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For roofing of Clinton and Washington Markets, Essex Market Court-house, West Fifty-fourth Street Court-house, Hall of Records, Seventy-first Regiment Armory, etc.	53,203 00
For telephones in offices of Mayor, City Clerk, Board of Aldermen, President of Borough of Manhattan, in Commissioner's Committee Room, Offices of Commissioners of Jurors, Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Finance Department (City Chamberlain, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Auditor, Auditing Bureau (The Bronx), etc.), Board of Public Improvements, Bureau of Municipal Statistics, Hall of Records, County Clerk's Office, Board of Assessors, Supreme Court (Library, Court of General Sessions—Criminal Branch, and Appellate Division), First, Second, Third, Fourth, Sixth and Seventh District City Magistrates' Courts, First District Municipal Court, Sheriff's Office, Armories of First Battery, Eighth, Ninth, Twelfth and Sixty-ninth Regiments, Squadron "A", Headquarters Fifth Brigade, etc.	10,755 50
For miscellaneous orders, such as awnings, ice, copying presses, directories, elevator repairs, glazing, hardware, lumber, mason work, plastering work, oils, janitors' and engineers' supplies, towel supply, and cabinets, typewriters, window shades, Weibach lights, etc.	31,695 00
For electric current, lighting, etc., in the various public buildings (including armories), etc.	2,875 72

## BUREAU OF LAMPS AND GAS.

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899—	
Gas.....	25,413
Electric.....	4,593
Naphtha.....	1,581
Welsbach.....	449
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>31,748</b>
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter—	
Gas.....	2
Electric.....	37
Naphtha.....	10
Welsbach.....	54
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>103</b>
Number of old lamps relighted during quarter—	
Gas.....	29
Electric.....	1
Naphtha.....	2
Welsbach.....	22
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>54</b>
Number of lamps discontinued during quarter—	
Gas.....	85
Electric.....	878
Naphtha.....	8
Welsbach.....	974
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>974</b>
<b>Total number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....</b>	<b>30,810</b>

## ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Permits were granted during the quarter for electric lighting, telephone and telegraph aerial lines, etc., as follows:	
For signal wires.....	594
" electric lighting.....	254
" pole lines.....	9
" bell wires.....	956
" city lamp-wires.....	3
" tramway pole.....	6
" subsidiary connections.....	597
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>2,419</b>

9,365 miles of overhead wire were removed from various streets and avenues.  
5,221 permits were issued for interior wiring.  
Certificates were granted for the installation of 175,447 incandescent and 1,045 arc lamps, 24 generators of a total of 1,539½ h. p. capacity, 882 meters of a total of 4,011½ h. p. capacity.  
Inspections made during the quarter were 10,201.

## BUREAU OF METER TESTS.

Number of meters on hand January 1, 1900, to be tested.....	100
Total number tested during quarter to be tested.....	3,679
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>3,779</b>
Number tested during quarter.....	3,129
Number of meters on hand April 1, 1900.....	650

## OFFICE OF ASSISTANT ENGINEER.

Testing relative to fuel-values of different grades of coal. By the use of Standard Hot Water Meter, to measure the amount of water entering boilers and the introduction of grates special is adapted to burn the cheapest grade of coal, per ordinary test to indicate a saving of 35 per cent. A saving of 2,500,000 cubic feet of gas has also been accomplished by the use of the Welsbach light and the introduction of other improved appliances for the economic consumption of gas.  
During the quarter surveys have been made to determine the relative location of 1,308 street gas lamps and the adjacent air lights, with the result that many of these gas lamps were found to be superfluous. At the beginning of the quarter 64 of these lamps were discontinued and during the quarter 193 more, making a total of 257 lamps discontinued at an annual saving of \$10,000.

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

## Contracts Entered Into during Quarter.

Three contracts for lighting streets, public buildings and parks.....	Estimated Cost.
Coal to public buildings, etc.....	\$140,200 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>9,450 75</b>

## Contracts Completed during Quarter.

Coal to public buildings, etc.....	\$29,330 00
Orders, aggregating \$29,824.84, were issued for furnishing tools, carpets, carpenter work, clock-windings, repairs, etc.; coal, electrical work and supplies, elevator repairs, furniture, glazing, hardware, house keep, machines, etc.; sea, tramway, utilities, engineers', painters' and office supplies, lumber, mason work, plastering, plumbing, roofing, storing public bath, steam-fitting, telephones, typewriters, and repairs to same, window shades, etc., during the quarter, as follows:	
Borough Hall.....	\$2,108 81
Brigades, Department of.....	114 75
County Court-house.....	3,503 22
County Jail.....	4,025 69
Disciplinary Training School for Boys.....	1,905 01
Hall of Records.....	1,355 25
Municipal Buildings.....	5,938 14
Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies (arc-lamps).....	133 96
Public Bains.....	1,070 14
Public Improvements, Board of.....	72 50
Public Libraries—Central Branch.....	123 75
" Eastern District Branch.....	142 10
" East New York Branch.....	115 05
" South Brooklyn Branch.....	140 02
" Flatbush Branch.....	230 20
" Bedford Branch.....	46 45
Wallabout Market—Administration Building.....	102 82
" (street cleaning).....	20 85
Miscellaneous—Including horse keep, etc.....	168 30
Armories—Thirtieth Regiment.....	776 30
" Twentieth Regiment.....	589 88
" Twenty-third Regiment.....	396 25
" Forty-seventh Regiment.....	691 72
" Troop "C".....	280 30
" Second Signal Corps.....	204 93
" Third Cavalry Battery.....	590 92
" Second Naval Battalion.....	112 50

City Magistrates' Court—First District.....	\$130 91
" Second District.....	102 21
" Third District.....	550 52
" Fourth District.....	141 58
" Fifth District.....	112 04
" Sixth District.....	103 49
" Seventh District.....	158 83
" Eighth District.....	115 19
Municipal Court—First District.....	262 69
" Second District.....	95 00
" Third District.....	238 42
" Fourth District.....	24 94
" Fifth District.....	85 50

## BUREAU OF LAMPS AND LIGHTING.

Number of lamps lighted January 1, 1900—	
Electric.....	4,593
Gas.....	11,071
Welsbach.....	2,218
Naphtha.....	304
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>18,186</b>
Number of lamps added—	
Electric.....	32
Gas.....	22
Welsbach.....	110
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>144</b>
Number of lamps extinguished—	
Electric.....	2
Gas.....	78
Welsbach.....	1
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>81</b>
<b>Total number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....</b>	<b>18,249</b>

## BUREAU OF ELECTRICITY AND GAS.

Permits were granted during the quarter for overhead wires, subway construction and underground conduits, as follows:	
Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company.....	16
Edison Electric Illuminating Company.....	255
Flatbush Gas Company.....	5
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	986
Postal Telegraph Company.....	1
Stock Quotation Telegraph Company.....	10
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	5
<b>Total number of permits issued.....</b>	<b>1,278</b>

100½ miles of overhead wire have been removed, and certificates were issued for the installation of 18,024 incandescent lamps, 434 arc lamps, 1,054 k. w. of generators and 1,865 h. p. of motors; 2,427 interior wiring inspections have been made, and 5,006 meters have been certified; 727 new poles have been erected and 173 removed.

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

## Contracts Entered Into during Quarter.

Six contracts for lighting streets and public buildings.....	Estimated Cost.
	\$184,000 00

Orders aggregating \$7,126.25 were issued during the quarter for furnishing supplies and making repairs to the various public buildings, offices, etc., as follows:	
For coal and wood.....	\$1,265 00
For fitting up offices.....	482 00
For furniture.....	888 00
For hardware, etc.....	300 00
For janitors' supplies.....	200 00
For plumbing, etc.....	175 00
For repairs to buildings.....	958 10
For sales.....	607 50
For telephone service.....	160 00
For miscellaneous supplies, such as carpets, linoleum, rugs, etc., copying presses, law books, signs, ice, laundry work, repairs, lumber, etc.....	1,415 65
For lighting public buildings, etc.....	775 00

## BUREAU OF LAMPS AND GAS.

Number of lamps lighted January 1, 1900—	
Arc electric.....	1,931
Incandescent electric.....	140
Gas.....	5,811
Gas, Welsbach.....	297
Naphtha.....	521
Oil.....	90
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>6,840</b>
Number of lamps added—	
Arc electric.....	39
Gas.....	46
Gas, Welsbach.....	24
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>109</b>
<b>Total number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....</b>	<b>6,949</b>

## ELECTRICAL BUREAU.

Permits were issued during the quarter for erecting, replacing and resetting poles, stringing wires, etc., as follows:	
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	146
New York and Queens Gas and Electric Company.....	34
Queens Borough Electric-light and Power Company.....	7
New York and Queens County Railway Company.....	0
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	1
Electric Illuminating and Power Company.....	48
Knickbocker Telegraph and Telephone Company.....	39
Jamaica Electric-light Company.....	12
Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company.....	3
New York and North Shore Railway Company.....	3
Fire Department.....	11
Standard Oil Company.....	1
Bowery Bay Electric-light and Power Company.....	1
Jamaica Gas-light Company.....	6
Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas-light Company.....	9
Newtown Gas Company.....	1
<b>Total number of permits issued during quarter.....</b>	<b>328</b>

Certificates were issued for the installation of 2,031 incandescent and 15 arc lamps, 348 outlets, 2 service connections, 4-12½ H. P. motors and 1-to K. W. of generators.  
Inspections made during the quarter for exterior and interior wiring were 3,319. 185 poles and 16.74 miles of wire were removed during the quarter by the various electric and railway companies.

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

## Contracts Entered Into during Quarter.

Three contracts for lighting streets and public buildings.....	Estimated Cost.
Steam heating apparatus, New Brighton Village Hall.....	\$115,000 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>2,100 00</b>
Orders aggregating \$5,887.93 were issued as follows:	
For carpenter, painting, mason and plumbing work in County Clerk's office.....	\$1,876 00
For painting and repairing Municipal Court, Second Division.....	300 00
For repairs to Edgewater Village Hall.....	208 00
For office furniture to County Clerk and Municipal Court, Second Division.....	800 20
For telephone service to Finance and Highway Departments, Bureau of Licenses, Coroner's Office, President of Borough, Edgewater Village Hall, New Brighton Village Hall, various public buildings, etc.....	1,100 00



For typewriter and cabinet to County Clerk and Commissioner of Jurors.....	\$242 25
For miscellaneous supplies and repairs, such as law books, coal and wood, roll-front cabinet, carpet, numbering stamp, cleaning supplies, plumbing work, etc.....	671 48

## BUREAU OF LAMPS AND GAS.

Number of lamps lighted—	
Incandescent.....	2,883
Arc.....	383
Oil.....	100
Total number of lamps lighted, March 31, 1900.....	3,365

Permits were issued during the quarter for resetting poles, stringing telephone and telegraph wires, as follows:

Western Union Telegraph Company.....	1
Postal Telegraph Cable Company.....	2
Staten Island Midland Railroad Company.....	12
Staten Island Electric Railroad Company.....	16
American Telephone and Telegraph Company.....	3
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	110

New York and Staten Island Electric Company.....	94
Richmond County Gas-light Company.....	23

Total number of permits issued during quarter..... 201

Certificates were issued for the installation of 24 H. P. motors, 1-15 K. W. generators and 3,030 feet of wire were removed from the various streets.

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

Document "A"—Statement of appropriations and expenditures.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Document "B"—Statement in detail of contracts.

Document "C"—Report of Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

Document "D"—Report of Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

Document "E"—Report of Electrical Bureau.

Document "F"—Report of Bureau of Motor Taxis.

Document "G"—Report of Office of Assistant Engineer.

Document "H"—Report of Borough of Brooklyn.

Document "I"—Report of Borough of Queens.

Document "K"—Report of Borough of Richmond.

Yours respectfully,

HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner.

## DOCUMENT "A."

Statement of Appropriations, Trust and Special Accounts, showing the Total Expenditures during the Quarter ending March 31, 1900, and the Balance on April 1, 1900.

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	BALANCE ON JANUARY 1, 1900.	REQUISITIONS ON LIABILITIES OF 1899—FIRST QUARTER OF 1900.	BALANCE ON APRIL 1, 1900.	APPROPRIATIONS—FIRST QUARTER OF 1900.	REQUISITIONS—FIRST QUARTER OF 1900.	BALANCE ON APRIL 1, 1900.
Salaries—General Administration.....	\$531 51	.....	431 31	531 51	531 51	\$104 20
<i>Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.</i>						
Salaries of Deputies, Clerks and Employees.....	1,211 90	1,101 31	790 31	1,211 90	1,211 90	57 48 71
Supplies and Repairs.....	10,570 19	11,091 11	25,154 30	10,570 19	10,570 19	29,115 97
Lamps and Lighting.....	6925 88 74	10,000 00	1,100 00	6925 88 74	6925 88 74	1,000 00
Contingencies.....	447 40	447 40	00	447 40	447 40	1,100 00
<i>Borough of Brooklyn.</i>						
Salaries of Deputy, Clerks and Employees.....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	107 88 00
Supplies and Repairs.....	4,250 00	4,400 00	10,000 00	4,250 00	4,250 00	11,000 00
Lamps and Lighting.....	57,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00	57,000 00	57,000 00	10,000 00
Contingencies.....	00	.....	00	00	00	00
<i>Borough of Queens.</i>						
Salaries of Deputy and Employees.....	210 00	.....	210 00	210 00	210 00	11 00 00
Supplies and Repairs.....	1,100 00	1,100 00	21 00	1,100 00	1,100 00	1,100 00
Lamps and Lighting.....	13,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00	13,000 00	13,000 00	10,000 00
Contingencies.....	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00
<i>Borough of Richmond.</i>						
Salaries of Deputy and Employees.....	00 00	.....	00 00	00 00	00 00	00 00 00
Supplies and Repairs.....	1,100 00	1,100 00	1,000 00	1,100 00	1,100 00	1,100 00
Lamps and Lighting.....	75,000 00	75,000 00	1,000 00	75,000 00	75,000 00	1,000 00
Contingencies.....	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00
Totals.....	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00

Note—Requisitions during First Quarter of 1900, on Liabilities of 1899—Supplies for and cleaning Public Offices..... 347 00

Requisitions during First Quarter of 1900, on Liabilities of 1899—Supplies and Repairs, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... 21 00

Requisitions during First Quarter of 1900, on Liabilities of 1899—Lamps and Lighting, Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx..... 1,000 00

Requisitions during First Quarter of 1900, on Liabilities of 1899—Supplies and Repairs, Borough of Brooklyn..... 1,100 00

Total..... \$1,000 00

TITLES OF TRUST AND SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.	BALANCE ON JANUARY 1, 1900.	REQUISITIONS DURING FIRST QUARTER OF 1900.	BALANCE ON APRIL 1, 1900.	TITLES OF TRUST AND SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.	BALANCE ON JANUARY 1, 1900.	REQUISITIONS DURING FIRST QUARTER OF 1900.	BALANCE ON APRIL 1, 1900.
Construction of Seventh District Police Station and Prison, etc.....	\$1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	Revenue Bond Fund—Altering and Fitting up Grand Jury Building.....	4,000 00	.....	4,000 00
Governor's Ship Hospital Building Fund.....	94,744 05	95,710 00	95,710 00	Fund for Public Comfort Stations.....	500 00	.....	500 00
Public Building, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Queens Park.....	7,400 00	.....	7,400 00	Fund for Public Bathhouses in Livingstone Street.....	10,000 00	.....	10,000 00
Public Building, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Queens Park, Addition to.....	3,113 75	.....	3,113 75	Fund for Construction of new Hall of Records.....	10,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Revenue Bond Fund—Alterations and Changes in the City Hall.....	500 00	.....	500 00	Totals.....	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00

## DOCUMENT "B."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO DURING QUARTER.

Public Lighting.

	ESTIMATED COST.
<i>Electricity.</i>	
Manhattan Electric Light Company.....	\$100,000 00
The Brush Electric Illuminating Company of New York.....	150,000 00
The Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York.....	25,000 00
Mount Morris Electric Light Company.....	95,700 00
The Harlem Lighting Company.....	14,100 00
The United Electric Light and Power Company.....	2,000 00
Pelham Electric Light and Power Company.....	10,000 00
North River Electric Light and Power Company.....	100,000 00
Total electricity.....	\$607,800 00
<i>Gas.</i>	
The New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company, Limited, (Manhattan).....	40,135 00
..... (Bronx).....	25,600 00
The Consolidated Gas Company of New York.....	352,000 00

	ESTIMATED COST.
Weldash Street Lighting Company of America (Manhattan).....	\$15,000 00
..... (Bronx).....	1 00
New Amsterdam Gas Company.....	75,000 00
The Standard Gas-light Company of The City of New York.....	202,000 00
Northern Union Gas Company.....	25,800 00
Central Union Gas Company.....	15,400 00
Yonkers Gas-light Company.....	97,000 00
Total gas.....	\$490,200 00
Total public lighting.....	\$1,098,000 00
<i>Coal.</i>	
Coal to Public Buildings.....	Wynn Bros..... 87,315 39
Total.....	\$1,185,315 39







**Blackaderfer typewriter.** with interchangeable carriage, and one typewriter cabinet furnished. Stanchions were erected to support balcony with railing. Two flights of iron stairs were erected on the north side of the tower of above Armory. About 100 lockers were removed from the top floor of tower in above building, repaired and replaced on first floor of tower of above building. About 100 lockers in the locker room of above building repaired, 200 Yale keys furnished and fitted; also 200 brass key checks and locks stamped. Two Yalemaster keys furnished and fitted to open all lockers. Two sets of new halyards put up on roof of above building.

