whose radius is 782.5 feet to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Gun Hill road and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly and northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn at an equal distance from Gun Hill road and East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and equally distant line to the centre line of the Bronx river; thence southerly along said centre line of the Bronx river to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Seventh street and East Two Hundred and Ninth street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks to the easterly side of Perry avenue; thence westerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northwesterly side of Reservoir Oval, West, with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Eighth street and East Two Hundred and Tenth

street; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of a certain unnamed street running westerly from the westerly side of East Two Hundred and Eighth street, nearly opposite the junction of Kosuth place, with the easterly side of said Two Hundred and Eighth street to the easterly side of Moshulu parkway, North; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of October, 1899, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, July 26, 1899.

WALTER LARGE, Chairman,
DAVID M. KOEHLER,
JOHN J. HART,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands, situated on ELEVENTH AVENUE, WINDSOR PLACE AND SHERMAN STREET, in the Twenty-second Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected and approved as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

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, at a Special Term thereof for the Hearing of Motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of August, 1899, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate 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 to certain lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on Eleventh avenue, Windsor place and Sherman street, in the Twenty-second Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, in fee simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and other statutes relating thereto, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situated, lying and being in the Twenty-second Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Sherman street with the easterly line of Eleventh avenue, running thence northerly along the easterly line of Eleventh avenue 200 feet to the southerly line of Windsor place, formerly Braxton street, running thence easterly along the southerly line of Windsor place, formerly Braxton street, 220 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Eleventh avenue 200 feet to the northerly line of Sherman street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Eleventh avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, August 12, 1899.

JOHN WHALEN,
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Borough Hall,
Borough of Brooklyn,
New York City.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 17-19 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, August 16, 1899.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1899, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Highways will sell at public auction, by Philip A. Smyth, Auctioneer, the following buildings, parts of buildings, fences, etc., in East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Webster avenue to Third avenue.

No.	OBJECT.	APPROXIMATE DIMENSIONS.
1	Part of Frame Shed.....	121.65 x 4.91.
	Board and Picket Fence....	48 lin. ft.
2	All of two 3-story frame houses.....	39.35 x 40.29.
	2 show-windows, 2 large, 2 medium and 2 small sheets of plate-glass; 2 plate-glass store doors; 2 show-windows, 2 medium and 8 small sheets of glass; 2 store doors, 4 medium sheets of glass.	
	Baker's Oven.....	14.29 x 12.1.
	Storm Shed.....	2.65 x 4.35.
	Board and Picket Fence....	128.1 lin. ft.
	Wooden Steps.....	7.15 x 2.28.
3	Board Fence.....	180.8 lin. ft.

The sale will take place on the ground, beginning with Map No. 1 and ending with Map No. 3.

The map or plan of the buildings and other structures may be examined at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

TERMS OF SALE.

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

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

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