**Carpentering.**—Three flights of stairs leading from hallway to drill-room floor taken down, new stringers and top tread furnished throughout, all properly welded, etc. Floor in drill-room cut out for plumbers to repair leaks and the same replaced. The roof over drillroom and Janitor's apartments repaired.

**Ninth Regiment Armory.**—Old and worn out parts of Welshbach lights replaced with new parts. Orders were renewed for use of telephone connected with Exchange in above Armory. An order was issued for repairs to electric gas-lighting apparatus during quarter. One cocoa mat 5 feet by 3 feet, 1 cocoa mat 6 feet by 3 feet, 2 cocoa mats 12 feet by 3 feet, and the usual cleaning supplies, furnished.

**Twelfth Regiment Armory.**—Order was issued for use of telephone connected with exchange in above Armory. Old and worn out parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. One barrel of disinfectant and the usual cleaning supplies were furnished. Wire cables for annunciators repaired and put in perfect working order. Orders renewed for electric current to operate motor at above Armory. The old halyards were renewed and two new sets of halyards properly reeved were furnished.

**Twenty-second Regiment Armory.**—The order for electrical current to operate motor in above armory was renewed. Old and worn-out parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. An order was issued to make repairs to electric gas-lighting apparatus. The electric-lighting apparatus in above building was repaired and put in perfect working order. Electrical supplies of burners, wires, etc., were furnished. The electrical bell and telephone system were also repaired. The usual cleaning supplies were furnished. The steam apparatus in above Armory was overhauled and repaired, and valves, with necessary fittings, new pipe, packing, etc., and thirty-seven valves for radiators provided. Two halyards reeved and put up on roof of above Armory.

**Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory.**—Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights replaced with new parts. The usual cleaning supplies were furnished.

**Seventy-first Regiment Armory.**—Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights replaced with new parts. An order was issued for repairs to electric gas-lighting apparatus. The usual cleaning supplies, 2 barrels disinfectant and 150 keys, were furnished; 3,390 square feet of steam pipes were covered with one thickness of asbestos paper, one thickness of hair felt, one thickness of rosin-sized paper, all to be covered with 8-ounce duck properly sewed on. Leak in roof of Company rooms "A" and "F," Drum Corps, land-room, gymnasium and towers on southwest and southeast corners of building were repaired; 2 new sections of gutters, 2 new leaders and leader heads furnished and put up; 95 old tubes were taken out of boiler and replaced with 95 3-inch charcoal tubes, 16 feet long. The brick arches and bridge walls, also walls in back of bridge walls, rebuilt and relined in two boilers in above building.

**Squadron "A" Armory.**—Order renewed for use for telephone connected with Exchange. Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. Seven and one-half tons of tan bark, the usual supplies for cleaning, 1 barrel of disinfectant, 1 Bailey letterpress and stand, 1 Remington typewriter, with calculator, 1 8-drawer typewriter drop cabinet desk, were furnished. Five intercommunicating telephones, with necessary wiring, batteries, etc., complete, were installed. Three 8-day clocks were repaired.

**Carpentering.**—The runway leading from stable to ring inclosed, stall racks repaired where broken, new floor strip put in at stable entrance at Ninety-fifth street side, three new shelves put in, gun rack, also one hallway shelf; 11 new saddle racks furnished and set up and 44 saddle racks rearranged.

**First Battery Armory.**—Order renewed for use of telephone connected with Exchange. Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights replaced with new parts. The usual cleaning supplies, and 1 Bailey letterpress and stand furnished.

**Second Battery Armory.**—Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights replaced with new parts. The usual cleaning supplies, 3 cocoa mats, 4 x 6 feet; 2 cocoa mats, 2 x 3 feet; 1 cocoa mat, 2 x 2 feet; 1 roll-top desk, 1 6-foot round table and 4 feet revolving book rack furnished. About 1,350 square feet of pipe, covered with material consisting of one thickness of asbestos paper, one thickness of hair felt and one thickness of rosin-sized paper, all to be covered with 8-ounce duck, properly sewed on.

**First Signal Corps Armory.**—Cleaning supplies, 1 Remington typewriter, 1 Bailey letterpress and stand, 1 8-drawer drop cabinet typewriter desk, were furnished.

**United States Steamship "New Hampshire."**—The usual cleaning supplies were furnished. Nine incandescent lamps and five receptacles in new cabin, erected on poop-deck of above steamship. One 55-foot spar, with necessary step, mast coat, walkway, backstays and a signal yard, 15 feet over all, furnished and put in position, and the same painted with two coats of spar-colored paint. 190 2-inch tubes were furnished and put in boiler of above steamship; also 1 1-inch valve and 1 1½ check-valve furnished.

#### MUNICIPAL COURTS.

**First District Municipal Court.**—Order renewed for the use of telephone connected with Exchange; 2 cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly; 33 rubber stamps, 2 United States dates, 1 5-wheel Bates' triplicate numbering machine, 1 No. 3 castor-rack, 1 No. 4 castor-rack, 1 pad, 1 roll-top desk, 5 feet 6 inches; 2 revolving chairs, 2 large chairs, 1 leather-covered table for Clerk's office and a supply of law books were furnished. Orders were renewed for cleaning the glass in the windows and doors of above court. The steam pipes in the above building were covered with about 520 square feet of pipe covering, consisting of one thickness of asbestos paper, one thickness of hair felt, one thickness of rosin-sized paper, all covered with 8-ounce duck properly sewed on.

**Second District Municipal Court.**—Old and worn-out parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. One cabinet and six clean towels weekly were furnished.

**Third District Municipal Court.**—One toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

**Fourth District Municipal Court.**—Order for supply of steam during year renewed, 1 toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

**Fifth District Municipal Court.**—Old and worn-out parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. Two cabinets and a supply of clean towels weekly, 1 barrel cleaning compound and a supply of law books were furnished.

**Sixth District Municipal Court.**—Order for a supply of steam during the year was renewed. One toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly was furnished. Orders were renewed for cleaning glass in the windows and doors in above Court.

**Seventh District Municipal Court.**—Two toilet cabinets and a supply of clean towels weekly, 1 barrel of cleaning compound, a supply of law books furnished. Orders were renewed for cleaning glass in the windows and doors of above Court.

**Eighth District Municipal Court.**—Orders were renewed for cleaning glass in the windows and doors of above Court. Two oak revolving chairs, special size, and a supply of law books furnished.

**Ninth District Municipal Court.**—Two toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

**Tenth District Municipal Court.**—Old and worn-out parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. An order was issued for a supply of steam during the year to above Court. A supply of law books, consisting of New York Reports, New York Appellate Division Reports, Miscellaneous Reports, Ash's Greater New York Charter, Stover's Code of Civil Procedure, Consolidation Act and Hun's Reports furnished.

**Eleventh District Municipal Court.**—One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly, ½ dozen cocoa door mats, 1 oak eight-day Empire clock, and a supply of law books, consisting of New York Reports, Hun's Reports, Miscellaneous Reports, furnished.

#### CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

**First District Magistrate's Court.**—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above Court. One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

**Second District Magistrate's Court.**—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above Court. One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished. One four-ton McBride and Davidson safe was removed from Bureau of Water Register, repaired and painted, large chest inside silver bronzed, hinges renickled, new dials, rims and new cabinet-work placed inside furnished for use of above Court.

**Third District Magistrate's Court.**—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above Court. One arm-chair for Chief Clerk furnished. All the damaged tin was removed from the gutters in above buildings and replaced with new tin of best quality, under side coated one coat and exposed side painted two coats of paint. The slate roof on above building was repaired, and the trim-work on the chimneys pointed up.

**Fourth District Magistrate's Court.**—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above Court. Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts.

**Fifth District Magistrate's Court.**—Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above Court. Two cabinets and a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

**Sixth District Magistrate's Court.**—Order was renewed for the use of telephone connected with exchange. One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly, furnished.

**Seventh District Magistrate's Court.**—Order was renewed for the use of telephone connected with exchange. Order was issued for inspection and insurance of elevators during the year.

#### COUNTY JAIL.

Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. The roof of above jail was repaired and painted, all open seams soldered and flashing pointed up where necessary. One pair of new sash and two single sash for east side of top tier furnished. One light hole cover built, handrail placed on railing leading from kitchen. Opening closed up and door repaired in toilet-room. One Yale lock furnished for Warden's room.

#### DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. Three Lang steel document cases, 36 drawers, with Acme locks, furnished.

#### BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

Order was renewed for the use of telephone connected with exchange. Two cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly, 1 Bates Consecutive Numbering Machine, 1 quartered oak case, 10 feet 5½ inches long, 9 feet 5 inches high, furnished and erected in above office.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Order was renewed for the use of telephone connected with exchange, and for Rapid Safety Filter during the year. 25 yards of linoleum was furnished and laid. Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. 24 document baskets, 4 copies of Greater New York Charter with amendments. 1 copy of Penal Code, 1 Yost and Remington typewriter, 1 Fairbanks letter scale, 1 Bailey letter press and stand, 1 roll-top typewriter desk, 1 office bench, perforated seat and back, 4 feet 3 inches long. 1 card index outfit, 22 by 6-oak case, 15,000 thirty-three C. S. cards and guides, 1 24-drawer Shannon File Cabinet, 4 by 6, with lock and base; 1 oak roll-top desk, 5 feet; 1 revolving chair, 1 oak pedestal desk, about 9 feet 6 inches long, with cabinet top, with glass doors glazed with double-thick French glass, paneled ends, doors, drawers and sash with bronze or brass hardware and Yale locks made in sections and erected in above office for Contract Clerk; 23 revolving chairs, 5 warblers, 2 bent-wood cane-seat chairs, 2 revolving chairs, 6 office chairs, 3 high desk stools, 3 double flat-top desks, 5 feet long; 12 5-foot oak flat-top desks, 5 oak single-top desks, 5 feet; 1 metal case containing 40 box drawers, 11 by 10 by 18 inches, with plain paneled ends and quartered oak wooden top, finished in maroon color, having Acme locking device. 24 book-keepers' high desk chairs with backs furnished. 5,000 feet of shelving furnished and erected in above office. 1 safe removed from Room 37 to Room 31; 1 safe moved in Room 25 and new set of skids furnished; 1 4-ton safe and 2 2-ton safes moved from Department of Finance, third floor of Jamaica Bank Building, Long Island. Two placed in Room 18r, Stewart Building, and one in Room 173, three sets of skids furnished, also 1 4-ton safe removed from American Trust Society Building and hoisted to Room 87, Stewart Building.

**City Chamberlain's Office.**—Order was renewed for the use of telephone connected with exchange. 1 toilet cabinet, with a supply of clean towels weekly; 1 oak 5-foot double standing desk furnished and a turn-table placed in partition in above office.

**Receiver of Taxes.**—The order for a supply of electric current to operate motor in above office during year 1900 was renewed. Also order for rapid safety filter renewed.

**Collector of Assessments and Arrears.**—One oak table, 5½ by 7 feet, furnished.

**City Paymaster.**—Orders were renewed to connect above office with the burglar alarm service of Holmes' Electric Protective Company, to keeping repair signal boxes, cleaning glass in windows and doors of above office; 1 rapid safety filter and a necessary supply of steam for heating, etc.; 19 yards of linoleum furnished and laid in above office.

#### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Order for rapid safety filter was renewed, 1 Remington typewriter, 2 City Directories, 1 twenty-drawer case for filing flat papers, 9 by 15 inches, with rolling curtain, special box base made of quartered oak; 1 roll-top typewriter-desk and chair and 4 Smyrna rugs 4 feet by 7 feet furnished.

**Surveyor's Office.**—Order for 1 toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly issued.

**Bureau of Real Estate.**—Order was renewed for 1 rapid safety filter.

#### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

2 dozen hand towels furnished.

#### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Order was renewed for the use of telephone connected with exchange, 1 Remington typewriter and typewriter table, 1 copy of Legislative Session Laws of year 1899, 1 large map cabinet with horizontal rolling shelving, etc., made and erected in above office; 1 Wells special file cabinet, 4 shelves high, 4 feet wide, to hold assessment lists, 17 inches high by 11½ inches wide, with adjustable partition on shelves furnished; 1 drawing paper and instrument case made and erected for use of above office.

#### SOUTH GATE HOUSE.

Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts.

#### ENGINE HOUSE, CENTRAL BRIDGE.

Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts.

#### COMMISSIONER OF JERORS.

Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange.

#### COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS.

Order was renewed for the use of telephone connected with exchange, 1 rapid safety filter, 64 yards of linoleum furnished and laid, galvanized iron ventilating pipe disconnected from Room 284, repaired and reconstructed and placed in Room 104 Stewart Building; also about 50 feet of 8-inch galvanized-iron pipe with 5 elbows furnished and connected. Two sinks lined around with sheet lead, 4-inch galvanized iron pipe connected to 8-inch galvanized-iron pipe, one table covered with sheet lead in above office.

**Expert Accountants.**—Carpentering: Pigeon-holes were erected on three sides of Room 189, also 2 double sets of pigeon-holes erected in centre of same room.

#### SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Orders for telephone connected with exchange in above office, and 1 rapid safety filter renewed. A supply of law books, 1 metal combination cabinet containing 108 document files, 8 box drawers and 24 legal blank drawers furnished and erected. All of the above furnished with general Acme locking device, also containing 2 double cupboards with dividing shelf in each, 3 single cupboards with 5 adjustable roller book shelves in each, 1 sliding shelf and all cupboards having locks.

#### SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE DIVISION.

Orders were renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange in above Court, and electric current to operate motor during quarter ending March 31, 1900.

#### CORPORATION COUNSEL'S OFFICE.

75 yards best Brussels carpet, with best paper lining, furnished and laid, also 33 yards of linoleum was furnished and laid in Chief Clerk's office; 1 No. 80 Century Radiator, 4 Remington typewriters with tabulator and oak typewriter table, 6 dozen office towels, 1 thirty-six drawer steel letter file cabinet with Acme lock, one cocoa doormat 36 by 22 inches furnished. Eight window shades, made of best quality Nonpareil shade cloth, hung on old rollers, were furnished and put up complete, also six old shades repaired.

**Law Department.**—Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties—1 Eureka copying cloth bath, 10 by 14, furnished Room 115, Stewart Building. 2 Remington Typewriters furnished. Opening cut in railing and gate put in above office.

#### EXEMPT FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

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

#### VOLUNTEER FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. One iron fire-escape with scuttle and ladders leading to same furnished and erected on front of above building.

#### PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts. One Eureka copying cloth bath 10 by 12 inches, one rug 7 feet 6 inches by 10 feet 6 inches, and five desk rugs, 1 ash desk with two drawers and division below for books, 1 ash table, 6 cane seat bent wood chairs, and one double door fireproof safe, with inside doors and special inside arrangement 28 inches high by 23¼ inches wide by 14 inches deep inside measurements furnished.

#### ENGINE-HOUSE—CENTRAL BRIDGE.

Old and worn parts of Welshbach lights were replaced with new parts.



## PRESIDENT BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Order was given for use of switchboard set of instruments having two trunk lines connected with exchange. Order was given for 5 toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly. Supplements of Greater New York Charter, two for 1898, and two for 1899, 1 set of Funk & Wagnall's "Standard" dictionary, 1 copy of Greater New York Charter furnished. Two quartered oak cabinets with pigeon-holes furnished and erected in above office 2 steel filing cabinet in above office was altered and a new cabinet furnished.

Topographical Bureau—About 35 yards crash with blue paper lining furnished and laid.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

One Van typewriter with wide and small carriage and metal cover, 1 Remington typewriter, 1 5-foot roll-top desk, 2 wardrobes, 4 bentwood cane-seated chairs, 2 revolving desk chairs, 2 high desk chairs with backs made of quartered oak, 1 4-foot oak roll-top desk, 2 revolving desk chairs, leather upholstered seat, 6 office chairs, 4 typewriter chairs, and 1 3-foot black walnut roll-top desk furnished. New gate with oak top put in railing in above office.

## STREET CLEANING DEPARTMENT (No. 28 Chambers street).

One No. 30 London stove, together with necessary pipe, etc., furnished and put up complete.

## DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Three toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly, 1 set one-half Russia "Standard" dictionary, 1 Columbia Barlock typewriter with one typewriter stand, 1 No. 5 chair mat, 2 thirty-six drawer Lang metallic steel document cases with same lock, 1 flat top desk 5 feet, 1 table 6 by 3 feet, and 2 round-seated bent wood chairs furnished. New shelves, closets and cases made and erected in above office. The doors, chairs, electric light, etc., were repaired.

## DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

Five toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly were furnished. One Smith-Premier typewriter, 1 drawing table, 3 by 7 feet by 13 inches, with 3 hardwood ledges on back, dovetailed in cleats, front edge of board rounded, each board to have 2 pine-wood drawers with lock and key and drawers pull, a pine-wood cross-trestle 27 inches high on a 5-foot bench, all made of the best material, 1 twenty-four drawer Shannon file cabinet with lock and base, 1 revolving bookcase, 3 feet high, furnished. One Remington typewriter repaired.

## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

Top toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly, 1 Densmore typewriter, 1 rotary office chair, 1 oak table, 3 by 6 feet 6 inches, 1 roll top desk, pigeon holes to be furnished with drawers with transoms in addition to first, 1 oak flat-top desk, one side underneath with drawers, other side with compartments for books, and one drawer in center furnished, 1 safe removed from Room No. 1714 to Casler's room in above office.

## DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

Six cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly, 3 oak flat-top desks, 5 feet, 3 oak revolving chairs, 1 dozen office chairs and 2 McCrory desk lamps were furnished, also two typewriters repaired.

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Orders renewed for cleaning glass in the windows and doors and electric current to operate motors in above building. One set of window-shades furnished and put up on Hartshorn rollers, also five sets of Henderson shade fixtures put up.

Vaccination Station—One sectional hot-water heater, with a capacity of about 1,400 square feet, provided with a full set of trimmings and fixtures set on a brick platform about 8 by 6 feet, having one set of tools for working and cleaning boiler, and other fittings and fixtures necessary to complete work, furnished. The heater connected to vertical smoke flue with galvanized sheet-iron pipe provided with all required cleaning-out places and dampers arranged to operate automatically. The heater covered with asbestos cement two inches thick put on in three layers and finished smooth on the outside. The present main return and supply pipes used as far as possible and new ones provided where necessary. The old and useless drip-pipes removed. All waste properly graded and dripped to insure a good and rapid drainage. A galvanized-iron expansion tank of required size provided. All necessary rising lines to connect the radiators on second story furnished. Old wires leading to third story removed and outlets plugged up. All present piping found in good condition used. New hot-water radiators of sufficient capacity to heat the rooms on the floor above-mentioned furnished. Necessary connections for both supply and returns made. The old radiators removed. New valves and automatic air-valves placed on all radiators. All valves of the Jenkins' patent, or others equally as good, nickel-plated, with polished wheels and bosses. All air-valves of the Colonial type nickel-plated. The radiators and exposed piping painted one good coat of yellow ochre finished in gold bronze, all properly tested and guaranteed to heat the rooms on the above-mentioned floor at 70 degrees temperature in coldest weather. All exposed running lines on first floor to be covered with asbestos sectional coverings.

## GATE-HOUSE (CONVENT AVENUE).

Old and worn parts of Welbach lights were replaced with new parts.

## PUMPING STATION.

Old and worn parts of Welbach lights were replaced with new parts.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

Order was issued for the use of telephone connected with exchange. A supply of rubber stamps and out-riding pads, 12 large documentary files, 6 extra large documentary files, 3 sets of Dickinson shades, were furnished and put up complete.

Commissioner's Office—One cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

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

Chief Clerk—One toilet cabinet and a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

General Bookkeeper's Office—Two toilet cabinets and a supply of clean towels weekly furnished, 1 thirty-six drawer Lang steel document file case with same lock furnished.

Electric Bureau—Three toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished, and the following electrical supplies—gas line lines of different capacity, and the following stationary, 1 permit book No. 16 to place electrical conductors in subways, 20 permit books, 21-40, 1 record book, permits to erect poles, 1 record application blanks.

Inspector's Room—One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

Bureau of Meter Tests—Two toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished. An order was issued for the use of telephone connected with exchange, 12 lens-stamps, 1 dozen agaré tunnels, and 2 tin gallon kettles with faucets were furnished.

Bureau of Assistant Engineer—One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished. A supply of articles for testing cement and draughting purposes, 50 sets prints of maps and plans, 1 specific gravity apparatus, 6 galvanized iron pans with faucets, 4 dozen Wilder governor nutters were furnished, 1 marble basin furnished and put up complete in above office.

Cement Testing Laboratory—One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished, 1 dozen bridge molds in sets of 6 with revolving clamps furnished.

Bureau of Lamp and Gas—One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished. Two 36-drawer Lang steel document file cases with same lock, and 1 oak wardrobe No. 55 furnished.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies—Two chairs, 2 stools, 1 dozen revolving chairs, 1 dozen galvanized iron watering pots, 3 dozen waste-paper baskets, 1 dozen desk baskets, 1 dozen Hammond typewriter ribbons, 3 dozen 10 by 14 inch clocks for copying-books and a supply of hardware furnished, also 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. Two toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly were furnished. Cleaning supplies, such as pails, brooms, mops, dusters, ash cans, metal polish, soap, sapolin, 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 the 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, gasfittings, mason work, plastering, woodwork, painting, tinwork, furniture, etc.

Free Flushing Baths—Orders were issued for a supply of lumber and hardware for use of above baths. The outside of the baths were repainted and a supply of coal furnished.

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

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Coal and wood for heating, etc., cleaning supplies, etc., were furnished. One steam coil furnished, one steam coil repaired and reset and new system for urinal put in on top floor of building. Opening in passageway leading to engine room was closed up and panel door put in.

## CORONER'S OFFICE.

One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished, also a supply of coal for heating purposes furnished.

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Auditor's Office—Order was issued for the use of telephone connected with exchange. Two toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

## TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Two cabinets were furnished, with a supply of clean towels weekly. One 36-drawer Lang document case with same lock furnished.

Deputy Receiver of Taxes—Two toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Topographical Bureau—Order was issued for use of telephone connected with exchange. Two toilet cabinets with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished. One roll-top typewriter desk, 48 roller towels furnished, 48 pigeon-holes made and erected in the upper vault of above Bureau, each box divided into 10 compartments, also lat-rack put up on eastern wall.

## DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished. One oak wardrobe, 1 Bailey letter-press and stand, 1 Langwood file document case with thirty-six pigeon-holes and two drawers.

## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

## DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished.

## PRESIDENT BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

One toilet cabinet with a supply of clean towels weekly furnished. Order was renewed for use of telephone connected with exchange, also 1 extension set of telephone instruments connected with telephone furnished. One City Directory furnished. Cleaning supplies, coal and wood for heating, etc., a supply of ice, general repairs not otherwise mentioned, were furnished and performed.

In addition to the repairs, etc., hereinbefore mentioned, the mechanics in the employ of this Department made repairs of a general nature (carpentering, varnishing, etc.), throughout the various public buildings, courts, offices, etc. Hereinafter follows a summary of the work performed: Repairs were made to desks, closets, etc., locks put on, shelving, partitions, etc., erected, doors hung, hinges put on, doors eased and rehung, windows repaired, new sashes, weather strips, sash cord, etc., put on.

Finance Department—New shelving put up, old shelving repaired and altered, book and pigeon-hole cases repaired. Repairs made to woodwork in Seventh District Court and Harlem Court-house. Transoms repaired and fitted, also new flooring laid in West Washington Market.

Permit Clerk's Office—Shelving repaired and altered, door joints repaired, doors rehinged and hung.

Office President of the Borough—Windows repaired and sash cords put in.

Mayor's Office—Bookcase altered, sash cords and door stops put on.

Mayor's Marshal's Office—Transoms repaired.

Seventh District Court-house—Cases taken apart, repaired and altered and set up in another room.

Eighth District Municipal Court—Cases taken apart, repaired and altered and set up.

Supreme Court—Pigeon-hole cases repaired and put in, railing put up in Part V, Trial Term, panels cut out and new moulding put on partition in Judge Andrews' private rooms and wardrobes repaired.

Fourth District Municipal Court—Repairs made to front of case.

Department of Highways—Shelving repaired and altered.

City Record Office—Shelving repaired.

Third District Municipal Court—Repairs made to sounding-board.

Seventy-first Regiment Armory—Electrical gas lighting apparatus hosed in.

Hall of Records—Repairs made to map cases.

Commissioner of Accounts—New shelving furnished and put in in above office.

Surrogate's Office—Shelving altered and repaired.

Tenth District Court—Sounding-board was repaired.

Department of Water Supply—Bookcase repaired and altered.

City Hall—Storm-door repaired.

Assistant Engineer Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—Shelving and brackets put up in above offices.

Union Market—Door-jamb repaired.

The cost of material was about \$1,000 and the cost of labor \$2,600.

Yours respectfully,

BARTHOLOMEW DONOVAN, Superintendent Repairs and Supplies.

## DOCUMENT "D."

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,  
BUREAU OF LAMPS AND GAS, NOS. 12 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, April 12, 1900.

Hon. PETER J. DOOLING, Deputy and Acting Commissioner, Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies:

Sir—In compliance with the directions contained in your letter of the 3d instant, I herein submit a report of the transactions of the Bureau of Lamps and Gas for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for the quarter ending March 31, 1900.

Exhibit "A" is a statement showing the amounts on vouchers for gas and electric currents supplied to the various public markets, offices, armories, etc., and for lighting and maintaining public lamps.

Exhibit "B" is a summary of the appropriation for "Lamps and Lighting," 1900, showing vouchers drawn during the quarter amounting to three hundred and twenty-five thousand eight hundred and sixty-three dollars and three cents (\$325,863.03), leaving an available balance of nine hundred and eighty-four thousand one hundred and thirty-six dollars and ninety-seven cents (\$984,136.97).

Exhibit "C" is a summary of the appropriation for "Lamps and Lighting," 1899, showing vouchers drawn during the quarter of four hundred and eighty-eight thousand two hundred and forty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$488,243.37), with outstanding liabilities, five hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents (\$532.50), leaving a balance of five thousand two hundred and forty dollars and eighty-six cents (\$5,240.86).

Exhibit "D" is a summary of the Lamp Account, showing the number of new lamps lighted, old lamps relighted and lamps discontinued during the quarter: 7 new gas lamps, 10 new naphtha lamps and 37 new electric lamps have been lighted; 29 gas lamps, 2 naphtha lamps and 1 electric lamp have been relighted; 963 gas lamps, 8 naphtha lamps and 3 electric lamps have been discontinued. Of the gas lamps discontinued, 878 were extinguished on account of electric lights. The total number of lamps lighted on March 31 was 24,286 gas, 1,587 naphtha, 449 Welbach naphtha and 4,538 electric, making a total of 30,860 lamps.

Exhibit "E" is a statement showing the candle-power of the gases supplied to the City by such of the gas companies as are within reach of our Photometric Stations.

The following statement will show the average amount of impurities found in the gases of the several gas companies as determined by E. G. Love, Ph. D., the Gas Examiner, at the Laboratories of the Department:

OF WHAT COMPANY.	SULPHUR (GRAINS IN 100 CUBIC FEET).	AMMONIA (GRAINS IN 100 CUBIC FEET).	SULPHURETTED HYDROGEN.
Consolidated Gas Company—			
Branch 1.....	9.00	10	Trace.
Branch 2.....	16.50	24	"
Branch 3.....	7.03	28	"
Branch 4.....	8.76	28	"
Branch 5.....	7.93	30	"
New York Mutual Gaslight Company.....	6.00	26	"
New Amsterdam Gas-light Company.....	5.14	110	"
Standard Gas-light Company.....	6.08	28	"
East River Gas Company.....	8.30	210	"



The following will show the specific gravity of the gases:

Consolidated Gas Company—	
Branch 1	.698
Branch 2	.618
Branch 3	.697
Branch 4	.684
Branch 5	.651
New York Mutual Gas-light Company	.697
New Amsterdam Gas Company	.688
Standard Gas-light Company	.647
East River Gas Company	.678

The following statement will show the average maximum and minimum pressure on the mains of such companies as connect with our Photometric Stations, as recorded on the pressure registers during the quarter, the average being made for the time during which the public lamps are required to be kept lighted:

OF WHAT COMPANY.	Average Max- imum Press- ure.	Average Min- imum Press- ure.	WHERE TAKEN.	Distance from Gas Works.
Consolidated Gas Company—				
Branch 1	3.03	1.65	Corner Bowery and Grand street	1.85
Branch 2	3.59	2.47	"	1.85
Branch 3	3.09	2.54	"	2.84
Branch 4	3.10	2.01	Seventy-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues	5.33
Branch 5	3.00	1.96	Seventy-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues	4.05
New York Mutual Gas Company	3.71	3.22	Corner Bowery and Grand street	3.74
New Amsterdam Gas Company	2.51	1.99	"	2.18
Standard Gas-light Company	2.83	2.00	Seventy-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues	3.05
East River Gas Company	3.88	3.01	Seventy-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues	2.39

Yours respectfully,

S. McCORMICK, Superintendent, Lamps and Gas.

#### EXHIBIT "A."

Statement showing the amounts on vouchers drawn for gas, etc., to the various public markets, offices, armories, etc., and for fitting up, lighting, maintenance, etc., of public lamps, for the quarter ending March 31, 1900.

Washington Market	\$362.97
Catharine Country Market	35.35
Catharine Meat Market	8.42
Fulton Meat Market	59.47
Fulton Country Market	79.18
Centre Market	42.02
Clinton Market	86.86
Union Market	13.79
Tompkins Market	51.20
Jefferson Market	146.69
First District Municipal Court	36.17
Second District Municipal Court, Borough of The Bronx	1.39
Second District Municipal Court	24.60
Fourth District Municipal Court	3.32
Fifth District Municipal Court	39.41
Sixth District Municipal Court	13.88
Tenth District Municipal Court	57.51
Eleventh District Municipal Court	22.75
Second District City Magistrates' Court	1.84
Third District City Magistrates' Court	48.29
Fourth District City Magistrates' Court	90.10
Sixth District City Magistrates' Court	30.53
Seventh District City Magistrates' Court	103.09
Brown Stone Building	151.61
New Court-house	1,111.39
Harlem Court-house	240.32
Criminal Court Building	250.59
City Hall	101.31
County Jail	284.15
Corporation Counsel	10.72
Public Administrator, Store-room	53.55
Examining Board of Plumbers	2.78
City Record, Bookbindery	4.43
City Register	182.88
Pipe Yard, Livingston street	3.24
Pipe Yard, East Twenty-fourth street	12.90
Department of Highways, Tool Shop, No. 186 Mulberry street	4.90
Department of Highways, Repair Shop, No. 427 East Eighty-seventh street	21.18
Department of Highways, Repair Shop, One Hundred and Twenty-third and Co- lumbus avenue	8.51
Water Supply, Repair Shop, No. 72 Elm street	38.02
Water Supply, Repair Shop, No. 214 West Thirty-first street	35.34
Water Supply, Repair Shop, No. 3366 Third avenue	11.84
Water Supply, Chief Engineer, Highbridge	2.90
Water Supply, Keeper's House, Highbridge	45.35
Water Supply, Repair Shop, Third avenue between One Hundred and Eighty-eighth and One Hundred and Eighty-ninth streets	16.00
High Water Service, Engine-house, West Ninety-eighth street	325.14
High Water Service, Engine-house, Highbridge	87.50
High Water Service, Pump Station, One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and Fifth avenue	459.45
Ship Canal, Engine house, Kingsbridge	10.93
South Gate-house, Central Park	60.31
Gate-house, Convent Avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street	32.05
Central Bridge	30.53
Madison Avenue Bridge	13.13
Corporation Yard, West Fifty-sixth street	11.09
Health Department, Sixth Avenue and Fifty-fifth street	500.43
Bureau of Meter Tests, No. 214 East Ninth street	91.80
Volunteer Firemen's Association, No. 220 East Fifty-ninth street	37.73
Volunteer's Seventy-third Regiment Association, No. 128 West Seventeenth street	31.08
Clock Tower, Third District Court-house	129.50
Department of Buildings, Fourth avenue and Eighteenth street	104.90
Branch Department of Buildings, No. 2775 Third avenue	83
Municipal Buildings, Crotona Park	269.54
Bridge Tender's House, Macomb's Dam Bridge	5.30
City Paymaster	28
Photometric Stations	14.52
Seventh Regiment Armory, gas	389.04
Seventh Regiment Armory, electric	2,852.00
Ninth Regiment Armory, gas	646.59
Ninth Regiment Armory, electric	1,657.35
Twenty-second Regiment Armory, gas	1,213.44
Twenty-second Regiment Armory, electric	187.70
Twelfth Regiment Armory, gas	893.54

Eighth Regiment Armory, gas	\$762.30
Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, gas	152.63
Seventy-first Regiment Armory, gas	1,105.10
First Battery Armory, gas	187.04
Squadron "A" Armory, gas	1,137.45
Armory Ship "New Hampshire," electric	398.08
City Hall, electric	478.02
Appellate Division, Supreme Court, electric	1,012.06
City Register, electric	237.87
City Paymaster, electric	328.51
Public Comfort Station, electric	116.80
Receiver of Taxes, electric	8.84
Sheriff, electric	54.05
Surveyor of Taxes, electric	19.70
Law Department, electric	353.88
Municipal Building, Crotona Park, electric	514.08
Branch Municipal Building, Williamsbridge, electric	7.58
Gas examinations	324.00
Pay-roll, Lighters of Public Markets	240.00
Rents, Photometric Stations	240.00
Carriages	525.00
Street signs	233.20
Inner armory globes	7.50
Letters fire-alarm box doors	105.00
Bicycle repairs	15.00
Lighting gas lamps—Manhattan	90,480.48
Lighting electric lamps—Manhattan	101,551.14
Lighting naphtha lamps—Manhattan	1,534.50
Lighting Weisbach naphtha lamps—Manhattan	3,307.50
Lighting gas lamps—The Bronx	35,880.54
Lighting electric lamps—The Bronx	60,823.67
Lighting naphtha lamps—The Bronx	7,143.53
Fitting up new lamps—Manhattan	10.00
Fitting up new lamps—The Bronx	40.00
Repairing, etc., lamp-posts—Manhattan	1,593.00
Repairing, etc., lamp-posts—The Bronx	664.00
Total	\$325,863.03

#### RECAPITULATION—QUARTER ENDING MARCH 31, 1900.

Gas to public offices, markets, etc.	\$6,248.08
Incandescent lighting of public offices, etc.	3,152.05
Lighting armories—gas	9,577.11
Lighting armories—electric	5,095.13
Carriages	525.00
Gas examinations	324.00
Rents of photometric stations	240.00
Supplies for public lamps, etc.	360.70
Pay-roll of Lighters, public markets	240.00
Fitting up new lamps, Manhattan	10.00
Fitting up new lamps, The Bronx	40.00
Repairing, etc., lamps, Manhattan	1,593.00
Repairing, etc., lamps, The Bronx	664.00
Lighting public gas lamps, Manhattan	90,480.48
Lighting public gas lamps, The Bronx	35,880.54
Lighting public naphtha lamps, Manhattan	1,534.50
Lighting public naphtha lamps, The Bronx	7,143.53
Lighting public electric lamps, Manhattan	101,551.14
Lighting public electric lamps, The Bronx	60,823.67
Lighting public Weisbach naphtha lamps, Manhattan	3,307.50
Total	\$325,863.03

#### EXHIBIT "B."

Summary of the appropriation for "Lamps and Lighting for 1900, Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx," showing the amounts drawn on vouchers during the quarter ending March 31, 1900, with the balance standing to the credit of the appropriation:

Amount of appropriation, "Lamps and Lighting," 1900	\$1,310,000.00
Amount of vouchers drawn during quarter	345,863.03
Balance against which no vouchers have been made	\$964,136.97

#### EXHIBIT "C."

Summary of the appropriation for "Lamps and Lighting for 1899," showing the amounts drawn on vouchers during the quarter ending March 31, 1900, with the balance standing to the credit of the appropriation:

Amount of appropriation for "Lamps and Lighting," 1899	\$1,340,236.00
Amount of vouchers and transfers to December 31, 1899	\$846,219.27
Amount of vouchers drawn, quarter March 31, 1900	488,243.37
	1,334,462.64

Balance	\$5,773.36
Outstanding liabilities	532.50
Balance	\$5,240.86

#### EXHIBIT "D."

Summary of the Lamp Account, showing the number of new lamps lighted, old lamps relighted and lamps discontinued by each gas and electric light company during the quarter ending March 31, 1900:

Borough of Manhattan.			
GAS LAMPS.			
Consolidated Gas Company, Branch 1—			
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899	1,999		
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter	3		
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter	5	2,007	
Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric lights		245	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900			1,765
Consolidated Gas Company, Branch 2—			
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899	1,003		
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter	2	1,005	
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights		25	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900			1,080
Consolidated Gas Company, Branch 3—			
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899	1,000		
Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric lights		50	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900			1,050



## Consolidated Gas Company, Branch 4—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	1,480	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	4	3,784
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	8	
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....	35	3
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	1,439	11,251

## Consolidated Gas Company, Branch 5—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	5,910	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	8	7,000
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	2	
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....	71	12
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	5,845	11,223

Total number of lamps Consolidated Gas Company, March 31, 1900.....

## New Amsterdam Gas Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	5,410	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	4	5,414
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	10	
Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....	48	147
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	5,356	8,107

## Standard Gas-light Company, Madison Square Branch—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	9,820	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	1	141
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....	44	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	9,777	602

## Standard Gas-light Company, Madison Square Branch—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	1,410	
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....	40	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	1,370	1,161

## Branch of The Bronx.

## Central Union Gas Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	1,107	
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	4	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	1	1,107
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	1	
Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....	30	12
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	1,071	1,075

## Northern Union Gas Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	504	
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	0	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	2	1,000
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	0	
Less lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....	40	71
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	466	1,045

## Yonkers Gas-light Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	141	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	4	145
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	0	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	145	400

Total number of gas lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....

## NAPHTHA LAMPS.

## Branch of Manhattan.

## New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company, Limited—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Central Park.....	101	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Riverside Drive.....	90	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Madison Avenue West.....	98	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Morrisville Park.....	81	11
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	360	179

## Branch of The Bronx.

## New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company, Limited—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Woodlawn Heights.....	41	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Wakefield.....	94	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Eastchester.....	10	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Williamsburg.....	104	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Bronx and Pelham Parkway.....	113	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Bronx Park.....	113	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Cedar Park.....	71	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Claremont Park.....	80	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Crotona Park.....	94	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Condit Road.....	74	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Mosholu Parkway.....	67	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Mosholu Avenue.....	10	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, St. Mary's Park.....	51	

## New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company, Limited—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Van Cortlandt Park.....	91	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Washington Bridge.....	44	1,004
New lamps lighted in quarter, Woodlawn Heights.....	3	
New lamps lighted in quarter, Eastchester.....	7	10
Lamps relighted in quarter, Bronx and Pelham Parkway.....	2	14
Lamps discontinued in quarter, Bronx and Pelham Parkway.....	8	1,018
Total number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	500	1,018

## WATERGAS NAPHTHA LAMPS.

## Branch of Manhattan.

## Walden Street Lighting Company of America—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Central Park.....	41	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, Riverside Drive.....	9	
Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899, West One Hundred and Twenty-second Street.....	1	100
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	51	100

## Branch of The Bronx.

## Branch of Manhattan.

## Brush Electric Illuminating Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	87	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	87	375

## Edison Electric Illuminating Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	445	
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	2	61
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	447	661

## Harper Lighting Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	30	
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	2	40
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	32	40

## Manhattan Electric Light Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	290	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	290	700

## Mount Morris Electric Light Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	101	
Number of incandescent lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	47	
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	1	
Number of old lamps relighted during the quarter.....	1	100
Less lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	1	1
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	101	100

## Branch of The Bronx.

## North River Electric Light and Power Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	100	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	100	100

## Bronx Gas and Electric Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	701	
Number of new lamps lighted during the quarter.....	1	545
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	702	545

## Pelham Electric Light and Power Company—

Number of lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	40	
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	40	40

## Rasthauer Electric Company—

Number of incandescent lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	10	
Number of arc lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	4	80
Number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	14	80
Total number of electric lamps, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	1,000	1,000

## RECAPITULATION.

Number of gas lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	95,913	
Number of naphtha lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	1,501	
Number of electric lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	4,201	
Number of Walden naphtha lamps lighted December 31, 1899.....	440	31,748
Number of new gas lamps lighted during the quarter.....	1	
Number of new naphtha lamps lighted during the quarter.....	10	
Number of new electric lamps lighted during the quarter.....	17	51
Number of old gas lamps relighted during the quarter.....	10	
Number of old naphtha lamps relighted during the quarter.....	1	
Number of old electric lamps relighted during the quarter.....	1	10
Less gas lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	81	
Less naphtha lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	0	
Less electric lamps discontinued during the quarter.....	3	
Less gas lamps discontinued on account of electric lights.....	8,28	974
Total number of lamps lighted March 31, 1900.....	95,860	30,860











<b>Armories—</b>		<b>Public Baths—</b>	
Troop "C".....		Carpenter work.....	\$1,200 00
Roofing.....	\$30 00	Coal.....	10 75
Steam-fitting.....	30 50	Oil.....	3 35
Telephones.....	22 00	Storage.....	450 00
	<b>\$212 50</b>		<b>\$1,670 14</b>
<b>Second Signal Corps:</b>		<b>Horse Keep, Wagons, etc.—</b>	
Carpenter work.....	\$58 42	Board of horses.....	\$420 00
Coal.....	85 80	Clipping.....	2 50
Gas-fitters.....	7 20	Couch hire.....	5 00
Glazing.....	1 51	Feed.....	72 81
Telephones.....	65 00	Harness.....	136 55
Wool.....	5 00	Shoeing.....	51 00
	<b>\$269 93</b>	Soap.....	11 70
<b>Third Cavalry Battery:</b>		Stable supplies.....	39 00
Carpenter work.....	\$65 00	Veterinary service.....	18 00
Coal.....	185 02	Wagon repairs.....	220 00
Electrical work.....	150 00		<b>\$908 50</b>
Iron work.....	35 00		
Roofing.....	100 00		
Telephones.....	25 00		
	<b>\$560 02</b>		
<b>Second Naval Battalion:</b>		<b>Department of Public Improvements—</b>	
Stoves.....	\$57 50	Office fittings.....	\$35 00
Telephones.....	55 00	Telephones.....	37 50
	<b>\$112 50</b>		<b>\$72 50</b>
<b>Administration Building, Wallabout Market—</b>		<b>Department of Bridges—</b>	
Coal.....	\$50 05	Furniture, carpets, etc.....	<b>\$114 75</b>
Dusters.....	1 20		
Furniture.....	20 00		
Oil, etc.....	100 00		
Steam-fitting.....	8 87		
Telephones.....	40 00		
Wash.....	4 00		
	<b>\$602 82</b>		<b>\$29 85</b>

## EXPENDITURES.

Borough Hall.....	\$2,108 81
Municipal Building.....	5,938 14
County Courthouse.....	1,505 02
Hall of Records.....	1,355 45
County Jail.....	4,005 00
Disiplinary Training School for Boys.....	1,005 61
Stables, Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	133 09
City Magistrate's Court, First District.....	124 01
" " " " Second District.....	102 21
" " " " Third District.....	559 52
" " " " Fourth District.....	141 58
" " " " Fifth District.....	132 04
" " " " Sixth District.....	101 40
" " " " Seventh District.....	125 51
" " " " Eighth District.....	112 10
Mayor's Court, First District.....	202 09
" " " " Second District.....	95 00
" " " " Third District.....	258 42
" " " " Fourth District.....	24 04
" " " " Fifth District.....	84 59
Public Libraries, Central Branch.....	124 75
" " " " Eastern District Branch.....	142 10
" " " " East New York Branch.....	115 95
" " " " South Brooklyn Branch.....	140 08
" " " " Flatbush Branch.....	230 40
" " " " Redland Branch.....	40 45
Armories, Thirtieth Regiment.....	770 50
" " " " Fourteenth Regiment.....	589 88
" " " " Twenty-third Regiment.....	500 21
" " " " Forty-seventh Regiment.....	601 72
" " " " Troop "C".....	980 40
" " " " Second Signal Corps.....	394 05
" " " " Third Cavalry Battery.....	510 00
" " " " Second Naval Battalion.....	112 50
Administration Building, Wallabout Market.....	602 82
Public Baths.....	1,670 14
Horse Keep, Wagons, etc.....	908 50
Department of Public Improvements.....	72 50
Department of Bridges.....	114 75
Wallabout Market, Street Cleaning.....	29 85
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$29,824 84</b>

## Lamps and Lighting.

Changes in the number of lamps of all and each kind made during the quarter ending March 31, 1900.

	January 1, 1900.	New Lamps.	Excess Old Lamps.	Balance March 31, 1900.
Electric lights.....	4,701	58	8	4,751
Gas lamps.....	11,071	48	70	11,049
Wallabout lamps.....	6,218	110	1	6,327
Naphtalene lamps.....	294	.....	.....	294

## BUREAU OF ELECTRICITY AND GAS.

Permits Issued from January 1 to March 31, 1900.

	OVERHEAD WIRES.	SUBWAY CONDUITS.	TRANSFORMER CONNECTIONS.	TOTAL.
Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company.....	20	1	.....	20
Kidson Electric Illuminating Company.....	880	64	8	952
Flatbush Gas Company.....	5	.....	.....	5
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	505	18	44	567
Postal Telegraph Company.....	4	.....	.....	4
Stock Quotation Telegraph Company.....	10	.....	.....	10
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	5	.....	.....	5
	<b>1,429</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>1,575</b>
Permits refused and pending action.....	98	7	.....	105
<b>Total number of applications received.....</b>	<b>1,473</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>1,626</b>

Number of miles of overhead wire removed (New York and New Jersey Telephone Company included).....	100 1/2
Number of applications for interior wiring certificates.....	133
Number of certificates granted—	
Covering incandescent lamps.....	11,924
Covering arc lamps.....	434
Covering K. W. of generators.....	1,054
Covering H. P. of motors.....	1,805
	<b>25,221</b>
Number of interior wiring inspections made.....	2,427
Number of meters verified, routine.....	5,069
Number of meters proved and sealed (complaint).....	28
Number of meters proved and rejected (complaint).....	39
Number of photometric tests of illuminating gas.....	2

	Paint.	Iron.	Wood.
Painted.....	7	108	.....
Repaired.....	11	50	.....
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>.....</b>

## DISBURSEMENTS.

## DOCUMENT "1."

JAMAICA, April 2, 1900.

Hon. HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner, Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, No. 21 Park Row, New York City:

DEAR Sir—Herewith I have the honor to submit the quarterly report of the transactions of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Queens, for the quarter ending March 31, 1900.

Yours respectfully,

JOLE FOWLER, Deputy Commissioner.

QUARTERLY REPORT—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FOR THE QUARTER ENDING MARCH 31, 1900.

## ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT.

Through the general office, requisitions were made on the Finance Department, during the quarter, chargeable against the several appropriations as follows:

<b>"Supplies and Repairs, 1899"—</b>	
January.....	\$2,380 53
<b>"Lamps and Lighting, 1899"—</b>	
January.....	\$110,405 75
<b>"Contingencies, 1899"—</b>	
January.....	\$150 00
<b>"Salaries of Deputy and Employees, 1899"—</b>	
January.....	\$9,430 00
February.....	2,440 00
March.....	5,155 58
	<b>\$16,025 00</b>
<b>"Supplies and Repairs, 1900"—</b>	
February.....	\$1,400 00
March.....	1,671 11
	<b>\$3,071 11</b>
<b>"Lamps and Lighting, 1900"—</b>	
February.....	\$18,500 00
March.....	10,427 10
	<b>\$28,927 10</b>

## OTHER DEBTS.

For "Supplies and Repairs" to the various departments, offices and building orders were issued during the quarter ending March 31, 1900, showing estimated expenditures as follows:

## Coal and Wood.

Jan. 2. City Magistrate's Court, Long Island City.....	\$25 00
" 2. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	125 00
" 2. Town Hall, Newtown.....	150 00
" 2. Village Hall, Far Rockaway.....	60 00
" 2. Town Hall, Flushing.....	200 00
Feb. 3. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	250 00
" 10. Armory, Flushing.....	75 00
" 24. Town Hall, Jamaica.....	200 00
Mar. 2. City Magistrate's Court, Long Island City.....	15 00
" 27. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	125 00
	<b>\$1,305 00</b>

## Carpets (Lanterns, Rugs, etc.).

Jan. 2. Third District Municipal Court, Long Island City.....	\$140 00
" 22. Magistrate's Court, Far Rockaway.....	137 00
" 22. Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Long Island City.....	45 00
Feb. 21. Department of Highways, Long Island City.....	8 00
	<b>\$530 00</b>

## Copying Presses.

Mar. 26. Commissioner of Jurors, Long Island City.....	\$30 00
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## Fitting Up Offices.

Jan. 22. Department of Water Supply, Long Island City.....	\$25 00
" 22. Department of Health, Jamaica.....	175 00
Feb. 17. Bureau of Licenses, Long Island City.....	150 00
" 21. Department of Highways, Long Island City.....	60 00
" 21. Department of Water Supply, Long Island City.....	12 00
Mar. 10. Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Long Island City.....	30 00
	<b>\$452 00</b>

## Furniture.

Jan. 22. Department of Highways, Long Island City.....	\$80 00
" 22. Magistrate's Court, Far Rockaway.....	175 00
" 22. Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Long Island City.....	8 00
" 22. Department of Buildings, Jamaica.....	125 00
" 22. Department of Water Supply, Long Island City.....	70 00
" 22. Department of Health, Jamaica.....	120 00
Feb. 2. City Magistrate's Court, Far Rockaway.....	80 00



Feb.	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	\$14 00
"	2. Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Long Island City.....	11 00
"	2. Department of Water Supply, Long Island City.....	11 00
"	2. Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Long Island City.....	58 00
"	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	58 00
Mar.	9. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	10 00
"	16. Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Long Island City.....	18 00
		<hr/> \$888 00

*Hardware, etc.*

Jan.	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	\$50 00
"	2. Public Buildings, Long Island City.....	100 00
"	2. Public Buildings, Long Island City.....	50 00
		<hr/> \$200 00

*Janitor's Supplies.*

Jan.	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	\$60 00
"	22. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	55 00
"	22. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	85 00
		<hr/> \$200 00

*Law Books.*

Jan.	2. Sewer Department, Long Island City.....	\$5 50
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*Plumbing, etc.*

Jan.	2. Public Buildings, Flushing.....	\$25 00
"	2. Town Hall, Newtown.....	100 00
"	2. Town Hall, Jamaica.....	50 00
		<hr/> \$175 00

*Repairs to Buildings.*

Jan.	2. Town Hall, Jamaica.....	\$45 00
"	30. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	40 00
"	30. Town Hall, Flushing.....	60 00
Feb.	2. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	50 00
"	2. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	20 00
"	17. Town Hall, Jamaica.....	90 00
"	17. Town Hall, Jamaica.....	100 00
"	21. Town Hall, Jamaica.....	20 00
"	21. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	150 00
Mar.	9. Town Hall, Flushing.....	60 00
"	10. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	155 70
"	27. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	75 00
"	27. Town Hall, Newtown.....	92 40
		<hr/> \$958 10

*Safes.*

Feb.	2. Department of Health, Jamaica.....	\$417 50
"	2. Board of Public Improvements, Long Island City.....	190 00
		<hr/> \$607 50

*Telephone Service.*

Jan.	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	\$80 00
"	2. President of Borough, Long Island City.....	50 00
"	2. Board of Public Improvements, Long Island City.....	30 00
		<hr/> \$160 00

*Miscellaneous—(Signs, Ice, Laundry Work, Repairs, Lumber, etc., etc.).*

Jan.	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Queens.....	\$50 00
"	2. Town Hall, Newtown.....	10 00
"	2. Public Buildings, Long Island City.....	80 00
"	2. Public Buildings, Jamaica.....	15 00
"	2. Health Department, Jamaica.....	13 00
"	2. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	20 00
"	2. City Magistrate's Court, Long Island City.....	8 00
"	2. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	10 00
"	2. Town Hall, Newtown.....	10 00
"	2. Town Hall, Jamaica.....	7 65
"	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Queens.....	15 00
"	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Queens.....	20 00
"	2. President of Borough, Long Island City.....	5 00
"	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.....	80 00
"	2. Coroner's Office, Jamaica.....	22 00
"	2. Town Hall, Flushing.....	15 00
"	2. Third District Municipal Court, Jamaica.....	43 00
"	2. Health Department, Jamaica.....	123 00
"	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	15 00
"	22. Hackett Building, Long Island City.....	123 50
Feb.	2. City Magistrate's Court, Far Rockaway.....	5 00
"	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	42 00
"	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	50 00
"	2. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	80 00
"	17. City Magistrate's Court, Long Island City.....	15 00
"	21. County Buildings, Jamaica.....	40 00
"	21. Town Hall, Jamaica.....	35 00
Mar.	13. Coroner's Office, Jamaica.....	9 00
"	14. Armory, Flushing.....	12 00
"	27. Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Jamaica.....	25 00
"	27. Department of Highways, Long Island City.....	23 00
		<hr/> \$1,021 15

*Orders were Issued for Public Lighting, as follows:*

Jan.	2. East River Gas Company, Municipal Buildings.....	\$150 00
"	2. Newtown Gas Company, Newtown Lighting District.....	225 00
"	2. Jamaica Gas Light Company, Jamaica Lighting District.....	200 00
"	2. Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas Light Company, Richmond Hill District.....	200 00
		<hr/> \$775 00

*LAMPS AND LIGHTING.**Contracts.*

Following is a list of contracts entered into during the quarter ending March 31, 1900:

Electric Illuminating and Power Company, electric lamps.  
New York and Queens Gas and Electric Company, electric lamps.  
New York and Queens Gas and Electric Company, gas lamps.  
New York and New Jersey Globe Gas Light Company, naphtha gas lamps.  
Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America, Welsbach street lamps.  
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company, electric lamps.  
All for the term of one year, expiring January 2, 1901.  
Additional lamps placed in service during the quarter ending March 31, 1900:  
First Ward—January, 10 arc lamps; March, 6 arc lamps.  
Second Ward—February, 7 gas lamps; March, 1 arc lamp.

Third Ward—January, 1 arc lamp and 5 gas lamps; March, 15 arc lamps and 19 Welsbach gas lamps.

Fourth Ward—February, 5 Welsbach gas lamps; March, 4 arc lamps and 34 gas lamps.

Fifth Ward—March, 2 arc lamps.

*REPORT OF ELECTRICAL TRANSACTIONS.*

*Exterior Wiring Permits issued during Quarter ending March 31, 1900.*

COMPANY.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	TOTAL.
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	57	36	53	146
New York and Queens Gas and Electric Company.....	3	8	23	34
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company.....	4	3	..	7
New York and Queens County Railway Company.....	3	3	..	6
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	1	..	..	1
Electric Illuminating and Power Company.....	8	17	23	48
Knickerbocker Telegraph and Telephone Company.....	13	..	26	39
Jamaica Electric Light Company.....	2	7	3	12
Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company.....	1	2	..	3
New York and North Shore Railway Company.....	..	2	1	3
Fire Department.....	..	1	10	11
Standard Oil Company.....	..	1	..	1
Bowery Bay Electric Light and Power Company.....	..	..	1	1
Jamaica Gas Light Company.....	..	6	..	6
Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas Light Company.....	..	7	2	9
Newtown Gas Company.....	..	1	..	1
Total.....	92	94	142	328

*For what Purpose.*

	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	TOTAL.
Erect poles.....	6	9	6	21
Erect poles and wires.....	17	2	35	54
Erect poles and wires and city lamp.....	1	9	11	21
Reset poles.....	1	..	..	1
Transfer poles and wires.....	..	8	1	9
Transfer poles and wires and city lamp.....	..	6	7	13
Remove poles.....	..	1	..	1
String wires.....	38	36	59	133
Replace poles and wires.....	6	8	7	21
String wires and hang lamp.....	..	..	2	2
Remove wires.....	1	..	..	1
Subway.....	14	1	12	27
Erect city gas lamps.....	..	14	2	16
Erect guy stubs.....	8	..	..	8
Total.....	92	94	142	328

Permits granted for telegraph, telephone and signal wires.....	197
Permits granted for electric light and power wires.....	115
Permits granted for city gas lamps.....	16

Total..... 328

*List of Complaints issued for Exterior and Interior Wiring during the Quarter ending March 31, 1900.*

COMPANY.	JANUARY.	FEBRUARY.	MARCH.	TOTAL.
Jamaica Electric-light Company.....	4	2	2	8
T. F. Attix Electrical Engineering Company.....	1	1	..	2
New York and Queens County Railway Company.....	7	2	..	9
Electric Illuminating and Power Company.....	10	3	10	23
Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company.....	1	..	1	2
New York and Queens Gas and Electric Company.....	4	2	3	9
Iden & Co.....	1	..	1	2
Police Department.....	1	..	1	2
C. Eidlitz.....	1	..	..	1
R. E. Jones.....	1	..	1	2
A. B. See Manufacturing Company.....	1	..	..	1
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	1	2	..	3
C. A. Linder.....	1	..	..	1
Queens Borough Electric Light and Power Company.....	2	..	1	3
E. M. Anderson.....	1	1	2	4
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	10	5	6	21
New York Telephone Company.....	1	..	..	1
Nicholas Gas Fixture Company.....	..	1	..	1
H. F. Banbridge.....	..	2	..	2
Triumph Electrical Engineering Company.....	..	1	..	1
Zimdars & Hunt.....	..	1	..	1
New York and North Shore Railway Company.....	..	1	..	1
H. R. Keating.....	..	..	1	1
Knickerbocker Telephone and Telegraph Company.....	..	..	1	1
J. Stimmel.....	..	..	1	1
Fire Department.....	..	..	1	1
E. F. Caldwell.....	..	..	1	1
J. H. Rusby.....	..	..	2	2
H. M. Hitchcock.....	..	..	1	1



Company	January	February	March	Total
H. F. Tucker	10	10	10	30
A. Pollard	10	10	10	30
R. J. Schmitz	10	10	10	30
Tucker Chemical Engineering Company	10	10	10	30
<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>120</b>

Total number of complaints	10
Total number of complaints attended to	9

There are 153 complaints left over which are being attended to.

*Interior Wiring Applications Received and Certificates Granted during the Quarter ending March 31, 1935.*

	APRIL- MAY	JUNE- OCTOBER	JANU- FEBRUARY	AVG.	OUTSIDE	SHEDS	MATERIAL	OPERATION TOLLS
January.....	4 <sup>1</sup>	43	746	8	267	0	100% H.P.	1.0000
February.....	4 <sup>1</sup>	44	164	7	243	0	100% H.P.	1.0000 KW
March.....	4 <sup>1</sup>	47	84	11	211	0	100% H.P.	1.0000 KW
Total.....	124	134	994	26	721	0	100% H.P.	3.0000 KW

Applications for interior wires from last quarter not complete .....	169
Total number of inspections made by Inspectors for exterior and interior wires .....	3,319

*Poles and Wires Removed by the different Companies during the Quarter ending March 31, 1900.*

COMPANY.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		TOTAL.	
	Poles.	Miles Wire.	Poles.	Miles Wire.	Poles.	Miles Wire.	Poles.	Miles Wire.
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	66	14.73	60	14.11	70	14.02	196	42.86
Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company.....	2	1.00	1	1.00	1	—	4	—
New York and Queens County Railway Company.....	1	1.00	1	1.00	—	—	2	—
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	1	1.00	1	1.00	2	1.00	4	—
Jamaica Electric Light Company.....	2	1.00	4	1.00	1	1.00	7	—
New York and North Shore Railway Company.....	1	1.00	1	1.00	1	1.00	3	—
Electric Illuminating and Power Company.....	73	14.40	55	13.00	61	13.25	189	40.65
Total.....	206	46.13	184	44.11	205	46.40	595	137.64

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NEW BRITAIN, BOROUGH OF READING, R.I.  
April 2, 1900.

*Hon. PETER J. DOOLING, Deputy and Acting Commissioner, Department Public Buildings,  
Lighting and Supply, 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, 1898.

Very respectfully,  
EDWARD I. MILLER, Deputy Commissioner.

### STATEMENT OF CONTACTS

Confession: Entered into society Quaker.

New York and Staten Island Electric Company, electric lighting.....		Estimated Cost	\$145,000 00
New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company, Limited, gas lighting	\$1 00		
Wellbach Street Lighting Company of America, gas lighting.....	1 00		
			2 00
Contractor James Snyder, steam heating apparatus, New Brighton Village Hall.....			2,100 00
Total.....			\$147,102 00

*Contents in Progress and not Completed*

	Estimated Cost	Amount Bids
New York and Strand Street Electric Company, electrical lighting.....	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
New York and New Jersey Glass and Light Company, Limited, gasolines.....	10.00	10,000.00
Wilbur-Frost Lighting Company, of American gasolines.....	10.00	10,000.00
Contract James Snyder, season heating apparatus, New Brighton Village Hall....	10,000.00	10,000.00
<b>Total paid.....</b>	<b>\$20,020.00</b>	<b>\$20,020.00</b>

Statement of Vouchers Transmitted to General Office, Quarter ending March 31, 1902.

DATE.	IN FAVOR OF.	AMOUNT.
	<i>"Supply and Service, 1899."</i>	
Nov. 29, 1899	Thomas F. Johnson	\$45.00
Dec. 16 "	New York Steril Works	7.50
" 27, "	William L. Patten	20.00
" 27, "	Flour G. Wilcox	39.50
" 28, "	Morris & La Rue	8.50
" 28, "	Ellis & Meach B. P. Company	150.00
" 30, "	G. R. Merriam	5.00
" 30, "	"	595.34
" 30, "	"	137.42
" 30, 18	"	70.00
" 31, "	"	58.88
" 30, 18	"	35.00
" 30, "	"	26.25
Jan. 31, 1900	Thomas F. Johnson	107.50

Date	In Favor of	Amount
Dec. 20, 1882	Thomas F. Quinn	\$4.75
Feb. 7, 1883	Francis Stralen	25.00
" 20, "	G. H. Albrechtson	20.00
" 26, "	Blair G. Wray	10.00
" 28, "	Elmer Bunker & Thompson	100.00
" 28, "	"	100.00
" 28, "	"	200.00
" 28, "	"	100.00
Total		\$449.75

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Dec. 70, '00	Richmond County Gas Light Company	100.00
Jan. 10, 1900	New York and State Bond Interest Company	100.00
Dec. 30, '00	"	100.00
Dec. 30, '00	"	100.00
Dec. 30, '00	"	100.00
Dec. 30, '00	"	100.00
Dec. 30, '00	"	100.00
Dec. 30, '00	"	100.00
Dec. 30, '00	"	100.00
Dec. 30, '00	Alexander Von Pell	100.00
	Total	1000.00

<sup>11</sup> *Confessions*, 1:495.

Oct. 5, 1894	New York Standard Works	42 1/2
Dec. 26, '91	Murray & La Rue	4 1/2
'92	George Sheridan	10 1/2
'93	Harmon & Van Vleet	18 1/2
'94	John A. Driscoll	14 1/2
'95	J. L. Harrison	12 1/2
Totals		82 1/2

(1) *Neophidion nelsoni* (Nichols) = *Urocyon*

Nov. 10, 1980	Wyskott, Suzanne J. Resident	100.00
Dec. 16, 81	The Oak-Lane Publishing Co.	25.00
Dec. 16, 81	Earl B Smith	100.00
Feb. 15, 82	New York Small Works	10.00
Feb. 15, 82	William Carling	100.00
May 25, 82	William Offner	100.00
Feb. 26, 83	G. H. Mortenson	75.00
Dec. 28, 83	"	100.00
Dec. 28, 83	"	100.00
Dec. 28, 83	Barbara Smith	100.00
Dec. 28, 83	D. E. Melville	100.00
Dec. 28, 83	J. Warren Smith, Agent	2.00
	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$675.00</b>

<sup>11</sup> *Language and Ideology*, p. 100.

Jan. 15, 1929	Alexander Van Dine	100	100	100
Feb. 1, 1929	New York and Queens Island Telephone Company	100	100	100
Mar. 1, 1929		100	100	100
Apr. 1, 1929		100	100	100
May 1, 1929		100	100	100
Jun. 1, 1929	Alexander Van Dine	100	100	100
Total		600	600	600

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Supplies and repairs, 1900 <sup>**</sup>	12,856.00
Lamps and lighting, 1900 <sup>**</sup>	89,047.54
Gas—gasolene, 1900 <sup>**</sup>	15.33
Supplies and repairs, 1901 <sup>**</sup>	2,662.95
Lamps and lighting, 1901 <sup>**</sup>	86,290.93
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$15,062.44</b>

*Orders Placed during Quarter ending March 31, 1994*

Date.	Description.	Where Forwarded.	Amount.
Jan. 20, 1929.	T <sub>2</sub> postage and stationery.....	County Clerk.....	\$11.00
" 20 " "	Law books.....	".....	50.00
" 26 "	Telephone service.....	Bell Telephone Co., Inc.....	310.00
" 27 "	".....	Finance Department.....	540.00
" 28 "	".....	Bureau of Licenses.....	310.00
" 28 "	".....	Highway Department.....	500.00
" 28 "	".....	Recreation Center.....	100.00
" 28 "	".....	Assessments and Assessors.....	240.00
" 28 "	".....	Comptroller.....	310.00
" 28 "	".....	President of Borough.....	310.00
" 28 "	".....	Edgewater Village Hall.....	310.00
" 28 "	".....	New Brighton Village Hall.....	310.00
" 31 "	Coal and wood.....	New Brighton and Edgewater Village Hall.....	50.00
" 31 "	Beats office.....	Receiver at Taxes.....	40.00
" 31 "	Copy books.....	County Clerk.....	10.00
" 31 "	Office furniture.....	".....	100.00
" 31 "	Copies.....	Health Department.....	5.00
" 31 "	Typecases and rubbers.....	Commissioner of Public Works.....	100.00



DATE.	DESCRIPTION.	WHERE FURNISHED.	AMOUNT.
Jan. 10, 1900	Carpenter work.....	County Clerk.....	\$440.00
" 10, "	Mason work.....	".....	121.00
" 10, "	Painting work.....	".....	125.00
" 10, "	Opening for door.....	Receiver of Taxes.....	10.00
" 10, "	Boil from cabinet.....	Mayor's Office.....	61.00
" 10, "	Plumbing work.....	County Clerk.....	413.00
" 10, "	Painting and repainting.....	Municipal Court Second Division.....	90.00
" 10, "	Carpet.....	County Clerk.....	200.00
" 10, "	Stenciling stamp.....	Public buildings, etc.....	16.00
" 10, "	Office furniture.....	Municipal Court, Second Division.....	600.00
Mar. 10, "	Repairs to building.....	Edgewater Village Hall.....	108.00
" 10, "	Leasing supplies.....	".....	68.00
" 10, "	".....	County Clerk and Surrogate's Office.....	14.48
" 10, "	".....	New Brighton Village Hall.....	10.15
" 10, "	Thumbing work.....	County Clerk and Surrogate's Office.....	75.00
Total.....			\$1,114.03
—Expenditures by May 1, 1900—			
Jan. 1, 1900	Lighting.....	Village of Tonawanda.....	\$100.00
" 1, "	".....	New Brighton and Edgewater Village Hall.....	75.00
Feb. 1, "	Lighting.....	Village of Tonawanda.....	100.00
Mar. 1, "	".....	".....	100.00
Total.....			\$375.00

## PERMITS ISSUED DURING QUARTER.

Company	Number of Permits
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	1
Postal Telegraph Cable Company.....	2
State Island Railroad Company.....	12
State Island Electric Railroad Company.....	16
American Telegraph and Telephone Company.....	3
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	110
New York and State Island Electric Company.....	34
Richmond County Gas-Light Company.....	23
Total.....	261

## INTERIOR WORK.

Applications received for interior wiring.....	30
Certificates issued for interior wiring.....	101

Number of motors installed—Two 1 H. P.  
Number of generators—One 18 K. W.

## PRIVATE LIGHTING.

Incandescent lights installed.....	1,605
Arc lights installed.....	8

## NUMBER OF LAMPS BURNING AT END OF QUARTER.

## Public Lighting.

Arc.....	382
Incandescent.....	2,883
Oil lamps.....	100

Amount of wire removed by inspectors, 3,030 feet.  
Complaints.

	NUMBER ISSUED.	ATTENDED TO.	NOT ATTENDED TO.
New York and State Island Electric Company.....	48	40	41
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	4	1	1
State Island Electric Railroad Company.....	5	5	1
State Island Railroad Company.....	1	2	
Total.....	58	48	44

## BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

New York, July 5, 1900.

A meeting of the Armory Board was held this day at eleven o'clock A. M., at the office of the Mayor.

Present—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

The minutes of the meeting held May 7 were read and adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments reported that William R. King had executed his contract for alterations and repairs to the roof of the Twelfth Regiment Armory in the Borough of Manhattan, and that the work is now in progress. He also reported that the alterations and improvements to the rifle range in the Fourteenth Regiment Armory, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and an alteration to the Seventy-first Regiment Armory, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the contract of Charles Hart, had been completed. The following certificates from the Colonel of the Regiment and the Assistant Clerk of the Works, were received:

HEADQUARTERS FOURTEENTH REGIMENT, NATIONAL GUARD, NEW YORK,  
BROOKLYN, July 6, 1900.

The Board of Armory Commissioners, Stewart Building, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—In reply to your letter of June 25, I have the honor to report that the rifle range of this armory is satisfactory, and I believe the work has been completed in accordance with the contract and specifications.

Respectfully,

B. T. CLAYTON, Colonel.

NEW YORK, June 25, 1900.

Hon. THOMAS L. FEITNER, Secretary, Board of Armory Commissioners:

Sir—I have to report that the contract for work in furnishing an alteration and improvement to the rifle range in the Fourteenth Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and also the alteration to the Seventy-first Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, have been completed by the contractor, Mr. Charles Hart, named in the application for payment. This work has been built in strict accordance with the plans and specifications, and is thoroughly satisfactory.

Respectfully,

ROBERT TELFER, Assistant Clerk of the Works.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments offered the following:

Resolved, That the time for the completion of the contract of Charles Hart, for materials and work in furnishing an alteration and improvement to the rifle range in the Fourteenth Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and an alteration to the Seventy-first Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, dated December 18, 1899, and expiring March 18, 1900, be and is hereby extended to July 9, 1900.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to Charles Hart the sum of six thousand two hundred and fifty-eight dollars and sixty cents (\$6,258.60), as per accompanying voucher, on account of his contract for an alteration and improvement to the rifle range of the Fourteenth Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and an alteration to the Seventy-first Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, being the amount of his contract, six thousand nine hundred and fifty-four dollars (\$6,954), less ten per cent.—six hundred and ninety-five dollars and fifty cents (\$695.50)—as a reservation for ninety days, under the terms of the contract, to guarantee that the contractor shall replace and make good any defect in the material or workmanship which may develop in that time.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments presented the bills of Charles Hart, contractor, for installing electric wires and connections in the Fourteenth Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn, as authorized by the Armory Board at its meeting May 7, 1900, amounting to two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) and also for building a wooden platform for wash trays in the same armory, amounting to thirty-five dollars (\$35), being extra work, all in connection with his contract for alteration and improvement to the rifle range in the Fourteenth Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and an alteration to the Seventy-first Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, and offered the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to Charles Hart the sum of two hundred and eighty-five dollars (\$285) in full for extra work in connection with his contract for the alteration and improvement to the rifle range in the Fourteenth Regiment Armory Building, and an alteration to the Seventy-first Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, and that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be respectfully requested to concur in the same.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Bills were received from Messrs. Horgan & Slattery, architects, for professional services in connection with the contract of Charles Hart, and extra work on the same, amounting to the sum of one hundred and eighteen dollars and fifty-six cents (\$118.56), and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments offered the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to Messrs. Horgan & Slattery, architects, the sum of one hundred and eighteen dollars and fifty-six cents (\$118.56), in full, for professional services in preparing plans and specifications, and supervision of extra work and contract work for the alteration and improvement to the rifle range in the Fourteenth Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and an alteration in the Seventy-first Regiment Armory Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, and that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be respectfully requested to concur in the same.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

A communication was received from the Secretary of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund transmitting a certified copy of resolution of that body, of June 27, 1900, assigning to the use of the Second Naval Battalion, the property belonging to the City, in the Borough of Brooklyn, extending from Forty-third to Forty-fourth streets, and from First Avenue westward to the pier line, during the pleasure of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Ordered filed.

The Committee appointed to secure permanent quarters for the Second Naval Battalion, in the Borough of Brooklyn, reported in relation to the same, and recommended that an armory building, 50 by 100, be erected on the block of land between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, and First Avenue from the pier line, in the Borough of Brooklyn, at an expense of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000), and also recommended that the site could be improved with a dock for the use of the battalion, at an expense of about seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500).

R. P. Fawcett, Lieutenant Commander Second Naval Battalion, was present, and in reply to a question from the Mayor, said that he had gone over this plan with the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, and that it was satisfactory to his organization.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments offered the following:

Resolved, That the report of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, being the Committee appointed to secure permanent quarters for the Second Naval Battalion, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be accepted, and its provisions be concurred in by the Armory Board; that the plans, as presented, for an armory building, be adopted, and that the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000), as recommended, be appropriated for the erection of such armory building, and that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be requested to concur in the same.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Resolved, That Messrs. Horgan & Slattery, architects, be authorized to prepare plans and specifications for the armory building of the Second Naval Battalion, as recommended in the report of the Committee, and when the same have been approved by the Corporation Counsel, as to form, that the Secretary be directed to insert in the CITY RECORD and in the corporation newspapers in the Borough of Brooklyn, the necessary advertisements for proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

A motion to adjourn was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

THOMAS L. FEITNER, Secretary.

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

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

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Esq., Supervisor, City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the requirements of section 284 of the Charter, I herewith transmit to you for publication in the CITY RECORD of July 14 a list of applications received since July 1 for appointment to the position of Patrolman.

Respectfully yours,

LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

(Patrolmen.)

NAME.	ADDRESS.	OCCUPATION.
Malcolm Bedell.....	61 Whitestone street, Queens.....	Undertaker.
Charles Wagoner.....	697 Washington street, Manhattan.....	Electrician.
Frederick E. Ruskert.....	529 West Forty-eighth street, Manhattan.....	Pattern cutter.
Patrick James Madonn.....	281 Avenue A, Manhattan.....	Laborer.
John W. Canaan.....	425 Union street, Brooklyn.....	Packer.
George C. Witbeck.....	34 Barrow street, Manhattan.....	Salesman.
William R. Fogarty.....	158 South First street, Brooklyn.....	Driver.
Edward McLaughlin.....	157 West One Hundred and Thirty-second street, Man- hattan.....	Freedman.
Michael J. Bligher.....	555 Leonard street, Brooklyn.....	Plasterer.
Edward Lehmkuhl.....	98 Avenue D, Manhattan.....	Elevatorman.
Thomas Armitage.....	685 Decatur street, Brooklyn.....	Clerk.
James Dougherty.....	109 Greenpoint avenue, Brooklyn.....	Glaizer.
Charles A. Gougher.....	1714 Broadway, Brooklyn.....	Driver.
William J. Rathford.....	1430 Broadway, Brooklyn.....	Milk dealer.
Patrick J. Corley.....	7130 Amsterdam Avenue, Manhattan.....	Foreman.
Charles Dempsters.....	Boston road, Bronx.....	Manager.
John Edgar Abate.....	141 Devere street, Brooklyn.....	Machinist.



## BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS,  
Nos. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, July 11, 1900.

## Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—The regular monthly meeting of the Municipal Statistical Commission was called for Tuesday, July 10, 1900, at 3 P.M., in accordance with the requirements of section 132, Laws of 1897.

The following members were present:  
Frederick W. Grubb and John T. Nagle, M.D.  
Ernest Harvey sent word that he would be unable to attend the meeting.  
There being no quorum the meeting was adjourned.  
The following matter was received by the Bureau during the month:

## BRIEF ABSTRACT PROCEEDINGS, JULY 10, 1900.

## COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND ATTENDED TO FROM

W. T. Glasgow, Secretary and Inspector, Department of Trades and Customs, Wellington, Australia.  
William Kramer, Magistrate, Second Division, Brooklyn, New York.  
J. McKee Borden, Secretary, Department Public Charities, New York City.  
Thomas J. Hudson, No. 6100 Walnut street, Pittsburgh, Pa.  
Henry S. Kearny, Commissioner, Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, New York City.  
P. J. Scully, City Clerk, City Hall, New York.  
T. George Elbery, Town Clerk, Town Hall, Adelaide, South Australia.  
John Whalen, Corporation Counsel, No. 2 Tryon row, New York City.  
Augustus T. Docharty, Secretary, Fire Department, No. 157 East Sixty-seventh street, New York.  
William Duane, Deputy and Acting Chief of Fire Department, No. 137 East Sixty-seventh street, New York.  
D. M. Meyers, Summit, N. J.  
F. L. Kenoy, "World Almanac," Pulitzer Building, New York City.  
Adolph S. Wylder, Corresponding Clerk, Department of Water Supply, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, New York City.  
Lee Phillips, Secretary, Civil Service Commission, No. 346 Broadway, New York.  
Edward M. Hartwell, Department of Municipal Statistics, Boston, Mass.  
I. M. De Varona, Department of Water Supply, Brooklyn, New York.

## WEEKLY, MONTHLY AND QUARTERLY REPORTS RECEIVED.

Amsterdam—  
Weekbericht van het Bureau van Statistiek der Gemeente Amsterdam, April 28; May 5, 12, 19.  
Statistisch Maandbericht der Gemeente Amsterdam, April.  
Berlin—  
Veröffentlichungen des Statistischen Amtes der Stadt Berlin, January, February.  
Veröffentlichungen des Statistischen Amtes der Stadt Berlin, May 12, 19, 26; June 2.  
Veröffentlichungen des Statistischen Amtes der Stadt Berlin, Supplement 11.  
Boston—Monthly Bulletin of the Statistics Department, March.  
Brussels—Tablettes Mensuelles de la Société Royale de Médecine Publique et de Topographie Médicale de Belgique, April.  
Chemnitz—Nachweis der Bevölkerungs-Borgängen Chemnitz in Monat May.  
Dresden—  
Monatsberichte des Statistischen Amtes der Stadt Dresden, April.  
Wochenberichte des Statistischen Amtes der Stadt Dresden, April 28, May 5, 12, 19, 26.  
Havre—Bulletin Hebdomadaire de la Statistique Démographique et Médicale Dressé sur les Documents Officiels, May 26, June 2.  
Liege—Bulletin Hebdomadaire de la Statistique Démographique et Médicale Dressé d'après les Documents Officiels, June 2, 9.  
Madrid—  
Boletín Semanal de Nacimientos, Matrimonios y Defunciones, May 3.  
Boletín del Ayuntamiento de Madrid, June 3, 10, 17.  
Magdeburg—  
Wochenbericht des Statistischen Amtes der Stadt Magdeburg, February 10, 17, 24; March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31; April 7, 14, 21, 28; May 5, 12, 19.  
Monatsbericht des Statistischen Amtes der Stadt Magdeburg, January, February.  
Beilage zum Monatsbericht des Statistischen Amtes der Stadt Magdeburg, January, February.  
Massachusetts—Weekly Bulletin of the State Board of Health, May 5, 12, 26.  
Mexico—  
Ciudad de San Luis Potosí, Sección de Estadística y del Estado Civil, March 10, 17, 20, 31.  
Resumen de la Importación y de la Exportación, March.  
Boletín de Estadística Fiscal, February, 1900.  
Nancy—Bulletin Hebdomadaire de la Statistique Démographique et Médicale Dressé sur les Documents Officiels, April 28; May 5, 12, 19, 26; June 2.  
New York City—  
Report of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies for the quarter ending December 31, 1899; also review of the year 1899.  
The Council, stated meeting, May 29, June 12, 19.  
The Council, calendar, June 12, 19.  
The Board of Aldermen, stated meeting, May 15, June 12.  
The Board of Aldermen, calendar, June 12, July 10.  
Weekly report of the Department of Health, May 5, 12; June 2, 9.  
School Board, Borough of Brooklyn, regular session, June 5.  
New York State—  
Report of the Committee on Canals, New York State, January 25, 1900.  
Bulletin of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, June.  
Prague—Wochenbericht über die Geburten und Sterbefälle in Prag und den Vororten, May 19, 26; June 2.  
Paris—Journal d'Hygiène, May 31, June 7.  
Reims—Bureau Municipal d'Hygiène, April, May.  
St. Petersburg—Weekly report of Vital Statistics, May 6, 13, 27.  
Switzerland—Sanitäts- und demographisches Wochenbulletin der Schweiz, May 19, 26; June 2.  
San Francisco—Monthly Report of Vital Statistics, April.  
Tientsin—Ufficio Statistico-Anagrafico Bollettino Mensile, October, November.  
Washington—  
"Crop Reporter," June.  
Public Health Report, June 8, 15.

## ANNUAL REPORTS RECEIVED.

Australia—Statistics of the Colony of New Zealand for the year 1899.  
District of Columbia—Annual Report of the Police Department of the District of Columbia for the year 1899 (received from Hon. Jos. Deuel).  
Leipzig—Annual Report of the City of Leipzig for the year 1898.  
London—Statistical Report for London for the year 1899, Vol. 111.  
New York City—  
Second Annual Report of the Department of Sewers for the year 1899.  
Consolidated Statement of the Police Clerks of the City Magistrates' Courts for the year 1899 (two copies).  
Annual Report for the Twenty-seventh Year of the Commissioners of Accounts of The City of New York, for the year ending December 31, 1899 (bound copy).  
Total number of Deaths by the Principal Causes in 1899 (six copies).  
Scotland—Journal of the Scottish Meteorological Society, with tables for the years 1897 and 1898.  
New York State—Annual Report of the State Racing Commission to the Legislature of the State of New York for the year 1899.  
Richmond, Va.—Annual Report of the Chief of Police of the City of Richmond, for the year ending December 31, 1899 (received from Hon. Joseph Deuel).  
Frankfurt—Geschäftsstatistik der Öffentlichen Arbeitsvermittlungstellen der Stadt Frankfurt im Jahre 1899.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

New York City—  
"Dan's Review," New York, June 9, 16, 23.  
"The Merchants' Review," New York, June 8, 15, 22.  
Statement of the Associated Banks of The City of New York, June 9, 16, 23.  
Condition of the State Banks of The City of New York on the 31st day of May, 1900.  
"The Financier," New York, June 11, 18, 25.  
State Bank Statements at the close of business May 31, 1900 (received from "New York Times").  
"Municipal and Railway Record," New York, June 15, 1900.  
Statement showing the Condition of the Banks of the State of New York at the close of business on Thursday, the 31st day of May, 1900.  
London—"The Labour Gazette," London, June.

Very respectfully yours,

JOHN T. NAGLE,  
Chief of the Bureau of Municipal Statistics.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 13, 1900.

## Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—The following appointments, etc., in this Department, from July 6 to date, are forwarded for publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to resolution adopted by the Police Board January 10, 1898:

## Appointed Patrolmen on Probation.

John Larkin, No. 153 East Ninety-ninth street.  
John J. Joyce, No. 103 Third place, Brooklyn.  
Henry Hagemeyer, No. 131 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.  
John J. McManus, No. 465 West Forty-ninth street.  
Joseph J. Donovan, Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth avenues, Bensonhurst.  
Vallerian J. O'Farrell, No. 23 1/2 Gouverneur street.  
Michael J. McAuley, No. 715 Seventh avenue.  
Henry P. Clark, No. 162 Hester street.  
John A. Coleman, No. 153 West Sixty-second street.  
Frederick J. King, No. 42 West Eighteenth street.  
Thomas F. Mullany, No. 98 Washington street, Brooklyn.  
John W. Farley, No. 735 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.  
Edward Rieger, No. 1630 Second avenue.  
Floyd A. Smith, No. 312 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street.

## Resigned from Force.

Patrolman George J. Kerwin, Fifty-ninth Precinct.

## Retired on Pension.

Patrolman Mark F. Healy, Sanitary Company, \$700 per annum.  
Daniel Delaney, Third Precinct, \$700 per annum.  
Michael McLaughlin, Seventy-third Precinct, \$700 per annum.

Respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

## IN BOARD OF EXAMINERS, JULY 3, 1900.

The Board of Examiners met this day at 3:30 P.M.

Present—Thomas J. Brady, Commissioner of Buildings for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx (in the chair), and Messrs. Croker, McMillan, D'Oench, Dolbe, Conover, Moore and Fryer.

Absent—Mr. O'Reilly.

The minutes of June 26, 1900, were read, and, on motion, approved.

Petitions were then submitted for approval, as follows:

Plan 4783, Alterations to Buildings, 1899—Petition to allow party walls to be built upon to height of 53 feet without lining same, said walls being 12 inches thick and about 45 feet high, as stated in petition; No. 110 East Sixty-first street. Petitioner, Hoppin & Kohn. Approved.

Fireproof Shutters—Petition for exemption from removal of shutters on windows above the first story of front of building, for reason as stated in petition; Nos. 46 and 48 Ferry street. Petitioner, S. Vinfelde. Petition granted, on recommendation of Mr. Fryer.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on windows and openings at all stories of rear building, for reason as stated in petition; No. 223 East Twenty-third street. Petitioner, Charles F. Stromeyer. Petition denied, on recommendation of Mr. Croker.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on windows of the second to eleventh, inclusive, story of the rear alleyway, for reason as stated in petition; Nos. 21 to 24 State street. Petitioner, Clinton & Russell. Referred to Mr. Conover for examination and report.

On motion, the Board then adjourned, 3:55 P.M.

WILLIAM H. CLASS, Clerk to Board.

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

## REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, JULY 2 TO JULY 7, 1900.

## Communications Received.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—List of prisoners received during week ending June 30, 1900—males, 36; females, 1; on file. List of 29 prisoners to be discharged from July 8 to July 14, 1900; transmitted to Prison Association.

From General Storekeeper, Blackwell's Island—Reporting the rejection of unbleached sheeting and Planton combs received from D. J. Barry & Co., contractors, both as being unequal to samples exhibited. Approved.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending June 30, 1900, \$120. On file.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending June 30, 1900, \$555. On file.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Amount of fines received during week ending June 30, 1900, \$52. On file.

From Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island—Reporting crib-work and dock at south end of Island both in need of repairs. Department of Docks and Ferries requested to make necessary repairs.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending June 30, 1900, agreed with specifications of contracts; on file. Reports of census, labor, punishments for week ending June 30, 1900; on file.

From City Cemetery, Hart's Island—List of burials during week ending June 30, 1900, on file.

From Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island—Reporting that an abandoned rowlock was found on south end of Island July 3, 1900, nothing in it but a basket marked "Philip Pym." Chief of Police notified.

From Counsel to the Corporation—Stating that Doctors Anna First and William E. Ballard have been appointed by the Supreme Court to examine John J. Reynolds, a prisoner at the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, suspected of insanity. Referred to Warden of Penitentiary.

Transmitting copy of a communication sent to the Department of Public Charities in regard to deposits to be exacted from inmates for supplies. Referred to General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

From the Charter Revision Commission—Stating that all matters relating to the Department of Correction have been referred to a committee consisting of H. W. Tait, No. 40 Wall street; James McKim, No. 40 Wall street; J. D. Commons, No. 50 East Fifty-ninth street. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn—List of prisoners received during week ending June 30, 1900—males 16, females 0; on file. List of 6 prisoners to be discharged from July 2 to July 7, 1900; on file.

N. O. FANNING, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES,  
PIER "A," N. R., BATTERY PLACE,  
NEW YORK, July 13, 1900.

## Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to advise that, at a special meeting of the Board of Docks held this date, the following actions were taken in regard to employees:

The title of Michael Stapleton was changed from Dock Builder to Ship Carpenter, with compensation at the rate of 44 cents per hour while employed, to take effect July 14, 1900.

The name of Patrick Quigley, deceased, was ordered taken from the list of laborers.

Yours respectfully,

WM. H. BURKE,

Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE  
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,  
ZBROWSKI MANSION, CLAREMONT PARK,  
JULY 12, 1900.

## Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 154b, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby notify you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, of the following changes that have been made in the working force of this Department:

## Resignation.

Charles F. Strain, No. 543 East One Hundred and Forty-second street, Saunderson.

## Appointed.

Charles F. Strain, No. 543 East One Hundred and Forty-second street, Axcman, at a compensation of \$60 per month.

Respectfully yours,

AUGUST MORBUS,  
Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.



Sgt. ray Newman stroni, g A.M ID & P.M.  
William M. Howe, Public Administrator.

Nov. 25 to 27 Park Row, N. Y., to 4 p. m.  
HENRY S. KRAVY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies  
FREDERICK J. DOWLING, Deputy Commissioner for Manhattan  
GEO. I. BABY, Deputy Commissioner for The Bronx

GEORGE C. CLARKSON, President, Park Board, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.  
WILLIS HOLLEY, Secretary, Park Board.  
Office, Arsenal, Central Park.  
GEORGE V. BROWN, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.  
Office, City Hall, Brooklyn, and Lincolnfield Mansion, Prospect Park.  
ALBERT STURGEON, Commissioner in Borough of The Bronx.  
Office, Sturgesville Mansion, Claremont Park.  
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
KINGS COUNTY**  
No. 375 Fulton Street.  
EDWARD J. DUGAN, Commissioner.



**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, QUEENS COUNTY.**

Office hours, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.  
**EDWARD J. KNAUER**, Commissioner.  
**H. HOMER MOORE**, Assistant Commissioner.

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, RICHMOND COUNTY.**

**CHARLES J. KOLLMAN**, Commissioner.  
**WILLIAM J. DOWLING**, Deputy Commissioner.  
 Office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

**NEW YORK COUNTY JAIL.**

No. 70 Ludlow street, 6 A. M. to 10 P. M., daily.  
**WILLIAM F. GIBBS**, Sheriff.  
**PATRICK H. PICKETT**, Warden.

**KINGS COUNTY JAIL.**

Raymond street, between Willoughby street and DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, New York.  
**WILLIAM WALTON**, Sheriff; **RICHARD BERGER**, Warden.

**COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**

Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**WILLIAM SCHMER**, County Clerk.  
**GEORGE H. FARRACH**, Deputy.

**KINGS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**PETER P. HENNESSY**, County Clerk.

**QUEENS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**

Jamaica, N. Y., Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens.  
 Office hours, April 1 to October 1, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; October 1 to April 1, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.  
 County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens 9:30 A. M., so adjourns 4 P. M.  
**JOHN H. SCOTT**, County Clerk.  
**CHARLES DOWLING**, Deputy County Clerk.

**RICHMOND COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**EDWARD M. MULLER**, County Clerk.  
**CROWELL M. CORBIN**, Deputy County Clerk.

**NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.**

Commissioners' Office, No. 125 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**LEWIS NICHOLS**, President; **JAMES W. BOYER**, Vice-President; **JAMES D. BAILEY**, Secretary; **JULIAN D. FAIRCHILD**, Treasurer; **JOHN W. WEBER**, SMITH E. LARK and **THE MAYOR**, Commissioners.  
 Chief Engineer's Office, No. 14 Broadway, Brooklyn, E. D., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**ASA RICH GARDNER**, District Attorney; **WILLIAM J. McKENNA**, Chief Law Clerk.

**KINGS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
**JOHN F. CLARKE**, District Attorney.

**QUEENS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**JOHN B. MERRILL**, District Attorney.  
**CLARENCE A. DEWE**, Chief Clerk.

**CORONERS.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**  
 Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all times of day and night.  
**EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK**, **JACOB E. BAUSCH**, **EDWARD W. HART**, **ANTONIO ZUCCA**.

**Borough of The Bronx.**

No. 745 East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street. Open from 8 A. M. to 12 midnight.  
**ANTHONY McDOWEN**, **THOMAS M. LYNCH**.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

Office, Room 17, Borough Hall. Open all times of day and night, except between the hours of 12 M. and 2 P. M., on Sundays and holidays.  
**ANTHONY J. BURNER**, **GEORGE W. DELAP**.

**Borough of Queens.**

Office, Borough Hall, Fulton street, Jamaica, L. I.  
**PHILIP T. COOPER**, **LEONARD ROYCE, Jr.**, and **SAMUEL S. GOVE, Jr.**  
**CHARLES J. SCHWELER**, Clerk.

**Borough of Richmond.**

No. 64 New York avenue, Roschank.  
 Open for the transaction of business all hours of the day and night.  
**JOHN SHAYER**, **GEORGE C. TRANTER**.

**RICHMOND COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

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

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

Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway. Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 1 P. M.  
**WILLIAM E. STILLINGS**, Chairman; **CHARLES A. JACKSON**, **OSCAR S. BAILEY**, Commissioners.  
**LAMONT MCGLOUGHLIN**, Clerk.

**SURROGATES' COURT.**

New County Court-house. Court open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except Saturdays, when it closes at 12 M.  
**FRANK T. FITZGERALD**, **ANDER C. THOMAS**, Surrogates; **WILLIAM V. DEARY**, Chief Clerk.

**CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.**

Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.  
**City Magistrate**—**HENRY A. BRADY**, **ROBERT C. CORNELL**, **LEWIS B. CRANE**, **JOSEPH M. DEUBA**, **CHARLES A. FLAMMER**, **LORENZ ZILBER**, **CLARENCE W. MEADE**, **JOHN O. MOTT**, **JOSEPH POOL**, **JOHN B. MAYO**, **EDWARD HOGAN**, **WILLIAM H. OLSEN**.  
**PHILIP RICE**, Secretary.  
 First District—Criminal Court Building.  
 Second District—Jefferson Market.  
 Third District—No. 69 Essex street.  
 Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.  
 Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southern 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—Nos. 318 Adams street. **JACOB HENNESSY**, Magistrate.  
 Second District—Court and Butler streets. **HENRY BENTON**, Magistrate.  
 Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. **CHARLES K. TRALE**, Magistrate.  
 Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. **WILLIAM KEAMER**, Magistrate.  
 Fifth District—Kew and Powers streets. **ALFRED LAMON**, Magistrate.  
 Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. **LEWIS R. WORTH**, Magistrate.  
 Seventh District—No. 31 Grant street, Flatbush. **ALFRED E. STUBBS**, Magistrate.  
 Eighth District—Conny Island—**ALBERT VAN BUREN VOORHIES, Jr.**, Magistrate.

**Borough of Queens.**

First District—Nos. 31 and 33 Jackson avenue, Long Island City. **MATTHEW J. SMITH**, Magistrate.  
 Second District—Flushing, Long Island. **LUKE J. CONVENTON**, Magistrate.  
 Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. **EDWARD J. HEALY**, Magistrate.

**Borough of Richmond.**

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. **JAMES CHANE, Magistrate.**  
 Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. **NATHANIEL MARSH**, Magistrate.  
 Secretary to the Board, **JAMES J. CHAMBERS**, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

**KINGS COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT.**

Hall of Records, Brooklyn.  
**GEORGE H. ANNOTT**, Surrogate.  
**MICHAEL F. MCGLOUGHLIN**, Chief Clerk.  
 Court opens 10 A. M. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**THE COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS, KINGS COUNTY.**

Room 2, Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**GEORGE E. WALTON**, Commissioner.  
**FRANK M. TARDNER**, Deputy Commissioner.  
**THOMAS D. MORRISON**, Superintendent.  
**JOSHUA H. GREENBERG**, Secretary.

**COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.**

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I.  
**STANLEY D. BROWNE**, County Judge.

**KINGS COUNTY TREASURER.**

Court-house, Room 24.  
**JOHN W. KIMBALL**, Treasurer; **THOMAS F. FARRALL**, Deputy Treasurer.

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**SUPREME COURT.**

County Court-house, 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Special Term, Part I, Room No. 29.  
 Clerk's Office, Part I, Room No. 29.  
 Special Term, Part II, Room No. 13.  
 Clerk's Office, Part II, Room No. 13.  
 Special Term, Part III, Room No. 18.  
 Clerk's Office, Part III, Room No. 18.  
 Special Term, Part IV, Room No. 20.  
 Clerk's Office, Part IV, Room No. 20.  
 Special Term, Part V, Room No. 31.  
 Clerk's Office, Part V, Room No. 31.  
 Special Term, Part VI, Room No. 14.  
 Clerk's Office, Part VI, Room No. 14.  
 Special Term, Part VII, Room No. 17.  
 Clerk's Office, Part VII, Room No. 17.  
 Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 21.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 21.  
 Trial Term, Part II, Room No. 22.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 22.  
 Trial Term, Part III, Room No. 23.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 23.  
 Trial Term, Part IV, Room No. 24.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 24.  
 Trial Term, Part V, Room No. 25.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 25.  
 Trial Term, Part VI, Room No. 26.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 26.  
 Trial Term, Part VII, Room No. 27.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 27.  
 Trial Term, Part VIII, Room No. 28.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 28.  
 Trial Term, Part IX, Room No. 29.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 29.  
 Trial Term, Part X, Room No. 30.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 30.  
 Trial Term, Part XI, Room No. 31.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 31.  
 Trial Term, Part XII, Room No. 32.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 32.  
 Appellate Term, Room No. 22.  
 Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, Room No. 22.  
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 36.  
 Assignment Bureau, Room No. 36.  
**Justices**—**GEORGE C. BARRETT**, **ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE**, **CHARLES H. TRAVIS**, **CHARLES F. MACLEAN**, **FREDERICK SMYTH**, **JAMES FITZGERALD**, **MILES BEACH**, **DAVID LEVENTRITT**, **LEONARD A. GRUBERICH**, **HENRY BUCHHEIM, Jr.**, **JOHN J. FERRISMAN**, **GEORGE P. ANDREWS**, **P. HENRY DUNN**, **DAVID MCANAM**, **HENRY R. BELLEMAN**, **HENRY A. GORDON**, **FRANCIS M. SCOTT**, **JAMES A. O'NEILL**, **WILLIAM SCHMER**, Clerk.

**CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.**

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

**APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.**

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
**CHARLES H. VAN BUREN**, Presiding Justice; **CHRISTIE B. MCGLOUGHLIN**, **EDWARD PATTERSON**, **MORGAN J. O'BRIEN**, **GEORGE L. UGRIHAM**, **WILLIAM KUMBY**, **EDWARD W. HATCH**, Justices. **ALFRED WAGSTAFF**, Clerk; **WILLIAM LAMON**, Jr., Deputy Clerk.

**COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.**

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 19, 20, 21 and 27. Court opens at 9 A. M., daily, and sits until business is completed, Part I, Room No. 29, Part II, Room No. 13, Court Office. Clerk's Office, Rooms 22 and 27, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. to 2 P. M.  
**JOSEPH ASPINALE** and **WM. B. HURN, Jr.**, County Judges.  
**CHARLES V. VAN DOREN**, Chief Clerk.

**QUEENS COUNTY COURT.**

County Court-house, Long Island City.  
 County Court opens at 9:30 A. M.; adjourns at 3 P. M. County Judge's office always open at Flushing, N. Y.  
**HARRISON S. MOORE**, County Judge.

**CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

No. 38 Chambers street, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 General Term.  
 Trial Term, Part I.  
 Part II.  
 Part III.  
 Part IV.  
 Special Term Chambers will be held to 4 P. M.  
 Clerk's Office, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**JAMES M. FITZGERALD**, Chief Justice; **JOHN H. MCCARTHY**, **LEWIS J. CONLAN**, **JOHN P. SCHUCHMAN**, **EDWARD E. O'DWYER** and **THEODORE F. HASCALL**, Justices. **THOMAS F. SMITH**, Clerk.

**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.**

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at half past 10 o'clock.  
**JOSEPH B. COVING**, City Judge; **JOHN W. GORE**, Recorder; **JOSEPH E. NEWCOMB**, **MAYOR T. MCANAMON** and **WALTER W. FORTY**, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. **EDWARD K. CARROLL**, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.**

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

**Justices**, First Division—**EDWARD B. HENNING**, **WILLIAM TRAVERS JORDON**, **EDWARD A. JACOB**, **JOHN H. MCKEAY**, **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 COUNTRYMAN**, **HOWARD J. FORBES**, **PATRICK KICADY**, **JOHN FLEMING**, **THOMAS W. FREDERICK**, **JOSEPH L. KARRIGAN**, Clerk; **CHARLES F. VOLZ**, 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. 103 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.  
**DAVID L. FORT**, 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.  
**HILMANN BULTE**, Justice. **FRANCIS MANGIN**, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

Third District—Ninth and Eleventh 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. V. 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. ROEMER**, Justice. **JOHN E. LYNN**, Clerk.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 114 Clinton street.  
**BENJAMIN HAYEMAN**, Justice. **THOMAS FITZPATRICK**, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.  
**DANIEL F. MARTIN**, Justice. **ABRAHAM BERNARD**, Clerk.

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

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 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 and Return days, each Court day.  
**JOSEPH H. SPINER**, Justice. **THOMAS COITMAN**, 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 intersection of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 321 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. FALLOU**, 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. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**THOMAS F. MURRAY**, Justice. **HUGH GRANT**, 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 intersection 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. **ANDREW N. DONAHUT**, 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 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. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.  
**WILLIAM W. FENFIELD**, 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 10 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.  
**JOHN J. WALSH**, 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. 394 Broadway, Brooklyn.  
**GERARD B. VAN WART**, Justice. **WILLIAM H. ALLEN**, 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 J. LYNCH**, Justice. **JOHN W. CARPENTER**, 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. 101 Howard avenue.  
**THOMAS H. WILLIAMS**, Justice. **HARRISON CONWAY**, Recorder. Clerk: **JAMES F. SMITH**, 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, No. 101 Bay and Bay Twenty-ninth street, Bath Beach.  
**CORNELIUS FIDELLONE**, Justice. **JOSEPH J. O'LEARY**, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**Borough of Queens.**

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly comprising five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).  
**THOMAS C. KADEN**, Justice. **THOMAS F. KENNEDY**, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week day. Court held each day, except Saturdays.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house across Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P.O. address, Elmhurst, New York.  
**WILLIAM RABBITT, Jr.**, Justice. **HENRY WALTON, Jr.**, Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—James F. McLaughlin, Justice; **GEORGE W. HANCOCK**, Clerk.  
 Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock.

**Borough of Richmond.**

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

**JOHN J. KENNEY**, Justice. **FRANCIS F. LEWIS**, Clerk.  
 Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturdays, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Second District—Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Wards (Tower at Middlebrook, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, across Townhouse, across Hall, Southfield.  
**GEORGE W. STARR**, Justice. **PETER THOMAS**, 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.

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**

**PERSONS HAVING BUSINESS TO FILE IN** the vicinity of New York Bay, and persons material for this purpose—such as sawyers, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning, by application to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 25 Park avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

**PERCIVAL J. MAWLE**, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

**POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.**  
**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY** Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 90 Mulberry street, Room 504, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Hats, coats, shoes, boots, trunks, suitcases, handbags, boxes, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

**ANDREW J. LATOR**, Property Clerk.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**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: Hats, coats, shoes, boots, trunks, suitcases, handbags, boxes, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

**CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD**, Deputy Property Clerk.

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

**OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN** New York, July 12, 1900.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORD-**ance with section 400 of the Charter of the City of New York, that a communication from the Commissioner of Highways requires that action be taken looking to the following improvement:

Placing sidewalk on the southeast corner of West End avenue and Fifty-second street, estimated cost, \$100; estimated value of property affected, \$250,000.—has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Seventeenth District of the Borough of Manhattan will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on Tuesday, July 24, at 2 P. M., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

**JAMES J. COUGAN**, President.

**I. E. ROUSE**, Secretary.



Department of Public Charities, Jan. 16, Box Twenty-sixth Street, in The City of New York, until as aforesaid 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904.

son Building, the Female Laundry, the old Laundry Building, Ward "E" and "S" at the Almshouse on Blackwell's Island, in conformity with the specifica-

BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE-

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** Drugs, Chemicals, Druggists' Sundries,

cluding specifications, as revised as to form by the Corporation Council, and any further information required can be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, Borough of



No. 12 Both sides of Sedgwick avenue, from Perot street to Giles place, and both sides of Giles place, from Boston avenue to Sedgwick avenue.







HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
July 13, 1900.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE** materials and labor and doing the work required to supply a new boiler for the Fire Department Repair Shop, Canon and Holivar streets, Borough of Brooklyn, will be received by the Fire Command at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 137 and 139 East Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M.,

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 1900,**

at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of Department and read.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500), and the time for completion of the work Sixty (60) working days.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Twenty-five (25) Dollars.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired are fixed and liquidated at Two (2) Dollars.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

The form of the agreement, with specifications, showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

**JOHN J. SCANNELL,**  
Commissioner.

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES CONSISTING MAINLY OF BROOM CORN, BRISTLES, RASS LEATHER, ETC., FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES, GOODS TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER NOTICE TO DELIVER TO THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY.**

Borough of Brooklyn.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** the above-mentioned Supplies, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of this Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until 11 A. M.,

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 1900.**

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except as herein specified, and none will be paid for by the Department.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Broom Corn and Bristles, Rasse Leather, etc., for Manufacturing Purposes and Miscellaneous Supplies," 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 Commissioner of said Department and read.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 same has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

**FRANCIS J. LANTRY,**  
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,  
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES CONSISTING MAINLY OF HARDWARE, LUMBER, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, IRON AND STEEL, ETC., GOODS TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER NOTICE TO DELIVER.**

Borough of Manhattan.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** the above-mentioned Supplies, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of this Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until 11 A. M.,

**THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1900.**

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except as herein specified, and none will be paid for by the Department.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Hardware, Lumber, Paints, Oils, Glass, Iron and Steel and Miscellaneous Supplies," 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 Commissioner of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

**FRANCIS J. LANTRY,**  
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,  
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET.

**PROPOSALS FOR INSTALLING NEW BOILER AND NECESSARY REPAIRS TO STEAMER "W. L. STRONG."**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR NEW** Boiler, etc., Steamer "W. L. Strong" in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in the City of New York, until 11 A. M.,

**THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1900.**

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

The quantity and quality of the supplies and the nature and extent of the work required are stated and set forth in the specifications.

The Commissioner of the Department of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Two Thousand (\$2,000) Dollars each.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, 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 the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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The work must conform in every respect to the printed specifications, and be completed in sixty working days. 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 approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

**FRANCIS J. LANTRY,**  
Commissioner of Correction.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES CONSISTING MAINLY OF STEAM FITTINGS, IRON AND STEEL, BROOM CORN, BRISTLES, ETC., FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES, GOODS TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER NOTICE TO DELIVER TO THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY.**

Borough of Brooklyn.

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No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except as herein specified, and none will be paid for by the Department.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Iron and Steel, Broom Corn and Bristles, etc., for Manufacturing Purposes and Miscellaneous Supplies," 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 Commissioner of said Department and read.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.



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

Bidders must state the price of each article per pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., in which the bids will be sealed. The estimates must be made and sealed up, as the bids will be read from the total footing and amounts made in the dollar bidder on each item.

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

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

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

Each form of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to insert the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Council, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner.

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

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR INSTALLATION OF NEW STEAM HEATING PASSENGER ELEVATOR AND ELECTRIC LIGHTING IN THE PENITENTIARY BLOCK, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

Sealed bids or estimates for materials and work required for installing a new steam heating passenger elevator and electric lighting in the Penitentiary Block, Blackwell's Island, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, in the City of New York, until 12 M.,

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Installation of New Steam Heating Passenger Elevator and Electric Lighting in the Penitentiary Block, 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. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, trust, bond or security companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for his faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be entitled to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded as 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 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 a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered 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 seven hundred and fifty (\$750) dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract, such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box; and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. The work and materials must conform in every respect to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, and by Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner.

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

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR MAKING THE ALTERATIONS TO WINDOWS AND OTHER EXTERIOR PORTIONS OF THE PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

Sealed bids or estimates for materials and work required for making the alterations to windows and other exterior portions of the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, New York City, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, in the City of New York, until 12 M.,

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bids or Estimates for Making the Alterations to Windows and Other Exterior Portions of the 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.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, trust, bond or security companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for 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 entitled to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded as 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 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered 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 hundred (\$500) dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. The work and materials must conform in every respect to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, and by Horgan & Slattery, architects, No. 1 Madison Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner.

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

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING IN THE NEW ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

Sealed bids or estimates for materials and work required for plumbing and gas-fitting in the New Administration Building, Blackwell's Island, New York City, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, in the City of New York, until 12 M.,

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Plumbing and Gas-Fitting in New Administration Building, B. I.," 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.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, trust or security companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for 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 entitled to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded as 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 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered 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 Six Hundred (\$600) Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. The work and materials must conform in every respect to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, and by Horgan & Slattery, architects,

No. 1 Madison Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner of Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner.

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

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING A BUILDING TO BE KNOWN AS THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING AT THE PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

Sealed bids or estimates for materials and work required for erecting and completing a building to be known as the Administration Building, at the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, in the City of New York, until 12 M.,

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Erecting and Completing Building to be known as the Administration Building, at the 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.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, trust, bond or security companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for 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 entitled to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded as 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 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of Three Thousand (\$3,000) Dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. The work and materials must conform in every respect to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. The form of the contract, including specifications and plans, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, No. 148 East Twentieth Street, and by Horgan & Slattery, architects,

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner.

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



## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
July 7, 1900.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE title of the work and the name of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon, will be received by the Park Board, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 4 o'clock A. M. of**

**THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1900.**

**FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE WORK OF REGulating, GRADING AND THE ERECTION OF A SEA-WALL AND IRON RAILING ALONG THE EASTERN FRONT OF THE EXTENSION OF EAST RIVER PARK, FROM EIGHTH SIXTH STREET TO THE END OF THE SEA-WALL NEAR THE NORTHERLY LINK OF EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

The Engineer's estimate of materials to be furnished, the quantity and quality of supplies, or the nature and extent of the work required, as near as possible, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows:

1. 410 cubic yards earth excavation, other than for trench for wall.
2. 28 cubic yards rock excavation, other than for trench for wall.
3. 2,500 cubic yards of filling to be furnished in place, from sources exterior to the site of the work.
4. 2,700 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds for trench for sea-wall.
5. 2,000 cubic yards of wall masonry.
6. 600 cubic yards of concrete in foundation.
7. 550 linear feet of granite railing to furnish and set.
8. 6 granite piers above coping to furnish and set.
9. 850 linear feet galvanne-iron railing to furnish and erect.

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

Further particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work required, or of material to be furnished, will be found in the specifications and contracts for the said work.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the work above mentioned is \$20,000.

**BIDDERS MUST NAME A PRICE FOR EACH AND EVERY ITEM INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS UPON WHICH THESE BIDS ARE BASED, AND ALSO STATE THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THEIR BIDS.**

Bidders, or their representatives, must satisfy themselves, by personal examination, as to the nature and quantity of the work and materials required, and shall not any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding relative to the nature or quantity of the work to be done or materials to be furnished.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; 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 thereof or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, 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 faithful performance 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

Plans may be seen, blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal (Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue), Central Park, Manhattan.

GEORGE C. CLAVSEN,  
GEORGE V. BRUNER,  
AUGUST MOEBUS,  
Commissioners of Parks of the City of New York.

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR SANITARY WORK AT ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 46, AND FURNITURE PUBLIC SCHOOL 64, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

**MONDAY, JULY 23, 1900,**

for Sanitary Work at Addition to Public School 36, and Furniture Public School 64, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Twelve Hundred Dollars for Public School 36, and Five Hundred Dollars for Public School 64, on each item.

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 thereof 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, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract over and above 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 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.

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

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

The Committee reserves the right to reject all proposals submitted if deemed for the best interests of the City so to do.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, July 12, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,  
ABRAHAM STERN,  
WILLIAM J. COLE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR IMPROVING LOTS ADJOINING PUBLIC SCHOOL 10, HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 177, AND FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOLS 44, 109, 173, 177 AND 179, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

**MONDAY, JULY 23, 1900,**

for Improving lots adjoining Public School 10, heating and ventilating apparatus New Public School 177, and furniture for New Public Schools 44, 109, 173, 177 and 179, Borough of Manhattan.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) for improving lots adjoining Public School 10; Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500) for heating and ventilating apparatus new Public School 177; and Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) for each item of furniture for new Public Schools 44, 109, 173, 177 and 179.

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 thereof 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, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract over and above 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 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.

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

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

The Committee reserves the right to reject all proposals submitted if deemed for the best interests of the City so to do.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, July 12, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,  
ABRAHAM STERN,  
WILLIAM J. COLE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

**MONDAY, JULY 23, 1900,**

for Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Public School 62, and also for Improving Sanitary Condition of Public School 1, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

A certified check or certificate of deposit must accompany each proposal, as required by the By-Laws of said Board, to be disposed of as the By-Laws provide, and surety must be furnished as required by said By-Laws.

The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

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

Dated Borough of Manhattan, July 12, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,  
ABRAHAM STERN,  
WILLIAM J. COLE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ERECTING NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 144, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

**MONDAY, JULY 23, 1900,**

for erecting new Public School 144 on One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth streets, between Fifth and Lenox avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000).

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no 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 thereof 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, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract over and above 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 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.

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

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

The Committee reserves the right to reject all proposals submitted if deemed for the best interests of the City so to do.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, July 12, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,  
ABRAHAM STERN,  
WILLIAM J. COLE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ERECTING NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 124, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M. on

**MONDAY, JULY 23, 1900,**

for erecting New Public School 124 on the southerly side of Eighteenth avenue, west of Ocean parkway, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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



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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

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 on 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 in 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 in the estimate, the verification must be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the amount, in writing, of two hundred dollars or treble thereof, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety in the City of New York, with their respective places of business in residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The 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 this contract, and with the intention to execute the same required by the Board of Education of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to whom he consents to become surety.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by 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 in the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been delivered. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the person making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse to execute the same, the check or money shall be forfeited to the Corporation, and the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time allowed, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications in particular of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

The Committee reserves the right to reject all proposals submitted if deemed for the best interests of the City so to do.

Dated Board of Education of Manhattan, July 10, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,  
ABRAHAM STERN,  
WILLIAM J. COLE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
JOSEPH I. KUTTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

#### TO CONTRACTORS

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR SANITARY WORK AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN AND IN BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

#### MONDAY, JULY 16, 1900.

for Sanitary Work at New Public Schools in and in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars for Public Schools and Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars for Public Schools.

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 on 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 in 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 in the estimate, the verification must be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the amount, in writing, of two hundred dollars or treble thereof, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The 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 this contract, and with the intention to execute the same required by the Board of Education of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to whom he consents to become surety.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by 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 in the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been delivered. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the person making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse to execute the same, the check or money shall be forfeited to the Corporation, and the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time allowed, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications in particular of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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Dated Board of Education of Manhattan, July 10, 1900.

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Committee on Buildings.

#### TO CONTRACTORS

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

#### MONDAY, JULY 16, 1900.

for Alterations and Additions to Public Schools in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

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 on 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 in 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 in the estimate, the verification must be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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Committee on Buildings.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of the City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until a o'clock p. m.

#### MONDAY, JULY 16, 1900.

for Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Public Schools 5, 19, 47, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1205 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE in the following-named avenues in the BOROUGH OF THE BROOK.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.  
COLLEGE AVENUE—OPENING, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, Confirmed June 21, 1900; entered July 10, 1900. Area of assessment: Includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, 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 the intersection of the westerly side of Teller avenue with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-second and East One Hundred and Sixty-third streets; thence westerly along said middle line to the easterly side of Morris avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Morris avenue to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets; thence easterly along said middle line to a line drawn from lot 1 to lot 2, and thence northerly along said line to the easterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence westerly along said westerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to a line drawn parallel to the easterly side thereof, thence southerly along said line to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets; thence southerly along said middle line to the westerly side of Teller avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Teller avenue to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.  
CLINTON AVENUE—OPENING, from Crotona Park, North, to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street. Confirmed June 21, 1900; entered July 10, 1900. Area of assessment: Includes all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the Borough of the Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: On the north by the southerly side of Garden street, from the easterly side of Crotona avenue to the westerly side of Prospect avenue; on the south by a line drawn parallel to Crotona Park, North, and distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof, from the easterly side of Crotona avenue to the promenade southerly of the westerly side of Prospect avenue; on the east by the westerly side of Prospect avenue and said westerly side produced, from the southerly side of Garden street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Crotona

Park, North, and distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof, and on the west by the easterly side of Crotona avenue, from the southerly side of Garden street to a line drawn parallel to Crotona Park, North, and distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof.

The above-named assessments were entered on the dates heretofore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments and Arrears, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears. Unless the amount assessed for lands on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1204 of the "Greater New York Charter."

Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of the Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 5 P. M.; and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before September 8, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 10, 1900.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

#### CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction, on

#### MONDAY, AUGUST 13, 1900.

at noon, at the Comptroller's Office, No. 230 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York, in and to the following described property:

All that certain piece or parcel of land, situated, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street with the westerly line of Madison avenue, and running thence northerly along said westerly line of Madison avenue 100 feet and 11 inches; thence easterly parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, 35 feet; thence southerly parallel with Madison avenue 50 feet 11 inches to the northerly line of the Hundred and Thirtieth street; thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street 35 feet to the point or place of beginning, upon the following:



g. 4, 6, and 8, a, b, and c on Saturday's from 7 to 10 to







ing any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 223 Broadway, in The City of New York, Rooms 112 and 113, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of the publication of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of September, 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated New York, June 19, 1900.

BENNO LEWINSON,  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,  
PATRICK A. WHITNEY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN J. PRINCE,  
Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the lands, lands under water filled in, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emolument and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead between TWENTY-FIRST AND TWENTY-SECOND STREETS, and appurtenant to the bulkhead between the foot of Twenty-first street, East River, a conveyance to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York, on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 24th day of February, 1900, and entered the 21st day of May, 1900, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessors, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, lands under water filled in, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emolument and privileges required for the purpose by and in consequence of the acquisition of the same by The City of New York, and more particularly set forth in the petition of The City of New York, filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter XVI, and title 4 of chapter XVII of the Act entitled "An Act to unite into one municipality, under the corporate name of The City of New York, the various communities lying in and about New York harbor, including the city and county of New York, the city of Brooklyn and the county of Kings, the county of Richmond and part of the county of Queens, and to provide for the government thereof," passed May 4, 1897, and the acts or parts of acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands, lands under water filled in, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emolument and privileges, taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of The City of New York, or affected thereby, are hereby required to present the same duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 223 Broadway, in The City of New York, Rooms 112 and 113, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of the publication of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of September, 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants, and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

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ALFRED HENRY LEWIS,  
EDMUND LUIS MOONEY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN J. PRINCE,  
Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emolument and privileges appurtenant to PIER, OLD NO. 1, EAST RIVER, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right title and interest in and to said Pier, or any portion thereof, not now owned by The City of New York, to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York, on the East River, at or near Old Slip, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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All parties and persons interested in the wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emolument and privileges, taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water-front of The City of New York, or affected thereby, are hereby required to present the same duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 223 Broadway, in The City of New York, Rooms 112 and 113, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of the publication of this notice.

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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, interests and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, although not yet named by proper authority, from Third Avenue to Exterior Street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation in one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part 1, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of July, 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days as required by the provisions of section 307 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 38 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, July 5, 1900.

EDWARD A. SUMNER,  
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,  
S. GOLDENKRANZ,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUFF,  
Clerk.

In the matter of the application of The Board of Education of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on the SOUTH-EAST SIDE OF FORT HAMILTON AVENUE, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected and chosen as a site for school purposes, by the Board of Education of Brooklyn and approved by the Board of Education and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 107 of the Laws of 1884, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate, in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the resolution of the Board of Education, hereby give notice to the owners or lessors, parties or persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, interests, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessors, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true and correct copy of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York at Park Avenue, corner Fifty-ninth Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, July 5, 1900, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office in the office of the Corporation Counsel in The City of New York in the Borough of Manhattan, in the Borough of Brooklyn, or said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties or objectors at our office on the 24th day of July, 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the Kings County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of August, 1900, at the opening of the Court on that day; and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, The Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, July 5, 1900.

WILLIAM WATSON,  
WILLIAM A. HERVEY,  
ARTHUR BECKWITH,  
Commissioners.

GEORGE F. BIGGS,  
Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on the NORTHEAST SIDE OF SIX (EIGHTH STREET), northwest of Fourth Avenue, in the Eighth 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 107 of the Laws of 1884, 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 14th day of July, 1900, 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 including, situated on the northwesterly side of Sixth Street, northwest of Fourth Avenue, in the Eighth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, to be simple absolute, the same to be converted, appropriated and used for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 107 of the Laws of 1884, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and other statutes relating thereto, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:



