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MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COUNCIL.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, September 18, 1900, }
2 o'clock P. M. }

The Council met in Room 16, City Hall.

PRESENT :

Hon. Randolph Guggenheimer, President.

COUNCILMEN

John T. Oakley,
Vice-Chairman,
Thomas F. Foley,
Martin Engel,
Frank J. Goodwin,
Patrick J. Ryder,
Harry C. Hart,
John J. Murphy,
Eugene A. Wise,

Stewart M. Brice,
Herman Sulzer,
William J. Hyland,
Adolph C. Hottenroth,
Bernard C. Murray,
Charles H. Francisco,
Francis F. Williams,
Adam H. Leich,

Charles H. Ebbets,
William A. Doyle,
Martin F. Conly,
David L. Van Nostrand,
Joseph Cassidy,
Joseph F. O'Grady,
Benjamin J. Bodine,
George H. Mundorf.

The minutes of the meeting of August 7 were read, and, on motion of Councilman Leich, were approved as read.

The minutes of the meetings of August 15 and 21 were read, and, on motion of Councilman Wise, were approved as read.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Council the following message from his Honor the Mayor :

No. 1400.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
August 8, 1900. }

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk, New York City :

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith a communication received from the Commissioner of Highways directing attention to applications made to the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of New York for the purpose of establishing the right of that company to build tunnels in certain streets in this city. Please have the same referred to the Railroad Committee of the Council.

Very respectfully yours,
RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, Acting Mayor.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, }
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, August 3, 1900. }

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President, the Council :

DEAR SIR—The New York and Brooklyn Union Transportation Company have made application to the Board of Railroad Commissioners of the State of New York with the object of establishing their legal right to build tunnels in the streets of this city as follows :

Beginning at Canal and Watts streets : under Watts street to West street, under West street to Vestry street, under Vestry street to Canal street, under Canal street to East Broadway, under East Broadway to Grand street, under Grand street to the East river, all in the Borough of Manhattan ; under the East river to Broadway, in the Borough of Brooklyn ; under Broadway to Wythe avenue, under Wythe avenue to South Eighth street, under South Eighth street to Kent avenue, under Kent avenue to Broadway. Also, beginning at Canal and Rutgers streets, in the Borough of Manhattan : under Rutgers street to the East river, under the East river to Adams street, in the Borough of Brooklyn ; under Adams street to High street, under High street to the Brooklyn Bridge plaza, and under that to Sands street, and under Sands street to Adams street.

The New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City Rapid Transit Company have made a similar application for the following streets :

Beginning at Cortlandt and West streets, in the Borough of Manhattan : under West street to Liberty street, under Liberty street to Maiden lane, under Maiden lane to the East river, under the East river to Cranberry street, in the Borough of Brooklyn ; under Cranberry street to the Brooklyn Bridge plaza, and under the latter to Middagh street ; under Middagh street to the East river ; under the East river to Maiden lane, in the Borough of Manhattan ; under Maiden lane and Cortlandt street to West street.

These companies are endeavoring to establish their legal right to build tunnels in these streets, under the State Railroad Law, without regard to the Rapid Transit Act.

The companies must obtain the consent of the local authorities in order to establish their franchises, and I would respectfully suggest that you bring to the attention of the Railroad Committees of the Council and of the Board of Aldermen the imperative necessity of incorporating in such consents the condition that a permit shall be obtained from the Department of Highways for the whole route lying under the public streets.

Under the provisions of the charter the companies will be compelled to obtain permits from the Department of Highways to open the pavements for the purpose of building their stations only ; hence the necessity of inserting a clause in the consents to be granted by the local authorities that they must obtain permits from the Department of Highways for their entire routes under the streets, so that the Department of Highways may impose conditions requiring the companies to restore and maintain for a period of years any pavement, curbs or sidewalks which may be damaged or allowed to settle by the construction of the tunnels.

If these companies establish the rights they claim to be entitled to, the work should be done only under the cognizance and control of the Commissioner of Highways, because the rights said companies seek are entirely beyond the jurisdiction of the Rapid Transit Railroad Commission under the Rapid Transit Act, and because all railroad construction in this city, under franchise or rights obtained in this manner, are already by the Charter placed under the jurisdiction and control of the Commissioner of Highways.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

Transmitted through Engineer Martin.

Which was referred to Committee on Railroads.

COMMUNICATIONS.

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

BOARD OF ALDERMEN—CITY HALL, }
NEW YORK, August 17, 1900. }

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk :

SIR—I transmit herewith the documents relative to matters adopted by the Board of Aldermen at the special meeting held Wednesday, August 15, 1900, as scheduled below.

Int. Nos. 1169, 1353, 1354.

Respectfully,

D. W. F. MCCOY, Deputy and Acting Clerk, Board of Aldermen.

The communications were as follows :

No. 1401.

Resolved, That the ordinance relative to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit of a display in the Third Assembly District, Kings County, by the Italian Citizens' Club, on September 3, 1900, under the direction of the Chief of Police.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1402.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, pages 35 and 36), the annexed resolution and communication in favor of authorizing the Board of Education to expend the sum of \$1,500 for the purpose of giving outings to children attending summer school, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Education be and it is hereby authorized to expend a sum not exceeding one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500), for the purpose of giving outings to children attending the summer schools and playgrounds in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

ROBERT MUH, JACOB J. VELTEN, JOSEPH GEISER, ELIAS GOODMAN, PATRICK S. KEELY, JOHN T. McMAHON, MICHAEL KENNEDY, Committee on Finance.

BOARD OF EDUCATION, PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, }
NEW YORK, June 28, 1900. }

Hon. THOMAS F. WOODS, President, Board of Aldermen :

DEAR SIR—Inclosed herewith please find certified copy of preamble and resolution adopted by the Board of Education at a meeting held on June 27, 1900, requesting the Municipal Assembly to authorize the Board of Education to expend a sum not to exceed \$1,500, for the purpose of giving outings to children attending the summer schools and playgrounds in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Respectfully,

A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The Committee on Special and High Schools for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx is desirous of giving outings to children attending the summer schools and playgrounds, and believes that the best results can be obtained by engaging barges for conveying them to points along the water-fronts around and about New York City. Excursions of this kind were given to the children attending the summer schools and playgrounds last season.

The following resolution is therefore offered for adoption :

Resolved, That the Board of Education hereby requests the Municipal Assembly to authorize this Board to expend a sum not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) for the purpose of giving outings to the children attending the summer schools and playgrounds for the season of 1900, in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on June 27, 1900.

A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—24.

No. 1403.

Resolved, That the Board of Education be and it is hereby respectfully requested to inaugurate a system of outings for the children attending the summer schools in the boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond.

Which was ordered on file.

PETITIONS.

No. 1404.

No. 101 SANDS STREET, BROOKLYN, August 12, 1900.

To the Honorable Municipal Council of New York City :

Author of a project for a dyke-bridge, New York, Staten Island.

I submit it to the consideration of this emeritus and illustrious Council. I beg like a favor to concede me the honor of the Municipal patronage.

Respectfully yours,

ARCHI PHILIP LOUIS SANTI.

No. 101 Sands Street, Brooklyn.

A Dyke-bridge between Manhattan and Staten Island.

The suggestion of a bridge that will physically link Manhattan with the County of Richmond deserves attention.

Through force of nature Staten Island is unfortunately the most dissociated of the great metropolitan compact. Any condition that will relieve this state of affairs will be an interest as colossal as the project itself.

It is almost incredible that a body of citizens capable of evolving a history of progression as that attributable to the enterprising New Yorkers should not long ago have devoted a material thought toward a closer approach to that picturesque island. The advantages that would accrue in enhancing New York as the harbor city of the country, one would think, should be a stimulus. The gain in time alone could be made phenomenal. When we remark the hurry and flurry of the thousands of this big city and with whom time and money are members of a very important equation, it is surprising that no step has as yet been taken to raise the situation.

The undersigned respectfully submits to the public a brief outline and some figures of a design that may be interesting. The plan specifies a dyke-bridge that will extend from Battery Park to Liberty Garden, and thence to New Brighton, S. I., a total length of 8,400 meters ; width, 48½ meters ; and a total elevation, in high tide of 60 meters at the main bridges, and 28 meters throughout the entire length of the shorehouses to be mentioned later. The aggregate solidity may be roughly estimated at 11,317,200 cubic meters.

The grand dyke will measure 5,080 meters. Over this will be built 120 large shorehouses ranging from one to three floors, according to the elevation, absolutely fire-proof ; all the modern conveniences for trade and traffic are guaranteed. Each shorehouse will cover an area of 3,519 square meters ; it will be supplied with a large elevator and a separate railroad station. Docks will lead to each from both sides of the bay.

The cost of this massive structure will approximate \$24,000,000, an enormous sum at first sight, but in view of the many sources of positive revenue, such as the lease of the 120 shorehouses, the railroad tax, the tolls, etc., the debt will dwindle into insignificance in a few years.

ARCHI PHILIP LOUIS SANTI.

No. 101 Sands street, Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

No. 1405.

To the Honorable Municipal Assembly, City of New York :

The undersigned, property-owners, taxpayers and rentpayers of Seventh avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, respectfully represent :

First—That Seventh avenue is a prominent and important thoroughfare and entitled to the protection of your Honorable Board against the chicanery and indifference to public demand of corporate monopolies occupying valuable franchises on the said avenue.

Second—That the horse-car line on the said avenue is worthless as a public convenience, an injury to property interests and a disgrace to this Municipality.

Third—That the Broadway and Seventh Avenue Railroad Company was chartered to run a line of cars from Fifty-ninth street to Park place and Broadway, and under original ownership cars were run over this route for many years, as the car tracks now through Park place and Church street stand in evidence.

Fourth—That since the Metropolitan Railroad Company has taken possession of the Seventh Avenue branch under a lease, cars over this line are run only from Fifth street to Canal street.

Fifth—Your petitioners believe and assert that the said Metropolitan Company has violated their charter agreement of the Broadway and Seventh Avenue Railroad Company, and are continuing to violate it by not running cars continuously over the said Seventh Avenue branch above Fifth street and below Canal street, and by not giving the public accommodations for which the road was chartered and the consent of the property-owners obtained for its construction.

Wherefore, Your petitioners request that your Honorable Body take such action as will annul the charter of the Seventh Avenue Division of the Broadway and Seventh Avenue Railroad Company, that this avenue may be relieved of the present railroad nuisance, and that you grant other and further relief to which your petitioners are entitled.

Frederick Bardusch, 201 Seventh avenue.
F. Kemmpf, 199 Seventh avenue.
J. E. Pearce & Co., 191 and 195 Seventh avenue.
Fred. W. Loehmann, 189 Seventh avenue.
John Post, 162 West Twenty-first street.
J. M. Brumie, 171 Seventh avenue.
M. Barye, 169 Seventh avenue.
S. Ganciner, 161 Seventh avenue.
J. G. Wragge, 159 Seventh avenue.
Harry Heller, Ph. G., 157 Seventh avenue.
Val Fink, 147 Seventh avenue.
Wm. Bauer, 103 Seventh avenue.
A. Bleisher, 1 Seventh avenue.
J. Marquart, 11 Seventh avenue.
L. Denni, 11 Seventh avenue.
M. Palermo, 11 Seventh avenue.
Ciappi Guisepp, 11 Seventh avenue.
Chas. A. Osman, 13 Seventh avenue.
Warnecke & Staatlender, 62 Seventh avenue.
John Walsh, 66 Seventh avenue.
C. Konba, 74 Seventh avenue.
John Wiess, 80 Seventh avenue.
O. K. Weimmer, 80 Seventh avenue.
Joseph Restel, 122 Seventh avenue.
F. M. Beakes, 98 Seventh avenue.
John Long, 100 Seventh avenue.
Thos. F. Connolly, 102 Seventh avenue.
James Lawler, 104 Seventh avenue.
Blum Bros., 115 Seventh avenue.
Wm. Roach, 116 Seventh avenue.
Edward Holtan, 134 Seventh avenue.
John von der Born, 152 Seventh avenue.
Chas. Schavrien, 160 Seventh avenue.
Frank Rosen, 162 Seventh avenue.
Chas. Hagendorf, 180 Seventh avenue.
M. Mayer, 200 Seventh avenue.
L. C. Schoeller, 202 Seventh avenue.
F. Tozzi, 205 Seventh avenue.
Fred. J. Tonjes, 195 Seventh avenue.
George McQuillan, 216 Seventh avenue.
Peter Teherman, 226 Seventh avenue.
Jacob Roberts, 230 Seventh avenue.
John J. Talley, 225 Seventh avenue.
Frank A. Young, 233 Seventh avenue.
L. Lagneau, 235 Seventh avenue.
John Kneuker, 241 Seventh avenue.
Simon Wollak, 252 Seventh avenue.
Philip Clarke, 254 Seventh avenue.
Lain Brothers, 209 Seventh avenue.
Jacob Bardusch, 266 Seventh avenue.
Bock Spreen, 275 Seventh avenue.
Joseph Rien, 279 Seventh avenue.
Ed. Legolly, 286 Seventh avenue.
J. Pacheteau, 276 Seventh avenue.
John Grese, 175 Seventh avenue.

J. M. Brunie, 171-173 Seventh avenue.
Val Fink, Jr., 147 Seventh avenue.
Anna Patterson, 212 Seventh avenue.
Fred. Abendschein, 266 Seventh avenue.
J. G. Wragge, 159 Seventh avenue.
Otto W. Flashner, 287 Seventh avenue.
Phi. Chambon, 289 Seventh avenue.
B. Cohn, 284 Seventh avenue.
Ed. Legolly, 286 Seventh avenue.
H. Drucker, 296 Seventh avenue.
F. E. Moore, 303 Seventh avenue.
Kischbaum Bros., 301 Seventh avenue.
Mal. McLochin, 256-258 Seventh avenue.
Fred. W. Loehmann, 189 Seventh avenue.
J. E. Pearce & Co., 191-195 Seventh avenue.
Max Green, 203 Seventh avenue.
W. E. Cuddeback, 205 Seventh avenue.
D. Huneke, 207 Seventh avenue.
O. T. Kemmpf, 199 Seventh avenue.
Samuel Buxbaum, 251 Seventh avenue.
Rudolph Theis, 260 Seventh avenue.
Lane Bros., 262 Seventh avenue.
Brus S. Blumer, 264 Seventh avenue.
Jacob Bardusch, Jr., 266 Seventh avenue.
J. F. Westbay, 174 West Twenty-third street.
M. F. J. Crowley, M. D., 304 Seventh avenue.
Jas. Peacock, per M. Peacock, Twentieth street, southeast corner Seventh avenue.
R. Herman, 347 Seventh avenue.
Ed. Holakosky, 351 Seventh avenue.
McGinnis Bros., 369 Seventh avenue.
Aug. H. Schwenker, 383 Seventh avenue.
William Toas, 391 Seventh avenue.
Balthasar Schmidt, 428 Seventh avenue.
Schmidt Bros., 429 Seventh avenue.
Joseph Foss, 429 Seventh avenue.
Louis Voelker, 435 Seventh avenue.
Isreal Gibbs, 352 Seventh avenue.
Ch. H. Bindler, 354 Seventh avenue.
Chas. F. Runkel, 378 Seventh avenue.
D. W. Williams, 487 Seventh avenue.
George Stern, 215 West Fortieth street and 592 Seventh avenue.
S. Rosenstock, 576 Seventh avenue.
Richard H. Stearns, Hotel Navarre, Seventh avenue and Thirty-eighth street.
E. S. Boker, 520 Seventh avenue.
M. E. Tilley, 516 Seventh avenue.
Wm. O'Rourke, 508 Seventh avenue.
Francis S. Warner, 500 Seventh avenue.
Thomas Leavy, 494 Seventh avenue.
Joseph Meinzing, 486 Seventh avenue.
Lord & Eely, 482 Seventh avenue.
Wm. Weis, 442 Seventh avenue.
Louis Schneider, 240 Seventh avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

PROPOSED ORDINANCES AND LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1406.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Baudler to drive an advertising wagon and to play a cornet inside thereof, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for one week after approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1407.

By Councilman Foley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Bonaventura Luongo, to erect, keep and maintain a fruit stand within the stoop-line in front of No. 317 Delancey street, Borough of Manhattan, subject to all the conditions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1408.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Leon Goldberg to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of soda-water in front of the premises No. 104 Clinton street, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand be erected subject to all the conditions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1409.

By Councilman Ryder—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ch. Weithorn to erect and keep an express office within the stoop-line in front of his premises Nos. 159 and 161 Wooster street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1410.

By Councilman Goodwin—

AN ORDINANCE, providing for the issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000), the proceeds to be used for the acquisition of new sites and the construction and equipment of new buildings for the Fire Department and placing the fire-alarm telegraph system under ground.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly, as follows:

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby approves and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 8, 1900, and hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894 as amended by chapter 751 of the Laws of 1896 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the acquisition of new sites, and the construction and equipment of new buildings for the Fire Department, and placing the fire-alarm telegraph system under ground, as authorized by said chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 751 of the Laws of 1896."

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894 as amended by chapter 751 of the Laws of 1896 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater

New York Charter, to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the acquisition of new sites, and the construction and equipment of new buildings for the Fire Department, and placing the fire-alarm telegraph system under ground, as authorized by said chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 751 of the Laws of 1896.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 8, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1411.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 21, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887 as amended by chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the expenses for the completion of unfinished work of erecting a sea-wall along the easterly side of the extension of East River Park, Borough of Manhattan.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500) for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887 as amended by chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the expenses for the completion of unfinished work of erecting a sea-wall along the easterly side of the extension of East River Park, Borough of Manhattan.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 21, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1412.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 21, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 as amended by chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) the proceeds whereof to be applied to the expense of erecting the fence necessary for the protection of the lawns of the park bounded by Pitt, Houston, Stanton, Willett and Sheriff streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, known as 'Hamilton Fish Park,' and also for equipping the new gymnasium building therein."

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expense therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 as amended by chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the expense of erecting the fence necessary for the protection of the lawns of the park bounded by Pitt, Houston, Stanton, Willett and Sheriff streets in the Borough of Manhattan, known as Hamilton Fish Park, and also for equipping the new gymnasium building therein.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 21, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1413.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George H. Christian to erect, place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises No. 255 Tenth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1414.

By Councilman Hart—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements that the carriage-way of Eighty-seventh street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, and Madison avenue, between Eighty-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt.

Which was adopted.

No. 1415.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacobs Brothers to erect, maintain and keep a sign in front of No. 1536 Third avenue, Borough of Manhattan, in conformity with the diagram hereunto attached, and in accordance in every respect with the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS RESUMED.

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

No. 1416.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Kalman Rosenbluth to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 102 Attorney street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, and that the said lamp-post and lamp shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided and shall not be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

PROPOSED ORDINANCES AND LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 1417.

By Councilman Wise—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Nathan Frank to erect, keep and maintain a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals on the southwest corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand be erected subject to all the conditions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1418.

By Councilman Hottenroth—

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

The Commissioner of Highways of The City of New York is hereby authorized to enter into a contract without public letting for the furnishing of all work and materials necessary to repair and replace where broken the "Lorelei" fountain, in the Borough of The Bronx, said work to be done in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the said Commissioner of Highways, and the cost of same to be paid from the appropriation for the "Maintenance of Lorelei Fountain, 1900."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1419.

By Councilman Cassidy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Animal Protective League to erect and keep a drinking-fountain on Central avenue, between the Court-house and Fire station at Far Rockaway, Borough of Queens, the work to be done and water supplied at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

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

No. 1420.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, September 8, 1900.

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

DEAR SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 5th day of September, 1900, authorizing the Commissioner of Highways to regulate, grade, etc., Low terrace, from Hamilton avenue to Fort place, in the Borough of Richmond.

I also inclose copy of a letter from the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Low terrace, Borough of Richmond.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 5th day of September, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Low terrace, from Hamilton avenue to Fort place, in the Borough of Richmond, and the macadamizing of the roadway of said street, resetting of the curb and gutters where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four thousand eight hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and eighty-two thousand three hundred and fifty dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, July 26, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements, No. 21 Park Row, New York City:

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of the Local Board, First District, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York, held on the 24th day of July, 1900, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Local Board, First District, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York, recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that proceedings be initiated to improve Low terrace, in the First Ward of the borough, from Hamilton avenue to Fort place, in such manner as to the Department of Highways may seem best, said improvement to include the regrading and macadamizing of the street and the resetting of the curbs and gutters where necessary.

I inclose herewith a copy of the petition on which the Local Board acted, and also a copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of Highways for this borough, recommending that the improvement be made and giving the probable cost and the value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment, in conformity with the provisions of section 413 of the Charter.

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1421.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving resolution adopted by this Board on the 22d instant authorizing the paving with granite of the intersection of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and First street, Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending the said improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to pave intersection of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and First street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 22d day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with granite-block pavement on a concrete foundation of the intersection of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and First street, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four hundred and fifty dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and fifty-four thousand three hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, July 31, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Twentieth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held July 31, 1900, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Twentieth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that the intersection of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and First street be paved with granite-block pavement on a concrete foundation.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1422.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 29th instant providing for the paving of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, where not heretofore paved, between Third avenue and the Harlem river, Borough of The Bronx.

This improvement was recommended by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District under date of February 23, 1900, as per copy of communication inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 22d day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with granite blocks, on concrete foundation, of the part of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Harlem river, as widened, which has not heretofore been paved, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction

of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twenty-four thousand eight hundred and ninety-four dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is six hundred and forty-seven thousand three hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, February 23, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President of the Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting, February 23, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Church E. Gates & Co. and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 4th day of August, 1898, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends again to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street be paved and repaved with granite from Third avenue west to Harlem river, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1423.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

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

SIRS—On June 19 last the Local Board of the Nineteenth District, Borough of Manhattan, adopted a resolution (copy of which is inclosed herewith) recommending that Convent avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street be paved with asphalt-block pavement. In accordance with this recommendation, a resolution was adopted by this Board on the 29th instant, authorizing the paving of said street, and a form of ordinance approving the resolution is transmitted herewith for the action of your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

NEW YORK, June 19, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIRS—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held June 19, 1900, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Convent avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, be paved with asphalt block.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

AN ORDINANCE to pave Convent avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 29th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriage-way of Convent avenue, from the south line of One Hundred and Forty-first street to the north line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twenty-one thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one million eight hundred and twenty-six thousand three hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1424.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 29th instant providing for the paving, with granite blocks, of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Eleventh avenue to the Boulevard, Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of the resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Nineteenth District, recommending this improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 29th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with granite blocks on a concrete foundation of the roadway of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Broadway (Eleventh avenue) to Boulevard Lafayette, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being nineteen thousand four hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and sixty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

(Copy.)

NEW YORK CITY, June 19, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held June 19, 1900, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Eleventh avenue to Boulevard Lafayette, be paved with granite blocks.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1425.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving resolution adopted by this Board on the 29th instant authorizing the paving with asphalt of

One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Seventh to Bradhurst avenue, Borough of Manhattan, in accordance with recommendation of the Local Board of the Nineteenth District, embodied in a resolution adopted on June 19, copy of which is also inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Fifty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 29th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriageway of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Seventh avenue to Bradhurst avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being eight thousand two hundred and fifty dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and four thousand eight hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

(Copy.)

NEW YORK CITY, June 19, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements.

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held June 19, 1900, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Seventh avenue to Bradhurst avenue, be paved with asphalt blocks.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1426.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th instant providing for regulating, grading, etc., Tenth avenue, from Academy street to Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Nineteenth District recommending such improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Tenth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Tenth avenue, from Academy street to Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, curbing and guttering and the laying of sidewalks thereon, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being fifty-eight thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is three hundred and eight thousand six hundred and fifty dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
February 27, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held February 27, 1900, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Tenth avenue, from Academy street to Broadway, be regulated and graded, curbed and guttered and sidewalks laid on the same.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1427.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—In accordance with resolution adopted by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th instant, I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the paving, with asphalt-block pavement, of West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending that said street be paved.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to pave West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriageway of West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twenty-two thousand three hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and eighty-two thousand three hundred and fifty dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, April 3, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held April 3, 1900, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway, be paved with asphalt blocks.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1428.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 8th instant providing for the grading, paving, etc., of Woodruff avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Parade place, Borough of Brooklyn.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending that said street be improved.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to grade, etc., Woodruff avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading of Woodruff avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Parade place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the paving of the carriageway of said street with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, setting or resetting of the curb, and the flagging or reflagging of said street where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being seventeen thousand six hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and fifty-eight thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, January 12, 1900.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on January 11, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 11th day of January, 1900, and deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to grade and pave Woodruff avenue, with asphalt pavement, between Flatbush avenue and Parade place, in the Eighth Local Improvement District of the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb, and flag or reflag sidewalks of said street where not already done."

Inclosed are the following:

Copy of petition.

Copy of report from the Department of Highways.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1429.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th instant providing for the grading, paving, etc., of Pitkin avenue, from Stone avenue to Sackman street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending the improvement, and would respectfully call your attention to the remarks made by the President of the Borough in his communication as to the urgency of this work.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to grade, etc., Pitkin avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading of Pitkin avenue, between Stone avenue and Sackman street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the paving of the carriageway of said street with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, setting or resetting of the curbs and laying of cement sidewalks where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being seven thousand seven hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is eighty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby."

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, January 22, 1900.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on January 20, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 20th day of January, 1900, and deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to grade and pave Pitkin avenue with asphalt pavement, between Stone avenue and Sackman street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb and pave sidewalks with cement of said street where not already done."

Pitkin avenue, between Stone avenue and Sackman street, is in that part of the Twenty-sixth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn known as the "Brownsville" district, the sanitary condition of which is such that it is necessary to have the street graded and paved in order that it may be kept properly cleaned by the Street Cleaning Department. I request that this proceeding be given precedence over those for other assessable improvements, and that in recommending to the Municipal Assembly an ordinance authorizing the improvement the Board of Public Improvements call the attention of the Municipal Assembly to the necessity for prompt action.

Inclosed is copy of report from the Department of Highways.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1430.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinances approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th inst. providing for the paving with granite of Gerard avenue, from One Hundred and Fiftieth to One Hundred and Sixty-first streets, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending that Gerard avenue be paved between the above-named points.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to pave Gerard avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows :
That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving of the roadway of Gerard avenue, from the northerly side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, with granite blocks, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twenty thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and twenty-one thousand six hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, September 28, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting September 28, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of Church E. Gates & Co., and others, duly advertised and submitted the 28th day of September, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Gerard avenue, from the northerly side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street be paved with granite blocks, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1431.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Tiebout avenue, from One Hundred and Eightieth street to Fordham road, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending such improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Tiebout Avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Tiebout avenue, from One Hundred and Eightieth street to Fordham road, Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks and erecting of fences where necessary and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being thirty-nine thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and sixty-five thousand five hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MAY 19, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting May 18, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of Patrick J. Keary, and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 18th day of May, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Tiebout avenue, from One Hundred and Eightieth street to Fordham road, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, and trees planted on the sidewalks, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1432.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving a resolution adopted by this Board on the 8th instant for the grading, paving, etc., of Caton avenue, between Flatbush avenue and the Brighton Beach Railroad, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

This improvement was recommended by the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, by resolution adopted January 11, 1900, a copy of which resolution is also inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to grade, etc., Caton avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading of Caton avenue, between Flatbush avenue and the Brighton Beach Railroad, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the setting or resetting of the curbstones, flagging or reflagging of the sidewalks, and the paving of the carriageway of said avenue with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being fifteen thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is three hundred and seventeen thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, January 15, 1900.

Board of Public Improvements :

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on January 11, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following :

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Eighth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hear-

ing had this 11th day of January, 1900, and deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that proceedings be initiated to grade and pave Caton avenue, with asphalt pavement, between Flatbush avenue and the Brighton Beach Railroad, in the Eighth Local Improvement District of the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb and flag or reflag sidewalks of said street, where not already done."

Inclosed are the following :

Copy of petition.

Copy of report from the Department of Highways.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1433.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Bleecker street, between Wyckoff and St. Nicholas avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, together with a copy of a communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, embodying a resolution of the Local Board of the district recommending such improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Bleecker street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Bleecker street, between Wyckoff avenue and St. Nicholas avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the paving of the carriageway of said street with granite-block pavement on a sand foundation, setting or resetting of the curbstones and bridgestones, and the flagging or reflagging the sidewalks of said street where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being five thousand nine hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is fifty-three thousand seven hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, December 8, 1900.

Board of Public Improvements :

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on December 2, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following :

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 2d day of December, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to grade and pave Bleecker street with granite pavement, between Wyckoff avenue and St. Nicholas avenue, in the Ninth Local Improvement District of the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curbstones and bridgestones and flag or reflag sidewalks of said street where not already done."

Attached—

Copy of petition.

Copy of report from the Department of Highways.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1434.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Arthur avenue to Boston road, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending the said improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, laying of crosswalks and the erecting of fences where necessary, of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Arthur avenue to Boston road, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being forty thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and ninety-nine thousand three hundred and twenty-six dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, March 30, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements :

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting March 30, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That on petition of Charles Bollmann and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 30th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Arthur avenue to Boston road, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1435.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Clinton place, from Jerome to Aqueduct avenues, Borough of The Bronx, together with a copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending said improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate Clinton Place, Borough of The Bronx.
Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:
That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,
Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Clinton place, from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue, East, Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks, building approaches and erecting of fences where necessary, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being nine thousand four hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is forty thousand four hundred and fifty dollars.
And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, JUNE 16, 1899.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting June 15, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Charles E. Cady and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 15th day of June, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Clinton place, from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue, East, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built and fences erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1436.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 8th instant providing for the paving with asphalt-block pavement of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Boulevard to Riverside drive, Borough of Manhattan.

Inclosed is copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending the paving of said street.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to pave One Hundred and Twentieth Street, Borough of Manhattan.
Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:
That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,
Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriage-way of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside drive, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twelve thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and forty thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 19, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held June 19, 1900, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements, that One Hundred and Twentieth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside drive, be paved with asphalt block.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1437.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th instant providing for the grading, paving, etc., of Barbey street, between Jamaica and Atlantic avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn. I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending such improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to grade, etc., Barbey street, Borough of Brooklyn.
Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:
That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,
Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading of Barbey street, between Jamaica avenue and Atlantic avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the paving of the carriage-way with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, setting or resetting of the curb, and the flagging or reflagging of sidewalks of street where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twenty thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and eighty-four thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, January 24, 1900.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on January 20, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 20th day of January, 1900, and deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to grade and pave Barbey street with asphalt pavement, between Jamaica avenue and Atlantic avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb and flag or reflag sidewalks of said street where not already done."

Inclosed are the following:
Copy of report from the Department of Highways.
Copy of petition.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1438.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 27, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 22d instant providing for the placing of eighty-six (86) drinking-fountains in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The placing of these fountains is recommended by the Commissioner of Water Supply on a petition of citizens in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The estimated cost is \$10,500.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to place eighty-six drinking-fountains in the Borough of Brooklyn.
Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:
That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 22d of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the placing of eighty-six (86) additional drinking-fountains, of suitable patterns, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 1439.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, September 8, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 5th day of September, 1900, providing for the laying of water-mains in Tiffany street, between Westchester avenue and Intervale avenue, and in Brown place, between the Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Borough of The Bronx.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Tiffany street and Brown place, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:
That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 5th day of September, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Tiffany street, between Westchester avenue and Intervale avenue, and in Brown place, between the Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1900."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 1440.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 27, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 22d instant, providing for the laying of a 20-inch water-main through City property, from Vermont avenue to Highland Boulevard, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

This ordinance was approved on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, who states that it is necessary in order to insure the continuance of water supply in the case of a breakdown of the pumping-engines at the station of the former Long Island Water Supply Company, now the property of the City.

The estimated cost is \$4,400.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-main from Vermont avenue to Highland Boulevard, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:
That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 22d day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of a 20-inch water-main through City property, from Vermont avenue to Highland Boulevard, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 1441.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 27, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 22d instant providing for the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Lenox and Seventh avenues, Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose a copy of the resolution of the Local Board, recommending that said mains be laid.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in One Hundred and Fortieth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:
That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 22d day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Lenox and Seventh avenues, Borough of Manhattan, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1900."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, July 24, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held July 24, 1900, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Lenox to Seventh avenue.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.
Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 1442.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 27, 1900.*To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:*

DEAR SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 22d instant providing for the laying of water-mains in Devoe avenue, between Bremer and Ogden avenues, Borough of The Bronx.

The Commissioner of Water Supply recommends that these mains be laid in order to furnish water and fire protection to ten (10) houses.

The estimated cost is \$1,000.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 22d day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Devoe avenue, between Bremer and Ogden avenues, Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for 'Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1900.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 1443.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.*To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:*

SIRS—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th instant providing for the laying of water-mains in Ashford street, Belmont avenue, Berriman street and Fanchon place, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

I also inclose herewith copies of resolutions of the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, recommending the laying of water-mains in Berriman street and Fanchon place. The laying of mains in Ashford street and Belmont avenue is recommended by the Commissioner of Water Supply, who has received a petition from property-owners in the neighborhood.

The estimated cost for the entire work is \$5,000.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Ashford street, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in the following streets in the Borough of Brooklyn:

Ashford street, between Bedford and Pitkin avenues;

Belmont avenue, between Elton and Warwick streets;

Berriman street, between New Lots road and Belmont avenue;

Fanchon place, between Jamaica avenue and Highland Boulevard;

—and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, July 2, 1900.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on June 23, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that a water-main be laid in Berriman street, between Belmont avenue and New Lots avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn."

Inclosed is copy of petition.

Very respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, July 22, 1900.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on June 23, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that a water-main be laid in Fanchon place, between Jamaica avenue and Highland Boulevard, Borough of Brooklyn.

Inclosed is copy of petition.

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 1444.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.*To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:*

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 8th instant providing for laying water-mains in Eastern parkway, Vanderbilt avenue, Underhill avenue and Highland parkway, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

This ordinance was approved on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, who states that larger mains will be needed when there is an ample supply of water to satisfy the increasing demands on the water service in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The estimated cost of the work is \$42,000.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Eastern parkway, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 8th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of large water-mains in the following streets in the Borough of Brooklyn:

Eastern parkway, between Underhill avenue and Bedford avenue;

Vanderbilt avenue and Plaza, from Flatbush avenue to Bergen street;

Underhill avenue, from Mount Prospect Pumping Station to the High-Service Tower and Reservoirs;

Highland parkway, from the Ridgewood by-pass to the reservoir lately acquired from the Long Island Water Supply Company;

—and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

No. 1445.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.*To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:*

SIRS—Referring to the resolution of your Honorable Body recommending the placing of an electric light at the southwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Mott avenue, Borough of The Bronx, which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 12, and by the Council June 19, I beg to advise you that the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom the matter was referred, reports as follows:

"In regard to request for an electric light at southwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Mott avenue I am informed that there is now an electric lamp on the northeast corner, and that there is no necessity for an electric lamp on the southwest corner."

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1446.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.*To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:*

SIRS—In the matter of laying gas-mains, erecting lamp-posts, etc., in Eighth street, between White Plains and Second avenues, Williamsbridge, Borough of The Bronx, which was recommended to this Board by resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 12, and by the Council June 19, the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies reports as follows:

"Regarding Eighth street, it is reported to me that this street is in no condition for the laying of gas-mains and the erection of lamps and that it is now lighted by naphtha lamps. On July 12, 1900, this department gave an order to the New York and New Jersey Globe Gas Light Company for two lamps on this street, which I understand have been erected."

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1447.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.*To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:*

SIRS—On July 25 there was submitted to this Board a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 12, and by the Council June 19, recommending that gas-mains be laid, etc., in Pleasant avenue, from Flower street to and above Second street and to the end of Pleasant avenue, Williamsbridge, Borough of The Bronx.

This matter was referred to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, and he reports as follows:

"I have caused an investigation of these requests to be made by the Inspector of this Department, and it is reported to me that Pleasant avenue has not been regulated and graded to the established grade and has no curb, therefore it would be rather premature to order the laying of gas-mains in this avenue until it has been regularly graded, curbed, etc."

In view of these circumstances, it will be impracticable to take action on the recommendation of your Honorable Body for the present.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Council the following communications from the Comptroller:

No. 1448.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 4, 1900.*To the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office:*

Weekly statement showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 10, chapter 378, Laws 1897, for carrying on the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office from January 1 to December 31, 1900, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances:

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$2,500 00	\$570 00	\$1,930 00
Contingencies—City Clerk.....	1,000 00	689 69	310 31
The Municipal Assembly and City Clerk—Salaries.	196,552 00	114,540 34	82,011 66
Total	\$200,052 00	\$115,800 03	\$84,251 97

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1449.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 1, 1900.*To the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office:*

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 10, chapter 378, Laws 1897, for carrying on the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office from January 1 to December 31, 1900, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances:

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$2,500 00	\$570 00	\$1,930 00
Contingencies—City Clerk.....	1,000 00	769 65	230 35
The Municipal Assembly and City Clerk—Salaries.	196,552 00	130,919 42	65,632 58
Total	\$200,052 00	\$132,259 07	\$67,792 93

EDGAR J. LEVEY, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Public Administrator:

No. 1450.

BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.*To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:*

Pursuant to chapter 230, section 30, Laws of 1898, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator of the County of New York.

A Transcript of such of his Accounts as have been Closed or finally Settled since the date of his last Report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions paid into the City Treasury.	Amount paid to Legatees or Next of Kin.	Amount paid into City Treasury for Unknown Next of Kin.	Sundries.
William Gould	June 22, 1900	\$889 96	\$320 66	\$44 50	\$524 80	.....	*\$240 00
Edward Ryan.....	Aug. 4, "	9,879 40	1,968 31	309 48	2,453 85	.....	†4,007 76
Joseph McCarron.....	" 13, "	5,509 85	1,684 89	200 24	4,094 72	.....	*130 00
Mary A. Dean	" 17, "	172 30	106 69	5 61	.....	.....	.....
Charles Loy	" 17, "	179 70	170 74	8 99	.....	.....	.....
Total.....		\$16,571 21	\$3,651 26	\$568 82	\$7,073 37	.....	\$5,277 76

* Amount held for taxes.

† Amount held for future distribution.

A Statement of the Title of any Estate on which any Money has been Received since the date of the last Report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.	NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.
Elizabeth Smith	\$2,760 77	August Schneider	\$129 75
Rose Offermann	2,605 42	George Feist	25
Lingi Miccio	294 00	Elizabeth Lynch	12 00
John Byrnes	43 80	Elizabeth Lynch	110 00
John F. McBride	549 50	Helen R. S. Weber	1,148 53
Ellen Gardiner	134 35	Ella Brown	30 05
Frederick Bodius	520 20	Wilhelm Brown	40 41
Patrick J. Beirne	104 00	Geo. E. Rau	1 15
Henry Schroeder	23 87	Ph. H. or A. Mannel	25 00
Diedrich Brinkman	100 00	Arthur Shubiger	160 50
Bridget Logue	385 25	Ellen A. McVeaney	733 46
Louis Lewith	189 75	Ann Murphy	93 00
Leung Sen Chung	229 90	John Stewart	9 0 18
William Boydell	12 04	Mary A. Dean	112 20
James Solan	401 42	Julia Hartland	1 80
Gilbert McDonnell	256 59	Emma Gilbert	4 75
Moses Steimog	1,932 47	Wm. McLurg	7 75
Carl L. O. Nisler	129 66	Thomas Gale	54 70
James Walsh	3,160 38	Lucie F. Cinkat	6 00
Margaret McLaughlin	81 66	James Archer	10 72
Mary Dolan	310 08	Wilhelm Freiser	07
Ernest Weissman	85 09	Interest received from banks on average	
John J. McManus	130 00	amount of deposits	421 85
Nathan Maase	26 67		
Michael Mario	76 52	Total	\$19,288 35

Which was ordered on file.

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

No. 1451.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 27, 1900.

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

DEAR SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving preamble and resolution adopted by this Board on the 22d instant authorizing the Commissioner of Sewers to modify contract entered into by The City of New York with M. J. Leahy on March 17, 1898, for the construction of sewers in East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and other streets in the Borough of The Bronx.

The reason for authorizing this modification is fully set forth in the preamble to the resolution.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

That, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 22d day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the modification of contract therein provided for, is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Whereas, The Commissioner of Sewers has reported that under a contract entered into between The City of New York and M. J. Leahy, contractor, dated the 17th day of March, 1898, a sewer has been building in East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from the existing sewer in Jerome avenue to Morris avenue; in Morris avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and the summit south of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street; in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, between Eden avenue and Topping avenue; in Eastburn avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and Belmont street; in Weeks avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and Belmont street; in Monroe avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and summit south of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; and

Whereas, All of the sewer intended by said contract to be built, has been completed, with the exception of about 206.6 linear feet of brick sewer, 475.5 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, and 250.8 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, all on Morris avenue, south of Manhole No. 24, which is located between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Teller avenue; and

Whereas, It has been ascertained and determined that, in the said portion of Morris avenue, south of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, and for a considerable extent, there exists a swamp across which Morris avenue is in process of being regulated and graded, and it has been ascertained and determined after careful examination that the nature of the said swamp is such that there is a constant settling of material deposited therein along the line of said Morris avenue, through which the said sewer would have to be constructed, and that such settlement is likely to continue for a period of at least two years, subsequent to the completion of the regulating and grading of said Morris avenue at the said point; and

Whereas, It has been further ascertained that it would not be feasible to drive across said swamp for the foundation of the said sewer, for all of which reasons it is deemed advisable that the said sewer should not be constructed along said Morris avenue at the present time, since said construction might result in a total loss of the work through the breaking and sinking of the sewer if constructed; and

Whereas, The Commissioner of Sewers has recommended that the said portion of said sewer in Morris avenue be omitted from the work required of the contractor under the said contract, and that the rest of the sewer contemplated by the said contract having been finished to the satisfaction of the said Commissioner, it be accepted by the City and the contractor be discharged from all obligations under said contract with respect to the said portion of the sewer in Morris avenue proposed to be omitted; and

Whereas, An agreement has been executed by the said Commissioner in behalf of The City of New York and the said Contractor, the execution thereof by the latter having been agreed to by the sureties upon his undertaking annexed to the said contract and for the completion thereof, the purpose of the said agreement being to provide for the omission from the contract of the portion of the sewer referred to and the release of the contractor from his obligations with respect to said portion under the said contract; the acceptance by the City of the rest of the sewer and the release of the City by the contractor from all claims or demands whatsoever by reason of the omission from the said contract of the said portion of the said sewer; said agreement having been made subject to the approval of this Board or other proper authority; wherefore,

Resolved, That the said agreement between The City of New York by the Commissioner of Sewers, and M. J. Leahy, contractor, dated the 9th day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and that the contract and plan for the building of the said sewer be modified and changed so as to omit therefrom the construction of that portion of the brick sewer extending about two hundred and six and six-tenths linear feet and that portion of the pipe-sewer extending about seven hundred and twenty-six and three-tenths linear feet, all on Morris avenue, south of Manhole No. 24, which is located between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Teller avenue, and that upon the completion of the rest of the sewer mentioned in said contract and plans, in accordance with the specifications and plans and the terms and conditions of said contract, the obligation of the said M. J. Leahy, under said contract, with respect to the said portion of the said sewer in Morris avenue, shall cease and determine, and that thereupon the Commissioner of Sewers may accept the work and file with the Comptroller a final certificate of the completion and acceptance thereof, signed by the Chief Engineer or head of his Department, and that thereupon the contractor shall be entitled to payment of the amount shown to be due him by the said final certificate, except as to so much thereof as may be lawfully retained or deducted therefrom under any of the provisions of said contract between The City of New York and the said contractor, dated the 17th day of March, 1898.

Which was placed on the list of special orders.

Subsequently Councilman Murray called the matter up and the President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nstrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 1452.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 30, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 22d instant approving a modification of the contract made by the Village of Whitestone with J. M. Waddle, under date of December 31, 1897, for macadamizing Twenty-third street, from Eighth to Eleventh avenues, Borough of Queens.

This modification is recommended by the Commissioner of Highways.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize modification of contract for macadamizing Twenty-third street, Whitestone, Borough of Queens.

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

That, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 1st day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the modification of contract therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That authority be and is hereby given to the Commissioner of Highways to modify the contract made with J. M. Waddle, on December 31, 1897, with the Village of Whitestone, Queens County, and assigned to Laurence Collins on June 21, 1900, for macadamizing Twenty-third street, from Eighth to Eleventh avenues, etc., by omitting from said work under the written agreement from the assignee the laying of macadam sidewalks on both sides of Eighth avenue, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, and paving and guttering the east side of Sixth avenue, between Eighteenth and Twenty-second streets.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1453.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, September 17, 1900.

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

SIRS—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 14th instant, providing for the giving of guarantee of maintenance by the contractor for repaving East Thirty-third street, from a point 21.9 feet west of the west house-line of First avenue to a point about 360 feet east of the east house-line of First avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan.

A resolution providing for the repaving of this section of Thirty-third street was adopted by this Board, and an ordinance passed by both branches of the Municipal Assembly, and approved by the Mayor on July 31, 1900. The resolution, however, failed to make provision for guaranteeing the maintenance of the pavement, and the present resolution is adopted to remedy this omission.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the giving of a guarantee of maintenance by the contractor for repaving East Thirty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 14th day of September, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, That in pursuance of section 423 of the Greater New York Charter, the contractor for repaving with asphalt pavement on the present pavement East Thirty-third street, from a point about twenty-one and nine-tenths feet west of the west house-line of First avenue to a point about three hundred and sixty feet east of the east house-line of First avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, shall guarantee the maintenance of said pavement for a period of five (5) years."

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1454.

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

To the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—By direction of the Park Board, and pursuant to the provisions of the Charter, I have the honor to transmit herewith a copy of the Departmental Estimate of this Department for the year 1901.

Respectfully,

WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

ESTIMATE FOR 1901.

PARK BOARD.

Salaries of Commissioners, Landscape Architect, Secretary and Employees of the Board..... \$29,300 00

This is the same amount as allowed for the current year which was disposed of as follows:

Salaries of three Commissioners, as fixed by law.....	\$15,000 00
Landscape Architect.....	4,000 00
Secretary.....	4,800 00
Assistant Secretary.....	3,500 00
Confidential Stenographer to President.....	2,000 00

Total..... \$29,300 00

No change is contemplated for the coming year.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.

Administration	\$27,660 00
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	600,000 00
Zoological Department.....	37,500 00
Maintenance of Museums.....	230,000 00
Music.....	25,000 00
Contingencies.....	3,000 00
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	3,000 00
Aquarium.....	60,000 00
Trees, West End Avenue.....	5,000 00
Care of Grant's Tomb.....	5,000 00
Harlem River Driveway.....	20,000 00
Ambulance Service.....	1,200 00
Asphalting West Seventy-second and Eighty-sixth Streets.....	121,500 00
Aquatic House.....	8,300 00
Approaches to Conservatory.....	9,400 00
New Drive to Conservatory.....	9,500 00
Asphalt Walks, Central Park.....	16,000 00
Approach to New Wing, Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	10,000 00
Improvement of Parkway Streets.....	7,000 00
Cement Walks, Riverside Park.....	12,000 00
Drainage, Central Park.....	25,000 00
Water System Repairs.....	25,000 00
Sewerage, Park Cottages.....	45,000 00
Vault and Maps.....	3,000 00
Widening Fifty-ninth Street Roadway.....	20,600 00
Central Park, West, Improvement.....	35,475 00

Total..... \$1,365,135 00

The following statement will show specifically the objects and purposes of all the appropriations required for conducting the business of the Department in the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond for the year 1901, and asked for in the foregoing estimates:

ADMINISTRATION.

Salary List.

	PRESENT PAY.	PROPOSED FOR 1901.
Clerk in Charge of Accounts.....	\$2,800 00	\$2,800 00
Chief Clerk	2,000 00	2,000 00
Superintendent of Supplies and Repairs.....	2,500 00	3,000 00
Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
"	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	780 00	960 00
Entomologist.....	1,500 00	1,800 00
Meteorologist.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Chief Engineer.....	3,500 00	4,000 00
Private Secretary to Commissioner.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Landscape Gardener.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
Purchasing Agent.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Total.....	\$26,180 00	\$27,660 00

The amount appropriated for 1900 (\$25,580) was insufficient. The amount shown at the present rate is necessary and the small addition of \$180, \$300 and \$500 proposed in the salaries of the Stenographer, the Entomologist, the Chief Engineer and the Superintendent of Supplies and Repairs, respectively, is deemed proper recognition of efficient and faithful service, and, in the latter case, the work and responsibility devolving upon this official have greatly increased.

LABOR, MAINTENANCE AND SUPPLIES.

The amount asked for has been made as low as can be done consistently, considering only the absolutely essential expense of affecting a proper maintenance of the parks. The cost of maintenance is ever increasing in pace with the increase of area, wear and tear and general decay. The demand for additional labor, skilled and unskilled, grows each year with the development of the park system by the acquisition and improvement of new and hitherto unimproved parks and the great increase in the use by the people of all the parks. The appropriation for 1900 (\$496,000) was much too small to meet the needs.

Unless the amount appropriated can be made reasonably commensurate with the growing demands for more work and supplies, creditable results cannot be obtained and the parks must suffer. The increased cost in labor to meet the prevailing rate in all classes must also be considered.

The labor item is analyzed as follows:

1 General Foreman.....	\$3,000 00
20 Foremen, at \$1,200.....	24,000 00
4 Foremen, at \$1,500.....	6,000 00
1 Rockman, at \$3 per day, 365 days.....	1,095 00
10 carts, at \$3 per day, 313 days.....	9,390 00
10 Carpenters, at \$4 per day, 313 days.....	12,520 00
8 Painters, at \$3.50 per day, 313 days.....	8,764 00
4 Drivers, at \$2.50 per day, 365 days.....	3,650 00
23 Drivers, at \$2.25 per day, 365 days.....	18,888 75
4 Blacksmiths, at \$3.50 per day, 313 days.....	4,382 00
4 Helpers, at \$2.50 per day, 313 days.....	3,130 00
1 Machinist, at \$3.50 per day, 313 days.....	1,095 50
1 Machinist's Helper, at \$2.50 per day, 313 days.....	782 50
1 Steamfitter, at \$3.50 per day, 313 days.....	1,095 50
1 Mason, at \$4.40 per day, 313 days.....	1,377 20
2 Plumbers, at \$4 per day, 313 days.....	2,504 00
1 Tinsmith, at \$3.50 per day, 313 days.....	1,095 50
1 Harness Maker, at \$3 per day, 313 days.....	939 00
1 Rigger, at \$100 per month.....	1,200 00
30 Cottage Attendants, at \$35 per month.....	16,380 00
25 Cottage Laborers, at \$45 per month.....	13,500 00
1 Cottage Laborer, at \$60 per month.....	720 00
1 Cottage Attendant, at \$45 per month.....	540 00
3 Steam Engineers, \$3.50 per day, 313 days.....	3,286 50
1 Cart, \$60 per month.....	720 00
1 Laborer, at \$55 per month.....	660 00
350 Laborers, at \$2 per day, 365 days.....	255,500 00
Total.....	\$396,215 45

8 Foremen Gardeners, at \$100 per month.....	\$9,600 00
6 Gardener Specialists, at \$75 per month.....	5,400 00
60 Gardeners, at \$65 per month.....	46,800 00
40 Laborers with Gardeners, at \$2 per day, 365 days.....	29,200 00
10 Carts, at \$3 per day, 365 days.....	10,950 00
Total.....	\$101,950 00

Supplies.

Gravel, sand and shale.....	\$20,000 00
Mowing-machines and repairs to same.....	3,000 00
Coal.....	6,000 00
Forage.....	10,000 00
Brick, sand and cement.....	1,500 00
Gas.....	2,000 00
Settees.....	2,000 00
Steam road roller.....	3,000 00
Lumber and hardware.....	8,000 00
Paints, oils, etc.....	2,000 00
Iron, etc.....	2,000 00
Shoeing horses.....	3,000 00
Plumbers' supplies.....	1,000 00
Horses.....	1,000 00
Harness.....	500 00
Road scrapers (2).....	500 00
Dumping trucks (2).....	500 00
Miscellaneous supplies.....	6,000 00
Trees, shrubs, vines and plants for Conservatory.....	8,000 00
Mould for Central and City parks.....	2,000 00
Manure.....	3,000 00
Fertilizers.....	1,000 00
Seeds and bulbs.....	2,500 00
Gardening supplies.....	1,800 00
Entomologist's supplies.....	1,500 00
Grass sod.....	6,000 00
Pipe fencing for lawn borders.....	4,700 00
Total.....	\$102,500 00

ZOOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

The sum asked is made up as follows:

Salary of Director.....	\$3,000 00
1 Engineer.....	900 00
2 Keepers, at \$1,080.....	2,160 00
8 Keepers, at \$900.....	7,200 00
52 weeks labor, at \$65.....	3,380 00
Feed.....	12,000 00
Supplies—tools, coal, gas, sawdust, express charges, medicines, etc.....	1,400 00
Ordinary repairs.....	1,000 00
Increasing, collection and replacing specimens lost by death.....	1,500 00
Erecting inclosing structure over present summer quarters of hippopotami.....	5,000 00
Total.....	\$37,340 00

The above is based upon the present rate of expenditure. The amount is the same as allowed for 1900 with the last-named item added. Suitable quarters for the hippopotami are a necessity which has been neglected. The collection of hippopotami is said to be the best of its kind in the world and forms the most interesting and valuable feature in the Central Park Menagerie. The three specimens now owned by the department are worth at least \$20,000. Owing to the great size of the animals, considerable difficulty has been experienced in past years in moving them from their summer quarters to their winter quarters in the Lion House, and after effecting such removal, it has been possible to keep them safely through the winter only through the greatest care and watchfulness; the present quarters are inadequate in every particular. It is believed that an appropriate structure covering the present winter quarters could be erected for \$5,000.

The City will, in all probability, be reimbursed this amount by the sale of the young hippopotamus, that being the price realized for the last one disposed of.

MAINTENANCE OF MUSEUMS.

For the keeping, preservation and exhibition of the collections in the American Museum of Natural History, the Museum to be kept open according to law....	\$135,000 00
For the keeping, preservation and exhibition of the collections in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Museum to be kept open according to law.....	95,000 00
Total.....	\$230,000 00

The amount inserted for the Art Museum is the sum allowed by law and by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the current and previous years.

Chapter 126 of the Laws of 1899, authorizes a further sum for the American Museum of Natural History, not exceeding \$40,000, which additional amount is asked for at the request of the Trustees, whose detailed statement of expenditure is subjoined in support of their request.

MUSIC.

The same amount has been allowed for several years past. The appropriation for 1900 has been expended as follows:

PARKS.	CONCERTS.	
Central.....	32	\$6,880 00
Tompkins Square.....	12	1,500 00
East River.....	13	1,625 00
Washington Square.....	13	1,625 00
Battery.....	13	1,625 00
Mount Morris.....	14	1,750 00
Abingdon.....	15	1,875 00
Madison Square.....	12	1,500 00
Mulberry Bend.....	12	1,500 00
Corlears Hook.....	12	1,500 00
Hudson.....	12	1,500 00
Seward.....	12	1,500 00
Calcium lights.....		600 00
Total.....		\$24,980 00

This arrangement has given good results and will be generally followed in 1901. The large attendance at the concerts testifies to their popularity and proves them a most enjoyable park feature. A much larger sum could be thus expended with great profit.

CONTINGENCIES.

This amount of \$3,000 is the same as for 1900. It is required and will be used for telephone service and similar contingent items.

SURVEYS, MAPS AND PLANS.

This amount of \$3,000 is \$1,000 more than was allowed for the present year. It is required for making maps for the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment and similar work, and also for making surveys of parks in the Borough of Richmond and other new small parks.

AQUARIUM.

The running expenses of the Aquarium are as follows:	
Superintendent of Small Parks (in charge).....	\$3,500 00
1 Assistant Foreman.....	1,800 00
1 Assistant Foreman.....	1,350 00
1 Skilled Laborer.....	1,500 00
1 Skilled Laborer.....	1,200 00
1 Laborer.....	1,200 00
1 Cottage Attendant.....	420 00
3 Engineers, at \$3.50 per day.....	3,832 50
3 Stokers or Firemen, at \$75 per month.....	2,700 00
1 Laborer, at \$75 per month.....	900 00
3 Laborers, at \$2.25 per day.....	2,463 75
14 Laborers, at \$2 per day.....	10,220 00
Supplies.....	\$31,086 25

Coal.....	\$5,400 00
Gas.....	900 00
Ice.....	200 00
Fish food.....	2,500 00
Live specimens for exhibition.....	2,500 00
Brushes, brooms, oil, hardware, tools, rubber hose, etc.....	1,000 00
Repairs to tanks and pipes.....	1,000 00
Insurance, as per last year.....	840 00
Repair and alterations to dome and roof for improving light and ventilation and relaying and repairing sewer pipes, as per estimate....	\$5,443 00
New boilers and auxiliary steam plant, as per estimate.....	10,000 00
Total.....	\$60,869 25

The appropriation of \$40,000 for the current year was not sufficient for the bare maintenance of the Aquarium, and a transfer will be necessary to carry the same to January 1. The amounts included for improving the light and ventilation and for an auxiliary steam plant are urged to meet a pressing necessity. The present boilers are so inadequate that the migratory and tropical fish are kept alive in winter with the greatest difficulty, and in the event of an accident or breakdown to the present boilers, even for a day, many of the most valuable specimens could not be saved. The risk of operating the Aquarium without this auxiliary plant makes it most unwise and unbusinesslike to defer its purchase longer. It is a necessity which must be met if the Aquarium is to be operated successfully. The number of daily visitors far exceeds the attendance of all other housed exhibits maintained by the City. A quarter of a million visitors are present each month in summer and about one-half of that number in winter.

TREES, WEST END AVENUE.

Chapter 46 of the Laws of 1894 placed these trees under the care of this Department. The law requires that the same be maintained by a special appropriation. A large portion of the avenue is still unplanted and the Department is repeatedly urged by property-owners to complete the work. While the cost of completion would require a much larger amount, considerable can be accomplished with the sum asked for.

CARE OF GRANT'S TOMB.

This amount (\$5,000) is required to meet the terms of a contract entered into by the City, under chapter 670 of the Laws of 1897, with the Grant Monument Association, for the care and preservation of the Tomb of General Grant. The contract covers a period of twenty-one years, the Association to serve without compensation, the City to pay the expense of maintaining the Tomb, not exceeding \$5,000 per year.

AMBULANCE SERVICE.

Central Park.

The amount asked for (\$1,200) is the same as has been allowed for this worthy purpose for several years past.

HARLEM RIVER DRIVEWAY.

The amount now asked is the same as allowed for previous years. With judicious application, it is sufficient to secure the desired results. It will be expended approximately as follows:

Superintendent.....	\$1,500 00
Foreman.....	1,200 00
12 laborers, six months, \$2 per day.....	4,368 00
6 laborers, six months, \$2 per day.....	2,184 00
6 teams, six months, \$4.50 per day.....	4,914 00
3 teams, six months, \$4.50 per day.....	2,457 00
Blacksmith and paver, as required.....	1,000 00
Materials for resurfacing and repairs to roadway and additional settees.....	2,400 00
Total.....	\$20,023 00

ASPHALTING WEST SEVENTY-SECOND AND WEST EIGHTY-SIXTH STREETS.

This proposed improvement of West Eighty-sixth street has been repeatedly asked for and urged by the property-owners as well as by the Local Board of Public Improvements.

The improvement is a most desirable one. The cost of laying a pavement of asphalt on the existing stone-block pavement of the roadway, including new curb and other necessary work, is estimated as follows:

6,800 linear feet bluestone curb.....	\$11,900 00
15,500 square yards asphalt laid.....	46,500 00
Engineering, inspection and contingencies.....	5,600 00
Total.....	\$64,000 00

The asphaltting of Seventy-second street is a newer proposition and is included at the request of the property-owners.

As the principal parkway connection between Central and Riverside, there would seem to be reasons for maintaining the present macadam pavement, but, on the other hand, many reasons are urged for changing to asphalt.

Following is the estimate for Seventy-second street, from Central Park to Riverside:

5,700 linear feet new curb.....	\$9,975 00
14,100 square yards asphalt pavement, including grading and preparation of foundation.....	42,300 00
Engineering, inspection and contingencies.....	5,225 00
Total.....	\$57,500 00

AQUATIC HOUSE.

This amount (\$8,300) is the estimated cost of constructing a new aquatic building made necessary by the removal of the old greenhouse in Central Park. The display of aquatic plants in the fountain basins of the parks is very popular and should be kept up, but without the proposed structure this cannot be done as the present buildings do not provide for aquatics, the plan on which they are built not being as yet so far carried out.

APPROACHES TO CONSERVATORY.

It will cost by careful estimation this sum (\$9,400) for the construction of steps and approaches to the new conservatory and general improvement of the grounds adjacent. As the cost of thus properly completing the conservatories, which are one of the most useful and creditable of the park features accomplished in late years, the proposed expenditure would seem to be a wise one and fully warranted by results already secured. The number of visitors is very large, especially during the winter, when to many visitors the parks offer very few attractions elsewhere.

NEW DRIVE TO CONSERVATORY.

These items in connection with the conservatory improvement are entered separately to best show the several features still undeveloped but necessary to the development of the general plan.

This plan calls for the construction of a new drive behind McGown's Pass Tavern as an approach from the interior of the park and for a system of connecting walks.

This work, it is believed, can be done satisfactorily for the sum named (\$9,500).

ASPHALT WALKS, CENTRAL PARK.

This amount (\$16,000) is a low estimate of the cost of work necessary for asphaltting and repairing walks in the Central Park, many of which are in a dangerous condition. About 65,000 square feet of asphalt will be required to place them in proper shape. At 25 cents per foot the cost will approximate the amount asked for.

APPROACH TO NEW WING, METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART.

Work on the new east wing of the Art Museum—a million-dollar improvement—is nearing completion. The surrounding grounds require to be graded and improved in connection with the construction of a suitable approach, which has been planned and should be commenced at an early day. The sum of \$10,000 is estimated as the cost of the work necessary to secure this improvement.

IMPROVING PARKWAY STREETS.

The cost of planting and kindred improvement of West Eighty-sixth, West Ninety-sixth and other parkway streets, which are now under the care and control of this Department, is estimated, upon plans which have been prepared, at \$7,000. These streets were, by acts of the Legislature, placed in charge of this Department to be improved as parkways. Such improvement is repeatedly urged and is looked for. Without funds, however, nothing can be done to carry out the purpose of the law beyond the degree of care given to an ordinary street; they are obliged to receive even less consideration than ordinary streets, which are at least covered by a general appropriation for repairs.

CEMENT WALKS, RIVERSIDE PARK.

The condition of the cement-walk pavement surrounding the tomb of General Grant calls for attention.

These walks were laid during the winter of 1896-7, a season of the year totally unfit for such work. It is now badly cracked. Settlement has taken place both in pavement and exterior walls, and the pointing has fallen out of the granitework joints. To make proper repairs, the walls, in places, should be rebuilt, the entire granitework repointed and the pavement relaid. This will call for the following items of work:

52,400 square feet Portland cement sidewalks relaid, repairs and repointing of wall masonry and granitework, engineering and inspection; it will cost..... \$1,200 00

DRAINAGE, CENTRAL PARK.

The amount appropriated last year for this work was expended in contracts for new drains, rebuilding basins, laying new drainage gutters. There are still many defective drains, and the gutters of the drives are all low and should be raised. With the amount asked for next year (\$25,000) this important work can be prosecuted to completion.

WIDENING FIFTY-NINTH STREET ROADWAY.

This proposed improvement, an obviously desirable one, appears to have been long contemplated but never undertaken.

The present congested condition of this much-used thoroughfare makes loud demand for the relief which only a widening of the roadway on the northerly or park side can give. The work proposed provides for a widening of ten feet of the roadway of Fifty-ninth street, from Fifth to Eighth avenue. This will require new 6-inch bluestone curb for the entire length, asphalt pavement for the widened portion, mould, trees, etc.

The items of the work involved are as follows:
1,800 cubic yards excavation, 300 cubic yards mould, 3,800 square yards asphalt road pavement, 3,000 square feet asphalt walk pavement, 2,450 linear feet 6-inch bluestone curb, 2 receiving-basins, 46 trees, sodding, engineering, inspection, etc..... \$20,600 00

WATER SYSTEM REPAIRS.

The water system of Central Park is old. To complete the work already begun of relaying cast-iron water-pipe and to set new street washers, hydrants, etc., the sum of \$100,000 will be required. \$25,000 is asked for to continue the work during the coming year.

VAULT AND MAPS.

This amount (\$3,000) is needed to procure racks, trays, tubes, indexing, etc., including pay of an Assistant.

The present condition of the vault under the Arsenal building makes it unsafe and unsatisfactory as a place for the filing and preservation of the numerous maps and valuable records. The expenditure would be a most useful and wise one.

CENTRAL PARK, WEST, IMPROVEMENT.

This much-needed improvement has been under consideration for several years past and the general improvement of property along the westerly boundary of the park would seem to not only warrant, but demand the attention which is being given other important thoroughfares of the city.

Following is an estimate of what it will cost to pave the avenue with asphalt between the car tracks and the curb, etc.

4,500 square yards pavement, 12,500 linear feet 6-inch bluestone curb, engineering, contingencies, etc..... \$35,475 00

SEWERAGE, PARK COTTAGES.

Upon examination it is found that the sewage from several of the cottages and other park buildings is carried directly into the lake or pools. This should be remedied without delay and to do so it is proposed to establish new drainage systems between the cottages and the City sewers; to build two large cesspools and erect one new cottage, all at the estimated cost of the sum asked for, \$45,000.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

APPROPRIATION.	ALLOWED, 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
Administration.....	\$25,580 00	\$27,660 00
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	496,000 00	600,000 00
Zoological Department.....	32,500 00	37,500 00
Maintenance of Museums.....	215,000 00	230,000 00
Music.....	25,000 00	25,000 00
Contingencies.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	2,000 00	3,000 00
Aquarium.....	40,000 00	60,000 00
Trees, West End Avenue.....	.....	5,000 00
Care of Grant's Tomb.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Harlem River Driveway.....	20,000 00	20,000 00

APPROPRIATION.	ALLOWED, 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
Ambulance Service.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00
Sewerage and Drainage.....	20,000 00	.....
Asphalt West Seventy-second and West Eighty-sixth Streets.....	121,500 00
Aquatic House.....	8,300 00
Approaches to Conservatory.....	9,400 00
New Drive to Conservatory.....	9,500 00
Asphalt Walks, Central Park.....	16,000 00
Approach to New Wing, Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	10,000 00
Improvement Parkway Streets.....	7,000 00
Cement Walks, Riverside Park.....	12,000 00
Drainage, Central Park.....	25,000 00
Water System Repairs.....	25,000 00
Sewerage, Park Cottages.....	45,000 00
Vault and Maps.....	3,000 00
Widening Fifty-ninth Street Roadway.....	20,600 00
Central Park, West, Improvement.....	35,475 00
Total.....	\$885,280 00	\$1,365,135 00

It does not appear at this time that any unexpended balance of the appropriation for 1900 will remain at the close of the year.

Respectfully submitted,

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

Hon. GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, President Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan, New York City:

DEAR SIR—In making up the budget of your Department for the year 1901, I have the honor to request that you include for the American Museum of Natural History the sum of \$135,000, the maximum amount which the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized by law to appropriate for the maintenance of this institution.

A provisional budget has been sent to your Department showing an estimated expenditure of \$150,000.

I am, very respectfully yours,
MORRIS K. JESUP, President.

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY FOR THE YEAR 1901.

Department of Geology, Mineralogy, Conchology, and Marine Invertebrate Zoology—		
1 Curator.....	\$3,500 00	
2 Assistant Curators.....	3,200 00	
1 Assistant.....	750 00	
Labels.....	1,000 00	
Tools, apparatus, paper trays, glass jars, etc., accessories for the display of the specimens.....	750 00	
		\$9,200 00
Department of Mammalogy, Ornithology, Herpetology, and Ichthyology (Vertebrate Zoology)—		
1 Curator.....	\$4,000 00	
6 Assistants.....	6,700 00	
Poison.....	250 00	
Labels.....	1,200 00	
Accessories and supplies for the care and display of the collections.....	1,000 00	
1 Attendant, poison room.....	600 00	
		13,750 00
Department of Vertebrate Paleontology—		
1 Curator.....	\$3,500 00	
5 Curators.....	5,100 00	
Labels and frames.....	1,250 00	
Tools, accessories for the care and display of the collections.....	600 00	
		11,450 00
Department of Forestry and Economic Geology—		
1 Curator.....		1,500 00
Department of Anthropology (Archaeology and Ethnology)—		
One Curator.....	\$5,000 00	
Two Assistant Curators.....	4,500 00	
Two Assistants.....	2,500 00	
Stenographer.....	900 00	
Labels.....	1,500 00	
Paper boxes, trays, poison, etc., for storage and display of the specimens.....	1,000 00	
		15,400 00
Department of Entomology—		
One Curator.....	\$2,000 00	
Two Assistants.....	1,300 00	
Labels.....	600 00	
Poison, tools and apparatus.....	400 00	
		4,200 00
Library—		
Librarian.....	\$1,200 00	
Two Assistants.....	1,080 00	
Labels.....	300 00	
		2,580 00
Executive Department—		
Assistant to the President.....		5,000 00
Administration Department—		
Secretary and Assistant Treasurer.....	\$3,250 00	
Superintendent of Buildings.....	3,250 00	
Bookkeeper.....	1,050 00	
Auditor.....	350 00	
Stenographer.....	750 00	
Messenger.....	350 00	
		9,000 00
General expenses for supplies, gas, insurance on elevators, expressage, disinfectants, uniforms, telephones, lumber, pedestals (temporary and permanent), fixtures, hardware, glass, repairs to cases, fitting up work-rooms, painting, drying-room, fixtures for transparencies and label frames, etc.....		11,000 00
Supplies for Engineer's plant of seven boilers and dynamos; coal, oil, waste, electric bulbs and supplies, repairs to furnaces, boilers, heating plant and elevators; repairs to electric plant.....		15,000 00
Labor force, including Janitor, Attendants, Cleaners, Night Watchmen, Chief Engineer, 3 Assistant Firemen and Coal Passers; 99 in all.....		52,000 00
		\$150,080 00
Appropriation.....		135,000 00
Estimated deficit to be met by the Trustees.....		\$15,080 00

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS—BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1901.

The titles of appropriations are as follows:

1. Administration.
2. Maintenance and Construction.
3. Maintenance of Botanical Gardens.
4. Maintenance of Zoological Gardens.
5. Music.
6. Contingencies.
7. Surveys, Maps and Plans.

5. MUSIC.

During the season of 1900 there were eight series of twelve concerts given in the following parks :

Saturdays.

Sundays.

ful and the attendance largely increased.

The concerts were highly successful and the attendance largely increased. The estimate provides for the same number for the coming year, viz.: 8 parks, 12 concerts each—total 96 concerts; 22 musicians at \$5 each; 1 soloist, \$10; 1 leader, \$10; \$130 per concert. Amount of appropriation \$12,480.

6. CONTINGENCIES.

This account was formerly entitled "Telephonic Service " and provides for the maintenance of the entire telephonic system of the department, together with such incidental charges as would properly come under this title.

SURVEYS, MAPS AND PLANS.

The sum requested for 1901 is the same appropriated for the present year, viz., \$10,000.
The purpose of the appropriation is the surveying, monumenting and mapping the four thousand acres of park lands now in progress.

Also for the preparation of the general maps and plans for the ground work of the department. Our surveys and maps are largely used by the several city departments.

RECAPITULATION.

LITTLE OF APPROPRIATION.	ASKED FOR 1900.	GRANTED FOR 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
1. Administration	\$15,480 00	\$14,280 00	\$17,400 00
2. Maintenance and Construction.....	302,000 00	245,000 00	334,000 00
3. Maintenance of Botanical Gardens.....	60,000 00	40,000 00	73,280 00
4. Maintenance of Zoological Gardens.....	60,000 00	40,000 00	80,000 00
5. Music	12,480 00	12,480 00	12,480 00
6. Contingencies	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
7. Surveys, Maps and Plans	10,000 00	10,000 00	10,000 00
Total.....	\$511,460 00	\$363,260 00	\$528,660 00

In the preparation of the estimate many items that would ordinarily be deemed matters of urgency have been omitted that would have greatly increased its total.

I have endeavored to carry out the injunction contained in your circular letter: "Every item of expense not absolutely necessary for conducting the public business should be excluded, and every item included in the estimates should be reduced to the lowest amount of expenditure consistent with efficient service, in order to secure the utmost economy in the administration of City affairs, and make the burden of taxation as light as possible," and have rigidly excluded every item that is not an urgent necessity and absolutely required for the proper and economical maintenance of the great park territory of the Bronx, for the ensuing year.

I trust that the estimate of the required amounts for this department will receive the careful scrutiny of every member of the Board. I am ready at all times, and would be only too pleased to wait upon and accompany any member throughout our territory, to show our remarkable growth during the past three years and point out the urgency of a fair, wise, yet conservative treatment of the Borough of the Bronx.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

AUGUST MOEBUS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of the Bronx.

AUGUST 14, 1900.

Hon. AUGUST MOEBUS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx :

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to your request I submit herewith a detailed estimate of the expenses of maintenance of the New York Botanical Garden for the year 1901. This matter has been very carefully considered by members of the Board of Managers and by me, and it is believed that the amount suggested is the least that the proper care of the plantations, nurseries, grounds, buildings and collections requires.

The development of the institution has been very rapid during the past year, both the Museum Building and the large Conservatories having been completed, equipped, and the collections installed; a large amount of driveway and path have been built, much grading accomplished, and the plantations considerably extended.

The Museum and Greenhouse collections have been more than doubled in size. Popular lectures for the people have been delivered in the lecture hall of the Museum to large and appreciative audiences, and the number of visitors has been far in excess of any previous year.

Yours very respectfully,

(Signed) N. L. BRITTON, Director-in-Chief.

ESTIMATE.

Salaries—

Director-in-Chief.....	\$5,000 00
First Assistant.....	2,100 00
Curator of the Museums.....	1,800 00
Assistant Curator of the Museums.....	1,200 00
" "	1,200 00
Museum Aid.....	600 00
" "	600 00
" "	600 00
" "	480 00
" "	480 00
" "	420 00
" "	420 00
Superintendent of Buildings.....	1,500 00
Accountant.....	840 00
Stenographer.....	600 00
Librarian.....	900 00
Head Gardener.....	1,920 00
Second Gardener.....	1,200 00
15 Gardeners, averaging \$720.....	10,800 00
4 Keepers averaging, \$600.....	2,400 00
20 Laborers, averaging \$500.....	10,000 00
Curator of the Plantations.....	1,800 00
Assistant Curator of the Plantations.....	900 00
Messenger.....	480 00
5 Janitors for Museum Building, averaging \$600.....	3,000 00
Office Boy.....	180 00
3 Night Watchmen, at \$600.....	1,800 00
2 Foremen, at \$720.....	1,440 00
4 Drivers, at \$600.....	2,400 00
2 Stablemen, at \$600.....	1,200 00
Head Engineer.....	1,500 00
Second Engineer.....	960 00
Third Engineer.....	840 00
4 Firemen, averaging \$720.....	2,880 00
Painter.....	840 00
Carpenter.....	840 00
Fuel for Power House and Propagating Houses.....	4,750 00
Insurance on Buildings.....	450 00
Supplies and Repairs, including tools, flower-pots, flower-tubs, paint, glass, lumber, nails, jars, labels, brooms, mops, pails, picture-frames, water-pipe, drain-pipe, hose, peat moss, stakes, telephone service, stationery, gas, wire.....	2,500 00
Total.....	\$73,820 00

Yours very respectfully,

Approved :
(Signed) D. E. MILLS, President.

Yours very respectfully,
(Signed) N. L. BRITTON, Director-in-Chief.

NEW YORK, July 30, 1900.

Hon. AUGUST MOEBUS, Park Commissioner, Borough of The Bronx:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with your request, I have the honor to transmit herewith the New York Zoological Society's estimate of the expenditures required for the maintenance of the Zoological Park during the year 1901.

In forwarding these estimates I desire to assure you that they are as low as is at all consistent with the maintenance of such an institution as we now have, and for the growth which must at all hazards be made during the coming year.

The experience of the present year has demonstrated that last year's estimate of \$70,000 was too low. The majority of our employees are seriously underpaid and, also overworked, and it is of vital importance to the interests of the Zoological Park that certain salaries should be raised to a figure which will represent a reasonable compensation for the services received. As you will observe from the inclosed salary list, it is by no means the intention of the Society to pay high salaries. At present, our curators are not receiving as much pay as our carpenters, and yet their working hours are nearly twice as long and their responsibilities ten times as great. It is not in keeping with the dignity of this City, nor with its fairness in paying all other employees engaged in serving the public, that the men who are now making the Zoological Park acceptable from day to day should receive the meagre salaries that have been paid them up to the present time.

We beg you, therefore, to consider that the inclosed estimates represent precisely the amount that will be necessary next year for the proper maintenance of the Zoological Park and the service of the public which visits it.

During the present year a large amount of work in the care of the forests which should have been performed has been postponed because the Maintenance Fund would not permit of the employment of the men necessary to render the services required. This work must, at all hazards, be taken up next year and prosecuted with vigor. Next year it will be absolutely necessary to maintain three additional entrances, two of which are now closed and the third is in charge of a small boy in a place where a man should be. The Society desires to greatly increase the collections of the park, but cannot do so until the Maintenance Fund is adequate to justify it and make it possible. The additional buildings which will be erected from the appropriation of \$160,000 now available, and the other improvements which will be made, will open up to the public a large additional area of the park, which will inevitably require for its care an increase of the permanent force.

The Executive Committee earnestly hopes that the inclosed estimate will be approved in full, and assures the Commissioner and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that \$80,000 is only a reasonable amount for the maintenance of the Zoological Park in a condition satisfactory to the public. The amount appropriated last year (\$40,000) has proven to be \$30,000 below the actual needs of the Zoological Park for the present year, and how the deficit will be made up still remains to be determined.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) W. T. HORNADAY, Director of the Zoological Park.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES ABSOLUTELY REQUIRED FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF THE NEW YORK ZOOLOGICAL PARK DURING THE YEAR 1901.

For Salaries in Maintenance of Collections and Public Service.

1 Director and General Curator, at \$416.66 per month.....	\$5,000 00
1 Chief Clerk, at \$125 per month.....	1,500 00
3 Assistant Curators, at \$125 per month.....	4,500 00
1 Chief Forester, at \$125 per month.....	1,500 00
1 Constructor, at \$125 per month.....	1,500 00
1 Clerk, at \$75 per month.....	900 00
1 Stenographer, at \$70 per month.....	840 00
2 Assistant Foresters, at \$70 per month.....	1,680 00
8 Keepers, at \$60 per month.....	5,760 00
7 Helpers, at \$45 per month.....	3,780 00
2 Hot-house men, at \$60 per month.....	1,440 00
2 Hot-house men, at \$50 per month.....	1,200 00
1 Foreman of Labor, at \$60 per month.....	720 00
1 Storekeeper, at \$50 per month.....	600 00
1 Mason, 260 days, at \$3 per day.....	780 00
1 Sign Painter, at \$70 per month.....	840 00
1 Painter, at \$55 per month.....	660 00
2 Carpenters, at \$78 per month.....	1,872 00
1 Blacksmith, at \$3 per day.....	900 00
1 Cook, at \$60 per month.....	720 00
1 Plumber and Tinner, 260 days, at \$3 per day.....	780 00
2 Teamsters, at \$50 per month.....	1,200 00
1 Teamster, at \$40 per month.....	480 00
1 Captain of the Watch, at \$60 per month.....	720 00
2 Watchmen, at \$50 per month.....	1,200 00
2 Watchmen, at \$40 per month.....	960 00
8 Gate Keepers, at \$45 per month.....	4,320 00
4 Cleaners, at \$40 per month.....	1,920 00
5 Messengers, at \$25 per month.....	1,500 00
25 General Laborers, 4,281 days, at \$2 per day.....	8,562 00
3 Teams, 450 days, at \$4 per day.....	1,800 00
Total.....	\$60,134 00

For Food of All Kinds for Quadrupeds, Birds and Reptiles.

Hay, straw, corn, wheat, oats, bran, middlings, meal, etc., for hoofed animals.....	\$2,400 00
Vegetables, bread, milk, fruit, eggs, etc., for apes, monkeys and other animals.....	1,000 00
Meat, fish, fowl heads for carnivorous animals.....	3,000 00
Nuts, seeds, grain, dog cakes, bread, etc., for rodents and other animals.....	1,000 00
Sundries—Brushes, drinking and food dishes, cooking utensils, pails, brooms, soap, etc., etc.....	400 00
Food for birds—Seeds, fish, meat, vegetables, grain.....	2,000 00
Food for reptiles—Fowls, rabbits, sparrows, mice, rats, frogs, fish, meal worms, etc.....	2,200 00
Total.....	\$12,000 00

Maintenance, Materials and Services.

500 tons Wilber Lehigh nut and egg coal, at \$4.50 per ton (delivered).....	\$2,250 00
2 work horses and harness.....	400 00
1 light wagon.....	100 00
1 saddle and work horse and harness.....	175 00
Tools, all kinds, and miscellaneous hardware and machinery.....	1,000 00
Ice, 6 months, at \$50 per month.....	300 00
Disinfectants (sanitas, chlorides, etc.).....	450 00
Drain tile (not vitrified).....	100 00
1,000 feet 6-inch sewer pipe, at 11c.....	110 00
500 feet 8-inch sewer pipe, at 18c.....	90 00
500 feet 72-inch sewer pipe, at 25c.....	125 00
Lumber, for guard rails and all purposes, wire netting and wire.....	500 00
10 stoves, for all purposes.....	200 00
25 doormats, at \$3.50.....	87 50
2,000 pounds white lead and other paints, ground in oil, at 6c., boiled oil, turpentine, etc., etc.....	400 00
50 uniforms and caps, at \$13.50, for employees.....	675 00
Stationery, postage, telegraphing and telephone services, transportation on live animals in transit to the Zoological Park and traveling expenses of man in charge, medical and surgical services.....	903 50
Total.....	\$7,866 00

SUMMARY.

Salaries.....	\$60,134 00
Food for animals.....	12,000 00
Maintenance, materials and services.....	7,862 00
Total.....	\$80,000 00

No. 1455.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, ROOM NO. 14, CITY HALL,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, August 31, 1900.

Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Inclosed please find Departmental Estimate for the year 1901 of the Department of Parks, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for presentation to the Board of Estimate and

Apportionment, as requested by circular letter received from Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, under date of July 2, 1900.

Very truly,
GEO. V. BROWER, Commissioner.

ESTIMATE OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS FOR THE YEAR 1901.

ADMINISTRATION.

Robert T. Brown, Secretary.....	\$3,000 00
Alvin Boody, Superintendent of Parks.....	3,500 00
Francis N. Kerrigan, Chief Clerk.....	2,500 00
Oscar C. Wheden, Assistant Paymaster.....	1,700 00
Robert T. Flynn, Property Clerk.....	2,000 00
Thomas Stratford, Chief Engineer of Boulevards and Driveways.....	2,500 00
William J. Zartmann, Assistant Civil Engineer.....	2,000 00
May G. Hamilton, Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,500 00
H. W. Dusenberry, Leveler.....	1,200 00
John P. Campbell, Leveler.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$20,900 00

LABOR, MAINTENANCE AND SUPPLIES.

General Supplies—

Flags, bunting, grand stands, temporary platforms, benches, etc., for Anniversary Day.....	\$2,500 00
Lawn mowers and keeping same in repair.....	975 00
Blacksmith and Wheelwright materials.....	2,500 00
Hardware.....	2,050 00
Painting materials, including oil, glass, etc.....	2,120 00
Plumbers' supplies.....	5,000 00
Forage.....	5,220 00
Coal.....	5,500 00
Lime, brick, cement, etc.....	2,500 00
Lumber.....	5,000 00
Feed for animals (bread, milk, carrots, etc.).....	975 00
New horses and wagons.....	1,000 00
Telephone service.....	1,250 00
Harness and harness supplies.....	696 00
Gas lighting.....	300 00
New trees and shrubs.....	5,250 00
Bulbs.....	3,250 00
Bedding plants and seeds.....	1,000 00
Water-lilies, etc.....	343 00
Emergency Fund (as allowed by law).....	12,000 00
Miscellaneous supplies (basin head, extra tools and hardware).....	5,000 00
Total.....	\$64,429 00

Prospect Park—

Grass seed.....	\$225 00
Gravel.....	6,000 00
Limestone screenings.....	100 00
Topsoil.....	350 00
Labor, horses, carts and teams.....	185,000 00
Fertilizers, wood, ashes and manure.....	4,000 00
Ladies' water-closet, main entrance.....	2,150 00
Men's water-closet, main entrance.....	2,375 00
Men's water-closet, Fort Hamilton avenue.....	2,375 00
Cleaning lake.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$203,575 00

Fort Greene Park—

1 Caretaker and 6 Assistants, 6 months.....	\$2,646 25
1 Caretaker and 2 Assistants, 6 months.....	1,186 25
Sods, grass seed, plants, fertilizers, trees, fountain.....	3,500 00
Repairs to walks and shelters.....	400 00
Extra labor in cleaning snow.....	200 00
Making water connections, sprinklers, etc.....	355 00
Plumbing repairs.....	500 00
Total.....	\$8,787 50

Tompkins Park—

1 Caretaker and 3 Assistants, 6 months.....	\$1,551 25
1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant, 6 months.....	821 25
Sods, grass seed, trees, plants, shrubs and fertilizer.....	600 00
Tools.....	100 00
Extra labor removing snow.....	125 00
New plumbing and repairs.....	300 00
Total.....	\$3,497 50

City Park—

1 Caretaker and 2 Assistants, 6 months.....	\$1,186 25
1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant, 6 months.....	821 25
Sods, grass seed, plants and fertilizers.....	350 00
Extra labor removing snow.....	100 00
Painting fences.....	150 00
Repairs to plumbing.....	200 00
Tools.....	100 00
Total.....	\$2,907 50

Improvement of Red Hook Park—

1 Caretaker and 6 Assistants, 6 months.....	\$2,646 25
1 Caretaker and 2 Assistants, 6 months.....	1,186 25
Trees and shrubs.....	300 00
Fountains, etc.....	1,000 00
New comfort house.....	2,000 00
Tools.....	60 00
Removing snow.....	100 00
Total.....	\$7,282 50

Bedford Park—

1 Caretaker and 2 Assistants, 6 months.....	1,186 25
1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant, 6 months.....	456 25
Sods, grass seed, plants and fertilizers.....	200 00
Extra labor removing snow.....	100 00
Repairs to walks, and screenings for same.....	100 00
Tools.....	50 00
Repairs to building.....	300 00
Painting fence.....	150 00
Total.....	\$2,542 50

Dyker Beach Park—

1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant.....	\$1,642 50
Repairs to grade (to prevent washing).....	1,000 00
New comfort house.....	2,000 00
Labor, teams, etc., for construction.....	25,000 00
New work, grading and finishing roads, planting, etc.....	15,000 00
Total.....	\$44,642 50

Cooper Park—	
1 Caretaker and 2 Assistants, 6 months.....	\$1,186 20
Bluestone screenings for walks.....	200 00
Tools.....	25 00
Comfort house.....	2,000 00
	<u>3,411 20</u>
Saratoga Square—	
1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant, 1 year.....	\$1,642 50
Sods, grass seed, plants, fertilizer and trees.....	200 00
Bluestone screenings for walks.....	50 00
Extra labor removing snow.....	50 00
Tools.....	50 00
New comfort house.....	2,000 00
	<u>\$3,992 50</u>
Irving Square—	
1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant, 1 year.....	\$1,642 50
Plants, grass seed, sods and fertilizer.....	250 00
Bluestone screenings for walks.....	125 00
Extra labor for removing snow.....	50 00
Tools.....	50 00
Comfort house.....	2,000 00
	<u>\$4,117 50</u>
Sunset Park—	
1 Caretaker and 2 Assistants, 1 year.....	\$2,190 00
Finishing retaining-wall.....	12,000 00
Plants, trees, shrubs, etc.....	100 00
	<u>\$14,290 00</u>
Winthrop Park—	
1 Caretaker and 2 Assistants, 6 months.....	\$1,186 25
1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant, 6 months.....	821 25
Sods, grass seed, plants and fertilizers.....	400 00
Extra labor removing snow.....	50 00
Tools.....	50 00
Bluestone screenings for walks, and spreading same, extra labor.....	300 00
Making water connections, sprinklers, etc.....	175 00
New trees and top soil.....	250 00
	<u>\$3,232 50</u>
Bushwick Park—	
1 Caretaker, 1 year.....	\$912 50
2 Assistants, 6 months.....	730 00
Tools, etc.....	50 00
Fertilizers.....	100 00
New comfort house.....	2,000 00
	<u>\$3,792 50</u>
Carroll Park—	
1 Caretaker and 2 Assistants, 6 months.....	\$1,186 25
1 Caretaker.....	456 25
Sods, grass seed, plants and fertilizers.....	200 00
Extra labor in removing snow.....	50 00
Repairs to walks, painting fence, etc.....	250 00
Tools, etc.....	50 00
New shelter.....	2,500 00
	<u>\$4,692 50</u>
Bensonhurst Park—	
1 Caretaker.....	\$912 50
1 Assistant, 6 months.....	365 00
Sods, grass seed and fertilizer.....	100 00
Repairs to drive.....	300 00
New shelter.....	2,000 00
	<u>\$3,677 50</u>
Fort Hamilton Park—	
1 Caretaker.....	\$912 50
Manure, trees, etc., top-soil.....	1,000 00
Sod and grass seed.....	350 00
Tools.....	100 00
New comfort house (Library Building).....	2,000 00
	<u>\$4,362 50</u>
Highland Park—	
1 Caretaker and 4 Assistants, 2 horses and carts, 6 months.....	\$3,103 00
1 Caretaker and 2 Assistants, 2 horses and carts, 6 months.....	1,278 00
Tools.....	100 00
New work, grading and extending roads, etc.....	8,000 00
	<u>\$12,481 00</u>
Canarsie Park—	
1 Caretaker.....	\$730 00
	<u>\$730 00</u>
City Hall Park and Cuyler Square and Municipal Park—	
1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant, 6 months.....	\$812 25
1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant, 6 months.....	456 25
Grass seed and fertilizer.....	50 00
Extra labor, removing snow.....	200 00
Plants, extra labor on flower beds, repairs to fountain, etc.....	350 00
Tools.....	25 00
Cuyler Square—Maintenance and planting.....	80 00
Municipal.....	365 00
	<u>\$2,338 50</u>
Brooklyn Heights—	
1 Caretaker, 1 year.....	\$912 50
1 Assistant, 3 months.....	180 00
Tools.....	25 00
Sod, grass seed, etc.....	300 00
Fertilizer.....	200 00
Trees and shrubs.....	250 00
Bedding plants.....	350 00
	<u>\$2,217 50</u>
Small Parks—	
Linton—For labor and maintenance, grass seed, sod, fertilizers, plants, bulbs, trees, etc.....	\$230 00
Underhill—For labor and maintenance, grass seed, sod, fertilizers, plants, bulbs, trees, etc.....	225 00
Zindel—For labor and maintenance, grass seed, sod, fertilizers, plants, bulbs, trees, etc.....	200 00
Stuyvesant—For labor and maintenance, grass seed, sod, fertilizers, plants, bulbs, trees, etc.....	115 00
Cooper Gore—For labor and maintenance, grass seed, sod, fertilizers, plants, bulbs, trees, etc.....	150 00

Woodpoint Park—For labor and maintenance, grass seed, sod, fertilizers, plants, bulbs, trees, etc.....	
	\$125 00
New Lots Playground—For labor and maintenance, grass seed, sod, fertilizers, plants, bulbs, trees, etc.....	
	200 00
	<u>\$1,245 00</u>
Lincoln Terrace—	
1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant, 6 months.....	\$1,542 25
1 Caretaker.....	456 00
Tools.....	50 00
	<u>\$2,048 25</u>
Parade Grounds—	
1 Caretaker, 1 year.....	\$912 50
2 Assistants, 6 months.....	730 00
Repairs to buildings.....	1,500 00
New trees.....	250 00
Fertilizers.....	600 00
Grading.....	250 00
Trimming trees and mowing grass.....	675 00
	<u>\$4,917 50</u>
Flushing Park—	
1 Caretaker, 1 year.....	\$912 50
Extra labor, removing snow.....	100 00
Sods and grass seed.....	100 00
Tools.....	25 00
Plumbing work, sprinkling and water connections.....	75 00
400 feet bluestone curbing, at 60 cents.....	240 00
	<u>\$1,452 50</u>
College Point Park and Small Squares and Popenhausen Park—	
1 Caretaker, 6 months.....	\$730 00
Sod and grass seed.....	50 00
Tools.....	25 00
New trees and shrubs.....	200 00
New fountain, jets and fittings.....	25 00
Connection of curb walks, etc.....	487 00
	<u>\$1,517 00</u>
Kings Park (Jamaica)—	
1 Caretaker and 1 Assistant, 1 year.....	\$1,642 50
Grass seed and sod.....	200 00
Horses for carts and lawn mowers, 3 months.....	243 00
Trees and shrubs.....	525 00
Garden.....	300 00
Repairs to King's Mansion.....	1,000 00
Tools.....	50 00
Fertilizers.....	300 00
	<u>\$4,260 50</u>
Linden Park (Corona)—	
1 Caretaker, 1 year.....	\$730 00
New trees.....	300 00
Tools.....	50 00
	<u>\$1,080 00</u>
Ashmead Park (Long Island City)—	
Painting and repairs to fence.....	\$30 00
Top soil.....	100 00
Labor, cleaning snow, trimming trees, cutting grass, etc.....	200 00
	<u>\$330 00</u>
Long Island City Parks and Gores—	
1 Caretaker, 1 year.....	\$912 50
Grass sod and seed.....	50 00
Trees and shrubs.....	25 00
Tools.....	10 00
Fertilizers.....	10 00
	<u>\$1,007 50</u>
Forest Park—	
1 Caretaker and 7 Assistants.....	\$5,840 00
Repairs to drives.....	2,000 00
Tools, etc.....	200 00
New work, grading and finishing roads, etc., and walks.....	10,000 00
Painting fences.....	500 00
New comfort house.....	2,000 00
Cost of drinking water from Jamaica Water Company.....	100 00
	<u>\$20,640 00</u>
East Side Lands (Institute Gardens)—	
2 Watchmen, 1 year.....	\$1,460 00
Painting fences.....	200 00
	<u>\$1,660 00</u>
Eastern Parkway and Extension to Bushwick Avenue—	
1 Caretaker, 1 year.....	\$1,095 00
10 men.....	7,300 00
5 teams.....	8,605 00
1,000 cubic yards Marcellus shale, at \$2.65.....	2,650 00
400 cubic yards fine road gravel, at \$2.....	800 00
96,000 paving brick for gutters, \$21.....	2,016 00
Resetting curbs, 5,000 linear feet, 20 cents.....	1,000 00
850 cubic yards 1½ trap rock for concrete and repairs, \$1.50.....	1,275 00
200 barrels Rosendale cement for concrete, \$1.10.....	220 00
40 barrels Portland cement for grouting, \$2.40.....	96 00
500 cubic yards limestone screenings, \$1.75, for bicycle path and walks.....	875 00
Tools, implements, etc.....	450 00
New trees and top soil.....	300 00
	<u>\$26,682 00</u>
Bushwick avenue and Highland Boulevard—	
3 men, 1 year.....	\$1,982 00
2 teams, 1 year.....	3,130 00
	<u>\$5,112 00</u>
Bay Ridge Parkway (Shore Drive)—	
This Parkway must be taken care of by the Department in 1901 over its entire length, from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue; it requires:	
1 Caretaker.....	\$1,095 00
8 men.....	5,216 00
3 teams.....	4,955 00
Tools, etc.....	100 00
	<u>\$11,366 00</u>

Ocean Parkway (roadway and bicycle paths), also Fort Hamilton avenue, from Ocean avenue to New York Bay—

1 Caretaker, 1 year.....	\$1,260 00
27 men.....	19,710 00
10 teams.....	18,250 00
600 cubic yards limestone screenings for cycle paths, at \$1.75.....	1,050 00
600 cubic yards of trap screenings, at \$1.60.....	960 00
1,800 cubic feet of Marcellus shale for main roadway, at \$2.65.....	4,770 00
Tools, implements, etc.....	450 00
2 large cesspools at Avenue U.....	300 00
500 cubic yards trap rock for side road, \$2.....	1,200 00
Trees, top-soil, etc.....	1,300 00
2,000 cubic yards yellow loam (for Speedway), at 75 cents.....	1,500 00
	\$50,750 00

Glenmore and Pitkin avenues, Twenty-sixth Ward streets—

1 Caretaker.....	\$1,095 00
6 men.....	4,380 00
3 teams.....	5,475 00
900 cubic yards 1½ inches trap rock, at \$2.....	1,800 00
400 cubic yards trap screenings, at \$1.75.....	700 00
400 cubic yards firm road gravel, at \$2.....	800 00
Tools, etc.....	100 00
	\$14,350 00

Bay Parkway (Twenty-second avenue)—

1 Caretaker.....	\$1,095 00
3 men.....	2,100 00
1 team.....	1,875 00
700 cubic yards Marcellus shale, at \$2.65.....	1,855 00
350 cubic yards firm road gravel, at \$2.....	700 00
400 cubic yards trap screenings, at \$1.60.....	640 00
Trees, top-soil, etc.....	350 00
	\$8,705 00

GENERAL STATEMENT.

LABOR, MAINTENANCE AND SUPPLIES.

General supplies.....	\$64,429 00
Prospect Park.....	203,575 00
Fort Greene Park.....	8,787 50
Tompkins Park.....	3,497 50
City Park.....	2,907 50
Improvement of Red Hook Park.....	7,282 50
Bedford Park.....	2,542 50
Dyker Beach Park.....	44,642 50
Cooper Park.....	3,411 20
Saratoga Square.....	3,992 50
Irving Square.....	4,117 50
Sunset Park.....	14,290 00
Winthrop Park.....	3,232 50
Bushwick Park.....	3,792 50
Carroll Park.....	4,692 50
Bensonhurst Park.....	3,677 50
Fort Hamilton Park.....	4,362 50
Highland Park.....	12,481 00
Canarsie Park.....	730 00
City Hall Park and Cuyler Square and Municipal Park.....	2,338 50
Brooklyn Heights.....	2,217 50
Small parks (Linton, Underhill, Zindel, Stuyvesant, Cooper Gore, Woodpoint park and New Lots playground).....	1,245 00
Lincoln terrace.....	2,048 25
Parade grounds.....	4,917 50
Flushing Park.....	1,452 50
College Point Park and small squares and Popenhausen Park.....	1,517 00
Kings Park (Jamaica).....	4,260 50
Linden Park (Corona).....	1,080 00
Ashmead Park (Long Island City).....	330 00
Long Island City parks and gores.....	1,007 50
Forest Park.....	20,640 00
East Side Lands (Institute Gardens).....	1,660 00
Eastern parkway and extension to Bushwick avenue.....	26,682 00
Bushwick avenue and Highland Boulevard.....	5,112 00
Bay Ridge parkway (Shore drive).....	11,566 00
Ocean parkway (roadway and bicycle paths, also Fort Hamilton avenue, from Ocean avenue to New York Bay).....	50,750 00
Glenmore and Pitkin avenues, Twenty-sixth Ward streets.....	14,350 00
Bay Parkway (Twenty-second avenue).....	8,705 00
	\$558,122 95
Casino, Colonnade, etc., Coney Island Concourse Park.....	200,000 00
Total.....	\$758,122 95

MAINTENANCE OF MUSEUMS.

Estimate of Expenses at the Museum Building, Eastern Parkway and Washington Avenue, for the Year 1901.

NOTE.—The salaries indicated under the column marked A. D. 1900 are those being paid at present. The second column indicates salaries recommended for the coming year.

	A. D. 1900.	1901.
Salary of Director, F. W. Hooper.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00
Salary of Curator of Fine Arts, W. H. Goodyear.....	2,000 00	2,100 00
Salary of Curator of Natural History, A. G. Mayer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Salary of Superintendent, C. T. Goodwin.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Salary of Curator of Ornith. and Taxidermist, G. K. Cherrie.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
Salary of Engineer, J. H. Harrison.....	1,020 00	1,020 00
Salary of Assistant Engineer, A. Freeman.....	960 00	960 00
Salary of Fireman, J. Gallagher.....	720 00	720 00
Salary of Librarian, Department of Libraries, Miss Hutchinson.....	900 00	900 00
Salary of Assistant Librarian and Cataloguer, at \$60 per month.....	720 00	720 00
Salary of Curator of Physical Sciences, J. S. McKay.....	500 00	500 00
Salary of Curator of Botany, A. J. Grout.....	200 00	240 00
Salary of Attendant, third floor, A. E. Esterbrook.....	600 00	600 00
Salary of Attendant, second floor, J. Park.....	540 00	540 00
Salary of Attendant and Labeler, first floor, H. B. Judy.....	600 00	600 00
Salary of Stenographer and Assistant, first floor, Miss de Bruyn.....	540 00	600 00
Salary of Stenographer and Assistant, second floor, T. F. Casey.....	660 00	660 00
Salary of Curator of Entomology, J. Doll.....	900 00	900 00
Salary of Elevator Attendant, J. Cleveland.....	600 00	600 00
Salary of Doorkeeper and Assistant, Mr. Latham.....	600 00	600 00
Salary of Mechanic and Janitor, A. Dekins.....	660 00	660 00
Salary of two Scrubwomen, at \$40 each per month.....	960 00	960 00
Salary of Carpenter, J. Bender.....	960 00	960 00
Salary of Night Watchman, P. Van Dine.....	780 00	780 00
Salary of Bookkeeper, W. P. Groom.....	750 00	750 00
Salary of Attendant in Ladies' Reception Room, Mrs. Hicks.....	480 00	480 00
Salary of Laborer in Charge of Grounds, J. Kemp.....	360 00	360 00
Salary of Cataloguer and Labeler, Miss Aetkin.....	720 00	720 00
Salary of Stenographer, Mrs. Buik (one-third).....	420 00	420 00
Salary of Stenographer, Miss Fingar (one-third).....	420 00	300 00
Salary of Stenographer, Miss Calhoun (one-third).....	300 00	300 00
Salary of Taxidermist, L. Ericson.....	312 00	312 00
Engineer's tools and supplies.....	800 00	800 00

	A. D. 1900.	1901.
Janitor's supplies (oils, paints, tools, etc.).....		\$600 00
Repairs to engines, boilers, elevators and contingencies.....		4,000 00
Insurance against fire.....		500 00
Insurance against accident.....		250 00
Cartage.....		250 00
Printing and stationery.....		500 00
600 tons of coal, at \$3.35 per ton.....		2,010 00
Six natural history cases (American cases), at \$650.....		3,900 00
Ten cases for groups of birds, at \$155.....		1,550 00
Apparatus for physical sciences (physics and electricity).....		750 00
Photographic apparatus and dark room.....		975 00
Apparatus illustrating geography and geology.....		850 00
Microscopical apparatus and preparations.....		100 00
Framing, repairing and glazing of pictures.....		950 00
Pedestals and supports for sculptures and casts.....		1,000 00
Supports for mammals, birds, reptiles and fishes.....		350 00
Apparatus and supplies for illustrating zoology and botany.....		3,000 00
For repairing books, furnishing reference library and completing sets of scientific journals.....		2,000 00
For frames and proper supports for Tissot paintings.....		6,000 00
For storerooms and work rooms.....		3,000 00
Total for Museum.....		\$60,457 00

CHILDREN'S MUSEUM.

Salary of Curator, R. Ellsworth Call.....	\$1,800 00	\$2,000 00
Salary of Assistant Curator and Attendant.....		1,200 00
Salary of Librarian, Miss M. S. Draper.....	840 00	840 00
Salary of Floor Attendant, W. T. Wetmore.....	600 00	600 00
Salary of Janitor, A. G. Meyer (adding rent, \$240).....	600 00	840 00
Salary of three extra attendants, Saturdays and holidays.....	375 00	375 00
Salary of Scrubwoman.....	480 00	480 00
Coal and supplies.....		400 00
Electric lighting.....		360 00
Fitting up three rooms and hall on second floor.....		450 00
Painting exterior of building.....		300 00
Electric-light wiring, 3 rooms and library, second floor.....		100 00
Natural history cases on second floor.....		350 00
Large anatomical case, first floor.....		150 00
Apparatus, mineralogy and geology.....		250 00
Meteorological apparatus.....		225 00
Alcohol, chemicals and supplies.....		100 00
Models and relief maps in geography.....		500 00
Additional insect cases.....		100 00
One demonstration lecture table, with plumbing, etc.....		200 00
Glassware for preserving and exhibiting specimens.....		275 00
Apparatus illustrating zoology.....		150 00
Apparatus illustrating botany.....		150 00
Furniture and fixtures.....		250 00
Repairs in basement.....		250 00
Total for Children's Museum.....		\$10,895 00

SUMMARY OF AMOUNTS REQUIRED AT THE TWO MUSEUMS.

Museum Building, Eastern Parkway.....	\$60,457 00
Children's Museum, Bedford Park.....	10,895 00
Total.....	\$71,352 00

MUSIC.

30 concerts in Prospect Park, at \$215 each.....	\$6,450 00
38 concerts in smaller parks, at \$110 each.....	4,180 00
235,500 programmes, at \$3.90 per thousand.....	918 45
Total (music).....	\$11,548 45

RECAPITULATION.

Administration.....	\$20,900 00
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	558,122 95
Music.....	11,548 45
Total for maintenance of parks.....	\$590,571 40
Total for maintenance of museums.....	71,352 00
	\$661,923 40
Total for Casino, Colonnade, etc., at Coney Island Concourse Park.....	200,000 00
Grand total.....	\$861,923 40

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
Administration.....	\$20,400 00	\$20,900 00
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	469,000 00	558,122 95
Music.....	10,998 45	11,548 45
Maintenance of museums.....	46,875 00	71,352 00
Casino, Colonnade, etc., at Coney Island Concourse Park.....		200,000 00
Totals.....	\$547,273 45	\$861,923 40

NOTE.

Balances from 1900.

There will be no balances from the appropriations for 1900 at the end of the year. Respectfully submitted,

GEO. V. BROWER Commissioner.

No. 1456.

ESTIMATE OF DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING FOR THE YEAR 1901.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

DEAR SIR—In conformity with section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, I beg to submit herewith duplicate copy of my estimate of the expenses of the Department of Street Cleaning, boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, for the year 1901, amounting in the aggregate to \$5,730,063.70.

Respectfully,
P. E. NAGLE, Commissioner.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.

Amount required.....	\$34,800 00
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Officials whose Duties are General and not Restricted to any Particular Borough.

TITLE.	NAME.	1900.	1901.
Commissioner.....	Percival E. Nagle.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00
General Superintendent.....	William Robbins.....	3,000 00	*4,000 00
Assistant Superintendent.....	John C. Wallace.....	2,500 00	*3,500 00
Superintendent of Stables.....	Temporarily vacant.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Superintendent of Final Disposition.....	Charles A. Meade.....	2,000 00	*3,000 00
Assistant Superintendent of Final Disposition.....	Arthur H. Crowther.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Master Mechanic.....	Daniel J. Curtin.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Chief Clerk.....	John J. O'Brien.....	3,600 00	4,000 00
Contract Clerk.....	Thomas F. Galwey.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
General Bookkeeper.....	Joseph S. McCann.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Pay-roll Clerk.....	Charles A. Charlesworth.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Total.....			\$34,800 00

* Subject to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

ADMINISTRATION.

Amount required..... \$205,170 00

Office Pay-roll.

TITLE.	NAME.	1900.	1901.
Deputy Commissioner.....	Francis M. Gibson.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Private Secretary to Commissioner.....	Jerome F. Reilly.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Property Clerk.....	Christian Schieck.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Mechanical Draughtsman.....	John G. Crane.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Complaint Clerk.....	Lena Schumacher.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Tug and Scow Clerk.....	James T. Fitzsimons.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Clerk to Superintendent.....	James F. Donohue.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Clerk to Assistant Superintendent.....	Robert S. Swartwout.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Record Clerk.....	Edward B. Grant.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Assistant Bookkeeper.....	Vilma M. Goodman.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Stenographer.....	Catharine H. Jaffray.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Clerk.....	Edward F. Gilmartin.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	Joseph T. Brennan.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Gustave Stube.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	James J. Daly.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	James F. Lynch.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Alexander F. Vache.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Bernard J. Cullen.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	James D. Keeley.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	James T. Devlin.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Samuel H. Gittleman.....	800 00	800 00
".....	Louis P. Jager.....	800 00	800 00
".....	Samuel H. Jessup.....	800 00	800 00
".....	Peter J. Dolan.....	800 00	800 00
".....	Theresa M. Everett.....	900 00	900 00
".....	Christine A. Cassell.....	900 00	900 00
Bookkeeper—snow and ice.....	James Bowen.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Drug Clerk.....	Eugene W. Myers.....	900 00	900 00
Typewriter.....	J. N. Little.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	Mary A. Gardner.....	900 00	900 00
".....	Nellie V. Kiely.....	780 00	780 00
".....	Lillie McMahon.....	900 00	900 00
Telephone Switch Operator.....	Clara Squire.....	780 00	780 00
Messenger.....	James Duffy.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Office Boy.....	John B. Rooney.....	300 00	300 00
Medical Examiner.....	John Rogers, Jr.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Asher Bleiman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Veterinary Surgeon.....	Richard E. Buckley.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	William Swan.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	Henry O. Wolters.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Less proportion of medical examinations and veterinary services chargeable to The Bronx.....			690 00
Total office pay-roll forward to page 8.....			\$50,570 00

Uniformed Force.

TITLE.	NAME.	1900.	1901.
(10) District Superintendent.....	John J. Denice.....	\$1,800 00	
".....	Martin N. O'Donnell.....	1,800 00	
".....	Herman Triest.....	1,800 00	
".....	Mortimer D. Bouton.....	1,800 00	
".....	Thomas H. Shanton.....	1,800 00	
".....	Terence J. Reilly.....	1,800 00	
".....	William Stackpole.....	1,800 00	
".....	William S. Clark.....	1,800 00	
".....	George J. Bradish.....	1,800 00	
".....	Carroll S. Dunphe.....	1,800 00	
(9) Stable Foreman.....	Clarence W. Holt.....	1,300 00	
".....	William P. Rafferty.....	1,300 00	
".....	Charles Bambrick.....	1,300 00	
".....	Michael J. Frizzell.....	1,300 00	
".....	Edward Currie.....	1,300 00	
".....	Michael Herlihy.....	1,300 00	
".....	Fred. M. Allison.....	1,300 00	
".....	David Donohue.....	1,300 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,300 00	
(10) Assistant Stable Foreman.....	Lawrence Comiskey.....	\$1,000 00	
".....	Thomas O'Brien.....	1,000 00	
".....	George L. Lussen.....	1,000 00	
".....	P. B. S. O'Brien.....	1,000 00	
".....	Edwin H. Akeman.....	1,000 00	
".....	Henry A. Sales.....	1,000 00	
".....	Joseph C. Dunham.....	1,000 00	
".....	James S. McCormick.....	1,000 00	
".....	Timothy Sullivan.....	1,000 00	
".....	Robert Woods.....	1,000 00	
(3) Time Collector.....	Joseph L. Keller.....	\$1,200 00	
".....	Hugh Angier.....	1,200 00	
".....	Thomas J. Birmingham.....	1,200 00	
Total.....			*\$18,000 00
Total Uniformed Force.....			\$11,700 00
Total Office Roll.....			\$50,570 00
Total Administration.....			\$205,170 00

* Salaries limited by section 536, Laws of 1897.

† Salaries limited by section 536, Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 261, Laws of 1899.

TITLE.

NAME.

(5) Inspector of Tugs and Scows.....	Robert H. Arnold.....	\$1,200 00	
".....	Thomas Conroy.....	1,200 00	
".....	Alexander Lancaster.....	1,200 00	
".....	Alexander Neilson.....	1,200 00	
".....	Ralph Viccaro.....	1,200 00	
(59) Section Foreman.....	Temporarily vacant.....	\$1,200 00	
".....	Edward Love.....	1,200 00	
".....	F. A. Timmerman.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	William McDermott.....	1,200 00	
".....	Frank Duffy.....	1,200 00	
".....	James Cleary.....	1,200 00	
".....	August F. Gunther.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	James Thompson.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	Charles W. Tallcot.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	Horace A. Roy.....	1,200 00	
".....	William Malley.....	1,200 00	
".....	Michael Trainor.....	1,200 00	
".....	Alexander Price.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	Charles H. Spencer.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	Thomas C. Adamson.....	1,200 00	
".....	Albert Loraine.....	1,200 00	
".....	William Purcell.....	1,200 00	
".....	William F. McKenna.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	Charles Bush.....	1,200 00	
".....	Jacob V. Corlies.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	Edward F. Plunkett.....	1,200 00	
".....	James Cavanagh.....	1,200 00	
".....	John A. Dougherty.....	1,200 00	
".....	Philip A. O'Keefe.....	1,200 00	
".....	Daniel F. McCarthy.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	Robert Burr.....	1,200 00	
".....	William McCarthy.....	1,200 00	
".....	William Carroll.....	1,200 00	
".....	Arthur Mathews.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	William Cummings.....	1,200 00	
".....	Conrad Schierbaum.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
".....	William H. Cullane.....	1,200 00	
".....	Samuel B. Newman.....	1,200 00	
".....	John McNamara.....	\$1,200 00	
".....	John J. McAvoy.....	1,200 00	
".....	Charles C. Conaty.....	1,200 00	
".....	Michael J. Dowling.....	1,200 00	
".....	Thomas P. Farrell.....	1,200 00	
".....	Harris Wines.....	1,200 00	
".....	Martin McDonnell.....	1,200 00	
".....	Edwin Bradford.....	1,200 00	
".....	William A. Senior.....	1,200 00	
".....	Garret P. Campion.....	1,200 00	
".....	Rudolph W. Faller.....	1,200 00	
".....	James A. Burke.....	1,200 00	
(19) Dump Inspector.....	Thomas H. Donohue.....	\$1,200 00	
".....	William F. Hawk.....	1,200 00	
".....	Patrick J. Coyle.....	1,200 00	
".....	Charles Kuhn.....	1,200 00	
".....	William H. Vibbard.....	1,200 00	
".....	Francis J. Pierret.....	1,200 00	
".....	James Garty.....	1,200 00	
".....	John White.....	1,200 00	
".....	Martin Ryan.....	1,200 00	
".....	Francis Gaffney.....	1,200 00	
".....	Nathan Hirsch.....	1,200 00	
".....	Patrick Hynes.....	1,200 00	
".....	John A. Webb.....	\$1,200 00	
".....	Joseph Lafon.....	1,200 00	
".....	Henry Hart.....	1,200 00	
".....	Andries de Wilde.....	1,200 00	
".....	Edwin J. Pike.....	1,200 00	
".....	Daniel W. Noe.....	1,200 00	
".....	James Viccaro.....	1,200 00	
(13) Assistant Dump Inspector.....	William J. Irwin.....	\$900 00	
".....	Milton J. Mangam.....	900 00	
".....	James P. Sisson.....	900 00	
".....	John Smith.....	900 00	
".....	Theodore J. Ludwig.....	900 00	
".....	Martin Dickeman.....	900 00	
".....	William C. Bartlett.....	900 00	
".....	Michael Kelly.....	900 00	
".....	Thomas J. Coogan.....	900 00	
".....	Henry Busch.....	900 00	
".....	Adolph C. Hoefling.....	900 00	
".....	John A. Hogan.....	900 00	
".....	Nathan E. Wolf.....	900 00	
Total Uniformed Force.....		\$11,700 00	
Total Office Roll.....		\$50,570 00	
Total Administration.....		\$205,170 00	

* Salaries limited by section 536, Laws of 1897.

† Salaries limited by section 536, Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 261, Laws of 1899.

SWEEPING.

Amount required..... \$1,389,160 40

1,597 Sweepers, at \$720 each per annum..... \$1,149,840 00

*111 Sweepers, at \$900 each per annum..... 99,900 00

\$1,249,740 00

1,708

54 Drivers for machines, water carts, buggies, wagons, etc., at \$720 each per annum 38,880 00

Number of Horses—

22 double sweeping machines, 2 horses each..... 44 horses.

10 buggies, wagons, etc., at 1 horse each..... 10 "

12 single machines, 1 horse each..... 12 "

* Detailed as Assistants to Section Foremen (see chap. 261, Laws of 1899).

Number of Horses—	
3 double water trucks, 2 horses each.....	6 horses.
7 single water trucks, 1 horse each.....	7 "
	79 "
Add 7 per cent. for sickness.....	5 "
Total.....	84 "
For feeding 84 horses, at \$125 each per annum.....	\$10,500 00
For shoeing 84 horses, at \$32 each per annum.....	2,688 00
9 Hostlers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$6,480 00
9 Hostlers, extra pay for Sundays, at \$2.30 each per Sunday (see section 536, Laws of 1897).....	1,076 40
Repairs and supplies.....	7,556 40
16 Mechanics, at trade rate average of \$3.50 each per day.....	\$17,528 00
16 Mechanics' Helpers at average of \$2.25 each per day.....	11,268 00
	28,796 00
Total.....	\$1,389,160 40

CARTING.	
Amount required.....	\$921,706 20
753 Drivers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$542,160 00
*29 Drivers, at \$900 each per annum.....	26,100 00
782	\$568,260 00
77 Hostlers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$55,440 00
77 Hostlers, extra pay for Sundays, at \$2.30 per Sunday each, section 536, Laws of 1897.....	9,209 20
48 Mechanics, at trade rate average of \$3.50 each per day.....	\$52,584 00
48 Mechanics' Helpers, at \$2.25 each per day.....	33,804 00
	86,388 00

Number of horses—	
762 carts, at 1 horse each.....	762 horses.
20 buggies, wagons, etc., at 1 horse each.....	20 "
	782 "
Add 7 per cent. for sickness.....	55 "
Total.....	837 "
Feeding 837 horses, at \$125 each per annum.....	104,625 00
Shoeing 837 horses, at \$32 each per annum.....	26,784 00
Repairs and supplies.....	71,000 00
Total.....	\$921,706 20

FINAL DISPOSITION.	
Amount required.....	\$558,932 50
Annual payment to the New York Sanitary Utilization Company (contract).....	\$89,990 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of The Bronx.....	4,500 00
	\$85,490 00
Hired scows—	
Deck scows.....	\$28,475 00
Less proportion chargeable to the Borough of The Bronx.....	1,425 00
	27,050 00
Barney dumpers.....	159,250 00
Harbor scows.....	\$9,125 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of Brooklyn.....	3,650 00
	5,475 00
Lot dumping privilege.....	2,000 00
Towing—	
Deck scows to sea.....	\$9,900 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of The Bronx.....	495 00
	9,405 00
Deck scows to fills.....	\$27,566 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of The Bronx.....	1,380 00
	26,186 00
Barney dumpers to sea.....	63,600 00
Unloading deck scows—	
At sea.....	\$14,621 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of The Bronx.....	730 00
	13,891 00
In fill.....	\$93,069 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of The Bronx.....	4,650 00
	88,419 00
Shifting and ice breaking.....	\$6,000 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of The Bronx.....	300 00
	5,700 00
Wages of 24 Scowmen, at \$2 per day each.....	\$17,520 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of The Bronx.....	365 00
	17,155 00
Wages of 20 Boardmen, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$14,400 00
Less proportion chargeable to the Borough of The Bronx.....	360 00
	14,040 00
Wages of 14 Mechanics, at trade rate average of \$3.50 each per day.....	\$15,337 00
Wages of 14 Mechanics' Helpers, at \$2.25 each per day.....	9,859 50
Repairs and supplies to scows.....	\$8,000 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of The Bronx.....	400 00
	7,600 00
Repairs and supplies to dumps.....	\$6,000 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of The Bronx.....	300 00
	5,700 00
Sundries.....	\$3,000 00
Less proportion chargeable to Borough of The Bronx.....	225 00
	2,775 00
Total.....	\$558,932 50

RENTS AND CONTINGENCIES.	
Amount required.....	\$118,297 40
Rent of Stables—	
Stable "A".....	\$3,000 00
Stable "B".....	4,250 00
Stable "C".....	5,000 00
Stable "D".....	5,000 00
Stable "E".....	18,000 00
Stable "F".....	4,000 00
Stable "G".....	5,100 00
Stable "H".....	4,000 00
Stable "K".....	6,000 00
Stable "Annex".....	1,350 00
Stable at Seventeenth street and Avenue C (new).....	7,500 00
35 Section Stations, at an average of \$517 each per annum.....	18,095 00
Telephones, as per contract.....	7,508 40
Gas at Stables for light and Blacksmiths and at Section Stations for light.....	8,500 00
Repairs and supplies to Stables and Section Stations.....	10,000 00

* Detailed as Assistants to Stable Foremen (see chap. 261, Laws of 1899).

† Present lease at the rate of \$4,000 per annum. The Department contemplates having new stable built.

Office supplies, postage, car-fares and sundries.....	\$5,000 00
11 Incumbrance and Storage Yards, at an average of \$1,454 each.....	15,994 00
Total.....	\$118,297 40

SNOW AND ICE.	
Amount required.....	\$30,000 00

NEW STOCK-PLANT.	
Amount required.....	\$8,000 00

RECAPITULATION.	
Administration.....	\$205,170 00
Sweeping.....	1,389,160 40
Carting.....	921,706 20
Final Disposition.....	558,932 50
Rents and Contingencies.....	118,297 40
Snow and Ice.....	30,000 00
New Stock-plant.....	8,000 00
Total.....	\$3,231,266 50

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.	
ADMINISTRATION.	
Amount required.....	\$23,590 00

Office Pay-roll.			
TITLE.	NAME.	1900.	1901.
Deputy Commissioner.....	Joseph Liebertz.....	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00
Private Secretary.....	Joseph P. Hynes.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Clerk.....	New position.....		1,000 00
Proportion of medical examinations and veterinary services.....			690 00
Total Office Pay-roll forward to page 2..			\$7,190 00

Uniformed Force.			
TITLE.	NAME.		
(2) District Superintendent.....	Michael Neafsey.....	\$1,800 00	
".....	Daniel F. Maxwell.....	1,800 00	
Stable Foreman.....	John R. Lyng.....		\$3,600 00
Assistant Stable Foreman.....	William F. Ernst.....		1,300 00
(6) Section Foreman.....	James A. Conlin.....	\$1,200 00	†1,000 00
".....	John M. O'Brien.....	1,200 00	
".....	William J. Reilly.....	1,200 00	
".....	Charles W. Chandler.....	1,200 00	
".....	Benjamin M. Chapman.....	1,200 00	
".....	Temporarily vacant.....	1,200 00	
Dump Inspector.....	George A. Marshall.....		†7,200 00
Assistant Dump Inspector.....	James W. Heflin.....		†1,200 00
Inspector of Tugs and Scows.....	Temporarily vacant.....		†900 00
Total Uniformed Force.....			\$16,400 00
Total Office Roll.....			7,190 00
Total Administration.....			\$23,590 00

* Salaries limited by section 536, Laws of 1897.

† Salaries limited by section 536, Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 261, Laws of 1899.

SWEEPING.	
Amount required.....	\$153,590 70
165 Sweepers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$118,800 00
*17 Sweepers, at \$900 each per annum.....	15,300 00
182	\$134,100 00

Number of Horses—	
4 double sweeping machines, 2 horses each.....	8 horses.
2 buggies, wagons, etc., 1 horse each.....	2 "
2 single sweeping machines, 1 horse each.....	2 "
1 double water truck, 2 horses.....	2 "
1 single water truck, 1 horse.....	1 "
	15 "
Add for sickness 7 per cent.	1 "
Total.....	16 "

Feeding 16 horses, at \$125 each per annum.....	2,000 00
For shoeing 16 horses, at \$32 each per annum.....	512 00
2 Hostlers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$1,440 00
2 Hostlers, extra pay for Sunday work, at \$2.30 each per Sunday, section 538, Laws of 1897.....	239 20
Repairs and supplies.....	1,679 20
2 Mechanics at trade rate, \$3.50 each per day ..	\$2,191 00
2 Mechanics' Helpers, at \$2.25 each per day.....	1,408 50
	3,599 50
Total.....	\$153,590 70

CARTING.	
Amount required.....	\$143,726 30
90 Drivers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$64,800 00
†3 Drivers, at \$900 each per annum.....	2,700 00
93	\$67,500 00

8 Hostlers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$5,760 00
8 Hostlers, extra pay for Sunday work, at \$2.30 per Sunday (sec. 536, Laws 1897).....	956 80
	6,716 80

Number of Horses—	
59 carts, buggies, wagons, etc., 1 horse each.....	59 horses.
Add 7 per cent. for sickness.....	4 "
Total.....	63 "

Feeding 63 horses, at \$125 each per annum.....	7,875 00
Shoeing 63 horses, at \$32 each per annum.....	2,016 00

* Detailed as Assistants to Section Foremen (see chap. 261, Laws of 1899).

† Detailed as Assistants to Stable Foremen (see chap. 261, Laws of 1899).

Repairs and supplies.....	\$5,000 00
40 hired carts in outlying districts, at \$3.50 per day.....	43,820 00
6 Mechanics, at trade rate average of \$3.50 each per day.....	\$6,573 00
6 Mechanics' Helpers, at \$2.25 each per day.....	4,225 50
Total.....	10,798 50

Total.....\$143,726 30

FINAL DISPOSITION.

Amount required.....\$18,729 50

Proportion of Various Items of Expense as set forth under "Final Disposition," Borough of Manhattan.

Sanitary Utilization Company.....	\$4,500 00
Scow hire.....	1,425 00
Towing—	
Deck scows to sea.....	495 00
" to fills.....	1,380 00
Unloading scows—	
At sea.....	730 00
In fills.....	4,650 00
Shifting and ice breaking.....	300 00
Wages of Scowmen.....	365 00
Wages of Boardmen.....	360 00
Repairs and supplies to scows.....	400 00
Repairs and supplies to dumps.....	300 00
Sundries.....	225 00
2 Mechanics at trade rate average, \$3.50 per day each.....	\$2,191 00
2 Mechanics' Helpers at \$2.25 each, per day.....	1,408 50
Total.....	\$15,130 00

Total.....\$18,729 50

RENTS AND CONTINGENCIES.

Amount required.....\$12,252 00

Rent of Stable "I".....	\$4,000 00
Rent of stable (new).....	4,000 00
Rent of lot south side of One Hundred and Fifty-third street.....	600 00
Rent of 3 section stations at an average of \$400 each.....	1,200 00
Rent of office.....	420 00
Telephone at Stable "I" (contract rate).....	315 00
Telephone at residence of Deputy Commissioner.....	48 00
Telephone at dump (contract rate).....	210 00
Gas at stable and section stations.....	450 00
Office supplies, postage, car-fares and sundries.....	200 00
Repairs and supplies to stable and section stations.....	800 00
Total.....	\$12,252 00

SNOW AND ICE.

Amount required.....\$10,000 00

NEW STOCK PLANT.

Amount required.....\$2,000 00

RECAPITULATION.

Administration.....	\$23,590 00
Sweeping.....	153,590 70
Carting.....	143,726 30
Final Disposition.....	18,729 50
Rents and Contingencies.....	12,252 00
Snow and Ice.....	10,000 00
New Stock Plant.....	2,000 00
Total.....	\$363,888 50

RECAPITULATION—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX COMBINED.

	MANHATTAN.	THE BRONX.	MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.
Administration.....	\$205,170 00	\$23,590 00	\$228,760 00
Sweeping.....	1,389,160 40	153,590 70	1,542,751 10
Carting.....	921,706 20	143,726 30	1,065,432 50
Final Disposition.....	558,932 50	18,729 50	577,662 00
Rents and Contingencies.....	118,297 40	12,252 00	130,549 40
Snow and Ice.....	30,000 00	10,000 00	40,000 00
New Stock Plant.....	8,000 00	2,000 00	10,000 00
Total.....	\$3,231,266 50	\$363,888 50	\$3,595,155 00

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Statement Showing Changes in the Appropriations as Originally Fixed, due to Various Additions and Transfers (1900).

ACCOUNTS.	AMOUNTS AVAILABLE.
General Administration.....	\$30,700 00
Administration—Original Appropriation.....	220,000 00
Sweeping—	
Original Appropriation.....	\$1,542,751 10
Less transfers to Snow and Ice.....	\$288,000 00
Less transfers to Rents and Contingencies, Borough of Queens.....	3,000 00
	291,000 00
Restored by bond issue.....	\$1,251,751 10
	288,000 00
Carting—Original Appropriation.....	1,539,751 10
Final Disposition—Original Appropriation.....	1,065,432 50
Rents and Contingencies—Original Appropriation.....	509,880 50
Snow and Ice—	
Original Appropriation.....	\$40,000 00
Transfers from Sweeping Account.....	288,000 00
	328,000 00
New Stock Plant—Original Appropriation.....	10,000 00
New Stock or Plant—	
Balance brought forward from 1899 Account.....	684 42
New Stock, unexpended balance of proceeds of bonds issued, brought forward from 1899.....	2,331 00
Total of amounts available.....	\$3,821,022 52

ACCOUNTS.

AMOUNT AVAILABLE.

Proof.

Total Original Appropriation.....	\$3,533,007 10	
Unexpended balance of proceeds of bonds issued prior to January 1, 1900.....	2,331 00	
Bond Account (Snow and Ice).....	288,000 00	
New Stock or Plant.....	684 42	
	\$3,824,022 52	
Less transfer to Rents and Contingencies, Borough of Queens.....	3,000 00	
Total as above.....		\$3,821,022 52

Statement showing Difference between Appropriations for 1900 (as shown on preceding page) and Estimates for 1901.

	APPROPRIATION, 1900.	ESTIMATE, 1901.	DECREASE.	INCREASE.
Administration.....	\$220,000 00	\$228,760 00		\$8,760 00
Sweeping.....	1,539,751 10	1,542,751 10		3,000 00
Carting.....	1,065,432 50	1,065,432 50		
Final Disposition.....	509,880 50	577,662 00		67,781 50
Rents and Contingencies.....	114,243 00	130,549 40		16,306 40
Total Working Accounts.....	\$3,449,307 10	\$3,545,155 00		\$95,847 90
Snow and Ice.....	328,000 00	40,000 00		
New Stock—Plant.....	10,000 00	10,000 00		
New Stock or Plant.....	684 42			
New Stock—Unexpended balance of proceeds of bonds issued.....	2,331 00			
Total.....	\$3,790,322 52	\$3,595,155 00		\$95,847 90

Increase in Working Accounts.....\$95,847 90

* The above amount is not an increase over the appropriation allowed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for 1900, but is due to a transfer to Rents and Contingencies, Borough of Queens.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

ADMINISTRATION.

Amount required.....\$122,100 00

Office Pay-roll.

TITLE.	NAME.	1900.	1901.
Deputy Commissioner.....	Patrick H. Quinn.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Private Secretary.....	Patrick J. De Cantillon.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Clerk in Charge.....	John J. Dempsey.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Bookkeeper.....	Brian Brown.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Pay-roll Clerk.....	John B. McCarren.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Tug and Scow Clerk.....	Jacob Worth.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Property Clerk.....	Edward M. Franklin.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Clerk.....	Richard J. Murphy.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	John L. Murphy.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Lawrence Farr.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	John J. Darraugh.....	800 00	1,000 00
Junior Clerk.....	Charles A. Aronstam.....	600 00	800 00
Stenographer.....	To be appointed.....		1,000 00
Messenger.....	Patrick E. Coyne.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Telephone Switchboard Operator.....	Mary G. Mahon.....	600 00	600 00
Medical Examiner.....	John L. Corish, M. D.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Total Office Pay-roll forward to page 3.....			\$23,100 00

Uniformed Force.

TITLE.	NAME.		
(6) District Superintendent.....	Jonathan Hanson.....	\$1,800 00	
".....	Terence M. Farley.....	1,800 00	
".....	John F. Carroll.....	1,800 00	
".....	Patrick J. Cunningham.....	1,800 00	
".....	Joseph T. Donovan.....	1,800 00	
".....	At \$1,800 per annum, to be appointed.....	1,800 00	*\$10,800 00
(6) Stable Foreman.....	Daniel Higgins.....	\$1,300 00	
".....	5 at \$1,300 per annum, to be appointed.....	6,500 00	†7,800 00
(6) Assistant Stable Foreman.....	At \$1,000 per annum, to be appointed.....		†6,000 00
(2) Time Collectors.....	At \$1,200 per annum, to be appointed.....		*2,400 00
(46) Section Foreman.....	George W. Stillwell.....	\$1,200 00	
".....	Thomas W. McCormack.....	1,200 00	
".....	John McDonald.....	1,200 00	
".....	George W. Raymond.....	1,200 00	
".....	William C. Jones.....	1,200 00	
".....	Henry Edwards.....	1,200 00	
".....	George Budelmann.....	1,200 00	
".....	Adolph Schumann.....	1,200 00	†9,600 00
".....	James A. Burke.....	\$1,200 00	
".....	37 at \$1,200 per annum, to be appointed.....	44,400 00	†45,600 00
(5) Dump Inspectors.....	At \$1,200 per annum, to be appointed.....		†6,000 00
(10) Assistant Dump Inspectors.....	Patrick Callahan.....	\$900 00	
".....	James F. Dolan.....	900 00	
".....	Arthur L. Sullivan.....	900 00	
".....	Thomas E. Dunnigan.....	900 00	
".....	Alexander E. Drescher.....	900 00	
".....	Cornelius F. Doody.....	900 00	
".....	Michael L. McCormack.....	900 00	
".....	Thomas E. Hughes.....	900 00	
".....	Bartholomew F. Dwyer.....	900 00	
".....	William H. Lawrence.....	900 00	*9,000 00

* Salaries limited by section 536, Laws of 1897.

† Salaries limited by section 536, Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 261, Laws of 1899.

TITLE.	NAME.		
(2) Veterinary Surgeons.....	Arthur O'Shea.....	\$900 00	
"	At \$900 per annum, to be appointed.....	900 00	\$1,800 00
	Total Uniformed Force .	.....	\$99,000 00
	Total Office Pay-roll, ...	.....	23,100 00
	Total Administration....	.....	\$122,100 00

SWEEPING.		
Amount required.....		\$802,466 20
900 Sweepers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$648,000 00	
*70 Sweepers, at \$900 each per annum.....	63,000 00	
		\$711,000 00
<u>970</u>		
45 Drivers of machines, water carts, buggies, wagons, etc., at \$720 each per annum.....		32,400 00
Number of Horses—		
23 double sweeping machines, 2 horses each.....	46 horses.	
15 single water trucks, 1 horse each.....	15 "	
5 buggies, wagons, etc., 1 horse each.....	5 "	
	66 "	
Add 7 per cent for sickness.....	4 "	
Total.....	70 "	
For feeding 70 horses, at \$125 each per annum.....		8,750 00
For shoeing 70 horses, at \$32 each per annum.....		2,240 00
7 Hostlers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$5,040 00	
7 Hostlers, extra pay for Sundays, at \$2.30 each per Sunday (see sec. 536, Laws of 1897).....	837 20	
		5,877 20
4 Mechanics, at trade rate of \$3.50 each per day.....		4,382 00
4 Mechanics' Helpers, at average of \$2.25 per day each.....		2,817 00
Repairs and supplies.....		35,000 00
Total.....		\$802,466 20

CARTING.		
Amount required.....		\$714,037 67
550 Drivers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$396,000 00	
412 Drivers, at \$900 each per annum.....	10,800 00	
		\$406,800 00
562		
60 Hostlers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$43,200 00	
60 Hostlers, extra pay for Sundays, at \$2.30 each per Sunday (see sec. 536, Laws of 1897).....	7,176 00	
		50,376 00
20 Mechanics, at trade rate average of \$3.50 per day.....		21,910 00
20 Mechanics' Helpers, at \$2.25 each per day.....		14,085 00
Number of Horses—		
350 carts, 1 horse each.....	350	horses.
100 double trucks, 2 horses each.....	200	"
10 buggies, 1 horse each.....	10	"
	560	"
Add 7 per cent. for sickness.....	40	"
Total.....	600	"
For feeding 600 horses, at \$125 each per annum.....		75,000 00
For shoeing 600 horses, at \$32 each per annum.....		19,200 00
Brooklyn Sanitary Company, contract for 1901.....	\$130,000 00	
Less one-third chargeable to Final Disposition.....	43,333 33	
		86,666 67
Repairs and Supplies.....		40,000 00
Total.....		\$714,037 67

FINAL DISPOSITION.	
Amount required.....	\$183,734 83
Contract of Edward R. Lazarus for 1901.....	\$5,000 00
Brooklyn Sanitary Company's contract for 1901.....	\$130,000 00
Less two-thirds charged to carting account.....	86,666 67
Scow hire.....	\$3,650 00
Proportion of harbor scow hire.....	3,650 00
Towing, shifting and unloading scows and breaking ice.....	7,300 00
Privilege of dumping at land dumps.....	14,000 00
5 Boardmen, at \$720 each per annum.....	85,000 00
12 Levelers at land dumps, at \$2 each per day.....	3,600 00
Repairs and supplies to dumps.....	7,512 00
8 Mechanics, at trade rate average \$3.50 each per day.....	4,000 00
6 Mechanics' Helpers, at average \$2.25 each per day.....	8,764 00
Sundries, including wharfage, etc.....	4,225 50
	1,000 00
Total.....	\$183,734 83

RENTS AND CONTINGENCIES.	
Amount required.....	\$44,503 00
3 stables rent, at \$2,500 each per annum.....	\$7,500 00
3 stables, at average of \$2,233.33 each per annum.....	6,700 00
24 section stations at present in use, at average of \$319 per annum each.....	7,656 00
2 section stations, at average of \$319 per annum each.....	638 00
1 incumbrance yard.....	850 00
2 incumbrance and storage yards at \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00
Repairs and supplies to stables and section stations.....	8,000 00
Office supplies, carfares and sundries.....	2,500 00
Telephone as per contract.....	2,000 00
7 telephones at \$150 each per annum.....	1,050 00
Gas at stables for light and Blacksmiths, and at section stations for light.....	600 00
Electricity at stables for light.....	5,000 00
Total.....	\$44,503 00

	SNOW AND ICE.	
Amount required		\$30,000 00

NEW STOCK—PLANT.		
Amount required.....		\$5,000 00

RECAPITULATION.	
Administration.....	\$122,100 00
Sweeping.....	802,466 20
Carting.....	714,037 67
Final Disposition.....	183,734 83
Rents and Contingencies.....	44,503 00
Snow and Ice.....	30,000 00
New Stock—Plant.....	5,000 00
Total.....	\$1,901,841 70

Statement Showing Changes in the Appropriations as Originally Fixed, Due to Various Additions and Transfers, 1900.

ACCOUNT.	AMOUNTS AVAILABLE.
Administration.....	\$90,000 00
Sweeping—	
Original Appropriation.....	\$630,000 00
<i>Less</i> transfer to Snow and Ice.....	25,750 00
	\$604,250 00
Restored by Bond Issue.....	25,750 00
	630,000 00
Carting.....	470,000 00
Final Disposition.....	144,005 17
Rents and Contingencies.....	36,000 00
Snow and Ice—	
Original Appropriation.....	\$30,000 00
<i>Plus</i> transfer from Sweeping.....	25,750 00
	55,750 00
New Stock—plant.....	5,000 00
New Stock or Plant—Balance brought forward Account of 1899.....	69,416 85
Total of amounts available.....	\$1,500,172 02
<i>Proof.</i>	
Total Original Appropriation.....	\$1,405,005 17
Bond Account (Snow and Ice).....	25,750 00
New Stock or Plant.....	69,416 85
Total as above.....	\$1,500,172 02

Statement Showing Difference Between the Appropriations for 1900 (as shown on preceding page) and Estimates for 1901.

	APPROPRIATION 1900.	ESTIMATE 1901.	DECREASE.	INCREASE.
Administration.....	\$90,000 00	\$122,100 00	.....	\$32,100 00
Sweeping.....	630,000 00	802,466 20	20	172,466 20
Carting.....	470,000 00	714,037 67	.....	244,037 67
Final Disposition.....	144,005 17	183,734 83	.....	39,729 66
Rents and Contingencies.....	36,000 00	44,503 00	.....	8,503 00
Total Working Accounts....	\$1,370,005 17	\$1,866,841 70	.....	\$496,836 53
Snow and Ice.....	53,750 00	30,000 00	.....	.....
New Stock Plant.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	.....	.....
New Stock or Plant.....	69,416 85	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	\$1,500,172 02	\$1,901,841 70	\$496,836 53

Increase in working accounts.....	\$496,836 53
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BOROUGH OF QUEENS.			
ADMINISTRATION.			
Amount required.....		\$18,220 00	
TITLE.	NAME.	1900.	1901.
Deputy Commissioner.....	James F. O'Brien.....	\$2,500 00	\$4,000 00
Clerk.....	To be appointed.....		900 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....			720 00
	Total Office Roll		\$5,620 00
District Superintendent.....	Fred. L. Stearns	1,800 00	*\$1,800 00
(5) Section Foremen.....	To be appointed at \$1,200 each per annum.....		†6,000 00
(4) Dump Inspectors.....	To be appointed at \$1,200 each per annum.....		†4,800 00
Total Uniformed Officers' Roll.....			\$12,600 00
Total Office Roll.....			5,620 00
Total Administration.....			\$18,220 00

† Salaries limited by section 536, Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 261, Laws of 1899.

SWEEPING.	
Amount required	\$39,564 00
38 Sweepers, at \$720 each per annum	\$27,360 00
* 5 Sweepers, at \$900 each per annum	4,500 00
5 Section Station Keepers, at \$720 each per annum	3,600 00
2 Incumbrance Yard Keepers, at \$720 each per annum	1,440 00
Feeding 2 horses and care of 1 buggy, at \$300 per horse per annum	600 00
Shoeing 2 horses, at \$32 each per annum	64 00
Repairs and supplies	2,000 00
Total	\$39,564 00

CARTING.	
Amount required.....	\$50,074 50
Hire of 43 horses and carts, at \$3.50 per day each.....	\$47,106 50
2 Drivers for buggies, at \$720 each per annum.....	1,440 00
Feeding 4 horses and care of 2 buggies, at \$300 per horse per annum.....	1,200 00
Shoeing 4 horses, at \$32 per annum each.....	128 00
Repairs and supplies.....	200 00
Total.....	\$50,074 50

FINAL DISPOSITION.	
Amount required.	\$12,705 00

* Detailed as Assistants to Section Foremen (see chap. 261, Laws of 1899).
† Detailed as Assistants to Stable Foremen (see chap. 261, Laws of 1899).

* Detailed as Assistants to Section Foremen. See chapter 261, Laws of 1899.

Wages of 12 Laborers at Crematory, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$8,640 00
Wages of 2 Mechanics' Helpers, at \$2.50 each per day.....	1,565 00
Repairs and supplies to Crematories.....	2,500 00
Total.....	\$12,705 00
RENTS AND CONTINGENCIES.	
Amount required.....	\$6,534 00
Rent of Office.....	\$384 00
Rent of lots for Crematories.....	2,650 00
Rent of 5 Section Stations, at an average of \$300 each per annum.....	1,500 00
Car-fares, ferriages, postage and sundries.....	200 00
Telephones.....	800 00
Rent of 1 Incumbrance Yard.....	400 00
Repairs and supplies, including gas for office and section stations.....	600 00
Total.....	\$6,534 00
SNOW AND ICE.	
Amount required.....	\$1,000 00
NEW STOCK—PLANT.	
Amount required.....	\$1,000 00
RECAPITULATION.	
Administration.....	\$18,220 00
Sweeping.....	39,564 00
Carting.....	50,074 50
Final Disposition.....	12,705 00
Rents and Contingencies.....	6,534 00
Snow and Ice.....	1,000 00
New Stock—Plant.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$129,097 50

Statement Showing Changes in the Appropriations as Originally Fixed, Due to Various Additions and Transfers, 1900.

ACCOUNTS.		AMOUNTS AVAILABLE.
Administration—		
Original Appropriation.....	\$6,000 00	
Less transfer to Sweeping.....	1,200 00	
		\$4,800 00
Sweeping—		
Original Appropriation.....	\$18,000 00	
Plus transfer from Administration.....	\$1,200 00	
Plus transfer from Snow and Ice.....	1,000 00	
Plus transfer from Carting.....	2,800 00	
		5,000 00
Carting—		
Original Appropriation.....	\$22,360 00	
Less transfer to Sweeping.....	2,800 00	
		19,560 00
Final Disposition—Original Appropriation.....		8,650 00
Rents and Contingencies—		
Original Appropriation.....	\$1,000 00	
Plus transfer from Sweeping, Borough of Manhattan.....	3,000 00	
		4,000 00
Snow and Ice—		
Original Appropriation.....	\$1,000 00	
Less transfer to Sweeping.....	1,000 00	
New Stock—Plant—Original Appropriation.....		500 00
New Stock or Plant—Balance brought forward from Account 1899.....		81,463 25
Total amounts available.....		\$141,973 25
Proof.		
Total Original Appropriation.....	\$57,510 00	
Transfer from Manhattan and The Bronx.....	3,000 00	
New Stock or Plant.....	81,463 25	
Total as on preceding page.....		\$141,973 25

Statement, Showing Differences between Appropriations for 1900 (as shown on preceding page) and Estimates for 1901.

	APPROPRIATION, 1900.	ESTIMATE, 1901.	DECREASE.	INCREASE.
Administration.....	\$4,800 00	\$18,220 00		\$13,420 00
Sweeping.....	23,000 00	39,564 00		16,564 00
Carting.....	19,560 00	50,074 50		30,514 50
Final Disposition.....	8,650 00	12,705 00		4,055 00
Rents and Contingencies.....	4,000 00	6,534 00		2,534 00
Total Working Accounts.....	\$60,010 00	\$127,097 50		\$67,087 50
Snow and Ice.....		1,000 00		
New Stock—Plant.....	500 00	1,000 00		
New Stock or Plant.....	81,463 25			
Total.....	\$141,973 25	\$129,097 50		

Increase in Working Accounts..... \$67,087 50

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

ADMINISTRATION.

Amount required..... \$9,500 00

TITLE.	NAME.		
Deputy Commissioner.....	To be appointed.....		\$2,000 00
District Superintendent.....	Richard T. Fox.....		*1,800 00
Section Foreman.....	Fred. A. Hogel.....	\$1,200 00	
".....	Vincent Kearney.....	1,200 00	
2 Section Foremen.....	To be appointed at \$1,200 each per annum.....	2,400 00	
			14,800 00
Clerk.....	To be appointed.....		900 00
	Total.....		\$9,500 00

* Salary limited by section 536, Laws of 1897.

† Salary limited by section 536, Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 261, Laws of 1899.

SWEEPING.	
Amount required.....	\$9,554 00
5 Sweepers at \$720 each per annum.....	\$3,600 00
4 Sweepers at \$900 each per annum.....	3,600 00
2 Section Station and Incumbrance Yard Keepers at \$720 each per annum.....	1,440 00
Feeding 2 horses and care of buggy at \$300 per horse per annum.....	600 00
Shoeing 2 horses at \$32 each per annum.....	64 00
Sundries.....	250 00
Total.....	\$9,554 00

CARTING.	
Amount required.....	\$38,505 50
Hire of 33 carts, at \$3.50 each per day.....	\$36,151 50
2 Drivers, at \$720 each per annum.....	1,440 00
Feeding 2 horses and care of 1 buggy for District Superintendent, at \$300 per horse per annum.....	600 00
Shoeing 2 horses, at \$32 each per annum.....	64 00
Sundries.....	250 00
Total.....	\$38,505 50

FINAL DISPOSITION.	
Amount required.....	\$9,000 00
Wages of 5 Laborers, at \$720 each per annum.....	\$3,600 00
Wages of Foreman.....	900 00
Hire of tugs and scows.....	4,000 00
Repairs and supplies to Crematories.....	500 00
Total.....	\$9,000 00

RENTS AND CONTINGENCIES.	
Amount required.....	\$1,110 00
Rent of office.....	\$300 00
1 incumbrance yard.....	360 00
Car-fares, ferriages, postage, telephones, etc.....	300 00
Repairs and supplies, including gas.....	150 00
Total.....	\$1,110 00

SNOW AND ICE.	
Amount required.....	\$1,000 00

NEW STOCK—PLANT.	
Amount required.....	\$500 00

RECAPITULATION.	
Administration.....	\$9,500 00
Sweeping.....	9,554 00
Carting.....	38,505 50
Final Disposition.....	9,000 00
Rents and Contingencies.....	1,110 00
Snow and Ice.....	1,000 00
New Stock—Plant.....	500 00
Total.....	\$69,169 50

†Detailed as Assistants to Section Foremen (see chap. 261, Laws of 1899).

Statement, Showing Changes in the Appropriations as Originally Fixed, Due to Various Additions and Transfers, 1900.

ACCOUNTS.	AMOUNTS AVAILABLE.
Administration.....	\$5,200 00
Sweeping.....	3,600 00
Carting.....	17,240 00
Final Disposition.....	8,310 00
Rents and Contingencies.....	1,110 00
New Stock—Plant.....	300 00
New Stock or Plant—	
Balance brought forward, account of 1899.....	59,814 25
Total amounts available.....	\$95,574 25

Proof.

Total Original Appropriation.....	\$35,760 00
New Stock or Plant.....	59,814 25
Total as above.....	\$95,574 25

Statement, Showing Differences between Appropriations for 1900 (as shown on preceding page) and Estimates for 1901.

	APPROPRIATION, 1900.	ESTIMATE, 1901.	DECREASE.	INCREASE.
Administration.....	\$5,200 00	\$9,500 00		\$4,300 00
Sweeping.....	3,600 00	9,554 00		5,954 00
Carting.....	17,240 00	38,505 50		21,265 50
Final Disposition.....	8,310 00	9,000 00		690 00
Rents and Contingencies.....	1,110 00	1,110 00		
Total Working Accounts.....	\$35,460 00	\$67,669 50		\$32,209 50
Snow and Ice.....		1,000 00		
New Stock—Plant.....	300 00	500 00		
New Stock or Plant.....	59,814 25			
Total.....	\$95,574 25	\$69,169 50		

Increase in Working Accounts..... \$32,209 50

GRAND RECAPITULATION.

	GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.	MANHATTAN.	THE BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEEN'S.	RICHMOND.	TOTALS.
Administration.....	\$34,800 00	\$205,170 00	\$23,590 00	\$122,100 00	\$18,220 00	\$9,500 00	\$413,380 00
Sweeping.....		1,389,160 40	153,590 70	802,446 20	39,564 00	9,554 00	2,394,333 30
Carting.....		921,705 20	143,726 30	714,037 67	50,074 50	38,505 50	1,868,050 17

	GENERAL ADMIN- ISTRATION.	MANHAT- TAN.	THE BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS.	RICHMOND.	TOTAL.
Final Disposition..		\$58,932 50	\$18,729 50	\$183,734 83	\$12,705 00	\$9,000 00	\$783,101 83
Rents and Con- gencies.....		118,297 40	12,252 00	44,503 00	6,534 00	1,110 00	182,696 40
Total Working Accounts.....		\$3,193,266 50	\$351,888 50	\$1,866,841 70	\$127,097 50	\$67,669 50	\$5,641,563 70
Snow and Ice.....		30,000 00	10,000 00	30,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	72,000 00
New Stock—Plant..		8,000 00	2,000 00	5,000 00	1,000 00	500 00	16,500 00
Grand totals...	\$34,800 00	\$3,231,266 50	\$363,888 50	\$1,901,841 70	\$129,097 50	\$69,169 50	\$5,730,063 70

No. 1457.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—In compliance with resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, I herewith submit for the consideration of your Honorable Board the following estimate required for the year 1901 for the Department of Sewers.

Yours respectfully,

JAS. KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

SALARIES—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.

Allowance for 1900.....\$25,050 00
Amount required for 1901, as per statement following.....26,900 00

	1900.	1901.
1 Commissioner.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00
1 Secretary to Department.....	4,500 00	4,500 00
1 Private Secretary to Commissioner.....	1,750 00	1,750 00
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,350 00	1,350 00
1 Bookkeeper.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 Contract Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Appointment Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
1 Senior Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
1 Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 Telephone Operator.....	600 00	600 00
Total.....	\$22,700 00	\$26,900 00

There will be a balance in appropriation at the end of the year of about \$3,000. In this estimate I have asked, in addition to the above, moneys for 1 Contract Clerk, 1 Senior Clerk and 1 Messenger, which positions are necessary for the proper transaction of the business of the main office.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SALARIES—ADMINISTRATION.

Allowance for 1900.....\$26,100 00
Amount required for 1901, as per statement following.....26,300 00

	1900.	1901.
1 Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
1 Chief Engineer.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
1 Chief Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
1 Bookkeeper.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
1 Watchman.....	900 00	900 00
1 Secretary to Deputy Commissioner.....	1,750 00	1,750 00
1 Cashier.....	1,750 00	1,750 00
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 Superintendent of Maintenance.....	2,700 00	2,700 00
1 Superintendent of Construction.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Total.....	\$26,300 00	\$26,300 00

There will be a small deficiency in this appropriation for 1900, and I intend to ask your Honorable Board for a transfer to cover same in the near future.

SALARIES—SEWERS, REPAIRING AND CLEANING.

Allowance for 1900.....\$11,988 00
Amount required for 1901, as per statement following.....12,240 00

	1900.	1901.
1 General Inspector.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00
1 Cashier.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
1 Inspector.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
5 Inspectors, at \$1,248 each.....	6,240 00	6,240 00
Total.....	\$10,240 00	\$12,240 00

There will be a small balance in the appropriation for the year 1900, caused by the death of the Sewer Permit Clerk, whose salary was provided for in this appropriation. This position has been abolished and the duties of same are now performed by a Cashier whose salary is called for in the above estimate for 1901.

SALARIES—SEWERAGE SYSTEM.

Allowance for 1900.....\$26,035 00
Amount required for 1901, as per statement following.....29,495 00

	1900.	1901.
1 Assistant Engineer.....	\$3,250 00	\$3,250 00
1 ".....	3,000 00	3,000 00
1 ".....	2,100 00	2,100 00
1 Transitman.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
1 Rodmen, at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
1 Draughtsman.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
1 ".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
2 Draughtsmen, at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
1 Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00

	1900.	1901.
1 Inspector of Cement.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00
1 Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
4 Axemen, at \$75 per month.....	3,600 00	3,600 00
1 Laborer, at \$2.50 per day.....	775 00	775 00
2 Laborers, at \$2.25 per day.....	1,395 00	1,395 00
1 Driver, at \$2.50 per day.....	775 00	775 00
Total.....	\$29,495 00	\$29,495 00

Out of the above the following employees are paid in full:

1 Clerk.....	\$1,500 00
1 Inspector of Cement.....	2,000 00
1 Draughtsman.....	1,500 00
1 Messenger.....	1,200 00
3 Laborers and 1 Driver..	2,945 00
Total.....	\$9,145 00

The balance, amounting to \$20,350, is paid about one-third out of appropriation and two-thirds out of Street Improvement Fund, being regulated entirely by the time occupied in the construction of new sewers and basins.

There will be a balance of about \$10,000 in the appropriation of 1900. The amount asked for 1901 has been slightly increased, but from present indications, based on the probability that construction work will continue, the percentage of the appropriation used will not be as large as that of 1900.

BORING EXAMINATIONS.

Appropriations for 1900.....\$3,100 00
Amount required for 1901, as per statement following.....3,100 00

	1900.	1901.
1 Assistant Foreman, 310 days, at \$3.....	\$930 00	\$930 00
1 horse and wagon, 310 days, at \$3.....	930 00	930 00
2 Laborers, each 310 days, at \$2.....	1,240 00	1,240 00
Total.....	\$3,100 00	\$3,100 00

There will be no balance at the end of year.

CONTINGENCIES.

Allowed for 1900.....\$2,000 00
Required for 1901.....2,000 00

There will be no balance at the end of year. The amount is small and great care and economy has to be exercised to keep within the appropriation.

SEWERS, REPAIRING AND CLEANING.

Allowance for 1900—
Pay-rolls and supplies.....\$125,000 00
Contracts at public letting.....40,000 00
Amount required for 1901.....\$165,000 00

For repairing and cleaning of sewers a request is made for an appropriation of \$190,000. The amount allowed for the current year was \$165,000. This has proved entirely inadequate to the needs of the service. It is not sufficient to pay the laboring force and buy the necessary materials for repairs. There is now a deficit which will have to be made good by transfers from other funds.

In the statement of funds required for the present year a partial list of sewers needing immediate repairs was furnished, also a statement as to new granite basin-heads to be furnished and set; total cost about \$30,000. None of this work has been done owing to lack of funds. Only one job (a break in a barrel sewer under Pier 36, North river, the existence of which was not known when the above-mentioned list was made out), costing about \$2,700, has been done this season.

Since the last report other sewers requiring repairs have come to our knowledge, the cost of which will amount to at least \$30,000 more. The importance of maintaining the sewer system clean and in repair is hardly appreciated by those not immediately connected with this work. The preservation of the same in a healthful, sanitary condition is a matter of vast moment to the people of this city, and sufficient means for such purposes should not be lacking. The Superintendent of Maintenance has often complained of insufficient force, and stated that he could effect a great improvement in the matter of cleanliness with a large force, while the necessity for repairs is urgent. Nearly 500 miles of sewers are to be cared for, and about 6,000 receiving-basins kept clean.

It is respectfully submitted that \$190,000 will only accomplish this purpose when expended with good judgment and economy. A less sum would leave many things undone which the public welfare requires should be attended to without delay.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE, DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, FOR THE YEAR 1901.

Estimate in Detail.

SALARIES—OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.

Final Estimate for 1900.....\$25,480 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....25,480 00

	1900.	1901.
Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Secretary.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Cashier (contract).....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Cashier (permit).....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Stenographer and Typewriter, at the rate of.....	2,100 00	2,100 00
Clerks (2 at \$1,200).....	2,400 00	2,400 00
Timekeeper.....	1,080 00	1,080 00
".....	900 00	900 00
Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Messengers (3 at \$1,000).....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Clerks (2 at \$1,200).....	2,400 00	2,400 00
Total.....	\$26,080 00	\$25,480 00

CONTINGENCIES.

Final Estimate for 1900.....\$1,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....1,000 00

All contingent expenses, telephone charges, telegraph rates, and office expenditures are charged against this appropriation. The same amount as was appropriated last year will be adequate.

PRELIMINARY SURVEYS, PLANS, ESTIMATES, ETC.

Final Estimate for 1900.....\$30,980 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....34,840 00
3 Assistant Engineers—1 at \$2,100, 1 at \$1,800, 1 at \$1,800.....\$5,700 00

3 Transitmen.....	\$4,800 00
3 Levelers.....	3,960 00
3 Rodmen.....	3,300 00
4 Axemen.....	2,880 00
4 Draughtsmen and Computers.....	6,000 00
	\$26,640 00
Supplies for draughting department.....	\$2,500 00
Surveying instruments and repairs.....	2,700 00
For running bench levels, etc.....	3,000 00
	8,200 00
Total.....	\$34,840 00

This item is to provide for the preliminary work of making ready for sewer construction, such as surveys, etc. The increase in this estimate is made imperatively necessary by reason of the large numbers of streets in this borough, the titles to which have been acquired and are continually being acquired by the City, and upon which preliminary surveys will have to be made; and especially so on account of the large number of petitions from property-owners for the construction of new sewers, which are being presented almost daily to our Local Board of Improvements, as evidenced by the fact that in August, 1899, there were twenty-one (21) sewers under construction in this borough, and in August, 1900, there are forty (40) sewers under construction. Improvements in this borough will undoubtedly increase in the same proportion during the coming year, necessitating therefor an increase in the working force, the purchase of surveying instruments, repairs to same, etc.

ROCK SOUNDINGS, BORING EXAMINATIONS, ETC.

Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$15,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	20,875 00
2 rock sounding and boring gangs—	
30 men at \$2.25 per day for 250 days.....	\$16,875 00
2 Rodmen in charge of gangs.....	2,200 00
Machinery and supplies for making boring examinations.....	1,800 00
Total.....	\$20,875 00

The increase in this appropriation is made necessary for the same reasons as outlined in the preceding paragraph.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION.

For altering, rebuilding and improving receiving-basins and sewer appurtenances—	
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$8,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	8,000 00

This appropriation is asked for and especially urged, owing to the many changes in street grades and lines made by the Topographical Bureau, necessitating the changing of receiving-basins and sewer appurtenances. In many streets in this borough, where the street grades and lines have been changed, the basins, etc., are now in or near the middle of the roadway or sidewalk, and are serious impediments to public travel and useless for drainage purposes. The cost of these changes, which are continually being made, cannot be charged against the property-owners, for the reason that they have already paid for the old receiving-basins and sewer appurtenances.

SEWERS, RECEIVING-BASINS, CULVERTS, DRAINS, ETC., REPAIRING AND CLEANING, PAY-ROLLS AND SUPPLIES.

Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$90,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	110,000 00
Foremen, Assistant Foremen, Mechanics, Laborers, etc.....	\$80,000 00
Materials.....	15,000 00
Cleaning Brook avenue sewer, 1.9 miles, cleaning Railroad avenue sewer, 1.2 miles, cleaning Jerome avenue sewer, 1.2 miles, cleaning Third avenue sewer, 1.0 miles.....	15,000 00
Total.....	\$110,000 00

The salaries of Foremen, Assistant Foremen, Mechanics, Laborers, etc., engaged in the work of maintaining, cleaning and repairing sewers and appurtenances, receiving-basins, culverts, drains, etc., and the cost of supplies and materials are included in this estimate, which is based upon the approximate expenditure for the year 1900 and the increased amount which will be required for the year 1901. The number of sewers, basins, culverts and drains has greatly increased during the year, as shown by the fact that there are now ninety per cent. more sewers under construction than at this time last year, and the expense of the maintenance, repair and cleaning of the same will accordingly increase. Many of the sewers in this borough have been built in streets that have not been paved, and the large quantity of dirt and sand which washes into the sewers and receiving-basins, makes it necessary to clean sewers and basins much oftener than if the streets were paved with stone or asphalt, thereby increasing the cost of maintenance.

The following are the amounts which will probably remain unexpended of appropriations for 1900 at the end of the year:

Salaries, Deputy Commissioner's office.....	\$230 00
Boring examinations.....	23 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning—Pay-rolls and Supplies.....	.....
Preliminary Surveys, Plans, etc.....	47 00

Total..... \$300 00

RECAPITULATION.

Salaries, Deputy Commissioner's office.....	\$25,480 00
Preliminary Surveys, Plans, Estimates, etc.....	34,840 00
Rock Soundings, Boring Examinations, etc.....	20,875 00
For Altering, Rebuilding and Improving—Receiving-basins.....	8,000 00
Contingencies.....	1,000 00
Sewers, Receiving-basins, Culverts, Drains, etc.—Repairing and Cleaning, Pay-rolls and Supplies.....	110,000 00
Total.....	\$200,195 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The following estimate for the necessary funds for the proper conduct of business of the Department of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1901, is hereby respectfully submitted for the consideration and action of the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Statement showing the Amount Requested for Salaries for the Department of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Year 1901, giving Present Salaries and Salaries Proposed for 1901, and the Proposed Salaries to be Paid for Positions in which Vacancies now Exist:

SALARIES, DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

POSITION.	1901. PROPOSED SALARY.	1900. PRESENT SALARY.	REMARKS.
Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00	
Superintendent of Sewers.....	2,200 00	2,200 00	
Assistant Superintendent of Sewers.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
Secretary.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
".....	1,350 00	1,350 00	
Cashier.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	
".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
Bookkeeper.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Clerk, with knowledge of bookkeeping and stenography.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
Assistant Engineer.....	2,200 00	2,200 00	
".....	1,600 00	1,600 00	

POSITION.	1901. PROPOSED SALARY.	1900. PRESENT SALARY.	REMARKS.
Draughtsman.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00	
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Foreman Repair Yard.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	
Inspector Sewers and Basins.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Inspector of Connections.....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	905 00	905 00	
".....	905 00	905 00	
".....	905 00	905 00	
".....	905 00	905 00	
Messenger.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	900 00	900 00	
Telephone Operator.....	360 00	360 00	
Inspector Pipe Laying.....	1,252 00	1,252 00	313 days, at \$4 00.
Laborer.....	939 00	939 00	" 3 00
".....	782 50	782 50	" 2 50
Total.....	\$55,908 50	\$55,908 50	

Appropriated for 1900..... \$54,070 00

The appropriation requested for the year 1901 agrees closely with that allowed for the year 1900. Each position noted is filled, and such are absolutely necessary for the administration of the affairs in the Borough of Brooklyn of this Department.

SALARIES AND SEWERAGE SYSTEM.

POSITION.	1901. PROPOSED SALARY.	1900. PRESENT SALARY.	REMARKS.
Chief Engineer.....	\$4,500 00	\$4,500 00	
Assistant Engineer.....	4,000 00	4,000 00	
".....	2,300 00	2,300 00	
".....	1,900 00	1,900 00	
".....	1,800 00	1,800 00	
".....	1,800 00	1,800 00	
".....	1,600 00	1,600 00	
".....	1,600 00	1,600 00	
".....	1,600 00	1,600 00	
Draughtsman.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Transitman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Assistant Draughtsman.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Leveler.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Rodman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Topographical Draughtsman.....	1,260 00	1,260 00	
Clerk and Stenographer.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Leveler.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Cleaner.....	782 50	782 50	313 days at \$2.50.
Laborer.....	782 50	782 50	" 2.50.
".....	704 25	704 55	" 2.25.
".....	939 00	939 00	" 3.00.
".....	704 25	704 25	" 2.25.
".....	860 75	860 75	" 2.75.
Total.....	\$43,533 25	\$43,533 25	
Less estimated amount to be charged against Assessment and Bond Accounts.....	.....	12,500 00	
Total.....		\$31,033 25	

SUPPLIES.

Keep of 5 horses used by Engineers and field parties.....	\$1,500 00
Shoeing 5 horses used by Engineers and field parties.....	500 00
Annual repair of 5 wagons used by Engineers and field parties.....	500 00
Repairs to harness, etc.....	150 00
Blankets, whips, robes, etc.....	50 00
1 horse to replace horse in use 8 years.....	200 00
Contingencies, veterinary services, etc.....	100 00
	\$3,000 00

Surveying Instruments—	
New tape lines, measuring pins, plumb bobs, etc.....	\$100 00
Repairs to transits, levels, leveling rods, etc.....	100 00
	200 00

Total..... \$3,200 00

Salaries.....	\$31,033 25
Supplies.....	3,200 00
Total.....	\$34,233 25

Appropriated for year 1900..... \$29,324 50

Request is made for \$4,908.75 in excess of that allowed by your Honorable Board for the year 1900 for this appropriation. The greater part of the excess (\$3,200) for supplies, such as the keep of Engineers' horses, etc. It has been the custom to charge said expense against contracts in force. As a considerable part of the use of these horses is upon preliminary surveys, no appropriate charge can be made for such time unless against contingencies. The division of small bills among many contracts makes the bookkeeping of same arduous, also expensive to the City, considering the time in this borough, the Borough of Manhattan, the Department of Finance, and the Board of Assessors.

The Department of Finance has suggested that the above be requested under this appropriation; in order that this may be accomplished, it will be necessary for above title agreeing with the title of appropriation in Borough of Manhattan, instead of "Salaries—Laying-out and Mapping Districts," as now noted.

SEWERS—REPAIRING AND CLEANING.

Respectful attention is drawn to this appropriation, especially to the small amount which is allowed for the maintaining and cleaning the Sewerage System of the Borough of Brooklyn. This borough has laid in its streets an aggregate in linear mileage, and in the number of street basins, greater than that of the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx combined, and within a few miles of that of the Borough of Richmond added to the two boroughs just above mentioned, yet I am allowed only \$100,000 for the proper care of the system for Brooklyn, a system comprising 640 miles of sewers in sizes from fifteen feet in diameter to twelve inches in diameter. The territory is large, and much thereof far from tide-water, therefore the main sewers are necessarily larger than those in the Borough of Manhattan, etc.

Request is therefore made, in order that I may carry a pay-roll of laborers, etc., to amount to \$116,700, while \$10,900 is requested for supplies, as shown in appended schedule—a total of \$127,610. The pay-roll of laborers as now listed aggregates \$106,107. This is possible only by the non-employment of a large force of men during the early and later months of the year. They should be kept constantly at work, for economy in relieving sewers, and especially street basins just beginning to be choked, thereby also saving annoyance to citizens and to this Department in complaints, and to the attention of same.

Urgent request is made for an appropriation of \$127,610 under this heading:

Supplies.	
200 manhole heads, at \$8.....	\$1,600 00
200 manhole covers, at \$2.....	400 00
200 manhole covers, noiseless, at \$14.....	2,800 00
50 new sets of basin pans, at \$7.....	350 00
40 granite basin heads, etc., at \$30.....	1,200 00
New sewer-pipe.....	250 00
Brick, cement, etc.....	2,500 00
Tools, boots, hose, etc.....	1,200 00
300 basin hoods, at \$2.....	600 00
Total.....	\$10,900 00
Pay-roll, Laborers, etc.....	\$116,710 00
Supplies.....	10,900 00
Total.....	\$127,610 00
Appropriated for year 1900.....	\$100,000 00

THIRTY-FIRST WARD SEWERAGE DISTRICTS NOS. 1 AND 3—THREE PUMPING STATIONS.

(Chap. 483, Laws 1885; chap. 662, Laws 1897; chap. 989, Laws 1895; chap. 860, Laws 1896.)

Salaries.			
POSITION.	1901. PROPOSED SALARY.	1900. PRESENT SALARY.	REMARKS.
Inspector in charge.....	\$1,800 00	\$1,800 00	
Engineer.....	1,050 00	1,050 00	
".....	1,050 00	1,050 00	
".....	1,050 00	1,050 00	
".....	1,050 00	1,050 00	
".....	1,050 00	1,050 00	
".....	1,050 00	1,050 00	
Fireman.....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
Laborer.....	939 00	939 00	313 days at \$3.00.
2 Laborers.....	1,721 50	1,721 50	" 2.75.
21 Laborers.....	14,789 25	14,789 25	" 2.25.
3 Assistant Gas Makers.....	2,112 75	2,112 75	" 2.25.
Total.....	\$35,762 50	\$35,762 50	

Supplies.	
1,186 tons coal, at \$4.....	\$4,744 00
2,920 barrels lime, at \$1.10.....	3,212 00
Chemicals.....	2,000 00
Supplies, oil, waste, tools, etc.....	500 00
Water, 35,000 gallons per diem, at 10 cents.....	1,277 50
Repairs, contingencies, betterments, etc.....	200 00
Total.....	\$11,933 50
Salaries.....	\$35,762 50
Supplies.....	11,933 50
Total.....	\$47,696 00
Appropriated for 1900.....	\$43,568 50

In maintaining the three purification sewerage plants, two at Coney Island, the other at Sheepshead Bay, I have found it necessary to increase the force of Laborers by eight. There are three shifts of men to care for the sewage discharged during all the 24 hours of the day for three pumping stations. In addition to these duties, said Laborers are called upon to pump collected water after rainfalls from Surf avenue, in the absence of a sewerage system which does not provide for surface waters as well as house drainage; also to clear obstructions from the smaller sewer-pipes at the island, which frequently occur.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD DISPOSAL WORKS.

(Chap. 91, Laws 1889; chap. 72, Laws 1891; chap. 516, Laws 1896.)

Salaries.			
POSITION.	1901. PROPOSED SALARY.	1900. PRESENT SALARY.	REMARKS.
Engineer Sewerage Purification.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00	
Engineman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Assistant Engineman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Fireman.....	900 00	900 00	
".....	900 00	900 00	
Assistant Foreman.....	939 00	939 00	313 days, at \$3.00.
Machinist.....	939 00	939 00	313 " 3.00.
2 Stokers.....	1,408 50	1,408 50	313 " 2.25.
3 Assistant Gas Makers.....	2,112 75	2,112 75	313 " 2.25.
24 Laborers.....	16,902 00	16,902 00	313 " 2.25.
Totals.....	\$29,001 25	\$29,001 25	

Materials and Supplies.

820 tons of coal, at \$4.....	\$3,280 00
7,000 barrels of quicklime, at \$1.10.....	7,700 00
Chemicals.....	3,000 00
Supplies, oil, waste, tools, etc.....	500 00
Water, 20,000 gallons per diem, at 10 cents.....	730 00
Repairs, contingencies, betterments.....	400 00
Total.....	\$15,610 00
Salaries.....	\$29,001 25
Supplies.....	15,610 00
Total.....	\$44,611 25
Appropriated for 1900.....	\$38,867 50

For the year 1900 request was made to your Honorable Board for \$41,047.50 to maintain this plant, it being based upon the years' run of 1898, the initial year. Allowance was made to me of \$38,867.50, an amount too small to properly care for the efficient maintenance of the plant, pursuant to the laws above quoted.

I find that for an economical administration it will require \$44,611.25.

Three shifts of men are here employed, while about 4,000,000 gallons of sewage are treated daily.

THIRTIETH WARD, BATH BEACH DISTRICT.

(Chap. 189, Laws of 1898; chap. 585, Laws of 1893.)

Salaries.			
POSITION.	1901. PROPOSED SALARY.	1900. PRESENT SALARY.	REMARKS.
Assistant Foreman.....	\$939 00	\$939 00	313 days at \$3.00.
Horse and cart.....	1,095 50	1,095 50	" 3.50.
5 Laborers.....	3,521 25	3,521 25	" 2.25.
Total	\$5,555 75	\$5,555 75	

Appropriated for the year 1900.....	\$4,923 00
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DREDGING SEWER OUTLETS.

(Chap. 378, Laws of 1897, sec. 558.)

Gowanus Canal.....	\$4,000 00
Wallabout Canal.....	2,000 00
Wallabout Channel, foot of Division avenue.....	1,750 00
Newtown Creek Canal, foot of Metropolitan avenue.....	800 00
Total.....	\$8,550 00
Appropriated for year 1900.....	\$6,000 00

CONTINGENCIES.

Contingencies.....	\$2,000 00
Appropriated for the year 1900.....	\$2,000 00

BORING EXAMINATIONS.

Boring examinations.....	\$3,500 00
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For exploration of underlying earth strata to determine elevation of water-table, preparatory to building tunnel sewers, the above amount is respectfully requested.

RECAPITULATION AND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF BUDGET FOR YEARS 1901 AND 1900.

	1901.	1900.
Salaries, Deputy Commissioner's Office.....	\$55,908 50	\$54,070 00
Salaries and Sewerage system.....	34,233 25	29,324 50
Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning.....	127,610 00	100,000 00
Thirty-first Ward Sewerage Districts Nos. 1 and 3.....	47,696 00	43,568 50
Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works.....	44,611 25	38,867 50
Thirtieth Ward, Bath Beach District.....	5,555 75	4,923 00
Dredging Sewer Outlets.....	8,550 00	6,000 00
Contingencies.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Boring Examinations.....	3,500 00	
Total.....	\$329,664 75	\$278,753 50

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Departmental Estimate, Borough of Queens, for the Year 1901. Estimate in Detail.

SALARIES.		
Amount allowed for 1900.....		\$20,000 00
Amount required for 1901.....		28,100 00
	1900.	1901.
Deputy Commissioner.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Secretary	1,800 00	1,800 00
Cashier.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Chief Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Bookkeeper.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00
Messenger.....		900 00
Engineer.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Assistant Engineer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Draughtsman.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....		1,200 00
Leveler	1,320 00	1,320 00
".....		1,320 00
2 Rodmen, at \$1,200		2,400 00
2 Chainmen, at \$1,080		2,160 00
2 Axemen, at \$900.....		1,800 00
Total.....	\$18,320 00	\$28,100 00

There will be no balance in the appropriation of 1900.

SEWERS—REPAIRING AND CLEANING—PAY-ROLLS AND SUPPLIES AND CONTRACTS AT PUBLIC LETTING.

First, Second, Third and Fourth Wards.

Amount allowed for 1900—	
Pay-rolls and supplies.....	\$35,000 00
Contracts at public letting.....	15,000 00
Amount required for 1901.....	\$50,000 00
	62,050 00

	1900.	1901.
1 Inspector of House Connections.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00
1 Inspector of Sewers.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
1 Inspector of Sewers, \$4 per day.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
9 Foremen of Laborers, \$4 per day.....	10,800 00	10,800 00
1 Foreman of Laborers, \$3.50 per day.....	1,050 00	1,050 00
1 Assistant Foreman of Laborers, at \$3.50 per day.....	1,050 00	1,050 00
10 horses and carts, at \$3.50 per day.....	10,500 00	10,500 00
1 Bricklayer, at \$4 per day.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
28 Laborers, at \$2.25 per day.....	18,900 00	18,900 00
	\$46,900 00	\$46,900 00
<i>Fifth Ward.</i>		
1 Foreman, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00	1,460 00
1 Inspector of House Connections, at \$4 per day.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 horse and cart, at \$3.50 per day.....	1,050 00	1,050 00
2 Laborers, at \$2.25 per day each.....	1,440 00	1,440 00
	\$52,050 00	\$52,050 00
Materials and supplies.....	7,000 00	10,000 00
Total.....	\$59,050 00	\$62,050 00

The figures for 1900 and 1901 are based on full time for all the above employees, and as our appropriation for 1900 was not sufficient we have been compelled up to the present, and will be for the balance of the year, to work the different laboring gangs on short time. This has been a great detriment to the interests of the borough, as many sewers and basins which ought to have been repaired and cleaned were neglected, only such work as was absolutely necessary being done.

I trust your Honorable Board will see the necessity of granting the increased amount asked for the year 1901.

There will be no balance in the appropriation of 1900.

CONTINGENCIES.		
Amount allowed for 1900.....		\$1,000 00
Amount required for 1901.....		1,000 00

There will be no balance in the appropriation of 1900.

NEW APPROPRIATIONS.		
<i>Far Rockaway Disposal Works.</i>		
The expense of the maintenance of these works was paid out of appropriation "Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning, Pay-rolls and Supplies" in 1900.		
Amount required for 1901.....		\$8,760 00

Estimate in detail:

	1900.	1901.
2 Steam Engineers, at \$960.....	\$1,920 00	\$1,920 00
1 Steam Engineer (additional).....		960 00
2 Firemen, at \$720.....	1,440 00	1,440 00
1 Fireman (additional).....		720 00
1 Laborer.....	720 00	720 00
	\$4,080 00	\$5,760 00
Amount required for repairs.....		3,000 00
Total.....		\$8,760 00

The increase asked for is to provide for an additional Steam Engineer and Fireman, in order to provide three shifts of eight hours each, thereby keeping works going continually, which is absolutely necessary.

The appropriation of the sum of \$3,000 is required for repairs to the Disposal Plant at Far Rockaway. It is most necessary, inasmuch as the building needs general repairs, such as fixing the roof and painting same, also painting the brickwork, new flooring, etc., and also the construction of a board fence around the property. This fence is absolutely necessary in order to insure privacy and better protection for the City's property.

The compressors which are now in use at the plant are about worn out and will also have to be replaced with new ones. Many repairs are also required to be made to the three ejector stations in this ward.

Preliminary Surveys.

No appropriation for 1900.....	
Amount required for 1901.....	\$5,000 00

Under this item I ask for the sum of \$5,000 for preliminary surveys. It is necessary that this amount should be set aside for this purpose, inasmuch as no expenses for surveys, draughting, supplies, etc., can be certified to out of the Street Improvement Fund prior to the registering of the contract by the Comptroller, and as I have no available fund to which these items for the numerous surveys and plans which are required by the Board of Public Improvements can be charged.

Jamaica Disposal Plant.

No appropriation for 1900.....	
Amount required for one-half of year 1901.....	\$5,000 00

As the Condemnation Commission appointed by the Courts have made their report to the Court, relative to the property upon which the Disposal Plant for Jamaica will be built, it is therefore necessary that the required amount of \$5,000 should be set aside for the maintenance and operation of said plant on its completion, which will be on or about July 1, 1901.

Newtown Disposal Works.

No appropriation for 1900.....	
Amount required for one-half of year 1901.....	\$5,000 00

As the Board of Public Improvements has passed upon and approved the construction of a sewage disposal works for Newtown, in the Second Ward of the borough, and as the construction of this plant will probably be completed and ready for operation by July 1, 1901, therefore this sum of \$5,000 will be required for the maintenance and operation of said plant.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Departmental Estimate for the Borough of Richmond for the Year 1901.

SALARIES.		
Amount allowed for 1900.....		\$10,786 67
Amount required for 1901, as per statement following.....		11,986 67

	1900.	1901.
Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer.....	\$1,666 67	\$1,666 67
Assistant Engineer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Transitman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Draughtsman.....	1,100 00	1,000 00
General Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Chief Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Private Secretary.....	720 00	720 00
2 Inspectors at \$900.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Senior Clerk.....		1,200 00
Total.....	\$10,786 67	\$11,986 67

Under this heading I have asked for no increase in the salaries of any of the present incumbents, but have requested an allowance of \$1,200 for a Senior Clerk, who is much needed, as there is only one clerk in the Department in this borough.

SEWERS—REPAIRING AND CLEANING.

Amount allowed for 1900.....	\$12,400 00
Amount required for 1901, as per statement following.....	18,590 00

	1900.	1901.
Inspection, supervision, etc.....	\$2,100 00	\$2,400 00
Laboring force, supplies, etc.....	9,700 00	10,790 00
Water for 1 flush tank.....	100 00	
Water for 45 flush tanks.....		4,500 00
Pipe, brick, cement, etc.....	500 00	900 00
Total.....	\$12,400 00	\$18,590 00

Under the above I have asked for an increase of \$6,190, which increase is absolutely necessary, \$4,400 of the amount alone being required to pay water company under their contract for flushing water tanks. During the past year the work in this Borough has been somewhat slighted, owing to a lack of funds, and with the small addition I have asked for the system can be kept in a much more satisfactory condition.

CONTINGENCIES.

Amount allowed for 1900.....	\$500 00
Amount required for 1901.....	500 00

NEW APPROPRIATIONS.

Preliminary Surveys.

No appropriation for 1900.....	
Amount required for 1901.....	\$2,500 00

The Department has been greatly hampered during the past year by the absence of a fund for preliminary surveys, made necessary by the numerous resolutions of the Board of Public Improvements calling for the construction of sewers, and surveys, plans, etc. I ask for \$2,500 for this purpose for next year, and in this connection I beg to state that no expense for the surveys, draughting, supplies, etc., can be certified to from the Street Improvement Fund until the contract has been let and registered by the Comptroller.

Rebuilding South Avenue Sewer.

Amount required for taking up the 6-inch sewer in South avenue, from Arlington place 775 feet south, and replacing same with 8-inch sewer.....	\$2,000 00
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I ask for the sum of \$2,000 for the purpose of taking out and replacing with 8-inch pipe the present 6-inch sewer in South avenue, in the Third Ward, for a distance of about 775 feet. In the early part of 1898 this Department was put to great expense and the property-owners suffered great damage and annoyance by the silting of quicksand into this sewer, entirely blocking it. By extreme care and attention we have been able to keep this sewer in working condition up to the present, but the inflow of quicksand is gradually gaining on us and it is absolutely necessary that this sewer be rebuilt as stated above as soon as the money is available.

Statement in Tabular Form of Appropriations of 1900, with Amounts Asked for in 1901.

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION.	1900.	1901.
<i>Department of Sewers.</i>		
Salaries—General Administration.....	\$25,050 00	\$26,900 00
<i>Borough of Manhattan.</i>		
Salaries—Administration.....	26,100 00	26,300 00
Salaries—Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning.....	11,988 00	12,240 00
Salaries—Sewerage System.....	26,035 00	29,495 00
Boring Examinations.....	3,100 00	3,100 00
Contingencies.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning:		
Pay-rolls and Supplies.....	\$125,000 00	
Contracts at Public Letting.....	40,000 00	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning, Title for 1901.....		190,000 00
<i>Borough of The Bronx.</i>		
Salaries—Deputy Commissioner's Office.....	25,480 00	25,480 00
Boring Examinations.....	15,000 00	20,875 00
Contingencies.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Preliminary Surveys, etc.....	30,980 00	34,840 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning:		
Pay-rolls and Supplies.....	\$65,000 00	
Contracts at Public Letting.....	25,000 00	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning, Title for 1901.....		110,000 00
Alteration and Improvement to Receiving-basins and Sewer Appurtenances.....	8,000 00	8,000 00
<i>Borough of Brooklyn.</i>		
Salaries—Deputy Commissioner's Office.....	54,070 00	55,908 50
Salaries—Laying out and Mapping Districts.....	29,324 50	
Salaries and Sewerage System, Title for 1901.....		34,233 25
Contingencies.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning:		
Pay-rolls and Supplies.....	\$75,000 00	
Contracts at Public Letting.....	25,000 00	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning, Title for 1901.....		127,610 00
Thirty-first Ward Sewerage Districts, Nos. 1 and 3.....	43,568 50	47,696 00
Thirtieth Ward, Bath Beach District.....	4,923 00	5,555 75
Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works.....	38,867 50	44,611 25
Dredging Sewer Outlets.....	6,000 00	8,550 00
Boring Examinations.....		3,000 00
<i>Borough of Queens.</i>		
Salaries.....	20,000 00	28,100 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning:		
Pay-rolls and Supplies.....	\$35,000 00	
Contracts at Public Letting.....	15,000 00	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning, Title for 1901.....		62,050 00
Contingencies.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Far Rockaway Disposal Works.....		8,760 00
Preliminary Surveys.....		5,000 00
Jamaica Disposal Works.....		5,000 00
Newtown Disposal Works.....		5,000 00
<i>Borough of Richmond.</i>		
Salaries.....	10,786 67	11,986 67
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	12,400 00	18,590 00
Contingencies.....	500 00	500 00
Preliminary Surveys.....		2,500 00
Rebuilding South Avenue Sewers.....		2,000 00

No. 1458.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES—CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PARK ROW BUILDING, MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., September 4, 1900.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—I transmit herewith, for the Municipal Assembly, Estimate of the Department of
Bridges for the year 1901.Respectfully,
JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner of Bridges.DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES—CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK CITY, September 4, 1900.

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

Your Honorable Board is respectfully requested to apportion, for the proper transaction of
business of the Department of Bridges of The City of New York, for the year nineteen hundred
and one (1901) the following sums, namely:

Schedule "A"—Salaries, General Administration.....	\$56,470 00
Schedule "B"—Contingencies, Main Office.....	1,700 00
Schedule "C"—For Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges over Harlem River and in the Borough of Manhattan.....	159,692 25
Schedule "D"—For Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges over Newtown Creek.....	64,942 00
Schedule "E"—For Salaries of Deputy Commissioner and Employees in the Bor- ough of Brooklyn.....	12,300 00
Schedule "F"—For Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges in the Borough of Brooklyn.....	51,332 00
Schedule "G"—For Salaries of the Deputy Commissioner and Employees in the Borough of The Bronx.....	10,700 00
Schedule "H"—For Contingencies in the Borough of The Bronx.....	500 00
Schedule "I"—For Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges in the Borough of The Bronx.....	54,496 00
Schedule "J"—For Salaries of the Deputy Commissioner and Employees in the Borough of Queens.....	4,500 00
Schedule "K"—For Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges in the Borough of Queens.....	28,964 50
Schedule "L"—For Salaries in the Borough of Richmond.....	3,300 00
Schedule "M"—For Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges in the Borough of Richmond.....	2,100 00

Total.....\$450,996 75

SCHEDULE "A."

Salaries, General Administration, Main Office, in Manhattan.

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
John L. Shea.....	Commissioner.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00
Thomas H. York.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Samuel R. Probasco.....	Chief Engineer.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Martin Gay.....	Assistant Engineer.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
William J. Morrissey.....	Private Secretary.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Arthur T. Reilly.....	Auditor and Cashier.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
John H. Byrnes.....	Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Joseph W. Balet.....	Assistant Engineer.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
E. B. Jennings.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Daniel A. Curtin.....	".....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Edward D. Tompkins.....	Bridge Engineer.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
William T. King.....	Draughtsman.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
George E. Jackson.....	Topographical Draughtsman.....	1,320 00	1,320 00
Edward J. Carney.....	Transitman.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Thomas S. Griffin.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Edward F. Cadley.....	Cashier.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Ida Parkhurst.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Rose Delaney.....	".....	900 00	900 00
William Knapp.....	Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	1 Assistant Engineer.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
".....	1 Bookkeeper.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
".....	1 Contract Clerk.....	2,250 00	2,250 00
".....	2 Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
Total.....			\$56,470 00

The Chief Engineer's salary is \$10,000 per annum, two-fifths of which is paid from the
above appropriation and one-fifth each from New York and Brooklyn Bridge, Bridge over East
river, between Manhattan and Brooklyn, and Bridge over East river, between Manhattan and
Queens.An additional Assistant Engineer is needed. The clerical force is inadequate and must be
increased. The erection of the proposed bridges between Manhattan and Brooklyn and Man-
hattan and Queens, respectively, will add considerably to the work of the office.Appropriation for 1900.....\$45,940 00
Probable surplus.....None.

SCHEDULE "B."

Contingencies—Main Office.

Telephone service.....	\$500 00
Postage, car-fares, etc.....	200 00
Sundry supplies.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$1,700 00

Telephone service was not considered in estimate for this year.

Appropriation for 1900.....\$1,000 00
Probable surplus.....None.

SCHEDULE "C."

Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges over the Harlem River and in the Borough of
Manhattan.

NAME.	OCCUPATION.	1900.		1901.	
		Per Mo.	Per Year.	Per Mo.	Per Year.
Michael Burke.....	Foreman.....	\$125 00	\$1,500 00	\$125 00	\$1,500 00
Peter Delmour.....	Assistant Foreman.....	83 33	1,000 00	83 33	1,000 00
Michael McKeever.....	".....	83 33	1,000 00	83 33	1,000 00
Henry W. Scherer.....	".....	83 33	1,000 00	83 33	1,000 00
Edward Lynch.....	".....	83 33	1,000 00	83 33	1,000 00
Cornelius Twigg, Jr.....	Steam Engineer in Charge.....	114 06	1,368 75	114 06	1,368 75
Henry T. Roffe.....	".....	114 06	1,368 75	114 06	1,368 75
Frank Bergan.....	".....	114 06	1,368 75	114 06	1,368 75
Daniel Daly, Jr.....	".....	114 06	1,368 75	114 06	1,368 75
George Webber.....	Steam Engineer.....	106 45	1,277 50	106 45	1,277 50
James Moran.....	".....	106 45	1,277 50	106 45	1,277 50
Harry G. Roffe.....	".....	106 45	1,277 50	106 45	1,277 50
William H. Crawford.....	".....	106 45	1,277 50	106 45	1,277 50
Walter Carter.....	".....	106 45	1,277 50	106 45	1,277 50

NAME.	OCCUPATION.	1900.		1901.	
		Per Mo.	Per Year.	Per Mo.	Per Year.
James Ryan.....	Steam Engineer.....	\$106 45	\$1,277 50	\$106 45	\$1,277 50
Dennis Fitzpatrick.....	".....	106 45	1,277 50	106 45	1,277 50
Manierre Ellison.....	".....	106 45	1,277 50	106 45	1,277 50
Ernest Hultgren.....	Lineman.....	75 00	900 00	75 00	900 00
Thomas A. Margrath.....	Fireman.....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
Patrick Freehill.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
Patrick Flanagan.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
John Smith.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
John D. Lyon.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
Louis Snydercker.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
James Clark.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
James Maher.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
John Matthews.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
Frank Brennan.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
Patrick Kennedy.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
Jeremiah Daly.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
William Reardon.....	".....	76 04	912 50	76 04	912 50
Michael Kelly.....	Bridge Tender.....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Richard Murphy.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
William J. Cotter.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
William Murphy.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
William Hartner.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Henry S. Maloy.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Michael Moore.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Thomas Costello.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
William Nitt.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
John J. McCarthy.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
James Saunders.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Henry Zimmerman.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Charles H. Roffe.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
James Cole.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
William J. Morrison.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Henry E. Marshall.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Richard Murphy.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Thomas A. Doyle.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Thomas Monohan.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Michael Halloran.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Peter Connolly.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Michael Lee.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
John J. Beattie.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
John Farroll.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Thomas Kane.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Henry Essig.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Patrick Callahan.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
James H. Glennon.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
John Kane.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
August Zimmerman.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
John D. Crowe.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Edward Crawford.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
David J. Johnson.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Ferdinand Lubbie.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Daniel Daly.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Thomas Lockwood.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Daniel Crowley.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
William M. Johnson.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
George Carroll.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Patrick Lahey.....	".....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
Ernest E. Krampf.....	Inspector of Steel.....	125 00	1,500 00	125 00	1,500 00
Michael J. Breslin.....	Mechanics' Helper.....	69 95	839 50	69 95	839 50
		Per day.		Per day.	
Claus Johnson.....	Bridge Mechanic.....	\$3 50	1,095 50	\$3 50	1,095 50
Charles F. Michael.....	".....	3 50	1,095 50	3 50	1,095 50
Peter J. Grealy.....	Mechanics' Helper.....	2 50	782 50	2 50	782 50
John Barnett.....	".....	2 50	782 50	2 50	782 50
James Ormond.....	Laborer.....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
James Forsyth.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
John Spencer.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
Michael Meehan.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
John Hare.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
Jacob Steele.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
John Murphy.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
Frank Rogers.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
Andrew Gaffney.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
John Ryan.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
John Malloy.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
James J. Sullivan.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
William Brown.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
Richard McDavitt.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
William Haggerty.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
William Bentham.....	".....	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00

NAME.	OCCUPATION.	1900.		1901.	
		Per Mo.	Per Year.	Per Mo.	Per Year.
David Grandon	Laborer.....	\$2 00	\$730 00	\$2 00	\$730 00
William O'Rourke	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
James J. O'Brien.....	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
William Johnson.....	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
John O'Brien.....	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
Daniel Shea.....	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
John Bermingham.....	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
John Kelly.....	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
Thomas Kane.....	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
John McCue.....	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
Thomas Graney.....	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00
Daniel Foye.....	"	2 00	730 00	2 00	730 00

Keep of two horses, at \$22.50 per month each 540 00
Removing snow—25 laborers at \$2, and 12 trucks at \$5 for 20 days..... 2,200 00

Labor Required to Maintain Willis Avenue Bridge during 1901.

1 Steam Engineer in charge, at \$1,368.75 per annum.....	\$1,368 75
2 Steam Engineers, at \$1,277.50 per annum	2,555 00
1 Lineman, at \$900 per annum.....	900 00
4 Firemen, at \$912.50 per annum	3,650 00
13 Bridge Tenders, at \$839.50 per annum.....	10,913 50
1 Assistant Foreman, at \$1,200 per annum.....	1,200 00
15 Laborers, at \$730 per annum.....	10,950 00

Repairs and Supplies.

Ship Canal Bridge—	
Coal, oil, waste and tools	\$978 00
Repairs	1,000 00
Washington Bridge—	
Tools, other supplies and repairs.....	\$205 00
Repairing asphalt pavement, 600 square yards, at \$2.75	1,650 00
New York and Putnam Bridge—Tools, other supplies and repairs.....	
Macomb's Dam Bridge—	
Coal, oil, waste, grease and tools.....	\$2,040 00
Machinery and other repairs	1,200 00
Repairs to asphalt pavement, 1,800 square yards, at \$2.75.....	4,950 00
Madison Avenue Bridge—	
Coal, oil, waste, grease and tools.....	\$629 00
Repairs to machinery.....	300 00
Replanking and other repairs.....	1,230 00
Third Avenue Bridge—	
Coal, oil, waste, grease, tools and electric supplies.....	\$4,293 00
Repairs to machinery.....	1,200 00
General repairs.....	1,000 00
Repairs to asphalt pavement, 1,200 square yards, at \$2.75.....	3,300 00
Willis Avenue Bridge—	
Coal, oil, waste, grease, tools and electric supplies.....	\$4,275 00
Machinery and other repairs.....	500 00
General Cleaning and Repair Gangs—	
Repairs to carts and harness and lumber	2,130 00
Total estimated cost for 1901.....	\$159,692 25
Total amount allowed for 1900	\$160,000 00

There will probably be no unexpended balance of the appropriation for 1900.

SCHEDULE "D."

Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges over Newtown Creek.

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
William Percival.....	Keeper	\$1,095 00	\$1,095 00
Richard Scott.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
Daniel Hickey.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
George Ford.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
Christopher Bopp.....	Bridge Tender.....	8 9 50	8 9 50
Michael McKillop.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Aaron Ingraham.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
James Knee.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Alexander Reed.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
John McQuade.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Michael Collins.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Bernard Patton.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
John Burns.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
John Loughlin.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
James Maloney.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
David Hart.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Walter Brady.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
James McCusky.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Daniel McCullough.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Edward Murray.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Patrick Brodie.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Edward McGrath.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Patrick Harrigan.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
James McNulty.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Henry Zaun.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Nicholas Bates.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Jacob Franzen.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Theodore Ciancy.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Alexander McBride.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
John C. Guines.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50
Patrick McCann.....	"	8 9 50	8 9 50

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
William Deeks.....	Bridge Tender.....	\$839 50	\$839 50
Conrad Schafer.....	"	839 50	839 50
John Miner.....	"	839 50	839 50
August Schroeder.....	"	839 50	839 50
John Howard.....	"	839 50	839 50
Patrick O'Brien.....	"	839 50	839 50
William Reed.....	"	839 50	839 50
Cornelius McGinn.....	"	839 50	839 50
Thomas Donovan.....	"	839 50	839 50
William C. Place.....	"	839 50	839 50
Michael Kelly.....	"	839 50	839 50
William Repper.....	"	839 50	839 50
Albert Hentz.....	"	839 50	839 50
William Pillar.....	"	839 50	839 50
Robert Chappel.....	"	839 50	839 50
John Bourcier.....	"	839 50	839 50
Arnold Titus.....	"	839 50	839 50
James Primrose.....	"	839 50	839 50
Alexander Zeiger.....	"	839 50	839 50
John Kelly.....	"	839 50	839 50
James Leonard.....	"	839 50	839 50
Philip Calmbach.....	Ship Carpenter, \$3 per day.....	939 00	939 00
Edward Blanchard.....	"	939 00	939 00
Frank J. Mayer.....	"	939 00	939 00
Charles Schumacher.....	"	939 00	939 00
James J. Maloney.....	Laborer, \$2.50 per day.....	910 00	910 00
Supplies.....		600 00	600 00
Vernon Avenue Bridge, for repairs and for damage caused by navigation.....		5,000 00	10,000 00
Greenpoint Avenue Bridge, for damage caused by navigation and for repairs.....		2,500 00	2,500 00
Meeker Avenue Bridge, for damage caused by navigation and for repairs.....		2,500 00	2,500 00
Grand Steet Bridge repairs.....		2,000 00	
Total.....			\$64,942 00

Appropriation for 1900..... \$63,966 00
Probable surplus..... None.

SCHEDULE "E."

Salaries of Deputy Commissioner and Employees in the Borough of Brooklyn.

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
Henry Beam.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
James B. Murphy.....	Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
J. S. Langthorn.....	Assistant Engineer.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
James Tierney.....	General Foreman.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
H. E. Cunningham.....	Stenographer.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Total.....			\$12,300 00

Amount appropriated for 1900..... \$12,300 00
Probable surplus..... None.

SCHEDULE "F."

Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges in the Borough of Brooklyn.

NAME.	POSITION.	APPROPRIATION, 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
	Salaries, Bridge Tenders, etc.	\$35,585 00	\$36,332 00
	General Repairs.....	15,000 00	15,000 00
		\$50,585 00	\$51,332 00
	Salaries of Bridge Tenders, etc.		
John Walls.....	Bridge Keeper.....	\$1,095 00	\$1,095 00
John T. Cahill.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
James E. Ryan.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
Dennis McNamara.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
Frank Kelly.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
William Murray.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
Charles M. McKeever.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
John Schumm.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
Joseph S. Sutherland.....	"	1,095 00	1,095 00
Joseph Delaney.....	Bridge Tender.....	839 50	839 50
Barth. Holahan.....	"	839 50	839 50
John O'Rourke.....	"	839 50	839 50
Alex. McLaughlin.....	"	839 50	839 50
Michael Duffy.....	"	839 50	839 50
James McBride.....	"	839 50	839 50
James Quilty.....	"	839 50	839 50
Michael White.....	"	839 50	839 50
James S. McGrath.....	"	839 50	839 50
John J. Gilney.....	"	839 50	839 50
John Curran.....	"	839 50	839 50
Daniel O'Neil.....	"	839 50	839 50
Frank A. Conlon.....	"	839 50	839 50
Peter Gallagher.....	"	839 50	839 50
Patrick Ryan.....	"	839 50	839 50
John J. Foley.....	"	839 50	839 50
Patrick Sheehan.....	"	839 50	839 50
John Holsten, Jr.....	"	839 50	839 50
Patrick Shea.....	"	839 50	839 50
Frederick Hamilton.....	"	839 50	839 50
Richard Hayman.....	"	839 50	839 50
William F. O'Brien.....	"	839 50	839 50
*John Sheelock.....	"	839 50	839 50
Richard Gailer.....	"	839 50	839 50
Charles M. Smith.....	Engineer.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
Hugh Bagley.....	"	1,277 50	1,277 50
Richard Cahill.....	Fireman	1,000 00	1,000 00
Thomas W. Pollock.....	Ship Carpenter.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Joseph Russell.....	Bridge Tender.....	839 50	839 50
John Connell.....	"	839 50	839 50
Total.....		\$34,653 00	\$36,332 00

* Died July 8, 1900, and Thomas Breen, of Marcy avenue, Brooklyn, was appointed in his place.

1901..... \$36,332 00
1900..... 34 653 00

Increase..... \$1,679 00

This increase is due to the appointment of two Bridge Tenders, at \$839.50 per annum.
Appropriation for 1900..... \$50,585 00
Probable surplus..... None.

SCHEDULE "G."

Salaries of Deputy Commissioner and Employees in the Borough of The Bronx.

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
Matthew H. Moore.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00
Edwin F. Lyng.....	Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Vacancy.....	Inspector.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
John A. Pachler.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John G. Theban.....	Engineer-in-Charge (one-third salary).....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Total.....			\$10,700 00

Appropriation for 1900..... \$10,540 00
Probable surplus..... None.

SCHEDULE "H."

Contingencies in the Borough of The Bronx.

Telephone service, car-fares and supplies..... \$500 00
Appropriation for 1900..... \$500 00
Probable surplus..... None.

SCHEDULE "I."

Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges, Borough of The Bronx.

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
John B. Colford.....	Foreman.....	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
Francis E. Walkley.....	Painter.....	1,004 00	1,004 00
William E. Gorton.....	".....	1,004 00	1,004 00
Andrew J. Walsh.....	".....	1,004 00	1,004 00
James E. Gaffney.....	Carpenter.....	1,004 00	1,004 00
Joseph Meckler.....	".....	1,004 00	1,004 00
Thomas Houlihan.....	".....	1,004 00	1,004 00
Joseph Schmallecker.....	".....	1,004 00	1,004 00
William Stapleton.....	".....	1,004 00	1,004 00
Anthony Zwickert.....	Foreman's Assistant.....	912 00	912 00
John Clark.....	Dock Builder.....	760 00	760 00
Daniel J. Carr.....	Sounder.....	760 00	760 00
Phillip J. Keilly.....	".....	760 00	760 00
M. H. Moore, Jr.....	".....	760 00	760 00
T. A. Theban, Jr.....	".....	760 00	760 00
Timothy Higgins.....	Stableman.....	912 50	912 50
Alexander McKenna.....	Laborer.....	912 50	912 50
James Rice.....	".....	912 50	912 50
John Ryan.....	".....	760 00	760 00
Thomas P. Moore.....	".....	760 00	760 00
William P. Breidenbach.....	".....	760 00	760 00
Patrick Hayes.....	".....	760 00	760 00
Bernard McCann.....	Toolman.....	912 50	912 50
Thomas Manning.....	".....	782 50	912 50
John J. Taggart.....	Driver.....	782 50	782 50
Aloysius T. Moore.....	".....	782 50	782 50
J. Joseph Ryan.....	".....	912 50	912 50
Samuel Smith.....	Machinists' Helper.....	782 50	782 50
Michael Gorman.....	Stone Mason.....	1,216 07	1,216 07
Pierce J. Butler.....	Foreman Mason.....	1,216 00	1,216 00
Sarah Titus.....	Bridge Tender.....	400 00	400 00
Patrick Moriarty.....	".....	730 00	730 00
James H. Booth.....	".....	730 00	730 00
John Maloy.....	".....	730 00	730 00
Frank Yaker.....	".....	730 00	730 00
Richard McCowan.....	".....	730 00	730 00
Warren Doty.....	".....	730 00	730 00
Edward Hayes.....	".....	730 00	730 00
William Heapes.....	".....	730 00	730 00
Vacancy.....	".....	730 00	730 00
".....	".....	730 00	730 00
".....	".....	730 00	730 00
".....	".....	730 00	730 00
".....	".....	730 00	730 00
Total.....			\$38,416 00

SUMMARY.

	ALLOWED, 1900.	ESTIMATED, 1901.	INCREASE OR DECREASE.
Labor of Mechanics, etc.....		\$27,795 00	
Bridge Tenders for drawbridges.....	\$24,521 00	10,620 00	\$13,895 00
Rent of stable, No. 901 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.....	600 00	600 00	
Lumber, feed for 4 horses, tools, repairs to plant, iron, paint and painters' material and sundry supplies.....	7,400 00	8,500 00	1,100 00
Soundings, borings, engineering, superintendence, preliminary surveys, etc.....	3,380 00	3,380 00	
Removing old City Island Bridge.....		3,500 00	3,500 00
Extraordinary repairs, etc. (decrease).....	2,500 00		* 2,500 00
Engineering instruments and supplies (decrease).....	1,050 00	100 00	* 950 00
	\$39,451 00	\$54,496 00	
Increase.....			\$18,495 00
Decrease.....			* 3,450 00
Net increase.....			\$15,045 00

The excess cost of labor for maintenance and repairs for the year 1901 over 1900 is accounted for as follows:

Increase of wages, to comply with Labor Law.....	\$5,865 00
Increase of force of Bridge Tenders, to comply with eight-hour provision of Labor Law.....	3,650 00
Six (6) Bridge Tenders for new City Island Bridge; three 8-hour shifts of 2-men crews.....	4,380 00
Total.....	\$13,895 00

The new City Island drawbridge will be finished before the close of the year. The swing span must be moved by hand-power, and it is estimated by the Consulting Engineer that two men, at least, will be required to turn it; hence I have asked for three shifts (8 hours per shift) of two men each. These figures have so increased my estimate that I have neglected to include any provision for sweepers or laborers. Although the bridge, exclusive of approaches, is nearly 600 feet long, I think that for the present, at least, the force of six men scheduled above will be able to keep the structure in fair order.

The special appropriation of \$3,500 for the removal of the old City Island bridge is absolutely needed. This structure must be torn down as soon as the new bridge shall have been

completed, as it will then prevent navigation. The greater part of it must be removed by contract, as the Department has no plant to dredge out the sunken crib piers.
Probable surplus for 1900, none.

SCHEDULE "J."

Salaries of Deputy Commissioner and Employees in the Borough of Queens.

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
John E. Backus.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
John A. McElroy.....	Chief Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Total.....		\$4,500 00	\$4,500 00

Probable surplus for 1900, none.

SCHEDULE "K."

Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges in the Borough of Queens.

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
Frank Krahe.....	Bridge Tender.....	\$766 50	\$766 50
Frank Heaney.....	".....	766 50	766 50
Elwood Van Nostrand.....	".....	766 50	766 50
William Sands.....	".....	766 50	766 50
Thomas Sweeney.....	".....	766 50	766 50
William Scanlon.....	".....	766 50	766 50
James Kendrick.....	".....	766 50	766 50
John Hurley.....	".....	766 50	766 50
Bernard F. Kine.....	".....	766 50	766 50
Patrick Mara.....	".....	766 50	766 50
George Mager.....	".....	766 50	766 50
Cornelius Fowler.....	".....	766 50	766 50
George T. Murray.....	".....	766 50	766 50
Borden Avenue Bridge, painting and repairs.....		\$1,400 00	
Hunter's Point Avenue Bridge, painting and repairs.....		600 00	
Norton's Creek Bridge, repairs to abutments.....		1,600 00	
Strong's Causeway Bridge, retaining walls and repairs.....		6,000 00	
Little Neck Bridge, new abutments and repairs.....		6,000 00	
Flushing Bridge, possible damage by navigation and general repairs.....		1,500 00	
Clinton Road Bridge, a new stationary bridge.....		1,600 00	
Supplies—			
Telephone service.....		\$100 00	
Waste, oil, grease, tools, etc.....		200 00	
Total.....			\$28,964 50

Appropriation for 1900..... \$38,675 00
Probable surplus for 1900..... None.

SCHEDULE "L."

Salaries in the Borough of Richmond.

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
Patrick Larkin.....	Superintendent.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00
Cornelius J. Lynch.....	Inspector.....	600 00	600 00
John McCabe.....	Bridge Tender.....	600 00	600 00
Edward Vaughan.....	".....	600 00	600 00
Total.....		\$3,300 00	\$3,300 00

Appropriation for 1900..... \$3,300 00
Probable surplus..... None.

SCHEDULE "M."

Maintenance of and Repairs to Bridges in the Borough of Richmond.

Repairs to Bridge at Princess Bay.....	\$500 00
Repairs to Bridge at Fresh Kills.....	1,000 00
Repairs to Bridge at Mill Creek.....	500 00
Repairs to Bridge at Western Avenue.....	100 00
Total.....	\$2,100 00

During this year few repairs were needed, but next year repairs to the trestle of the Fresh Kills Bridge and grouting and pointing of the Mill Creek Bridge will have to be made.

Appropriation for 1900..... \$1,200 00
Probable surplus for 1900..... None.

No. 1459.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of section 226, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I transmit herewith the Departmental Estimate of the Board of Public Improvements for 1901, together with a list of the employees and their salaries, which has this day been forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Respectfully,

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Main Office.

	DEPART- MENTAL ES- TIMATES, 1900.	DEPART- MENTAL ES- TIMATES, 1901.
President.....	\$8,000 00	\$8,000 00
Secretary to Board.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Chief Engineer.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Consulting Engineer.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
Private Secretary to President.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
General Bookkeeper.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Contract Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
1 Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00

	DEPART- MENTAL ES- TIMATE, 1900.	DEPART- MENTAL ES- TIMATE, 1901.
1 Clerk.....	\$1,800 00	\$1,050 00
1 Male Stenographer.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
3 Female Typewriters (at \$800 each).....	2,400 00	2,400 00
1 Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 Telephone Operator.....	2,000 00	1,000 00
	780 00	780 00
Total.....	\$42,880 00	\$42,330 00

The increase between the amount asked for the present year (1900) and the amount asked for the year 1901 for the main office is \$200, the same being the amount of increase of the salary of 1 Messenger from \$800 to 1,000.

TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU.

In submitting the estimate of money required to properly carry on the work of the Topographical Bureau, I beg to again call the attention of your Honorable Board to the magnitude of the scope under the jurisdiction of said bureau.

Since the institution of this Department, under the provisions of the City Charter, I have endeavored each year, in submitting the yearly budget, to emphasize the just need of funds sufficient for the work imposed upon it, which includes not only the making of the topographical survey of the Greater New York, the preparation of the design for the street system, determining the grades of streets and maps of same for filing, monumenting, preparing system of drainage and sewerage, and the establishment of bench-marks over the entire city, but, in addition, is the most important work of making surveys, searches, technical descriptions and maps for the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in street-opening proceedings.

There are now pending over 500 proceedings for street openings in the various boroughs, and so great is the demand for new streets, particularly in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and so rapidly are the proceedings for street openings multiplying, that a large additional force of Transitsmen, Draughtsmen, etc., is absolutely necessary to prosecute the work to the satisfaction of the respective boroughs.

When the fact is considered that during the year 1898 there were but 22 resolutions for street openings adopted, and in 1899 there were 422, with the prospect of a greater number during 1900, and that the increase of appropriations for purposes of surveying, laying out, etc., and preparing maps for street openings for 1900 was but 55 per cent. over that of 1899, the necessity for adequate funds becomes apparent.

The following is an estimate, carefully compiled, of the amounts necessary to carry on the work of the Topographical Bureau during the year 1901, divided into boroughs:

Comparative Figures of Provisional Budgets for 1899, 1900 and 1901.

BOROUGH.	AMOUNT ASKED FOR 1899.	AMOUNT ASKED FOR 1900.	AMOUNT ASKED FOR 1901.	INCREASE IN 1901.	DECREASE IN 1901.
Manhattan.....	\$48,280 00	\$35,190 00	\$32,005 00	.....	\$3,185 00
Bronx.....	190,220 00	78,740 00	66,480 00	.....	12,260 00
Brooklyn.....	82,320 00	94,420 00	100,340 00	\$5,920 00	.....
Queens.....	80,160 00	137,080 00	138,800 00	1,720 00	.....
Richmond.....	35,340 00	68,060 00	72,480 00	4,420 00	.....
Total.....	\$436,320 00	\$413,490 00	\$410,105 00	\$12,385 00	\$15,445 00
Total Decrease for 1901.....					\$3,385 00

Amount allowed by Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the Topographical Bureau for 1900 for the Above Five Boroughs, was:

Surveying, Laying Out, Maps, Plans, etc., in the Borough of The Bronx.....	\$73,740 00
Monumenting Streets and Avenues in all the Boroughs.....	30,000 00
Surveying Instruments.....	2,000 00
Copying Records.....	5,000 00
Surveying, Laying Out, Maps, Plans, etc., in all the Boroughs except the Borough of The Bronx, including Maps for Street Openings, Grade Changes, Drainage, etc.....	84,760 00
Total.....	\$195,500 00

ESTIMATE OF FUNDS.

Office of the Chief Topographical Engineer.

The office of the Chief Topographical Engineer, with its clerical force and a small force of engineers, forms the nucleus or centre from which the borough branches receive their instructions and from which office the designs of the street and sewerage systems and other projects of general interest emanate. One-fifth of the amount required for this main office will therefore be charged to each borough.

Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer.....	\$4,000 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	2,500 00
1 Draughtsman.....	2,000 00
2 Computers, at \$1,500.....	1,800 00
1 Draughtsman.....	1,500 00
4 Draughtsmen, at \$1,200.....	4,800 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,500.....	3,000 00
1 Junior Clerk.....	600 00
2 Typewriters, at \$800.....	1,600 00
1 Messenger, at \$900.....	900 00
Traveling expenses, miscellaneous, etc.....	500 00
Driver for Chief Engineer.....	900 00
Total.....	\$28,300 00

—or \$5,660 for each of the five (5) boroughs.

AMOUNTS REQUIRED TO CARRY ON THE WORK IN THE DIFFERENT BOROUGH WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

Borough of Manhattan.

One-fifth of the amount for the office of the Chief Topographical Engineer.....	\$5,660 00
1 Engineer in charge of street openings.....	4,000 00
1 Clerk for preparing street-opening matters for all boroughs.....	2,250 00
3 Draughtsmen, at \$1,200.....	3,600 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	2,000 00
2 Draughtsmen, at \$1,200.....	2,400 00
2 Computers, at \$1,500.....	3,000 00
1 Field Party, consisting of 1 Surveyor, at \$1,500; 1 Transitsman at \$1,200; 2 Chainmen, at \$1,080; 1 Axeman, at \$900, and traveling expenses, \$375.....	6,135 00
Traveling expenses.....	300 00
1 Party for setting monuments, stones and bolts, consisting of 1 Foreman, at \$900; 2 Laborers, at \$780; traveling expenses, \$200.....	2,660 00
Total.....	\$32,005 00

Borough of The Bronx.

One-fifth of the amount for the office of the Chief Topographical Engineer.....	\$5,660 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	3,000 00
10 Computers, at \$1,500.....	15,000 00
2 Draughtsmen, at \$1,500.....	3,000 00
8 Draughtsmen, at \$1,200.....	9,600 00
2 Junior Draughtsmen, at \$720.....	1,440 00
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00
1 Messenger.....	780 00
4 Field Parties, at \$5,160.....	20,640 00
1 Party for setting monument stones and bolts.....	2,660 00
Traveling expenses.....	1,500 00
Total.....	\$66,480 00

Borough of Brooklyn.

One-fifth of the amount for the office of the Chief Topographical Engineer.....	\$5,660 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	3,000 00
3 Computers, at \$1,800.....	5,400 00
3 Draughtsmen, at \$1,500.....	4,500 00
10 Computers, at \$1,500.....	15,000 00
12 Draughtsmen, at \$1,200.....	14,400 00
1 Searcher.....	1,500 00
1 Clerk.....	1,200 00
1 Typewriter.....	800 00
1 Messenger.....	780 00
8 Field Parties, at \$5,160.....	41,280 00
2 Parties for setting monument stones, etc., at \$2,660.....	5,320 00
Traveling expenses.....	1,500 00
Total.....	\$100,340 00

Borough of Queens.

One-fifth of the amount for the office of the Chief Topographical Engineer.....	\$5,660 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	3,000 00
1 Assistant Engineer in charge of triangulation.....	3,000 00
2 Computers, at \$1,800.....	3,600 00
14 Computers, at \$1,500.....	21,000 00
16 Draughtsmen, at \$1,200.....	19,200 00
1 Searcher.....	1,500 00
1 Clerk.....	1,200 00
1 Typewriter.....	800 00
1 Messenger.....	780 00
14 Field Parties, at \$5,160.....	72,340 00
2 Parties for setting monument stones, etc., at \$2,660.....	5,320 00
Traveling expenses.....	1,500 00
Total.....	\$138,800 00

Borough of Richmond.

One-fifth of the amount for the office of the Chief Topographical Engineer.....	\$5,660 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	3,000 00
1 Computer.....	1,800 00
4 Computers, at \$1,600.....	6,400 00
2 Draughtsmen, at \$1,500.....	3,000 00
4 Draughtsmen, at \$1,200.....	4,800 00
1 Clerk.....	1,200 00
1 Typewriter.....	800 00
1 Messenger.....	780 00
8 Field Parties, at \$5,160.....	41,280 00
1 Party for setting monuments, etc.....	2,660 00
Traveling expenses.....	1,500 00
Total.....	\$72,480 00

RECAPITULATION OF THE AMOUNTS REQUIRED TO CARRY ON THE WORK IN THE TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU DURING THE YEAR 1901.

SURVEYING, LAYING MAPS, PLANS, ETC., MONUMENTING AVENUES AND STREETS, MAPS FOR STREET OPENINGS, GRADE CHANGES, DRAINAGE, ETC.

Estimate by Boroughs.

Borough of Manhattan.....	\$32,005 00
Borough of The Bronx.....	66,480 00
Borough of Brooklyn.....	100,340 00
Borough of Queens.....	138,800 00
Borough of Richmond.....	72,480 00
Total.....	\$410,105 00

Contingencies.....	\$5,000 00
Surveying instruments, etc.....	5,000 00
Lithographing and printing large and reduced maps for different Departments and public distribution.....	5,000 00

SUMMARY.

AMOUNT ASKED FOR.		
1901.	BOROUGH.	1900.
\$32,005 00	Manhattan.....	\$35,190 00
66,480 00	The Bronx.....	78,740 00
100,340 00	Brooklyn.....	94,420 00
138,800 00	Queens.....	137,080 00
72,480 00	Richmond.....	68,060 00
\$410,105 00		\$413,490 00
		413,490 00
Contingencies.....		5,000 00
Surveying instruments.....		5,000 00
Lithographing and printing.....		7,500 00
Total.....		\$473,870 00
		\$467,435 00

APPROPRIATIONS TO BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

	AMOUNT RECEIVED. 1900.	AMOUNT ASKED FOR. 1901.
Salaries, Office of the President.....	\$41,500 00	\$42,330 00
<i>Topographical Bureau.</i>		
Surveying, laying out, Borough of The Bronx.....	\$73,740 00	
Monumenting all boroughs.....	30,000 00	
Surveying instruments.....	2,000 00	
Copying records.....	5,000 00	
Surveying, etc., all boroughs, except The Bronx, includ- ing maps for street openings, etc.....	\$4,760 00	
	195,500 00	420,105 00
Contingencies.....	2,500 00	5,000 00
Total.....	\$239,500 00	\$467,435 00

As at present estimated there will be no balances of 1900 appropriations at close of the year.

SALARY LIST.

Board of Public Improvements.

MAIN OFFICE.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
Maurice F. Holahan.....	President.....	\$8,000 00	\$8,000 00
John H. Mooney.....	Secretary.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Louis A. Risse.....	Chief Topographical Engineer.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Charles H. Haswell.....	Consulting Engineer.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
Hubert A. Holahan.....	Private Secretary.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
John Osborn.....	General Bookkeeper.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
William Kearney.....	Contract Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
George H. Dyer.....	Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Clarence R. Hatton.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Charles J. Fitzpatrick.....	".....	1,050 00	1,050 00
William J. Haggerty.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Ethel S. Clapp.....	Typewriter.....	800 00	800 00
Bessie Ross.....	".....	800 00	800 00
Mary C. Conaghan.....	".....	800 00	800 00
John P. Boyle.....	Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Richard J. Garland.....	".....	900 00	1,000 00
Harriet C. Lawlor.....	Telegraph Operator.....	780 00	780 00
Total.....		\$42,230 00	\$42,330 00

Bureau of Street Openings, Borough of Manhattan.

MAIN OFFICE.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
Joseph O. B. Webster.....	Engineer-in-Chief.....	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00
Edmund O. Morton.....	Draughtsman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
George W. Isaacs, Jr.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Eugene F. Benham.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Van Brugh Livingston.....	Clerk of Highways for all boroughs.....	2,250 00	2,250 00

Topographical Bureau.

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
F. Greiffenberg.....	Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer.....	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00
W. S. Dalrymple.....	Assistant Engineer.....	2,250 00	2,250 00
J. H. Schaefer.....	".....	2,250 00	2,250 00
J. C. Hume.....	".....	2,250 00	2,250 00
E. H. Holden.....	".....	2,250 00	2,250 00
G. J. Bischof.....	".....	2,250 00	2,250 00
E. Ankener.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
W. W. Klein.....	".....	1,920 00	1,920 00
N. McConaughy.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
J. Martin.....	".....	1,700 00	1,700 00
G. Berry.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
H. H. Claxton.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
W. T. Vajen.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
W. H. Dearborn.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
W. A. Herckenrath.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
C. R. Ward.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
N. Cummings.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
J. B. Jenkins.....	".....	1,380 00	1,380 00
H. K. Endemann.....	".....	1,380 00	1,380 00
P. Gies.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
G. C. Hillman.....	Assistant.....	1,320 00	1,320 00
S. B. Cady.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
F. M. Hartmann.....	Transitman.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
J. F. Torpey.....	".....	1,320 00	1,320 00
F. P. Lant.....	".....	1,320 00	1,320 00
W. Rumble.....	".....	1,260 00	1,260 00
E. P. Ramsey.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
B. W. Homans.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
A. B. Satterlee.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
F. L. Greiffenberg.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
B. Kipp.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
G. L. Van Dusen.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
P. Davidson.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
N. W. Stanley.....	".....	1,080 00	1,080 00
E. Riordan.....	Transitman and Computer.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
J. P. Whiskemann.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
J. L. Whalen.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
A. Perczel.....	Computer.....	1,620 00	1,620 00
J. P. Binzen, Jr.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
E. A. Pacilio.....	".....	1,380 00	1,380 00
W. F. Laase.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
J. J. Arnaud.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
F. Drews.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
J. J. Kletchka.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
A. Nagy.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
S. R. Hurlbut.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
C. H. Vanderbilt.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
I. M. Clark.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
J. I. Jacobs.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
C. Busath.....	".....	900 00	900 00
F. Knauer.....	Computer and Draughtsman.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
E. Schroeders.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00

NAME.	TITLE.	1900.	1901.
H. Crueger.....	Draughtsman.....	\$1,560 00	\$1,560 00
F. Ehrenberg.....	".....	1,440 00	1,440 00
E. J. Plassman.....	".....	1,380 00	1,380 00
A. Dulon.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
C. C. Von Logau.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
A. Bolce.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
B. Windowsky.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
L. F. Cox.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
L. Hermenau.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
M. L. Blum.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
C. Raettig.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
H. Klotz.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
H. Mihm.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
V. H. Reichelt.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
F. X. A. Purcell.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
F. W. Koop.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
C. W. Stepath.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
F. L. Berthoud.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
A. H. Diamant.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
A. D. Wegman.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
B. W. Ronzone.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
R. T. Johnson.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
G. E. Thew.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
R. P. Abendroth.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
E. C. Ranson.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
H. H. Bittman.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
A. C. Forbes.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
E. Vallance.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
E. H. West.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
W. McKeever.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
A. Salmon.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
C. U. Powell.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
E. M. Law, Jr.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
A. W. Whitson.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
E. A. Ebbinghaus.....	Mechanical Draughtsman.....	1,320 00	1,320 00
G. W. Hebert.....	Leveler.....	1,320 00	1,320 00
C. P. Bonnett.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
C. Mazeau.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
F. J. Ackerman.....	Rodman.....	1,140 00	1,140 00
W. J. O'Grady.....	".....	1,080 00	1,080 00
G. F. Lawrence.....	".....	1,080 00	1,080 00
P. J. Tracey.....	".....	1,020 00	1,020 00
H. E. Goenner.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
C. J. Mueller.....	".....	900 00	900 00
A. C. Huebner.....	Chainman.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
T. A. Dorey.....	".....	960 00	960 00
Dr. J. Williams.....	".....	900 00	900 00
A. Friedrich.....	".....	840 00	840 00
W. M. Bacon.....	".....	780 00	780 00
G. C. Janvrin.....	".....	720 00	720 00
B. F. McGill.....	".....	720 00	720 00
M. Bernhardt.....	".....	720 00	720 00
F. Blum.....	Chainman and Rodman.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
J. Lapp.....	".....	900 00	900 00
W. E. Stanford.....	".....	900 00	900 00
P. H. Short, Jr.....	".....	780 00	780 00
C. D. Kayser.....	".....	720 00	720 00
C. A. Brushaber.....	".....	720 00	720 00
W. J. McGrory.....	".....	720 00	720 00
L. Greiffenberg.....	Axeman.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
W. Roland, Jr.....	".....	840 00	840 00
W. J. Seiffert.....	".....	780 00	780 00
W. H. Gilliland.....	".....	780 00	780 00
P. F. Vaupel.....	".....	780 00	780 00
R. B. Wright.....	".....	780 00	780 00
A. Parker.....	".....	720 00	720 00
C. G. Coles.....	".....	720 00	700 00
E. T. Ebert.....	".....	720 00	720 00
J. Fitzgerald.....	".....	720 00	720 00
F. G. Hartvigson.....	".....	720 00	720 00
E. Nagy.....	".....	720 00	720 00
S. A. Repper.....	".....	720 00	720 00
H. Branfuhr.....	".....	720 00	720 00
W. Dierolf.....	".....	720 00	720 00
J. Schuh.....	".....	720 00	720 00
T. B. Skennion.....	".....	720 00	720 00
M. J. Norz.....	".....	720 00	720 00
J. J. Schneider.....	".....	720 00	720 00
G. C. White.....	".....	720 00	720 00
T. J. Walsh.....	".....	720 00	720 00
F. B. Thompson.....	".....	720 00	720 00
J. O. Farrell.....	Searcher.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
P. H. Smith.....	Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
A. Heyer.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
M. Keller.....	Typewriter.....	900 00	900 00
H. A. Dawson.....	".....	800 00	800 00
H. M. Lynx.....	".....	800 00	800 00
J. P. Flanagan.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00
Total force of Foremen, Sounders, Laborers, etc. (24).....		18,120 00	18,120 00
Total.....		\$190,700 00	\$190,700 00

The difference between the total amount of appropriations received for 1900, viz., \$239,500, and the amount asked for 1901, viz., \$467,435, is \$227,935, which is the amount needed to increase the force of employees in the Topographical Bureau to an extent previously explained in detail in the schedule of the estimates of each borough, also for Contingencies, Surveying Instruments, and Lithographing and Printing of Maps, etc., as per the following:

SUMMARY.

	ALLOWED FOR 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
<i>Salary List.</i>		
Main office.....	\$42,230 00	\$42,330 00
Topographical Bureau.....	192,770 00	190,700 00
	\$235,000 00	\$233,030 00
<i>For Supplies, etc.</i>		
Surveying instruments.....	2,000 00	5,000 00
Lithographing and printing.....	.....	5,000 00
Contingencies.....	2,500 00	5,000 00
	\$239,500 00	\$248,030 00
Additional force for Topographical Bureau.....	.....	219,405 00
		\$467,435 00
1900.....		239,500 00
Increase.....		\$227,935 00

Respectfully submitted,
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

No. 1460.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,
August 14, 1900.

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

In compliance with section 230 (paragraph 12) and section 1583 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I have the honor to submit the following Departmental Estimate of the amount necessary in order to conduct the business of the office of District Attorney in and for the County of New York for the year 1901, with a detailed statement of the objects of such expenditure and a statement of the statutory salaries or assigned compensation of every of the officers, Clerks and other employees of said office, as follows:

ESTIMATE FOR 1901.

For salary of the District Attorney (section 1503 of the Consolidation Act of 1882).....	\$12,000 00
For salaries of eight Assistant District Attorneys, at \$7,500 each (section 1503 of the Consolidation Act of 1882 as amended by chapter 693, Laws of 1895).....	60,000 00
For salaries of Deputy Assistant District Attorneys appointed pursuant to chapter 681, section 9, Laws of 1892, and compensation of Secretary, Clerks, Stenographers, County Detectives, Draughtsman, Messengers and other employees.....	175,810 00
For fees and compensation of Stenographer to the Grand Jury (chapter 348, Laws of 1885).....	2,500 00
For contingent expenses in procuring the arrest and extradition of prisoners in this and other States and foreign countries, attendance of witnesses from other States, fares, expert witnesses, special counsel, interpreters, actual disbursements necessarily incurred in service of process or other performance of public duty, printing points on appeal under the rules of Court, and other contingency printing not otherwise provided for, books and publications for office Law Library, postage, telegrams, messenger and other special service, telephone and telephone service, necessities for the office, and generally for expenses necessarily incurred by the District Attorney in criminal cases arising within the county (First Revised Statutes, 385, section 3).....	30,000 00
For fees of Clerk of Court of General Sessions for certifications of copies of indictments and other records (chapter 299, section 3304, Laws of 1892).....	7,500 00
Total estimate for 1901.....	\$287,810 00

The amount requested for salaries for the ensuing year is on the basis of the pay-roll submitted to your Board with my departmental estimate of date August 9, 1899, and confirmed by you for the year 1900, with increase only sufficient to permit proper and reasonable readjustment of compensation of certain members of the administrative staff.

The slight increase thus recommended is for the compensation of the Docket Clerk of the Criminal Term of the Supreme Court, who receives less than the Docket Clerks in the four parts of the Court of General Sessions for the same kind of employment and responsibility, and also for the compensation of five of the Stenographers, whose labors have been very much increased by being required to attend the call of the dockets in the several parts of Court during term time, and from the extraordinary amount of night work which they have been and are required to perform, in addition to duty on legal holidays.

They have become expert stenographers in the peculiar business of the office, and their present rate of wages is not in any way commensurate with that obtained in civil life for the same kind of service.

This total increase amounts to \$950.

During the past year, owing to the extraordinary volume of business transacted, averaging in the service of subpoenas and notices alone during term time from 550 to 650 per diem, it became necessary to appoint two additional County Detectives for such indispensable service.

This prevented the filling of the vacancy in the office of Secretary to the District Attorney, which occasioned much official inconvenience. It is estimated for at the same figures that were approved by your Board last year, which adds to that extent to the estimated appropriation for 1901.

It is impossible ever to estimate with any degree of certainty as to the expenses which may be necessarily incurred by the District Attorney in criminal cases arising within the county, and which are, under the statute, chargeable to the County.

The past year witnessed many homicide and other criminal trials of great intricacy and difficulty, requiring the attendance of many witnesses from all parts of the county, and the employment of experts in medicine, lunacy, chemistry, toxicology, chiropathy, etc.

A large number of homicide cases were tried, and also a number of cases of the utmost importance to the business community, such as cases of organized gangs of swindlers which existed in this city and had branches in other States, all of whom have been driven out of business in this County, after having conducted their unlawful operations for a considerable period of time.

In 1894 the appropriation made for contingencies was \$45,000, and in 1895, \$40,000.

Those estimates were only relative, and it is to be borne in mind that if the expenses necessarily incurred by the County do not amount to as much as the sum appropriated therefor the difference is covered into the treasury, and available for the succeeding year.

The volume and variety of the professional business transacted in this office, far exceeding that of any other District Attorney or Prosecutor of the Pleas in this or any other county, were fully set forth in the annual estimate made to you, dated August 9, 1899.

Upon entering upon the administration of the office on January 1, 1898, a Bureau of Forfeited Recognizances was established and temporarily placed under a Counsellor-at-Law in the Transfer Tax Bureau—a department of this office which is totally distinct from the criminal business of the county and for which the State or County is not chargeable.

This arrangement has had to be continued in consequence of the professional employment in criminal matters of the professional staff.

The duties, however, of the Transfer Tax Assistant now require that he shall be relieved of the charge of the Bureau of Forfeited Recognizances, a bureau which has been found to be very valuable to the public service.

This Forfeited Recognizance Bureau, it should be observed, has collected during the time mentioned the sum of \$41,218.35, which has been duly turned over to the City Chamberlain. This is believed to be a larger sum than has ever been collected under any previous administration of the office, and thus far, under this administration, collected without any cost to the County. As it has become necessary, however, to appoint a Deputy Assistant District Attorney to take charge of that important Bureau, the amount estimated for his salary will, it is believed, be found to be reasonable and barely commensurate with the character of the professional duty required.

When the Legislature shall meet, a proposed bill will be submitted for enactment which will, it is hoped, enable this office to realize for the County upon judgments in cases of forfeited recognizances which now constitute uncollectible liens upon real estate of sureties. The County will, therefore, be more than repaid by an appropriation made for the salary of an additional Deputy Assistant District Attorney.

The public business in this office is now in such a state of forwardness that the Honorable Warren W. Foster, Judge of the Court of General Sessions, presiding in Part I., on July 2, 1900, in his charge to the Grand Jury said, in reference to pending indictments in charge of the District Attorney, and prison and bail cases awaiting action of the Grand Jury, as reported by the Clerk of the Court, that "the community is to be congratulated upon the showing made," and that "the figures show the smallest number awaiting disposition that there has ever been in the history of the Court of General Sessions." He added that "the showing ought to please," and he did not doubt "it does please the people of this county," and gave statistics showing the number of indictments received by the District Attorney and disposed of through the courts since January 1, 1898, and characterized the staff of the District Attorney's Office as an "able staff."

Mr. Justice Bischoff, of the Supreme Court, holding Part I., Special Term, in this county, in an opinion handed down July 28, 1900, granting a motion to remove the case of the People vs. Corbin G. Stewart from the Court of Special Sessions to be proceeded against in the Court of General Sessions by process of indictment by a grand jury, said: "In view of the fact that there is now no delay in the trial of cases where the defendant is under indictment, and that owing to the commendable diligence of the District Attorney of this county no accumulation of indictments exists, there appears to be no reason for the denial of the present application."

Hon. Martin T. McMahon, Judge of the Court of General Sessions, presiding in Part I., charging the Grand Jury at the opening of the present August Term on the 6th instant, again referred to the few indictments now pending in charge of the District Attorney, and prison cases awaiting action of the Grand Jury, as reported by the Clerk of the Court, and added: "This shows a very gratifying condition of things in the County of New York and will very materially lighten your labors."

With the constantly increasing population in this county the business of this office also increases, and I therefore regret to say that I see no way of making reductions either in the professional or administrative staff or in the expense account.

As an indication of the volume of this business, aside from cases on appeal in the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, the Court of Appeals and the Supreme Court of the United States, writs of habeas corpus and certiorari, orders to show cause and motions for stays and certificates of reasonable doubt, applications for removal of causes or inspection of minutes, motions to dismiss indictments, cases of importance which are constantly arising in Magistrates' Courts where the people have to be represented, Coroners' inquests, lunacy commissions and digested reports on pardon applications, the Grand Jury for the April Term 1900 found 397 indictments, all of which have to be disposed of by this office through the courts.

The total amount estimated for this office last year was \$292,610; the present estimate is for \$287,810.

I have the honor to be,

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

ASA BIRD GARDNER, District Attorney.

PAY-ROLL OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

NAME AND ADDRESS.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARY PER ANNUM.	
		Rate for August, 1900.	Proposed for 1901.
Asa Bird Gardner, No. 101 Broad street.....	District Attorney.....	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00
<i>Professional Staff (Attorneys and Counsellors-at-Law), Counsel for the People.</i>			
John F. McIntyre, No. 1385 Lexington avenue.....	Assistant District Attorney.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00
James W. Osborne, No. 331 West Fifty-seventh street.....	".....	7,500 00	7,500 00
James D. McClellan, No. 254 West Fourteenth street.....	".....	7,500 00	7,500 00
Stephen S. Blake, No. 1466 Lexington avenue.....	".....	7,500 00	7,000 00
James J. Walsh, No. 31 Oliver street.....	".....	7,500 00	7,300 00
Robert Townsend, Park Avenue Hotel.....	".....	7,500 00	7,500 00
Charles E. LeBarbier, Bronxwood Park, Williams bridge.....	".....	7,500 00	7,500 00
Henry W. Unger, No. 241 East Thirty-ninth street.....	".....	7,500 00	7,500 00
James Linday Gordon, No. 28 East Twenty-eighth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	4,500 00	4,500 00
Moses Herrman, No. 135 East Sixtieth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	4,500 00	4,500 00
Forbes J. Hennessy, No. 117 East Eighteenth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
John F. Cowan, No. 119 East One Hundred and Twenty-Seventh street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Gerald Hull Gray, No. 106 East Sixteenth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Charles E. F. McCann, No. 102 West Seventy-fifth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Thomas F. Byrne, No. 118 Washington place.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Daniel O'Reilly, No. 19 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Maurice B. Blumenthal, No. 324 East Fourth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Cornelius F. Collins, No. 329 East Thirtieth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Robertson Honey, No. 128 East Fifty-ninth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	3,250 00	3,250 00
Keyran J. O'Connor, No. 408 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	3,250 00	3,250 00
Michael J. Sullivan, No. 458 Willis avenue.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
John Schwarzkopf, No. 167 East Ninety-fourth street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
James Dickson Carr, No. 222 West Forty-seventh street.....	Deputy Assistant District Attorney.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
.....	Secretary to the District Attorney.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
<i>Administrative Staff—Holding Strictly Confidential Relations to the Counsel for the People—Designations Arbitrary and Relative.</i>			
William J. McKenna, No. 1941 Clinton avenue.....	Chief Law Clerk.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Andrew Fay, No. 215 West One Hundred and Fourth street.....	Deputy Chief Law Clerk.....	2,700 00	2,700 00
John J. Buckley, No. 467 Tenth avenue.....	Auditor and Deputy Assistant Chief Law Clerk.....	2,150 00	2,150 00
Edward T. Flynn, No. 34 West Twenty-sixth street.....	Pardon Clerk.....	3,800 00	3,800 00
William R. McAuley, No. 385 Eighth avenue.....	Docket Clerk, Supreme Court, Criminal Term.....	1,000 00	1,300 00
John H. Eustace, No. 341 East Twenty-ninth street.....	Docket Clerk, Court of General Sessions, Part I.....	1,300 00	1,300 00
Thomas A. McGee, No. 201 West Sixtieth street.....	Assistant Docket Clerk, Court of General Sessions, Part I.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John J. Carroll, No. 252 Clinton street.....	Docket Clerk, Court of General Sessions, Part II.....	1,300 00	1,300 00
Thomas F. Maguire, No. 388 East Fourth street.....	Docket Clerk, Court of General Sessions, Part III.....	1,300 00	1,300 00
John J. Donohue, No. 366 Broome street.....	Docket Clerk, Court of General Sessions, Part IV.....	1,300 00	1,300 00
Michael Roche, No. 815 Sixth avenue.....	Clerk to Trial Assistant, Supreme Court, Criminal Term.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
James Smith, No. 310 East Thirty-seventh street.....	Clerk to Trial Assistant, Court of General Sessions, Part I.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Cornelius Leary, No. 22 Vestry street.....	Clerk to Trial Assistant, Court of General Sessions, Part II.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
F. Lopez De Queralta, No. 108 East Seventeenth street.....	Clerk to Trial Assistant, Court of General Sessions, Part III.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Washington Hadley, No. 158 East Fifty-eighth street.....	Clerk to Trial Assistant, Court of General Sessions, Part IV.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Matthew F. Lynch, No. 205 East One Hundred and Ninth street.....	Clerk to Trial Assistant, Court of Special Sessions.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Valentine Carleton, Occidental Hotel.....	Indictment Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Ambrose W. Clayton, No. 113 East Eighty-ninth street.....	Grand Jury Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Richard Couch, No. 36 East Twenty-first street.....	Deputy Grand Jury Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
William H. Rachau, No. 31 West Eighty-second street.....	Bail and Witness Certificate Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Pierce N. Poole, No. 12 Lewis street.....	Assistant Bail and Witness Certificate Clerk.....	1,400 00	1,400 00
Cornelius Roche, No. 1897 Third avenue.....	Deputy Assistant Bail and Witness Certificate Clerk.....	1,300 00	1,300 00
David Bentley, No. 2171 Third avenue.....	Liquor Tax Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Thomas Fitzsimmons, No. 65 Carlton street.....	Assistant Liquor Tax Clerk.....	1,200 00	2,200 00
Jeremiah F. Kennally, No. 468 West Forty-third street.....	Register Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Charles Boylan, No. 203 East Fifty-ninth street.....	Assistant Register Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Thomas W. Goggin, No. 890 East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.....	Judgment Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Andrew M. Robinson, No. 256 West Fifty-third street.....	Diary Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Adolph Anger, No. 80 East One Hundred and Eleventh street.....	Record Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Patrick J. Whelan, No. 91 James street.....	Assistant Record Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Charles G. Bartlett, No. 225 West Fourteenth street.....	Librarian.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Peter Acritelli, No. 243 Elizabeth street.....	Interpreter.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Thomas Keane, No. 1263 Lexington avenue.....	Entry Clerk.....	1,100 00	1,100 00
Patrick Brady, No. 326 East Thirteenth street.....	Index Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
James E. Brande, No. 31 Marion street.....	Clerk to Bureau for the Preparation of Cases for Trial.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Edward J. Cuff, No. 385 Park avenue.....	Draughtsman.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Robert F. Nicholls, No. 102 East Ninety-sixth street.....	Chief Stenographer.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
James E. Lynch, No. 41 Bethune street.....	Stenographer.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
Thomas J. Wilson, No. 582 Grand street.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Clara A. True, No. 65 West Thirty-sixth street.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John J. Meara, Eastern Hotel.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00

NAME AND ADDRESS.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARY PER ANNUM.	
		Rate for August, 1900.	Proposed for 1901.
Alfred Hering, No. 107 East Seventy-third street.	Stenographer.	\$1,100 00	\$1,200 00
John F. O'Neill, No. 107 West Eleventh street.	"	1,100 00	1,200 00
L. McKee Hutchins, No. 211 East Twenty-fifth street.	"	850 00	1,000 00
Samuel J. Siegel, No. 705 East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street.	"	650 00	850 00
Edward P. Byrne, No. 229 Wadsworth avenue.	Appeal Clerk.	900 00	900 00
Henry Edward Turner, No. 157 West One Hundred and Eleventh street.	Assistant Appeal Clerk.	650 00	650 00
William H. Broderick, No. 393 West Eighteenth street.	Chief County Detective Officer.	1,500 00	1,500 00
John J. Gleason, No. 173 Hudson street.	Deputy Chief County Detective Officer.	1,200 00	1,200 00
Eugene Coffey, No. 522 West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street.	County Detective Officer.	1,000 00	1,000 00
Charles O'Brien, No. 459 Canal street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Jefferson O'Reilly, No. 192 Elm street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Edward Rosenstein, No. 125 Clinton street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Patrick J. Lyons, No. 447 Canal street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
John Mahoney, No. 824 Second avenue.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Edward J. Fitzgerald, No. 15 West street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Darius T. Smith, No. 52 Vestry street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
John Moore, No. 402 East Eighty-second street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Hugh McFadden, No. 118 White street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Michael F. Shelley, No. 104 East Ninetieth street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Edward Faulkner, No. 1212 Third avenue.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
James F. Seery, No. 1283 Third avenue.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Patrick Donovan, No. 608 West Fifty-seventh street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Joseph F. O'Neill, No. 171 West One Hundred and Thirty-second street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Joseph A. Redmond, No. 509 East Eighty-first street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Andrew Lang, No. 154 East Third street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
David H. Sheerin, No. 3 Patchen place.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
John Brennan, No. 101 Broad street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Dave Guran, No. 98 Division street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
James E. Hastings, No. 413 West Thirty-sixth street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Benjamin Spier, No. 635 Sixth street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
George L. Walker, No. 136 East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Thomas J. Leonard, No. 843 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Arthur J. Pettit, Seton street, Throggs Neck.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Charles T. Fowler, No. 373 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
William J. Smith, No. 348 West Fifty-first street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Martin J. Mulligan, No. 902 Amsterdam avenue.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Cornelius E. Price, No. 1307 Lexington avenue.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Thomas J. Mulvey, No. 416 West Twenty-ninth street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Thomas F. Moore, No. 87 Bridge street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Alexander Frank, No. 139 Eldridge street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
William J. Tobin, No. 300 East Seventieth street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
George Fox, No. 503 Sixth street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
William Fox, No. 73 Stanton street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
John Redmond, No. 411 Amsterdam avenue.	Chief Messenger.	1,300 00	1,300 00
James J. Meade, No. 719 Second avenue.	Assistant Chief Messenger.	1,200 00	1,200 00
William J. Naughton, No. 409 East Twenty-second street.	Messenger.	1,100 00	1,000 00
Daniel Hurley, No. 975 First avenue.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Madison S. Jones, No. 154 West Fifty-third street.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Matthew F. Nagle, No. 1142 Second avenue.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
William Donovan, No. 539 West Twenty-sixth street.	"	900 00	900 00
Joseph A. Maher, No. 205 West Sixty-second street.	"	900 00	900 00
Richard S. Battersby, No. 245 East Forty-fifth street.	"	850 00	850 00
Leon R. Waterman, No. 324 West Fifty-seventh street.	"	720 00	720 00
Joseph McGrath, No. 20 Greenwich street.	"	720 00	720 00
Christopher C. Conroy, No. 48 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street.	"	720 00	720 00
John J. Martin, No. 201 East Thirty-first street.	"	650 00	650 00
Francis J. Keenan, No. 9 Charlton street.	Stenographer to the Grand Jury.	*10 00	*10 00

* Per diem, as per statute.

No. 1461.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 17 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, August 29, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to the provisions of section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, I herewith respectfully transmit a duplicate of my Departmental Estimate of the amounts required to properly conduct the business of the Department of Highways during the year 1901.

Very respectfully,

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, No. 21 PARK ROW.
August 29, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—In compliance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 27, and in accordance with the provisions of section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, I respectfully submit the following estimate of the amounts required to properly conduct the business of the Department of Highways during the year 1901:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Salaries—General Administration.

Appropriation for 1900.	\$22,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.	30,000 00
Increase.	\$8,000 00

The salaries to be paid from this estimate are:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Commissioner.	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00
Deputy Commissioner.	5,000 00	5,000 00
Secretary.	3,500 00	3,500 00
Principal Assistant Engineer (transferred from fund for Extension of Riverside Drive Viaduct).	3,000 00	3,000 00
Chief Engineer (vacant).	6,000 00	6,000 00
Consulting Engineer (vacant).	5,000 00	5,000 00
Total.	\$19,000 00	\$30,000 00

The increase of \$8,000 in this estimate is required to fill the vacant positions named, it being necessary to have a complete Engineer Corps to give proper attention to the many large public improvements which have been authorized, and to others which are contemplated.

Salaries—Administration.

Appropriation for 1900.	\$25,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.	36,225 00
Increase.	\$11,225 00

The following are the salaries chargeable to this appropriation:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Chief Clerk (vacant).	2,400 00	\$3,000 00
Corresponding Clerk.	2,250 00	2,400 00
Contract Clerk.	2,400 00	2,250 00
Cashier.	2,400 00	2,400 00
Appointment Clerk.	1,800 00	1,800 00
Clerk.	2,000 00	2,000 00
3 Clerks, \$1,500 each.	4,500 00	4,500 00
3 Clerks, \$1,200 each.	3,600 00	3,600 00
Clerk.	1,000 00	1,000 00
Messenger.	1,200 00	1,200 00
Stenographer.	975 00	975 00
Telephone Operator.	600 00	600 00
Office Boy.	300 00	300 00
Total.	\$23,025 00	\$26,025 00

New Appointments.

2 Assistant Engineers, \$2,500 each.	5,000 00
2 Draughtsmen, \$1,400 each.	2,800 00
2 Clerks, \$1,200 each.	2,400 00
Total.	\$36,225 00

The increase of \$11,225 asked for in this account is needed to pay the salaries of the Chief Clerk, which position is now vacant, and of two Assistant Engineers and two Draughtsmen, whose services are rendered necessary by the great number of public works which have been authorized. The clerical work of the Department is also steadily increasing, hence two additional clerks are provided for in the estimate, the full amount of which should be allowed.

Boring Examinations for Grading Contracts.

Appropriation for 1900.	\$2,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.	2,000 00

Correct estimates cannot be made of the quantities of rock and earth to be excavated under contracts for regulating and grading streets without making examinations by borings or rock soundings, involving an estimated expenditure of \$2,000 for 1901, which is the same amount as was allowed for the present year.

Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.

Appropriation for 1900.	\$139,150 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.	160,000 00
Increase.	\$20,850 00

This estimate comprises the following items:

Labor on macadam and gravel road—	
125 Laborers, \$2 per day each, 305 days.	\$76,250 00
83 Laborers, \$2 per day each, 150 days.	24,600 00
10 Foremen, \$3.50 per day each, 310 days.	10,850 00

Total. \$112,000 00

Sprinkling roads—	
30 teams, \$4 per day each, 120 days.	\$14,400 00
2 teams, \$4 per day each, 75 days.	600 00

Total. \$15,000 00

Labor at Repair Shop—	
Foreman, \$4 per day, 200 days.	\$800 00
Blacksmith, \$3.50 per day, 200 days.	700 00
2 Painters, \$3.50 per day each, 200 days.	1,400 00
Wheelwright, \$3.50 per day, 200 days.	700 00
2 Machinists' Helpers, \$2.50 per day each, 200 days.	1,000 00
Watchman, \$3 per day, 300 days.	900 00

Total. \$5,500 00

Material and Supplies—	
Coal.	\$300 00
Repairs to sprinklers.	600 00
Lumber.	325 00
Repairs to tools.	600 00
Paints.	475 00
Hardware.	700 00

Total. \$3,000 00

Miscellaneous items—	
Gravel, gravel screenings, broken stone and stone screenings to maintain roads.	\$17,450 00
Horse and wagon for Superintendent.	960 00
Rent of yard in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, west of Columbus avenue.	4,800 00
Rent of yard at Ninety-ninth street and Boulevard.	100 00
Telephone service.	230 00
Horse and wagon for General Foreman.	960 00

Total. \$24,500 00

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATE FOR "BOULEVARDS, ROADS AND AVENUES, MAINTENANCE OF."

Labor on macadam and gravel roads.	\$112,000 00
Sprinkling roads.	15,000 00
Labor at Repair Shop.	5,500 00

Material and supplies.....	\$3,000 00
Miscellaneous items.....	24,500 00
Total.....	\$160,000 00

This estimate shows an increase of \$20,850 over the sum allowing for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues—Maintenance of," in 1900. The increase is required to enable the Department to employ additional laborers whose services are necessary, and without which the work of maintaining and repairing the 21.60 miles of gravel and macadamized roads and 33.26 miles of unpaved streets and roads in the upper section of the borough cannot be properly done. The laborers paid from this appropriation clean the roads and remove snow and ice therefrom in winter, in addition to the work performed by them in repairing, maintaining and sprinkling the streets.

Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of—Salaries.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$6,810 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	6,810 00

The salaries chargeable to this appropriation are:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Superintendent of Streets and Roads.....	\$2,750 00	\$2,750 00
Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Rodman.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Timekeeper.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Total.....	\$6,250 00	\$6,250 00

Contingencies—Department of Highways.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$3,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	3,000 00

This appropriation is for postage, telegraphing, expressage, traveling expenses of officers of the Department, and other incidental expenses.

Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in Front of City Property.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$2,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	2,000 00

The work to be paid for from this appropriation will require the same expenditure in 1901 as during the present year.

One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct—Maintenance and Repairs.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$6,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	12,000 00

Increase.....\$6,000 00

This increase is necessary to pay for more extensive repairs than ordinary maintenance, and for painting which will be required in 1901.

Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$15,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	15,000 00

The work to be paid for from this estimate comprises the removal from sidewalks of such incumbrances as show-cases and merchandise extending beyond legal limits, and the removal of dead and dangerous trees, posts, stumps, telegraph poles, dirt, stone and rubbish left on streets and sidewalks by unknown parties. The wages of two foremen and of two laborers employed in corporation yards, as well as the expense of a horse and wagon for the Superintendent of the Bureau are also charged to this account. The estimated amount of \$15,000 is barely sufficient to meet all necessary expenses which can be kept within the limits of the appropriation only by the strictest economy.

Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues—Salaries.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$14,500 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	14,800 00

Increase.....\$300 00

This estimate includes the following salaries:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Superintendent.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
6 Inspectors, \$900 each.....	5,400 00	5,400 00
Keeper of Corporation Yard.....	900 00	900 00
Total.....	\$14,800 00	\$14,800 00

The increase of \$300 in this estimate over the appropriation allowed for 1900 is required for an efficient and faithful clerk, whose salary has been increased from \$1,200 to \$1,500.

Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$400,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	473,400 00

Increase.....\$73,400 00

The items comprised in this estimate are:

Maintaining asphalt pavements under existing contracts.....	\$10,000 00
Maintaining asphalt pavements upon which the periods of maintenance by the contractors expired during 1898.....	13,000 00
Maintaining asphalt pavements upon which the contractors' guarantee expired during the year 1899.....	7,000 00
Maintaining asphalt pavements upon which the periods of maintenance expire in 1900.....	3,000 00
Maintaining asphalt pavements upon which the periods of maintenance will expire in 1901.....	5,000 00
Repairing asphalt pavement damaged by bonfires.....	20,000 00
Repairing and maintaining 231.68 miles of granite, trap-block and belgian-block pavement.....	415,400 00
Total.....	\$473,400 00

The increase of \$73,400 includes \$5,000 for the maintenance of asphalt pavements upon which the present periods of maintenance will expire in 1901, and the balance of the increase, \$68,400, is included in the sum of \$415,400, required for repairing and maintaining the 231.68 miles of granite, trap-block and belgian-block pavement, under the care of this Department, in the Borough of Manhattan. The expense of this work is greatly enhanced by the larger volume and greater weight of the traffic to which the streets are subjected, necessitating in numerous instances the taking up and relaying of old and defective pavements extending over entire blocks of roadways. Another important factor in the increase under this head is the higher wages which, in accordance with the prevailing rate of wages law, must be paid for labor. The increased cost of

materials likewise helps to substantially augment the cost of repairing and maintaining stone pavements.

It should not be overlooked that all the items of this estimate, except those for repairing and maintaining granite, trap-block and belgian-block pavement, and for repairing asphalt pavements damaged by bonfires, represent contract obligations and cannot be reduced.

The estimated amount of \$20,000 for restoring to good condition asphalt pavements damaged by bonfires will be fully required, judging from the expenditures for this purpose during the present and preceding years.

I give in detail, as follows, the estimate of \$415,400 for repairing and maintaining 236.68 miles of granite, trap-block and belgian-block pavement:

Labor—

1 General Foreman, \$6 per day, 365 days.....	\$2,190 00
1 Foreman, \$4 per day, 313 days.....	1,252 00
4 Foremen, \$4 per day each, 313 days.....	5,008 00
36 Foremen, \$3.50 per day each, 313 days.....	39,438 00
4 Foremen, \$3 per day each, 313 days.....	3,756 00
12 Assistant Foremen, \$3 per day each, 300 days.....	10,800 00
35 Assistant Foremen, \$2.50 per day each, 300 days.....	26,250 00
3 Toolmen, \$3 per day each, 313 days.....	2,817 00
1 Toolman, \$2.50 per day, 300 days.....	750 00
1 Skilled Laborer, \$2.50 per day, 300 days.....	750 00
1 Axeman, \$2.50 per day, 300 days.....	750 00
1 Machine Helper, \$2.50 per day, 300 days.....	750 00
88 Pavers, \$4.50 per day each, 200 days.....	79,200 00
1 Stone Cutter, \$3.50 per day, 200 days.....	700 00
1 Watchman, \$2 per day, 365 days.....	730 00
38 Rammers, \$3.50 per day each, 200 days.....	26,600 00
263 Laborers, \$2 per day each, 200 days.....	105,200 00
6 Laborers, \$2.50 per day each, 313 days.....	4,605 00
81 horses and carts, \$3 per day each, 200 days.....	48,600 00
4 teams and trucks, \$5 per day each, 200 days.....	4,000 00
1 Driver, \$2.50 per day, 313 days.....	782 50
1 Driver, \$2 per day, 313 days.....	626 00
Total.....	\$365,644 50

Supplies—

Recutting 60,000 paving blocks.....	\$1,500 00
20,000 cubic yards of sand.....	10,000 00
2,000 cubic yards of gravel.....	4,000 00
100,000 gallons No. 6 paving cement.....	7,000 00
Repairs to tools.....	3,000 00
Repairs to tool boxes and tar kettles.....	5,000 00
First growth pine wood.....	3,000 00
1,800 barrels American Portland cement, \$2.50 per barrel.....	4,500 00
Breaking stone for concrete.....	1,000 00
20 tons stove coal, \$5 per ton.....	100 00
12,500 gallons of kerosene oil, 12 cents per gallon.....	1,500 00
Carriage service.....	3,264 00
Miscellaneous supplies (including brooms, rammers, picks, barrows, lamp fillers, chains, locks, etc.).....	3,000 00
Petty disbursements (principally car-fares on account of Department business).....	2,891 50
Total.....	\$49,755 50

Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading—Salaries.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$22,500 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	22,500 00

The salaries and wages chargeable to this account are:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Engineer of Subsurface Construction.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00
3 Clerks, \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00	3,600 00
Junior Clerk.....	900 00	900 00
Topographical Draughtsman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Messenger.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
2 Levelers, \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
General Inspector.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
Stenographer, \$20 per week, 52 weeks.....	1,040 00	1,040 00
Stenographer, \$15 per week, 52 weeks.....	780 00	780 00
2 Inspectors, \$1,095.50 each.....	2,191 00	2,191 00
Additional Inspectors to be employed as work progresses.....	4,489 00	4,489 00
Total.....	\$22,500 00	\$22,500 00

The services of all the employees provided for in this estimate are required, and it is not proposed to make any change in their salaries.

Repaving Streets and Avenues.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$200,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	450,000 00

Increase.....\$250,000 00

The sum of \$200,000 allowed for repaving streets and avenues in the Borough of Manhattan this year, supplemented with \$1,000,000 raised by the issue of bonds pursuant to section 48 of the Charter, has been utterly inadequate to enable this Department to repave many streets on which the existing pavements are old and defective. Requests have been received for asphalt pavements involving an expenditure three or four times as great as that authorized for the current year, therefore it is evident that the increase of \$250,000 in this appropriation for 1901 will be fully required.

Repaving Streets and Avenues—Salaries.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$50,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	50,000 00

Only the same amount is asked for next year as was allowed for this year, and is needed for the following salaries, in which no change is contemplated:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Superintendent.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
".....	1,400 00	1,400 00
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00
Draughtsman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Assistant Engineer.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
2 Transitmen, \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Transitman.....	1,350 00	1,350 00
Leveler.....	1,320 00	1,320 00
Rodman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
2 Axemen, \$2.50 per day each, 313 days.....	1,565 00	1,565 00
Inspector, \$5 per day, 313 days.....	1,565 00	1,565 00
Inspection of contract work.....	27,800 00	27,800 00
Total.....	\$50,000 00	\$50,000 00

<i>Roads, Streets and Avenues, Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling.</i>	
Appropriation for 1900.....	\$40,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	50,000 00
Increase.....	\$10,000 00

The items of this estimate are:

Labor—	
46 Laborers, at \$2 per day, 300 days.....	\$27,600 00
11 Teams, \$4 per day, 124 days.....	5,456 00
Total.....	\$33,056 00

Material—	
Gravel, broken stone, lumber, repairs to tools and new tools.....	\$16,944 00

In this estimate—which exceeds by \$10,000 the amount appropriated for 1900—provision is made for the expenditure of \$5,690 for labor and \$4,310 for material in excess of the sums available this year and which are inadequate for the proper maintenance of the 34 miles of unpaved streets and roads to be kept in order. Deep washouts are caused by rainstorms, which must, in all cases, be followed by extensive repairs to the unpaved roadways, so that the full amount of the estimate is necessary.

<i>Maintenance of Eighth Avenue Pavement.</i>	
Appropriation for 1900.....	\$19,200 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	19,200 00

The City is obligated to pay this amount annually under an existing contract for repairing and maintaining the asphalt pavement on Eighth avenue, from Thirteenth to Fifty-ninth street; hence the estimate cannot be reduced.

<i>Chemical and Cement Laboratory.</i>	
Appropriation for 1900.....	\$5,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	5,000 00

The items of this estimate are:

Chemist.....	\$1,300 00
Assistant Chemist.....	1,200 00
Necessary supplies and maintenance.....	2,500 00
Total.....	\$5,000 00

The Chemical and Cement Laboratory of the Department is necessary for the purpose of testing samples of cement and other paving material submitted with proposals for paving works to be contracted for. The estimate for 1901 is the same as the appropriation allowed for this year.

<i>Maintenance of Railroad Bridges.</i>	
(Sec. 64 of the Railroad Law.)	
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$5,000 00

Section 64 of chapter 754 of the Laws of 1897 provides that:
“When a highway crosses a railroad by an overhead bridge, the framework of the bridge and its abutments shall be maintained and kept in repair by the railroad company, and the roadway thereover and the approaches thereto shall be maintained and kept in repair by the municipality in which the same are situated.”

To enable the Department of Highways to comply with this law, it is estimated that \$5,000 will be required for repairing and maintaining the roadways of and the approaches to the bridges crossing the Park avenue railroad tunnel. It is requested that the amount be allowed.

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATE.

	ALLOWED 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
Salaries—General Administration.....	\$22,000 00	\$30,000 00
Salaries—Administration.....	25,000 00	36,225 00
Boring Examinations for Grading Contracts.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	139,150 00	160,000 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of—Salaries.....	6,810 00	6,810 00
Contingencies, Department of Highways.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Flagging sidewalks and fencing vacant lots in front of City property.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct—Maintenance and Repairs.....	6,000 00	12,000 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	15,000 00	15,000 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues—Salaries.....	14,500 00	14,800 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	400,000 00	473,400 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading—Salaries.....	22,500 00	22,500 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	200,000 00	450,000 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues—Salaries.....	50,000 00	50,000 00
Roads, Streets and Avenues, Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling.....	40,000 00	50,000 00
Maintenance of Eighth Avenue Pavement.....	19,200 00	19,200 00
Chemical and Cement Laboratory.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Maintenance of Railroad Bridges.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Total.....	\$972,160 00	\$1,356,935 00

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

<i>Salaries.</i>	
Appropriation for 1900.....	\$14,300 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	15,260 00
Increase.....	\$960 00

The following are the salaries payable from this appropriation:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Chief Clerk and Private Secretary.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Messenger.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Timekeeper.....	960 00	960 00
Total.....	\$14,060 00	\$14,060 00

<i>New Appointment.</i>	
Clerk.....	1,200 00
Total.....	\$15,260 00

The salaries provided for in this estimate are the same as those of the present year, except that an additional Clerk, at \$1,200 per annum, is included. The Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of The Bronx, states that the present clerical force is inadequate, and that another clerk is absolutely necessary to properly perform the office work.

<i>Contingencies.</i>	
Appropriation for 1900.....	\$1,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	1,000 00

This is a moderate estimate for postage, telegraph charges, messenger service and other unforeseen and necessary expenditures.

<i>Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.</i>	
Appropriation for 1900.....	\$500,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	607,104 00
Increase.....	\$107,104 00

The items of this estimate are:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
<i>General Superintendent of Maintenance.</i>		
Salaries, Office of—		
General Superintendent of Maintenance.....	\$3,500 00	\$3,500 00
Superintendent of Subsurface Construction.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Superintendent, Twenty-fourth Ward, east of Bronx river.....	2,100 00	2,100 00
General Inspector and Foreman, south of Tremont avenue, west of Bronx river.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
General Inspector and Foreman, north of Tremont avenue and west of Bronx river.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
General Inspector and Foreman, east of Bronx river.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Clerk to General Superintendent.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Property Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
2 Permit Clerks, \$1,440 each.....	2,880 00	2,880 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
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2 Clerks, \$900 each.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
2 Junior Clerks, \$600 each.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Timekeeper.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
4 Timekeepers, \$900 each.....	3,600 00	3,600 00
Timekeeper.....	720 00	720 00
Total.....	\$31,000 00	\$31,000 00

Wages of Inspectors, Foremen, Mechanics, Laborers, Teams and Carts—

6 Inspectors of Street Openings, \$3.50 per day each, 300 days.....	\$6,300 00
Inspector of Vaults and Areas, \$3.50 per day, 300 days.....	1,050 00
2 Messengers, 2.50 per day each, 300 days.....	1,500 00
20 Foremen, \$3.50 per day each, 300 days.....	21,000 00
22 Foremen, \$3.50 per day each, 250 days.....	19,250 00
30 Assistant Foremen, \$3 per day each, 200 days.....	18,000 00
6 Steam Road Roller Engineers, \$3 per day each, 250 days.....	4,500 00
2 Machinists, \$3.50 per day each, 300 days.....	2,100 00
4 Carpenters, \$3.50 per day each, 300 days.....	4,200 00
Wheelwright, \$3 per day, 300 days.....	900 00
Blacksmith, \$3.50 per day, 300 days.....	1,050 00
3 Blacksmith's Helpers, \$2 per day each, 300 days.....	1,800 00
Carriage Painter, \$3 per day, 200 days.....	600 00
4 Painters, \$3 per day each, 200 days.....	2,400 00
12 Pavers, \$4.50 per day each, 200 days.....	10,800 00
12 Ramblers, \$3.50 per day each, 200 days.....	8,400 00
4 Flaggers, \$3 per day, 200 days.....	2,400 00
200 Laborers, Toolmen, Drivers and Watchmen, \$2 per day each, 310 days.....	124,000 00
200 Laborers, \$2 per day each, 200 days.....	80,000 00
200 Laborers, \$2 per day each, 150 days.....	60,000 00
30 Teams, \$4.50 per day each.....	40,500 00
40 Teams, \$4.50 per day each, 200 days.....	36,000 00
40 Teams, \$4.50 per day each, 130 days.....	23,400 00
20 Carts, \$3 per day each, 200 days.....	12,000 00
Total.....	\$482,150 00

These items comprise all the labor required to repair and maintain 195 miles of earth roads, 93 miles of macadam roadways, and 51 miles of paved roadways; also the sprinkling when necessary of about 95 miles of macadamized and earth roadways.

Supplies—

Tools, including shovels, picks, axes, rakes, crowbars, sledges, hammers, wheelbarrows, etc.....	\$2,000 00
Iron, various sizes, for repair work, 10,000 pounds, 3 cents per pound.....	300 00
Steel, various sizes, for repair work, 2,000 pounds, 6 cents per pound.....	120 00
Nails and spikes, 100 kegs, \$2 per keg.....	200 00
Rubber hose, 2½ inches diameter, 1,500 feet, 50 cents per foot.....	750 00
Rubber hose, ¾-inch diameter, 1,200 feet, 12 cents per foot.....	144 00
Paints and brushes.....	500 00
Paving sand, 2,500 cubic yards, \$1 per yard.....	2,500 00
Paving tar, 1,000 gallons, 12 cents per gallon.....	120 00
Asphalt, 100 barrels, \$12.50 per barrel.....	1,250 00
Paving gravel (coarse), 200 barrels, \$1 per barrel.....	200 00
Paving gravel (fine) 100 barrels, \$1 per barrel.....	100 00
Hydraulic cement, 200 barrels, \$1 per barrel.....	200 00
Coal, 400 tons, \$5 per ton.....	2,000 00
Kerosene oil, 30 barrels, \$5 per barrel.....	150 00
Vacuum oil, 2 barrels, \$32.50 per barrel.....	65 00
Engine oil, 2 barrels, \$17.50 per barrel.....	35 00
Hay, straw, oats, etc., for 19 horses.....	2,500 00
Horseshoeing, tool sharpening, etc.....	2,000 00
Services, Veterinary Surgeon.....	400 00
Chestnut posts, 500, 40 cents each.....	200 00
Spruce lumber, 150,000 B. M., \$20 per 1,000 feet.....	3,000 00
Clean boiler ashes, 5,000 cubic yards, \$1 per yard.....	5,000 00
Broken stone and screening, 20,000 cubic yards, \$1.60 per yard.....	64,000 00
Water for sprinkling purposes, east of Bronx river.....	1,920 00
Miscellaneous supplies, including powder, fu-e, repairs to carriages and wagons, and various small articles not readily classified in advance of actual needs.....	2,500 00
Petty disbursements, principally car-fares, on account of special work, estimated at \$150 per month.....	1,800 00
Total.....	\$93,954 00

The 400 tons of coal provided for in this estimate will be required for blacksmith's work and the operation of six steam road rollers.

The ashes included in the estimate are required for the formation of sidewalks on streets which have not been regulated and graded.

The broken stone and screenings are needed to remacadamize and repair existing macadam roadways and to improve street not regulated and graded.

The supply of water for street sprinkling east of the Bronx river is furnished by the New York and Westchester Water Company at \$20 per month for each sprinkling truck. It is estimated that it will be necessary to use sixteen sprinkling trucks for six months in 1901.

The increase of \$107,104 in the estimate of the amount required for “Labor, Maintenance and Supplies” in 1901 is absolutely necessary to enable the Department to keep in good order 195 miles of earth roads, 93 miles of macadam roadways and 51 miles of paved streets. The appropriation of \$500,000 allowed for “Labor, Maintenance and Supplies” this year shows, at the current rate of expenditure, a deficiency of more than \$110,000 at the end of the year. I would point out that the appropriation for 1900 was \$61,020 less than that for 1899, so that the increase now asked for is but \$46,084 more than was allowed in 1899, or equal to an annual increase of only \$23,042 for the year 1900 and 1901. This increase is small compared with the rapid development and increasing wealth of the Borough of The Bronx.

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATES FOR "LABOR, MAINTENANCE AND SUPPLIES."

Salaries, General Superintendent's Office	\$31,000 00
Wages of Inspectors, Foremen, Mechanics, Laborers, Teams and Carts.....	482,150 00
Supplies	93,954 00
Total	\$607,104 00

Maintenance of Viaducts and Bridges.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$14,500 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	14,500 00

There is no change in this estimate from that of last year.

The items, which aggregate \$14,500, are:

Labor—	
2 Foremen, \$3.50 per day each, 200 days.....	\$1,400 00
2 Carpenters, \$3.50 per day each, 200 days	1,400 00
20 Laborers, \$2 per day each, 200 days.....	8,000 00
Total.....	\$10,800 00

Material—

Yellow pine lumber, 100,000 feet B. M., \$25 per 1,000 feet	\$2,500 00
Spruce lumber, 50,000 feet B. M., \$20 per 1,000 feet.....	1,000 00
Wire spikes, 100 kegs, \$2 per keg.....	200 00
Total.....	\$3,700 00

Maintenance of Lorelei Fountain.

Appropriation for 1900, including transfer.....	\$4,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	2,000 00

Decrease.....	\$2,000 00
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Early this year the Lorelei Fountain was maliciously and wantonly damaged and disfigured by unknown persons, necessitating a transfer of \$2,000 to this appropriation to pay for the work of restoring the fountain to its original condition. It is hoped that the fountain will not again be defaced, and the estimate of \$2,000 is considered sufficient for ordinary maintenance, which includes keeping the surrounding grounds in good condition.

Removing Incumbrances.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$6,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	8,790 00

Increase.....	\$2,790 00
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This estimate is itemized as follows:

Salaries and wages—	
Junior Clerk.....	\$600 00
2 Inspectors, \$1,000 each	2,000 00
3 Laborers at Yard, \$2 per day each, 365 days.....	2,190 00
	\$4,790 00
General account.....	4,000 00
Total.....	\$8,790 00

The estimate for "General Account" includes \$400 for rent of a Corporation yard for the storage of incumbrances, and the balance of \$3,600 is needed to pay for teams and laborers required to remove obstructions from streets and avenues.

The increase of \$2,790 is accounted for by providing in the estimate for the wages of three laborers at the Corporation yard, and for an addition of \$600 to the "General Account" for removing incumbrances, the appropriation for this year being inadequate.

Preliminary Surveys, etc.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$30,790 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	31,106 00

Increase.....	\$316 00
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In detail, this estimate is as follows:

One-half salary of Chief Engineer.....	\$2,500 00
One-half salary of Principal Assistant Engineer.....	1,750 00
3 Assistant Engineers, \$2,000 each.....	6,000 00
3 Transmitters, \$1,500 each.....	4,500 00
2 Levelers, \$1,320 each.....	2,640 00
6 Rodmen, \$1,200 each.....	7,200 00
3 Draughtsmen, \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00
New instruments and apparatus, repairs, etc.....	1,500 00
Rent of branch office.....	216 00
Total.....	\$31,106 00

The increase of \$316 is necessary to pay for the preparation of maps and lists of buildings and fences on new streets and for the renaming and renumbering of streets.

The full amount asked for will have to be expended for surveys and estimates of cost of proposed improvements before they can, under the provisions of the Charter, be acted upon by the Local Boards of the respective districts; also for surveys, estimates, plans and specifications after improvements are authorized by the Board of Public Improvements and by the Municipal Assembly. The expense of preparing diagrams and lists for sales of buildings within the lines of streets which have been legally opened, as well as of drawing maps for renaming and renumbering streets and avenues, and giving notice to owners or occupants of such buildings, is also provided for in this estimate.

It will be necessary to expend during the year the estimated amount of \$1,500 for new surveying instruments and apparatus and for repairs to old instruments.

Rock Soundings.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$9,700 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	9,700 00

This estimate includes the following items:

10 Sounders, at \$550 each.....	\$5,500 00
Foreman.....	1,200 00
2 Rodmen, at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00
New apparatus and repairs.....	600 00
Total.....	\$9,700 00

Estimates of the cost of regulating and grading works cannot be prepared without first determining by rock soundings or boring examinations the character and quantities of material to be excavated. It is estimated that the same amount as allowed this year will be needed to pay for the work of this character to be done in 1901.

Standard Bench Marks.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$4,870 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	5,300 00

Increase.....	\$430 00
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In making surveys in the outlying sections of the borough, including the territory east of the Bronx river, definite official bench marks giving accurately on fixed objects the elevations above high water must be established so that the whole system of street improvements when complete will conform to a uniform datum. The full amount of the estimate, which is increased by only \$430, will be required for this work.

I give the estimate in detail as follows:

Assistant Engineer.....	\$2,000 00
Leveler.....	1,320 00

Rodman.....	\$1,200 00
Axeman.....	780 00
Total.....	\$5,300 00

Repaving Streets and Avenues.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$300,000 00
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There are many miles of streets in the Borough of The Bronx which need repaving, in addition to those for the repaving of which provision has already been made. It is estimated that \$300,000 will be needed for this work, and I request that the full amount of the estimate be allowed.

Transplanting Shade Trees on Streets.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$10,000 00
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The amount of this estimate is required for transplanting shade trees in conformity with the new lines and grades of streets which have been in use for many years, and the regulating and grading of which would result in the destruction of many fine trees if provision for removing and transplanting them should not be made.

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATE.

	1900.	1901.
Salaries.....	\$14,300 00	\$15,260 00
Contingencies.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	500,000 00	607,104 00
Maintenance of Viaducts and Bridges.....	14,500 00	14,500 00
Maintenance of Lorelei Fountain.....	4,000 00	2,000 00
Removing Incumbrances.....	6,000 00	8,790 00
Preliminary Surveys, etc.....	30,790 00	31,106 00
Rock Soundings.....	9,700 00	10,000 00
Standard Bench Marks.....	4,870 00	5,300 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....		300,000 00
Transplanting Shade Trees on Streets.....		10,000 00
Total.....	\$585,160 00	\$1,005,060 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Salaries.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$77,838 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	84,678 00

Increase.....	\$6,840 00
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The following salaries are paid from this appropriation:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Engineer of Highways.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Principal Assistant Engineer.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Superintendent of Subsurface Construction.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
2 Superintendents of Streets and Roads, \$2,500 each.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Chief Clerk.....	2,250 00	2,250 00
Private Secretary.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Cashier.....	18,000 00	18,000 00
2 Assistant Engineers, \$1,600 each.....	3,200 00	3,200 00
2 Transmitters, \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
2 Levelers, \$1,320 each.....	2,640 00	2,640 00
2 Levelers, \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
Rodman.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Stenographer.....	1,250 00	1,250 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
3 Clerks, \$1,400 each.....	4,200 00	4,200 00
Clerk.....	1,100 00	1,100 00
2 Clerks, \$1,250 each.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Bookkeeper.....	1,250 00	1,250 00
Messenger.....	900 00	900 00
2 Inspectors of Fencing and Flagging, \$1,252 each.....	2,504 00	2,504 00
2 Inspectors of Concrete Sidewalks, \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
2 Inspectors of Asphalt Pavement, \$1,252 each.....	2,504 00	2,504 00
12 Inspectors of Incumbrances, \$1,000 each.....	12,000 00	12,000 00
Total.....	\$76,958 00	\$76,958 00

New Appointments.

Assistant Engineer.....	1,800 00
Rodman.....	1,000 00
Chainman.....	1,000 00
2 Office Boys, \$300 each.....	600 00
2 Inspectors of Incumbrances, \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00
Total.....	\$84,678 00

The positions classified as new appointments must be filled if the business of the Department is to be conducted as it ought to be.

The assistant engineer, rodman, and chainman included among the new appointments are required in consequence of the great amount of work to be done by the engineer corps, while the two additional inspectors of incumbrances are needed to supplement the existing force, which is inadequate to make the necessary number of inspections of the 551 miles of streets on which encroachments by building material and merchandise must be prevented.

Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.

Appropriation for 1900, with transfer.....	\$250,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	451,450 00

Increase.....	\$201,450 00
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Repairs to Stone and Asphalt Pavements.

These are the items of this estimate:

Wagons of foremen, mechanics, laborers and teams.....	\$150,000 00
1,500,000 granite paving blocks, delivered in yard.....	90,000 00
1,000,000 vitrified bricks.....	15,000 00
12,000 cubic yards of paving sand.....	8,400 00
6,000 cubic yards cobblestone.....	12,000 00
Rent of yards.....	1,700 00
Tools and sharpening.....	3,000 00
Horses and wagons and care thereof.....	5,000 00
Repairs and maintenance of asphalt pavements upon which periods of guarantee of maintenance have expired.....	50,000 00
Total.....	\$335,100 00

Repairs to Unpaved Streets and Macadamized Roads.

7,500 cubic yards broken stone and screenings.....	\$13,500 00
Teams and labor.....	50,000 00
Teams for sprinkling trucks.....	12,000 00
Purchase of steam roller.....	2,500 00
Rent of yard for storage of sprinklers and materials.....	650 00
Total.....	\$78,650 00
Miscellaneous—	
Setting and resetting curb, gutters and crosswalks.....	\$25,000 00
Removal of incumbrances.....	10,000 00
Flagging and fencing in front of City property.....	1,500 00
Surveying instruments and engineering materials.....	1,200 00
Total.....	\$37,700 00

The increase of \$201,450 in this estimate over the appropriation allowed for this year is absolutely necessary for adequate repairs to stone and asphalt pavements, and to macadamized roads and unpaved streets. The inadequacy of this year's appropriation has been demonstrated by the inability of the Department, through lack of funds, to perform more than a small part of the work which should have been done on the 551 miles of paved streets and 150 miles of unpaved roadways in the Borough of Brooklyn. These streets and roads cannot be maintained in good condition without the full amount of the estimate. It should be added that on many of the streets the crosswalks are in such extremely bad condition as to be dangerous.

Repaving Streets and Avenues.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$100,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	500,000 00
Increase.....	\$400,000 00

It is proposed to expend a large part of this estimate for repaving with asphalt streets on which public schools, hospitals and churches are located. The balance will be used in replacing with new and improved pavements defective cobblestone and granite-block pavements, of which there are about 449 miles. In view of the very great area of defective pavements the estimate is moderate. Indeed the Engineer of this Department estimated some time ago that it would require \$12,000,000 to repave all the streets on which new pavements should be laid for the comfort and benefit of the community, and urgent requests have been made and are being received for new pavements in all quarters of Brooklyn.

Contingencies.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$1,500 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	2,000 00
Increase.....	\$500 00

This estimate is for postage, telegraphing, special messenger service and other contingencies. The increase of \$500 is necessary, judging from the inadequacy of the appropriation for this year.

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATE.

	1900.	1901.
Salaries.....	\$77,838 00	\$84,678 00
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies, with transfer.....	250,000 00	451,450 00
Repaving Streets and avenues, less transfer.....	50,000 00	500,000 00
Contingencies.....	1,500 00	2,000 00
Total.....	\$379,238 00	\$1,038,128 00

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Salaries.

Appropriation for 1900, with transfer.....	\$12,100 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	14,320 00
Increase.....	\$2,220 00

The salaries chargeable to this appropriation are :

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Chief Clerk.....	1,800 00	2,100 00
Bookkeeper.....	1,520 00	1,520 00
Accountant.....	1,500 00	1,520 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00
Total.....	\$11,620 00	\$11,920 00
Permit Clerk.....		1,200 00
Appointment Clerk.....		1,200 00
Total.....		\$14,320 00

The increase of \$2,200 in this estimate is accounted for by the two new appointments, which are necessary, and by the proposed increase of \$300 in the salary of the Chief Clerk, which is inadequate.

Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$175,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	390,380 00
Increase.....	\$215,380 00

The items forming this estimate are :

Engineer Corps and Inspectors.

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Engineer.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
1st Assistant Engineer.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
2d Assistant Engineer.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Chief Inspector.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
2 Inspectors, \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
3 Inspectors, \$1,000 each.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Transitman.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Rodman.....	1,100 00	1,100 00
3 Chainmen, \$1,000 each.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
3 Sounders, \$600 each.....	1,800 00	1,800 00

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Draughtsman.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00
Hire of horses and wagons for Deputy Commissioner and Engineer Corps.....	3,180 00	3,180 00
Total.....	\$26,080 00	\$26,080 00
Assistant Engineer.....		1,400 00
Total.....		\$27,480 00

There is no change in this list of salaries, with the exception that an additional Engineer, whose services are needed, is provided for.

Wages of Laboring Force on Paved Streets.

2 Foremen, \$4 per day each.....	\$1,600 00
8 Pavers, \$4.50 per day each.....	7,200 00
4 Rammers, \$3.50 per day each.....	2,800 00
14 Laborers, \$2 per day each.....	5,600 00
6 Carts, \$3 per day each.....	3,600 00
Assistant Foreman, \$2.50 per day.....	500 00
Laborer, \$2 per day.....	400 00
Total.....	\$21,700 00

Material—	
1,000 cubic yards of sand, at 85 cents.....	850 00
Total.....	\$22,550 00

It will be seen that this estimate is very moderate when it is remembered that there are 46½ miles of paved streets and roads to be kept in order.

Labor and Maintenance, First Ward.

Labor—	
12 Foremen, \$3 per day each.....	\$7,200 00
60 Laborers, \$2 per day each.....	24,000 00
28 Carts, \$3 per day each.....	16,800 00
2 Inspectors of Repairs, \$4 per day each.....	1,600 00
Engineer on Steam Roller, \$3 per day.....	600 00
Total.....	\$50,200 00

Maintenance—	
Tools and repairs.....	\$1,200 00
5,000 linear feet of bridging, at 65 cents per foot.....	3,250 00
Steam roller.....	2,500 00
Sprinkling carts, \$4 per day each.....	2,400 00
Total.....	9,350 00

Total estimate for Labor and Maintenance, First Ward..... \$59,550 00

There are in this ward 105 miles of streets to be cleaned, repaired and maintained, and the full amount of the estimate is needed.

Labor and Maintenance, Second Ward.

Labor—	
11 Foremen, \$3 per day each.....	\$6,600 00
80 Laborers, \$2 per day each.....	32,000 00
21 carts, \$3 per day each.....	12,600 00
6 teams, \$4 per day each.....	4,800 00
Engineer on steam roller, \$3 per day.....	600 00
Total.....	\$56,600 00

Maintenance—	
Tools and repairs.....	\$550 00
Steam roller.....	2,500 00
Sprinkling carts, \$4 per day each.....	4,800 00
Total.....	7,850 00

Total estimate for Labor and Maintenance, Second Ward..... \$64,450 00

An increase in the laboring force of one foreman, five laborers and one cart is provided for in this estimate, and is necessary to keep in order the 158 miles of streets and roads in the Second Ward. The contract for the Newtown road improvements is nearing completion and will increase the area of macadam roadways to be maintained by the Department.

Labor and Maintenance, Third Ward.

Labor—	
10 Foremen, \$3 per day each.....	\$6,000 00
70 Laborers, \$2 per day each.....	28,000 00
12 carts, \$3 per day each.....	7,200 00
8 teams, \$4 per day each.....	6,400 00
Engineer on steam roller, \$3 per day.....	600 00
Total.....	\$48,200 00

Maintenance—	
Tools and repairs.....	\$500 00
Steam roller.....	2,500 00
10 sprinkling carts, \$4 per day each.....	6,000 00
Total.....	9,000 00

Total estimate for Labor and Maintenance, Third Ward..... \$57,200 00

This estimate shows an increase of \$2,500 over the estimate for 1900, this amount being required to pay for a steam roller to be used on macadam roadways, to prevent the stone from picking up, and thus forming ruts and holes.

Labor and Maintenance, Fourth Ward.

Labor—	
5 Foremen, \$3 per day, each.....	\$3,000 00
5 Assistant Foremen, \$2.50 per day, each.....	2,500 00
75 Laborers, \$2 per day, each.....	30,000 00
6 Carts, \$3 per day, each.....	3,600 00
10 Teams, \$4 per day, each.....	8,000 00
Engineer on Steam Roller, \$3 per day, each.....	600 00
Total.....	\$47,700 00

Maintenance—	
Tools and repairs.....	\$500 00
Steam Roller.....	2,500 00
12 Sprinkling Carts, \$4 per day, each.....	7,200 00
Total.....	10,200 00

Total estimate of Labor and Maintenance, Fourth Ward..... \$57,900 00

The estimate for this Ward is the same as that for 1900, and is barely adequate for the maintenance of the 208 miles of macadam roads, 6 miles of paved streets, and 50 miles of dirt or unpaved roads, making an aggregate of 264 miles of roadways to clean, repair and maintain. This ward has a greater mileage of macadam roads than any other ward in the borough.

Labor, Maintenance and Repairs, Fifth Ward.

Labor—	
6 Foremen, \$3 per day, each.....	\$3,600 00
35 Laborers, \$2 per day, each.....	14,000 00
6 Carts, \$3 per day, each.....	3,600 00
4 Teams, \$4 per day, each.....	3,200 00
Engineer of Steam Roller, \$3 per day.....	600 00
Total.....	\$25,000 00

Maintenance—

Tools and Repairs.....	\$500 00
Steam Roller.....	2,500 00
Sprinkling Carts, \$4 per day, each.....	4,800 00
10,000 paving bricks, \$20 per 1,000.....	200 00
	\$8,000 00

Total estimate for Labor and Maintenance, Fifth Ward..... \$33,000 00

While the Fifth is the smallest ward in the borough, it has 91½ miles of streets, of which 26 miles are macadamized, 3½ miles paved with stone, 35 miles surfaced with Peekskill gravel, the balance, 27 miles, being unpaved. The severe ocean storms which sweep over this entire ward make the maintenance of the streets and roads exceedingly difficult and correspondingly expensive. The estimate is the same as last year's, and is very moderate.

Material Required for the Maintenance of Macadam Roads in all Wards.

WARD.	BROKEN STONE (CUBIC YARDS).	SCREENINGS (CUBIC YARDS).	SAND (CUBIC YARDS).	PEEKSKILL GRAVEL (CUBIC YARDS).
First.....	3,600	1,200	2,000	.....
Second.....	3,600	1,800	2,000	.....
Third.....	3,000	3,200	2,000	.....
Fourth.....	3,200	2,500	3,000	.....
Fifth.....	1,000	500	.....	3,000
Total.....	14,400	9,200	9,000	3,000

The estimated cost of these quantities of material is as follows:

14,400 cubic yards broken trap-rock, \$2.25 per yard.....	\$32,400 00
9,200 cubic yards trap-rock screenings, \$2.25 per yard.....	20,700 00
9,000 cubic yards clean sharp sand, 85 cents per yard.....	7,650 00
3,000 cubic yards Peekskill gravel, \$2.50 yard.....	7,500 00
Total.....	\$68,250 00

This is a low estimate of the quantities of material required, being an average per mile of only 36 cubic yards of broken stone, 23 cubic yards of screenings, and 22½ cubic yards of sand, there being 400 miles of macadam roads in the borough. The price of broken stone and screenings has advanced 25 cents per cubic yard since the estimate for 1900 was prepared.

The increase of \$215,380 in the estimate for "Labor, Maintenance and Supplies" for 1901 is absolutely necessary, the appropriation for 1900 having been found entirely inadequate for the proper maintenance of the 437 miles of paved streets and the 284 miles of unpaved roadways in the Borough of Queens. It should not be overlooked that this is the largest borough of the City, and that as the greater mileage of the paved streets has macadam surfaces, the care and maintenance thereof necessitates a great amount of labor and the use of large quantities of material, involving correspondingly great expenditures.

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATE FOR LABOR, MAINTENANCE AND SUPPLIES.

Salaries of Engineer Corps.....	\$27,480 00
Wages of laboring force on paved streets.....	22,550 00
Labor and Maintenance, First Ward.....	59,550 00
Labor and Maintenance, Second Ward.....	64,450 00
Labor and Maintenance, Third Ward.....	57,200 00
Labor and Maintenance, Fourth Ward.....	57,900 00
Labor and Maintenance, Fifth Ward.....	33,000 00
Material for maintenance of macadam roads in all wards.....	68,250 00
Total.....	\$390,380 00

Preliminary Surveys.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$1,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	12,000 00
Increase.....	\$6,000 00

It is estimated that the expense of making preliminary surveys and preparing plans and estimates of cost of public improvements in accordance with resolutions of Local Boards will amount to \$12,000; hence the increase of \$6,000 is absolutely necessary.

Repaving Streets and Avenues.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$200,000 00
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At least this amount is needed to replace old and defective pavement with new, particularly in the First Ward (Long Island City), where much of the existing pavement is in poor condition through wear and tear during the twenty years it has been in use.

Maintenance of Viaducts and Bridges.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$8,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	28,600 00
Increase.....	\$20,600 00

The following are the items of this estimate:

Reconstruction of bridge at Metropolitan avenue.....	\$1,000 00
Reconstruction of bridge at Hillside avenue.....	2,300 00
Reconstruction of bridge at Clinton road.....	2,000 00
Reconstruction of bridge at Hawtree Creek.....	2,000 00
Reconstruction of bridge at Rosedale avenue.....	2,200 00
Reconstruction of bridge at Catharine street.....	1,500 00
60,000 B. M. yellow pine, at \$35 per M.....	2,100 00
Repairs to stone bridges.....	5,000 00
Repairs to stone and brick culverts.....	2,500 00
Hardware and tools.....	800 00
	\$21,400 00

Labor—	
Inspector of Wooden Bridges.....	\$1,200 00
Inspector of Stone Bridges.....	1,200 00
Foreman, \$4 per day.....	800 00
4 Carpenters, \$3.50 per day each.....	2,800 00
3 Laborers, \$2 per day each.....	1,200 00
	7,200 00
Total.....	\$28,600 00

The full amount of this estimate is required to keep in order not only the bridges which form parts of highways, and which, according to the Corporation Counsel's opinion, must be maintained by this Department, but also the roadways of bridges crossing railroads, the Court of Appeals having rendered a decision that these must be kept in repair by the Municipality.

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATE.

	1900.	1901.
Salaries.....	\$12,100 00	\$14,320 00
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	175,000 00	390,380 00
Preliminary Surveys.....	6,000 00	12,000 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	.....	200,000 00
Maintenance of Viaducts and Bridges.....	8,000 00	28,600 00
Total.....	\$201,100 00	\$645,300 00

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$17,886 67
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	17,886 67

The salaries to be paid from this appropriation are:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer (one-third salary, at \$5,000)	\$1,666 67	\$1,666 67
Supervising Engineer.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Assistant Engineer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Chief Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,800 00
Assistant Clerk.....	600 00	600 00
Messenger.....	720 00	720 00
Permit and Incumbrance Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Cashier.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Senior Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Private Secretary.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Senior Clerk (vacant).....	1,500 00	1,500 00
.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Total.....	\$17,586 67	\$17,886 67

Only the same amount as was allowed for this year is estimated for salaries of employees of this Department in the Borough of Richmond in 1901, and the only increase proposed is \$300, to be added to the salary of the Chief Clerk, whose present salary is \$1,500, which is inadequate for the services rendered.

Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.

Appropriation for 1900.....	\$100,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	188,115 00
Increase.....	\$88,115 00

This estimate is itemized as follows:

	PRESENT SALARIES.	PROPOSED SALARIES.
Salaries of Inspectors and wages of Foremen—		
General Inspector.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00
2 Inspectors, \$900 each.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
2 Inspectors, \$800 each.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
Foreman.....	780 00	780 00
17 Foremen, \$2.50 per day each, 172 days in 1900 and \$3 per day each, 210 days in 1901.....	7,310 00	10,710 00
Total.....	\$12,990 00	\$16,390 00

Provision is here made for increasing the wages of Foremen from \$2.50 to \$3 per day, it being considered that a Foreman is worth \$1 per day more than a Laborer.

	PRESENT WAGES.	PROPOSED WAGES.
Labor—		
100 Laborers, \$2 per day each, 200 days in 1900 and 225 Laborers, at \$2 per day each, 200 days in 1901.....	\$40,000 00	\$90,000 00
Carts at \$3 per day each, 700 days in 1900 and 1,576½ days in 1901.....	2,100 00	4,730 00
Teams, at \$4 per day each, 750 days in 1900 and 1,200 days in 1901.....	3,000 00	4,800 00
Total.....	\$45,100 00	\$99,530 00

The increase of \$54,430 in the estimate for labor is needed for the greater amount of work necessary to be done next year in repairing and maintaining the macadamized and unpaved streets and roads. With the reduced and inadequate appropriation allowed for this year the making of many necessary repairs has had to be deferred, the result being that more work will have to be done and a larger expenditure incurred to put the roadways in satisfactory condition than would have been required had a sufficient amount of money been available to permit timely repairs to be made.

	PRESENT EXPENSE.	PROPOSED EXPENSE.
Maintenance—		
Street sprinklers, at \$4 per day each, 5,000 days in 1900 and 6,300 days in 1901.....	\$20,000 00	\$25,200 00
Steam roller, \$13 per day, 300 days in 1900 and 615 days in 1901.....	3,900 00	7,995 00
Broken stone, \$2 per yard, 7,000 cubic yards in 1900 and 14,000 cubic yards in 1901.....	14,000 00	28,000 00
Total.....	\$37,900 00	\$61,195 00

The difference between the present and the proposed expense of maintenance, as itemized, is \$23,295, this increase being absolutely necessary to enable the Department to put and keep the roads under its charge in good condition. The many miles of new roads which contractors have turned over to this Department for maintenance are beyond the limits to which the water supply system of the borough extends, making it necessary to cart water for sprinkling purposes long distances at great expense. With the insufficient appropriation for the present year these roads are rapidly deteriorating, and the cost of restoring them to good condition will be much greater than if they had been repaired from time to time, as necessity arose, before the elements and wear and tear had caused disintegration. The increase of steam roller service and the greater quantity of broken stone estimated for next year are urgently needed to put in order the 171 miles of macadam roads in the borough.

	PRESENT EXPENDI- TURE.	PROPOSED EXPENDI- TURE.
Supplies.....	\$4,000 00	\$5,000 00
Steam roller.....	.....	2,500 00
10 windmill pumps and tanks for water for sprinkling purposes.....	.....	3,500 00
Total.....	\$4,000 00	\$11,000 00

The main items of increase for supplies are \$2,500 for a steam roller and \$3,500 for ten windmill pumps and tanks required for a supply of water for sprinkling purposes. The great distances for which water for sprinkling roads outside the limits of the water supply system of the borough has now to be carted not only cause delay and much inconvenience in sprinkling the roadways but also substantially increase the expense of the work. It is therefore desirable and

necessary to obtain a supply of water for sprinkling purposes in the outlying districts by placing windmill pumps and tanks at convenient points. This method of obtaining a supply of water to be used on road surfaces has been successfully adopted in New Jersey under similar conditions, and has been demonstrated to be very economical.

It is very desirable that the Department should possess, as soon as possible, a sufficient rolling plant, and thus save the present expense of \$13 per day for each steam roller hired and used. One roller is provided for in this estimate, and others can be obtained later as money becomes available.

The Deputy Commissioner of Highways, Borough of Richmond, points out that in consequence of the inadequacy of the appropriation of \$100,000 for "Labor, Maintenance and Supplies" this year, large transfers to that account will be required before the close of the year or many of the roads will be in such bad condition that accidents may happen and the City have to pay heavy damages. It is earnestly urged that the full amount of the estimate for 1901, \$188,115, be allowed.

I quote from the Deputy Commissioner's report, as follows:

"In the amount requested for 'Labor, Maintenance and Supplies' I have made a conservative estimate, based on the number of miles of macadam roads and dirt roads in this borough under maintenance by this Department, including in the 'Supplies' the price of a new steam roller and ten windmill pumps and tanks for sprinkling purposes, both of which items are absolutely needed by this Department, no roller being included in its present plant and the Department being forced to pay \$13 a day for steam roller hire for any work it may be necessary to perform.

"The number of miles of new roads which have recently been turned over to this Department for maintenance, from the contractors, are entirely outside the radius of the water supply system in this borough. It is therefore necessary to cart water for sprinkling purposes long distances, at great expense, to maintain these roads, and with the present insufficient appropriation for this purpose these roads are deteriorating rapidly. These windmill pumps and tanks are used on roads in New Jersey under similar conditions with great economy, and I ask an amount of \$3,500 for this purpose. The balance for 'Labor, Maintenance and Supplies' is substantially the same as asked for the year 1900, and to show more clearly the injustice of the great reduction made in our appropriation for 1900 over that asked for will quote from my annual report of the transactions of the Department in this borough for the year 1899:

"In consequence of the meagre appropriation allowed for labor, maintenance and supplies during 1899, the Department has been unable, by means of surfacing and light general repairs, to guarantee the long-time utility of thousands of square yards of additional macadam pavement, nor can hope for this yardage of road surface be found in the appropriation set aside for the year 1900. A brief consideration of the following facts will at least suggest that liberal transfers to this fund will be absolutely necessary for the proper conduct of the Department during the year and the safeguarding of the moneys invested in our road system. The Department in this borough for the year 1898 for 'Labor, Maintenance and Supplies,' was allowed \$74,600, including transfers. The amount allowed for the year 1899 was \$96,900, including transfers. The amount allowed for the year 1900 was \$100,000. During the year 1898 27 miles of new macadam roads were added to the mileage to be maintained in the year 1899. During the year 1899 27 miles of new roads were completed and added to the mileage to be maintained during the year 1900. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment allowed \$22,300 more for the year 1899 than they did for the year 1898, evidently for the reason that 27 miles of new roads were added to the amount to be maintained, but though the same number of miles were completed in the year 1899, and will have to be maintained during the year 1900, by this Department, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment added only \$3,900 to the amount allowed for the year 1899 to make up the allowance for the year 1900. This amount seems to be out of all proportion to the work to be done, and, in addition to this, during the year 1899, under an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, the time of Laborers, which had formerly been 10 hours for a working day in this borough, was decreased under the law to 8 hours; also in the latter part of the year the wages of Laborers in this Department were increased from \$1.50 per day to \$2 per day. This item alone we estimate as a difference of about \$20,000 against our account, and unless liberal transfers are made to the fund for 'Labor, Maintenance and Supplies' during the present year a number of roads in this borough which have been constructed at a cost of about \$10,000 a mile will, owing to lack of funds, deteriorate to such an extent that it may be necessary to entirely reconstruct them at a greatly increased cost to the City. The amount allowed this fund for the year 1900 is \$80,000, less than asked for, though each item was named and a careful conservative estimate was made. I also beg to state, in this borough, the water being supplied by private water companies, this Department is obliged to purchase the water for sprinkling purposes. The approximate yardage of macadam in this borough is 1,605,000, covering about 171 miles of road. A fair expense for maintaining this class of macadam, including cleaning, sprinkling and repairs is 11 cents per square yard, which figure has been obtained by actual work, amounting to \$176,500. Adding to this about \$3,510 for the care of about 112 miles of dirt roads and supplies, which is an extremely small amount, we have the sum of \$180,010, which was the amount asked for by this Department for 'Labor, Maintenance and Supplies,' though arrived at in an entirely different manner, as itemized in said estimate."

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATE FOR LABOR, MAINTENANCE AND SUPPLIES.

Salaries of Inspectors and wages of Foremen.....	\$16,390 00
Labor.....	99,530 00
Maintenance.....	61,195 00
Supplies.....	11,000 00
Total.....	\$188,115 00

Preliminary Surveys.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$2,500 00
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A number of improvements payable by assessment having been petitioned for, it is necessary to make preliminary surveys on which to base estimates of cost, and to prepare plans and contracts. These necessary preliminary surveys cannot be made without this appropriation, there being no existing account to which this expense can be charged.

Maintaining and Repairing Bridges.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$1,000 00
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There are 200 bridges in this Borough, which, according to an opinion rendered by the Corporation Counsel, must be maintained by the Department of Highways. In 1898 the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorized a transfer of \$1,000 for repairing these bridges, and they were then put in good order, but are again in need of repairs. The sum of \$1,000, estimated for this work, is urgently needed.

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATE.

	1900.	1901.
Salaries.....	\$17,886 67	\$17,886 67
Labor, maintenance and supplies.....	100,000 00	188,115 00
Preliminary surveys.....		2,500 00
Maintaining and repairing bridges.....		1,000 00
Total.....	\$117,886 67	\$209,501 67

SUMMARY OF ESTIMATES FOR ALL BOROUGHES.

	1900.	1901.
Manhattan.....	\$972,160 00	\$1,356,935 00
Bronx.....	585,160 00	1,005,060 00
Brooklyn.....	379,338 00	1,038,128 00
Queens.....	201,100 00	645,300 00
Richmond.....	117,886 67	209,501 67
Total.....	\$2,255,644 67	\$4,254,924 67

Very respectfully,

(Signed) JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

A comparative statement of the appropriations for 1900, and the amounts asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1901 is subjoined:

	ALLOWED, 1900.	DEPART- MENTAL ES- TIMATE, 1901.
<i>Borough of Manhattan.</i>		
Boring Examinations for Grading Contracts.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	139,150 00	160,000 00
Contingencies, Department of Highways.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City Property.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct—Maintenance and repairs.....	6,000 00	12,000 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	15,000 00	15,000 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	400,000 00	473,400 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	200,000 00	450,000 00
Roads, Streets and Avenues, Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling.....	40,000 00	50,000 00
Maintenance of Eighth Avenue Pavement.....	19,200 00	19,200 00
Chemical and Cement Laboratory.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Maintenance of Railroad Bridges.....		5,000 00
Salaries—		
General Administration.....	22,000 00	30,000 00
Administration.....	25,000 00	36,225 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues—Maintenance of.....	6,810 00	6,810 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	14,500 00	14,800 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	22,500 00	22,500 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	50,000 00	50,000 00
Total.....	\$972,160 00	\$1,356,935 00
<i>Borough of The Bronx.</i>		
Salaries.....	\$14,300 00	\$15,260 00
Contingencies.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	500,000 00	607,104 00
Maintenance of Viaducts and Bridges.....	14,500 00	14,500 00
Maintenance of Lorelei Fountain.....	4,000 00	2,000 00
Removing Incumbrances.....	6,000 00	8,750 00
Preliminary Surveys, etc.....	30,790 00	31,106 00
Rock Soundings.....	9,700 00	10,000 00
Standard Bench marks.....	4,870 00	5,300 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....		300,000 00
Transplanting Shade Trees on Streets.....		10,000 00
Total.....	\$585,160 00	\$1,005,060 00
<i>Borough of Brooklyn.</i>		
Salaries.....	\$77,838 00	\$84,678 00
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies, with transfer.....	250,000 00	451,450 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues, less transfer.....	50,000 00	500,000 00
Contingencies.....	1,500 00	2,000 00
Total.....	\$379,338 00	\$1,038,128 00
<i>Borough of Queens.</i>		
Salaries.....	\$12,100 00	\$14,320 00
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	175,000 00	390,380 00
Preliminary Surveys.....	6,000 00	12,000 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....		200,000 00
Maintenance of Viaduct and Bridges.....	8,000 00	28,600 00
Total.....	\$201,100 00	\$645,300 00
<i>Borough of Richmond.</i>		
Salaries.....	\$17,886 67	\$17,886 67
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	100,000 00	188,115 00
Preliminary Surveys.....		2,500 00
Maintaining and Repairing Bridges.....		1,000 00
Total.....	\$117,886 67	\$209,501 67
Grand total.....	\$2,255,644 67	\$4,254,924 67

No. 1462.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Buildings respectfully submits herewith an estimate of the amount of money that will be required for the proper and efficient conduct of the Department of Buildings for the year 1901:

BOARD OF BUILDINGS.

	APPROPRI- ATED 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
Salaries.....	\$30,400	\$30,600
Contingencies.....	500	500
Total.....	\$30,900	\$31,100

An increase of \$200 per annum for salaries is asked for. With this \$200 and \$2,100 now available it is proposed to transfer from the Department of Buildings in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and employ in the Board a Civil Engineer at \$2,200, whose principal work is the making of tests and experiments with building materials and the different forms of construction which from time to time are submitted to the Board for approval, and to increase the salary of a stenographer and typewriter, from \$800 to \$900.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

	APPROPRI- ATED 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
Salaries.....	\$314,825 00	\$324,825 00
Rents.....	13,500 00	18,000 00
Board of Examiners' Fees.....	5,200 00	5,200 00
Contingencies and Emergencies.....	12,500 00	12,500 00
Total.....	\$346,025 00	\$360,525 00

An increase of \$10,000 for salaries for 1901 is asked for. This money is needed to pay the salaries of additional Building Inspectors whose services are necessary. The amount asked for (\$324,825) is the amount of the appropriation for 1899.

An increase of \$4,500 for rents is asked for. This increased appropriation is necessary to pay the rental of the increased accommodations for the Department which were leased by the Sinking Fund Commission, April 20, 1900.

Borough of Brooklyn.

	APPROPRI- ATED 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
Salaries.....	\$142,100 00	\$157,850 00
Contingencies.....	7,500 00	7,500 00
Total.....	\$149,000 00	\$165,350 00

An increase of \$15,750 is asked for the Department of Buildings in the Borough of Brooklyn, which it is proposed to employ as follows:

6 additional Building Inspectors.....	\$7,200 00
2 additional Clerks.....	2,400 00
1 Civil Engineer.....	2,000 00
1 Plan Examiner.....	2,300 00
Necessary to maintain the present pay-roll.....	1,850 00
Total.....	\$15,750 00

Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.

	APPROPRI- ATED, 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
Salaries.....	\$18,000 00	\$35,190 00
Contingencies.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Total.....	\$20,000 00	\$37,190 00

An increase of \$17,190 is asked for the use of the Department of Buildings in the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, which it is proposed to use as follows:

Increase of Force.

2 Plan Examiners, at \$1,500 each.....	\$3,000 00
2 "Unsafe and Violation" Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00
1 Clerk, at \$1,000.....	1,000 00
8 Building Inspectors at \$1,200 each.....	9,600 00
2 Messengers, at \$720 each.....	1,440 00

Salary Increase.

William Duffy, Driver, \$150.....	150 00
Total.....	\$17,190 00

Respectfully,
T. J. BRADY, President, Board of Buildings.

Schedules and Lists Attached as follows:

- "A"—Salary List, Board of Buildings.
"B"—Salary List, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
"C"—Salary List, Borough of Brooklyn.
"D"—Salary List, boroughs of Queens and Richmond.
"E"—List of Unexpended Balances.
"F"—Comparative Statement.

"A."

SALARY LIST.

BOARD OF BUILDINGS.

NAME.	TITLE.	ALLOWED, 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Thomas J. Brady.....	Commissioner, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	\$7,000 00	\$7,000 00	.....	.....
John Guilfoyle.....	Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn.....	7,000 00	7,000 00	.....	.....
Daniel Campbell.....	Commissioner, boroughs of Queens and Richmond.....	3,500 00	3,500 00	.....	.....
Alfred J. Johnson.....	Secretary.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	.....	.....
James E. McMahon.....	Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....
James F. Clark.....	Confidential Inspector.....	1,500 00	1,800 00	.....	.....
Daniel Campbell, Jr.....	Confidential Stenographer.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Delia O'Connell.....	Typewriter.....	800 00	900 00	\$100 00	.....
	Engineer.....	\$28,300 00	\$28,400 00	\$100 00	.....
	Total.....	\$30,400 00	\$30,600 00	\$200 00	.....
Contingencies.....			500 00	.....	.....

*"B."*DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
For the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

NAME.	TITLE.	PRESENT SALARY.	ESTIMATED SALARY, 1901.	1901. Increase.	Decrease.
John A. Dooner.....	Superintendent.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00	.....	.....
Sylvester A. Murphy.....	".....	3,500 00	3,500 00	.....	.....
William H. Class.....	Chief Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....	.....
William Sauer.....	Assistant Chief Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....	.....
Philip J. McKinley.....	Plan Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....	.....
George A. Daly.....	Assistant Plan Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Franklin P. Duffey.....	Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Washington Parker.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Edward P. Keenan.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
E. J. Carroll.....	".....	1,475 00	1,475 00	.....	.....
D. J. O'Dair.....	".....	1,400 00	1,400 00	.....	.....
James Dunn.....	".....	1,400 00	1,400 00	.....	.....
Thomas J. McCabe.....	".....	1,375 00	1,375 00	.....	.....

NAME.	TITLE.	PRESENT SALARY.	ESTIMATED SALARY, 1901.	1901. Increase.	Decrease.
James Grimes.....	Clerk.....	\$1,300 00	\$1,300 00	.....	.....
William H. James.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
James J. Carroll.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Charles Schaefer, Jr.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Richard Dawson.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Charles H. Stronberg.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Harold C. Riggs.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
James W. Spencer.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Thomas F. Walsh.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
James Costigan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Eugene Gaiser.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
John C. Regan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
George M. O'Reilly.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Charles E. Griffin.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Nelson F. McFadden.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Samuel H. Wilkinson.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Robert F. Neumann.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Fred H. Dewey.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Archibald Schwartz.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Benjamin F. Porter.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
George L. Amouroux.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Charles J. Miller, Jr.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Thomas M. Hallam.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Joseph P. Healy.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Francis O'Neil.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Charles T. Ulman.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Charles Marvin.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Edwin L. McLewee.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Arthur V. Healy.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
John Anderson.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Adam Dorr.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
William R. Lawson.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Patrick J. Andrews.....	Confidential Inspector.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....	.....
Nicholas J. Revilla.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Henry O. Cole.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Ferdinand Frankenberg.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
James Farrell.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Mary F. McAnana.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
George T. Young.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
William C. Anderson.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
James McKenna.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Charles P. Moore.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Elmer E. Roy.....	Confidential Examiner.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
William J. Nihill.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Minna M. Dyke Clark.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Selina E. Dwyer.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Eva V. Agnew.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Peter A. Klitsch.....	".....	800 00	800 00	.....	.....
Herman Schoenfeld.....	".....	800 00	800 00	.....	.....
Samuel Frank.....	".....	800 00	800 00	.....	.....
George Morgan.....	Messenger.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Philip J. Powers.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Edward McEvoy.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
William J. Lawless.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Edward B. Kinney.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Timothy J. Lane.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Robert J. Tucker.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
Theodore N. Melvin.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Edward W. Kennedy.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Joseph Burke.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Robert G. Lester.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Farnham Hall.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Henry Rettig.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Arthur E. Moore.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Patrick J. Murray.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Charles D. Bodine.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
John H. Forshay.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Nathan Rosenberg.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Joseph H. Johnston.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Thomas W. Byrnes.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Joseph G. Fuller.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Lewis F. Soich.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Albert A. Lexutt.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
William S. White.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Thomas M. Graney.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
James McKeon.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Henry H. Ehrlich.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
William J. Curran.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Harry Brownlee.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
John D. Crowe, Jr.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....

NAME.	TITLE.	PRESENT SALARY.	ESTIMATED SALARY, 1901.	1901.		NAME.	TITLE.	PRESENT SALARY.	ESTIMATED SALARY, 1901.	1901.	
				Increase.	Decrease.					Increase.	Decrease.
Charles Brady.....	Messenger.....	\$900 00	\$900 00			Thomas Darcy.....	Inspector.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00		
Andrew J. Kelly.....	".....	900 00	900 00			Edmond Fitzpatrick.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
William J. McPherson.....	".....	900 00	900 00			Peter E. Dornan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Bernard A. Smith, Jr.....	".....	900 00	900 00			Richard H. Pettit.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
William French.....	".....	900 00	900 00			Peter H. Raub.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Anna Gaffney.....	Cleaner.....	400 00	400 00			Edward Connolly.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Catherine F. Kane.....	".....	400 00	400 00			James T. McNally.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Maria Lazabna.....	".....	400 00	400 00			William H. Fisher.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Mary Mahoney.....	".....	400 00	400 00			Joseph F. Sweeney.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Mary McCallig.....	".....	400 00	400 00			John O'Connell.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
James Hickey.....	Driver.....	1,000 00	1,000 00			George H. Griebel.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Francis M. Rutherford.....	Inspector.....	3,000 00	3,000 00			Patrick J. Gough.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Martin J. Hackett.....	".....	2,500 00	2,500 00			James McKenna.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
John O'Connor.....	".....	2,300 00	2,300 00			James Gough.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
William W. Ewing.....	".....	2,200 00	2,200 00			William J. McKeon.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Rudolph P. Miller.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00			William F. McEntee.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Merritt Smith.....	".....	1,700 00	1,700 00			Henry H. Amberg.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Jacob Roth.....	".....	1,600 00	1,600 00			James J. Rickard.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Daniel J. O'Toole.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00			Patrick J. Bowen.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
James J. Gaynor.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00			Henry Klingman.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
William J. Ryan.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00			James A. Kiernan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
John J. Montgomery.....	".....	1,400 00	1,400 00			James A. Garvey.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Thomas W. Lamb.....	".....	1,400 00	1,400 00			William M. Barr.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Robert E. Moss.....	".....	1,400 00	1,400 00			John T. Kennedy.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
John J. Reilly.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00			John P. Spears.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
James B. Dolan.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00			Thomas F. McMahon.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Charles French, Jr.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00			Robert J. Reed.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Charles A. Wiley.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00			John Crosson.....	Machinist to Supervise Elevators	1,300 00	1,300 00		
Robert Auld, Jr.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00			Thomas Murphy.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00		
James Grace.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Matthew Gaughan.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00		
Thomas Heatley, Jr.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Edward Lyon.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00		
Thomas J. Linehan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John J. Boyhan.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00		
John Hare.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Charles B. Duffy.....	Inspector to Supervise Elevators.	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Patrick H. Rooney.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Patrick F. Foley.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Thomas T. Petersen.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			George F. Boyhan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Patrick H. McHale.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John W. McCabe.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
James J. Fleming.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			George F. Brennan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
George H. Lansing.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Thomas J. Loughlin.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Richard W. Dunne, Jr.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			James J. Wilson.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Bernard Campbell.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Joseph McPhee.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Alfred W. Furnivall.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			James Crawford.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
George Vix.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			William J. Carey.....	Plumbing Inspector.....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
John C. Taylor.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John A. Lee.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
Freeman D. Mullins.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			E. J. Carroll.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
Owen B. Maginnis.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Bernard J. Gorman.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
George A. R. Mackenzie.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Joseph A. Cassidy.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
Herbert W. Smith.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Matthew E. Healy.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
William Fordyce.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			William H. Pearlbrook.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Alfred Emery.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			James F. Lalor.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Thomas F. Montague.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			William F. Sheehan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
John F. Lucke.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			George D. Scott.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Thomas Graham, Jr.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			William J. Duane.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Charles H. McTerney.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John J. Howley.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
George Pfuhler.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John M. Cantwell.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
John G. Lord.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Josias M. Thompson, Jr.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Timothy E. Deegan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John H. Lewis.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Charles F. King.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John F. Dolan.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
William A. Kenny.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Bernard O'Neill, Jr.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
William L. Virrill.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Terence J. Donoghue.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Hugh Dolan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Frank R. Saul.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Francis T. McDonough.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			William King.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Christian Uhl.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			David V. Mahoney.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Edward J. O'Connor.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Dennis Leonard.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Charles A. Judge.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Frank Moore.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
William Spelman.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John Lewis.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Peter H. J. Krulder.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John J. Dolan.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Walter W. Bucknall.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Joseph H. Donohue.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Charles E. Blackledge.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Henry J. Steele.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Isaiah Hamel.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Joseph F. Donohue.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Michael Doyle.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John F. Hagemeister.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Henry McGee.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Edward P. Mahony.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
John E. Peek.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			James Hastings.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
John J. McArdle.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			William J. Dolan.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
William G. Moir.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John F. Hughes.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Orlando C. Flynn.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Edward Greene.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Anthony Grogan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Charles F. Gaffney.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Thomas Sanderson.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			James J. McDonald.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Cornelius J. Black.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Andrew F. O'Toole.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
James M. B. Robinson.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Cornelius M. Breen.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00		
Joseph A. Smith.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			John H. Hanan.....	Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00		

NAME.	TITLE.	PRESENT SALARY.	ESTIMATED SALARY, 1901.	1901.	
				Increase.	Decrease.
John R. Sever	Clerk	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00	.....	.....
Nathan Samose	"	500 00	500 00	.....	.....
Albert Barnes	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Vera Flynn	Stenographer and Typewriter	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Belle DeYoung	"	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
John R. Blake	Clerk	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....

"C."

For the Borough of Brooklyn.

NAME.	TITLE.	PRESENT SALARY.	ESTIMATED SALARY, 1901.	INCREASE, 1901.	DECREASE, 1901.
Thomas B. Minter	Superintendent	\$4,500 00	\$4,500 00	.....	.....
Francis Conklin	"	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....	.....
James J. Byrne	Chief Clerk	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....	.....
Joseph Cogan	Private Secretary	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....	.....
James J. Doyle	Confidential Stenographer	2,100 00	2,100 00	.....	.....
Estelle H. Louderback	Stenographer	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Mary A. Sesnon	Typewriter	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Celia Jaffa	"	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Mary T. McCormick	Senior Clerk	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Agnes V. Reilly	"	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Edythe M. Reilly	"	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
Corrie S. Beckner	Telephone Operator	600 00	600 00	.....	.....
William G. Thornbury	Chief Examiner	2,300 00	2,300 00	.....	.....
George Howell	Manager Plan Department	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....	.....
Philip A. Faribault	Civil Engineer	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....
Gerardus Clarkson	Document Clerk	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Aug. E. Schmidt	Assistant Document Clerk	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
James Freelan	Violation Clerk	1,650 00	1,650 00	.....	.....
Herbert B. Reynolds	Plan Clerk	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
William H. Meyer	Clerk	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Denis J. Daly	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
James M. Tobin	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Isidore S. Chirurg	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Eugene F. Brundage	Messenger	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
William J. Donnelly	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Thomas H. Reddy	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
William P. Gallagher	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Jere P. Costello	Violation Notice Server	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Charles J. Brady	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
William Roesch	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
George L. O'Neill	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Richard V. Remsen	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Peter Walsh	Confidential Inspector	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Charles W. Otis	Elevator Inspector	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
William H. Rittenhouse	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Edward A. Langan	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
William H. Hawxhurst	Inspector	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....	.....
H. W. Billard	"	1,650 00	1,650 00	.....	.....
Joseph Fee	"	1,650 00	1,650 00	.....	.....
James P. Reehil	"	1,650 00	1,650 00	.....	.....
Thomas B. McGowan	"	1,650 00	1,650 00	.....	.....
Hugh O'Donnell	"	1,650 00	1,650 00	.....	.....
Thomas Lynch	"	1,650 00	1,650 00	.....	.....
Frederick W. Rourke	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
William C. Anderson	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Bernard McCarren	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
James H. Doremus	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
William A. Helwig	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
John E. Conlon	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
John W. Berrian	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Thomas H. Butcher	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
George H. Fellows	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Edgar Tappen	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Albertson Smith	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
James B. Hunter	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
John C. Snackenbergh	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
George Scheel	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Gilbert J. Murtagh	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
David F. Moore	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
William Latta	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Michael Cashman	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
James Flynn	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
John W. Wagner	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Harry Stafford	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Michael F. Walsh	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Fergus McGarry	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
John F. Anderson	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....

NAME.	TITLE.	PRESENT SALARY.	ESTIMATED SALARY, 1901.	INCREASE, 1901.	DECREASE, 1901.
John J. Clancy	Inspector	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00	.....	.....
Volney Rutan	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Joseph J. Ryan	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Peter Macevoy	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Neil F. Dougherty	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
George R. Redden	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
James J. Manahan	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
James Feenan	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Frank Hill	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
William H. Bromell	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Thomas A. Gallagher	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
James R. Bracken	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Daniel Gillespie	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
John A. Hamm	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Robert J. O'Brien	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
James McGovern	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Patrick H. Smith	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Frederick F. Danaher	Plumbing Inspector	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
John R. Brophy	"	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
James J. Ryan	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
James J. Doody	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
John J. Keenan	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Henry M. Birkett	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Charles Cameron	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
William H. Davenport	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Michael A. Taylor	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Alex. Pallas	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Henry H. Smith	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
John A. Lennon	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Joseph J. Keen	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
William J. Lawlor	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Sidney G. Holborow	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Michael Sexton	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
William F. Mentzinger	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Thomas Muldoon	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
New positions	3 Building Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, \$1,200 each	.....	3,600 00	\$3,600 00	.....
"	3 Plumbing Inspectors, \$1,200 each	.....	3,600 00	3,600 00	.....
"	2 Clerks, \$1,200 each	.....	2,400 00	2,400 00	.....
"	1 Civil Engineer	.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
"	1 Plan Examiner	.....	2,300 00	2,300 00	.....
Necessary to maintain present pay-roll .....		.....	.....	\$13,900 00	.....
Total		\$143,950 00	\$157,850 00	\$15,750 00	.....

"D."

For the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.

NAME.	TITLE.	PRESENT SALARY.	ESTIMATED SALARY, 1901.	1901.	
				Increase.	Decrease.
John G. Vaughn	Superintendent	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00	.....	.....
Joseph P. Powers	"	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....
Thomas Willoe	Inspector	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Timothy D. Sullivan	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Andreas Andreoli	"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
John Chapman	"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Richard W. Silles	"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Hugh J. Clark	"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Tonnes Larson	"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Thomas Freeman	"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
James Nolan	Chief Clerk	1,350 00	1,350 00	.....	.....
George A. Brown	"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
John E. Croak	Stenographer	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....
William Duffy	Driver	600 00	750 00	\$150 00	.....
Eugene B. Sanborn	Private Secretary	950 00	950 00	.....	.....
New positions	2 Plan Examiners (\$1,500) .....	.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....
"	2 "Unsafe and Violation" Clerks (\$1,000) .....	.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
"	1 Clerk (\$1,000) .....	.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
"	2 Messengers (\$720) .....	.....	1,440 00	1,440 00	.....
"	6 Building Inspectors (\$1,200) .....	.....	7,200 00	7,200 00	.....
"	1 Elevator Inspector (\$1,200) .....	.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
"	1 Iron and Steel Inspector (\$1,200) .....	.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Total .....		.....	\$34,090 00	\$17,190 00	.....
Contingencies .....		.....	2,000 00	.....	.....

"E."

ESTIMATED UNEXPENDED BALANCE FOR 1900.

Board of Buildings.

Salaries	\$2,100 00
Contingencies	None.

<i>Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.</i>	
Salaries	None.
Contingencies and emergencies.....	"
Board of Examiners' fees.....	"
Rents.....	"

<i>Borough of Brooklyn.</i>	
Salaries	None.
Contingencies	"

<i>Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.</i>	
Salaries	None.
Contingencies.....	"

"F."

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	APPROPRIATED, 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
<i>Board of Buildings.</i>		
Salaries	\$30,400 00	\$30,600 00
Contingencies.....	500 00	500 00
<i>Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.</i>		
Salaries	314,825 00	324,825 00
Contingencies and Emergencies.....	12,500 00	12,500 00
Board of Examiners' fees.....	5,200 00	5,200 00
Rents	13,500 00	13,000 00
<i>Borough of Brooklyn.</i>		
Salaries	142,100 00	157,850 00
Contingencies.....	7,500 00	7,500 00
<i>Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.</i>		
Salaries	18,000 00	35,190 00
Contingencies	2,000 00	2,000 00

No. 1463.

BUDGET, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, 1901.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 1, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to submit herewith the following estimate of the amount required to conduct the business of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies for the year 1901:

SALARIES—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$25,500 00
Appropriation for 1900.....	25,200 00
Increase.....	\$300 00

This appropriation is required for the payment of the salaries of the Commissioner's Office; also Engineers and Officers whose duties are general, covering the entire city.

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.
Kearny, Henry S.....	Commissioner.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00	.....
.....	Secretary.....	.....	2,500 00	.....
Bishop, James F.....	Chief Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....
Miller, Ida A.....	Private Secretary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00	\$300 00
Smith, Samuel C.....	Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
<i>Engineer's Office.</i>				
.....	Consulting Engineer, Lighting and Electricity.....	.....	3,700 00	.....
.....	Consulting Engineer, Public Buildings.....	.....	3,000 00	.....
.....	Consulting Architect.....	.....	3,000 00	.....
.....	Stenographer.....	.....	800 00	.....
Total.....		.....	\$25,500 00	.....

The positions of Secretary in Commissioner's Office, Consulting Engineer of Lighting and Electricity, Consulting Engineer of Public Buildings, Consulting Architect and Stenographer in Engineer's Office, are not new positions, having been included in the estimate for 1900.

The positions of Consulting Engineer of Lighting and Electricity, Consulting Engineer of Public Buildings, and Consulting Architect, are provided for by the Charter.

SALARIES OF DEPUTIES, CLERKS, EMPLOYEES, ETC.

Departmental Estimate for 1901	\$468,425 85
Appropriation for 1900	\$403,715 00
Transferred to Health Department.....	11,140 00
.....	392,569 00
Increase.....	\$75,856 85

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.
<i>General Office.</i>				
Davis, R. V., Jr.....	General Bookkeeper.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00	\$1,000 00
Ogden, Frederic.....	Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Hedekamp, Henry H.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Frank, Henry.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Edwards, Charles P.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Kennedy, Joseph W.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	1,000 00	400 00
Brophy, Genevieve L.....	Stenographer, etc.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Kelly, Nora F.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....

Borough of Manhattan.

Dooling, Peter J.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
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Borough of The Bronx.

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.
Best, George E.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Strachle, Carrie.....	Stenographer, etc.....	800 00	800 00	.....
Fitzpatrick, Francis J.....	Chief Inspector of Electric Wiring.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Kendall, Walter.....	Inspector.....	1,252 00	1,252 00	.....

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.
<i>Bureau of Public Buildings, Care and Maintenance.</i>				
Donovan, Bartholomew.....	Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00	.....
Dunne, James J.....	Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Quinn, Thomas F.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
Daly, James T. J.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	.....
Michaelson, William T.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
.....	2 Junior Clerks, at \$600 per year.....	.....	1,200 00	\$1,200 00
Breslin, Timothy J.....	Janitor, Harlem Court-house.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Keese, Martin J.....	Janitor, City Hall.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Rose, Joseph W.....	Janitor, Fifth District Court-house.....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....
Cronin, Bartholomew.....	Janitor, Brownstone Building.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
Baker, William H.....	Janitor, Tenth District Court-house.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
Adamsky, Isaac.....	Janitor, Seventh District Court-house.....	900 00	900 00	.....
Berrian, Samuel A.....	Janitor, First District Court-house (Bronx).....	900 00	900 00	.....
Chichester, Edgar W.....	Janitor, Eighth District Court-house.....	900 00	900 00	.....
Lamberti, Rocco.....	Janitor, Second District Court-house.....	900 00	900 00	.....
Ryan, John S.....	Janitor, Sixth District Court-house.....	900 00	900 00	.....
Solomon, Charles.....	Janitor, Fourth District Court-house.....	900 00	900 00	.....
Wisker, Thomas C.....	Janitor, County Court-house.....	900 00	900 00	.....
McCoy, Francis M.....	Janitor, Hall of Records.....	900 00	900 00	.....
Watson, John.....	Engineer, Criminal Court-house.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
McGuire, Robert.....	Engineer, County Court-house.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Sargeant, Joseph.....	Engineer, Tenth District Court-house.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Fox, Patrick.....	Engineer, Brownstone Building.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
Barrett, Charles F.....	Engineer, Criminal Court-house.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
Jones, Samuel J.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
Bunce, Benjamin.....	Engineer, Harlem Court-house.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
Rice, George L.....	Dynamo Engineer, Criminal Court-house.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Carroll, Peter.....	Engineman, The Bronx.....	1,095 00	1,095 00	.....
Hersey, Marion C.....	Stenographer.....	1,040 00	1,040 00	.....
Coldwell, John J.....	".....	1,040 00	1,040 00	.....
Albert, Isidore.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,040 00	1,040 00	.....
McGaffigan, Annamaria.....	Telephone Operator.....	520 00	520 00	.....
Emerson, Jay R.....	Inspector and Weigher of Coal.....	750 00	750 00	.....
Feehan, John J.....	Watchman, Brownstone Building.....	800 00	800 00	.....
Wurthman, Louis.....	Watchman, Tenth District Court-house.....	800 00	800 00	.....
.....	3 Watchmen, at \$730 per year.....	2,190 00	2,190 00	.....
Jackmus, Benjamin.....	Elevator Attendant, Criminal Court-house.....	700 00	700 00	.....
Schreiber, Aug. W.....	Elevator Attendant, Criminal Court-house.....	700 00	700 00	.....
Williams, Jefferson D.....	Elevator Attendant, Criminal Court-house.....	700 00	700 00	.....
Byrne, Oliver P.....	Elevator Attendant, Criminal Court-house.....	704 25	704 25	.....
Curran, William J.....	Elevator Attendant, Criminal Court-house.....	821 25	821 25	.....
Hirschlein, William.....	Elevator Attendant, Brownstone Building.....	704 25	704 25	.....
Irvine, Thomas.....	Elevator Attendant, Criminal Court-house.....	704 25	704 25	.....
Kennedy, Patrick F.....	Elevator Attendant, County Court-house.....	704 25	704 25	.....
Burke, James.....	Elevator Attendant, Criminal Court-house.....	700 00	700 00	.....
Phanenschmid, Max.....	Elevator Attendant, Criminal Court-house.....	704 25	704 25	.....
Dwyer, James.....	Elevator Attendant, Brownstone Building.....	700 00	700 00	.....
McCarthy, Francis.....	Elevator Attendant, County Court-house.....	700 00	700 00	.....
Powers, Michael.....	Elevator Attendant, Tenth District Court-house.....	700 00	700 00	.....
Fitzsimmons, Ed E.....	Elevator Attendant, Harlem Court-house.....	700 00	700 00	.....
Sinnott, Maria.....	Matron, County Court-house.....	600 00	600 00	.....
Hamilton, Annie M.....	Attendant, Criminal Court-house.....	720 00	720 00	.....
Little, Eliza.....	Attendant, Governor's Room.....	540 00	540 00	.....
.....	1 Toolman.....	1,017 25	1,017 25	.....
.....	2 Toolmen, at \$526.....	1,252 00	1,252 00	.....
.....	15 Firemen, at \$912.50.....	13,687 50	13,587 50	.....
*Vacant.....	4 Firemen, at \$912.50.....	.....	3,650 00	3,650 00
.....	1 Oiler.....	912 50	912 50	.....
.....	8 Stokers, at \$912.50.....	7,300 00	7,300 00	.....
.....	2 Skilled Laborers, at \$912.50.....	1,825 00	1,825 00	.....
.....	1 Laborer.....	939 00	939 00	.....
.....	".....	912 50	912 50	.....
.....	".....	782 50	782 50	.....
.....	10 Laborers, at \$730.....	7,300 00	7,300 00	.....
.....	7 Laborers, at \$625.....	4,382 00	4,382 00	.....
.....	1 Varnisher.....	1,095 50	1,095 50	.....
.....	".....	939 00	939 00	.....
.....	6 Carpenters, at \$1,095.50.....	6,573 00	6,573 00	.....

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.	NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.
	1 Plumber.....	\$1,460 00	\$1,460 00		Totten, John W.....	Clerk.....	\$1,600 00	\$1,600 00	
	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00		Grant, Charles S.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
	1 Plumber's Helper.....	912 50	912 50		Chambers, William A.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	
	1 Female Cleaner.....	540 00	540 00		Schlesinger, Mark.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	
	197 Female Cleaners, at \$360.....	70,920 00	70,920 00		Dillon, Charles G.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
*Vacant.....	5 Female Cleaners, at \$360.....		1,800 00	\$1,800 00	Murphy, Ed. J.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
	32 Male Cleaners, at \$730.....	23,360 00	23,360 00		Sholl, Clarence V.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
*Vacant.....	3 Male Cleaners, at \$730.....		2,190 00	2,190 00		1 Laborer.....	626 00	626 00	
	20 Male Cleaners, at \$626.....	12,520 00	12,520 00			2 Inspectors of Electrical Conductors, } at \$1,252.....		2,504 00	\$2,504 00
	1 Male Cleaner (Bronx).....	912 50	912 50			Office of Assistant Engineer.			
	5 Male Cleaners (Bronx), at \$730.....	3,650 00	3,650 00		Leffingwell, Frank D.....	Assistant Engineer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
	13 Male Cleaners (Bronx), at \$626.....	8,138 00	8,138 00		Lutz, U. S.....	Inspector of Street Openings.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
	1 Sweeper.....	730 00	730 00		Porcella, Primo.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	
	1 Lineman.....	1,095 00	1,095 00		Quirk, William G.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
	1 Foreman, Mason.....	1,878 00	1,878 00			1 Inspector of Lamps and Gas.....		1,200 00	1,200 00
	1 Foreman, Steam Apparatus.....	1,825 00	1,825 00			1 Inspector of Cement.....		1,320 00	1,320 00
	1 Foreman, Cleaners.....	1,565 00	1,565 00			1 Engineer Inspector.....		1,200 00	1,200 00
	1 Foreman, Bureau.....	1,642 50	1,642 50			1 Draughtsman.....		1,320 00	1,320 00
	1 Foreman, Carpenters.....	1,408 50	1,408 50			1 Clerk.....		900 00	900 00
	1 Foreman, Painters.....	1,460 00	1,460 00			Bureau of Markets.			
	1 Foreman, Repairs.....	1,460 00	1,460 00		Fassett, Lawrence T.....	Inspector.....	1,500 00	1,800 00	
	".....	1,460 00	1,460 00			1 Assistant Foreman.....	1,183 00	1,183 00	
	3 Foremen, Repairs, at \$1,277.50.....	3,832 50	3,832 50			16 Laborers, at \$619.84.....	9,917 44	9,917 44	
	1 Foreman.....	1,252 00	1,252 00			2 Laborers, at \$704.08.....	1,408 16	1,408 16	
	1 Foreman, Laborers.....	1,095 00	1,095 00			1 Laborer.....	845 00	845 00	
	1 Foreman.....	1,095 00	1,095 00			".....	650 00	650 00	
	1 Foreman, Laborers.....	1,200 00	1,200 00			4 Laborers, at \$572.....	2,288 00	2,288 00	
	1 Foreman, Repairs.....	1,200 00	1,200 00			1 Toolman.....	619 84	619 84	
	".....		1,500 00	1,500 00		".....	563 16	563 16	
	1 Foreman, Cleaners.....	1,200 00	1,250 00			15 Cartmen, at \$1,183.....	17,745 00	17,745 00	
	".....	800 00	800 00			4 Cartmen, at \$1,092.....	4,368 00	4,368 00	
	1 Assistant Foreman of Steam Heating.....	1,277 50	1,277 50			Overtime and extra help.....		250 00	250 00
	2 Assistant Foremen, at \$1,277.50.....	2,555 00	2,555 00			Rivington Street Bath (new).			
	4 Assistant Foremen, at \$912.50.....	3,650 00	3,650 00			1 Janitor.....		1,200 00	1,200 00
	Free Floating Baths.					2 Engineers, at \$1,200 each.....		2,400 00	2,400 00
	1 Foreman of Public Baths.....	1,460 00	1,460 00			4 Firemen, 365 days, at \$2.50 a day each.....		3,650 00	3,650 00
	1 Carpenter.....	1,277 50	1,277 50			1 Oiler, 365 days, at \$2.50 per day.....		912 50	912 50
	1 Bath Attendant.....	1,277 50	1,277 50			2 Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....		2,000 00	2,000 00
	2 Bath Attendants, at \$1,095.....	2,190 00	2,190 00			10 Male Bath Attendants, 365 days, at } \$2.50 per day each.....		9,125 00	9,125 00
	8 Bath Attendants, at \$912.50.....	7,300 00	7,300 00			16 Female Bath and Laundry Attend- } ants, at \$50 per month each.....		9,600 00	9,600 00
	54 Bath Attendants at \$2.50 per day, } 125 days.....	16,875 00	16,875 00			1 Electrician, 365 days, at \$4 per day.....		1,460 00	1,460 00
	1 Bath Attendant at \$2.50 per day, } 125 days.....		312 50	312 50		5 Male Cleaners, 365 days, at \$2 per day.....		3,650 00	3,650 00
	36 Bath Attendants (female), at \$2. } per day, 125 days.....	9,000 00	9,000 00			Total.....		\$33,997 50	\$33,997 50
	Overtime and extra help; this is necessary to meet the expenses of work, such as repairs to steam and electric plants, machinery, etc., which may have to be done on Sundays and holidays and at night.....		5,000 00	5,000 00		Grand Total.....	\$407,201 85	\$468,425 85	\$61,224 00
	Bureau of Public Lighting.								
McCormick, Stephen.....	Superintendent.....	3,000 00	3,000 00			* Vacant at present, but required to be filled in winter :			\$912 50
Verdenal, Dominique F.....	Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00			1 Fireman, Municipal Building, The Bronx.....			912 50
Quinn, Ed. F.....	Inspector of Lamps and Gas.....	1,000 00	1,000 00			1 Fireman, West Fifty-fourth Street Court-house.....			912 50
Conlon, Nicholas C.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00			1 Fireman, East Fifty-seventh Street Court-house.....			912 50
Hartwell, Charles E.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00			1 Fireman, Jefferson Market Court-house.....			912 50
Seaman, James J.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00			3 Cleaners (Male), Criminal Court-house.....			2,190 00
Arnstein, Louis.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			5 Cleaners (Female), Criminal Court-house.....			1,800 00
McGuire, Fredrick J.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00			1 Lighter of Markets, Washington Market.....			180 00
Saul, Robert B.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00						
McKavanagh, Ed. J.....	".....	939 00	939 00			BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.			
Marvin, Caroline.....	Stenographer, etc.....	1,040 00	1,040 00			SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.			
* Vacant.....	1 Lighter of Markets.....		180 00	\$180 00		Departmental Estimate for 1901.....			\$490,085 00
	6 Lighters of Markets, at \$120 per year.....	720 00	720 00			Appropriation for 1900.....			279,520 00
	1 Cleaner, Photometric Room.....	60 00	60 00			Increase.....			\$210,365 00
	1 Senior Clerk.....		1,000 00	1,000 00					
	Electrical Bureau.					The following amounts will be required for furnishing necessary supplies and making repairs to the various public buildings, offices, etc., including Free Floating Baths, under the supervision of this Department.			
						BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS—CARE AND MAINTENANCE.			
						Repairs to Public Buildings and Offices.			
Brown, Frank E.....	Chief Inspector.....	2,500 00	2,500 00			Criminal Court Building, painting, repairs, etc.....			\$24,175 00
Levien, Bertram N.....	Inspector.....	1,500 00	1,500 00			County Court-house, painting, repairs, etc.....			9,500 00
Bennett, William S.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			City Hall, general repairs, etc.....			4,800 00
Cameron, Andrew M.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			Brown Stone Building, general repairs, etc.....			4,000 00
Mollan, William J.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			Hall of Records, general repairs, etc.....			2,000 00
Kirk, John J.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			Harlem Court-huse, painting and repairs.....			4,950 00
Timothy, Frank B.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			West Fifty-fourth Street Court-house, general repairs and painting.....			4,000 00
Lowson, David.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			First District Municipal Court-house, general repairs and painting.....			3,500 00
Skerrett, John F.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			Third District Court-house, general repairs, etc.....			5,000 00
Boynton, Charles F.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00			Fifth District Municipal Court, general repairs, etc.....			2,250 00
Honey, Joseph.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			Seventh District Court-house, general repairs, etc.....			5,000 00
Smith, Herbert J.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			Essex Market Court-house, painting and repairs.....			1,750 00
McManmon, Patrick J.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			Municipal Building, The Bronx, general repairs, etc.....			5,000 00
Whitney, Arthur A.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			City Magistrates' and Civil Courts, general repairs, etc.....			6,400 00
Speer, Horace N.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			County Jail, general repairs and painting.....			3,000 00
Coveney, James D.....	".....	1,252 00	1,252 00			Public Comfort Station, general repairs, etc.....			750 00
Burke, Lorenzo L.....	Stenographer.....	1,200 00	1,200 00			First District Municipal Court, general repairs.....			500 00
						Markets, general repairs and painting.....			45,000 00
						Armories, general repairs and painting.....			67,500 00
						Soldiers' monuments in Calvary and Greenwood Cemeteries, cleaning, repairing, etc.....			600 00
						Public Buildings, Courts and Offices, etc., not hereinbefore provided for, including 14 owned by the City and about 40 under lease, general repairs, etc.....			25,750 00
						As follows :			
						Buildings Owned by the City.			
						Street Cleaning Department, No. 28 Chambers street.			
						Seventy-third Regiment Armory, New York Volunteers, West Seventeenth street.			
						Volunteer Firemen's Headquarters, East Fifty-ninth street.			

Public Administrator, No. 5 Duane street.
Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, No. 49 Beekman street.
Department of Sewers, Department of Water Supply and Department of Health, No. 72 Elm street.

Buildings Leased by the City.

Nos. 8, 10, 12 and 14 Chambers street and Nos. 84, 86 and 88 Park row.
Corporation Yard, foot Rivington street.
Corporation Yard, Fifty-sixth street, Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.
Corporation Yard, No. 427 East Eighty-seventh street.
Pipe Yard, foot East Twenty-fourth street.
Pumping Station, West Ninety-sixth street.
Pumping Station, High Bridge.
Pumping Station, West One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street.
Gate House, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.
Engineer's Office—Department of Water Supply, High Bridge.
Court House, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
Fourth District Municipal Court, First street and Second avenue.
Sixth District Municipal Court, Twenty-third street and Second avenue.
Eighth District Municipal Court, Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue.
Eleventh District Municipal Court, One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue.
Law Department, Tryon row.
Law Department, Bureau of Street Openings, Chambers street and West Broadway.
Law Department, Bureau of Collection of Penalties, No. 119 Nassau street.
Public Administrator, No. 119 Nassau street.
Municipal Civil Service Commission, No. 346 Broadway.
Headquarters National Guard, No. 280 Broadway.
Sheriff's Office, No. 280 Broadway.
Commissioners of Accounts, No. 280 Broadway.
Commissioner of Jurors, No. 280 Broadway.
Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway.
City Chamberlain, No. 280 Broadway.
Receiver of Taxes, No. 280 Broadway.
Collector of Assessments and Arrears, No. 280 Broadway.
Collector of City Revenue and Markets, No. 280 Broadway.
City Paymaster, No. 83 Chambers street.
Department of Taxes and Assessments, No. 280 Broadway.
Department of Taxes and Assessments (Surveyor's Office), No. 51 Chambers street.
Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway.
Coroner's Office, The Bronx, One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and Franklin avenue.
Examining Board of Plumbers, Church street.
Bureau of Municipal Statistics, No. 13 Park Row.
Bureau of Meter Tests, No. 214 East Ninth street.
Board of Public Improvements (President), No. 13 Park Row.
Board of Public Improvements, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Board of Public Improvements, White Plains and Flower avenues.
Board of Public Improvements, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott avenue.
Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, No. 13 Park Row.
Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies (The Bronx), Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Department of Highways, No. 13 Park Row.
Department of Highways, No. 415 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street.
Department of Highways, No. 186 Mulberry street.
Department of Highways, One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and College place.
Department of Highways, Station place, Williamsbridge.
Department of Highways, Park avenue, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets.
Department of Highways, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Department of Sewers, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.
Department of Sewers, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Department of Sewers, No. 567 Mt. Hope place.
Department of Sewers, No. 415 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street.
Department of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.
Department of Street Cleaning, Seventeenth street and Avenue A.
Department of Street Cleaning, No. 534 Willis avenue.
Department of Water Supply, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.
Department of Water Supply, No. 214 West Thirty-first street.
Department of Water Supply, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Department of Water Supply, Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.
Department of Water Supply, Third avenue, One Hundred and Eighty-eighth and One Hundred and Eighty-ninth streets.
Department of Bridges, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.
Department of Bridges, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
President, Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Department of Taxes and Assessments, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Finance Department, Auditor's Office, The Bronx, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Finance Department, Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Bureau, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Finance Department, Receiver of Taxes, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Finance Department, Paymaster's Office, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Deputy City Clerk, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Total for repairs..... \$225,425 00

SUPPLIES TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS, OFFICES, ETC.

Street Signs.....	\$5,000 00
Fuel.....	30,000 00
Ice.....	5,000 00
Clocks—winding, repairing, etc.....	1,200 00
Furniture for public offices, etc.....	24,000 00
Carpets, mats, rugs, linoleum, etc.....	12,000 00
Steam supply, County Court-house.....	8,000 00
Steam supply, City Hall.....	1,800 00
Steam supply, Fourth and Sixth District Municipal Courts.....	800 00
Steam supply, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park.....	2,500 00
Plumbers' Supplies.....	800 00
Lumber for Carpenters.....	3,200 00
Paints, varnish, etc.....	960 00
Hardware for carpenters.....	3,200 00
Law books.....	4,800 00
Typewriters, and repairing to same.....	4,000 00
Directories.....	1,500 00
Supplies for armories.....	25,000 00
Janitors' supplies.....	4,800 00
Stoves, etc.....	600 00
Repairing office furniture.....	2,500 00
Safes, including repairs and moving.....	4,000 00
Electrical supplies.....	2,400 00
Windows awnings.....	2,400 00
Window shades.....	2,000 00
Telephone and electrical services.....	20,000 00
Expressage.....	800 00
Traveling expenses.....	2,000 00
Cleaning windows and doors.....	7,000 00
Welsbach lights and repairs to same.....	20,000 00
Expenses incidental to removing offices and equipment of new offices.....	10,000 00
Total for supplies.....	\$212,260 00

FREE FLOATING BATHS.

Towing 15 baths.....	\$1,000 00
Storage in winter quarters.....	3,500 00
Mooring baths and securing anchors.....	700 00
New pontoons and repairs to old ones.....	7,500 00
Ship carpentering.....	3,000 00
Repairing and painting roofs.....	3,000 00
Painting.....	5,000 00
Traveling expenses.....	800 00
Coal, wood, ice, etc.....	300 00
Lamps and gas fixtures, including repairs.....	1,500 00
Cleaning and bath supplies.....	2,000 00
New pumps and repairs to old ones.....	150 00
Expressage.....	100 00
Lumber, hardware, etc.....	2,200 00
Wharfage.....	3,000 00
Carpenter work on railings and gangways.....	700 00
Total for Free Floating Baths.....	\$34,450 00

Rivington Street Bath (New).

General repairs to bldg., including water, steam, electric plants, etc.....	\$2,000 00
Supplies—	
Fuel.....	4,500 00
Ice.....	200 00
Window shades and awnings.....	150 00
Office and other furniture.....	250 00
Telephone services.....	250 00
Janitor's, cleaner's, and engineer's supplies.....	400 00
Gas and electric lighting.....	10,100 00
Sundry items not included in above.....	100 00
Total for Rivington Street Bath.....	\$17,950 00

SUMMARY.

Repairs, etc., to public buildings.....	\$225,425 00
Supplies, etc., to public buildings.....	212,260 00
Repairs, etc., to Free Floating Baths.....	34,450 00
Repairs, etc., to Rivington Street Bath (New).....	2,000 00
Supplies to Rivington Street Bath (New).....	15,950 00
Grand total.....	\$490,085 00

LAMPS AND LIGHTING.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$1,368,466 20
Appropriation for 1900.....	1,310,000 00
Increase.....	\$58,466 20

The increase of \$58,466.20 is required as follows ;
Required for 1901 for lighting as it existed September 1, 1900..... \$1,322,428 50
Available for 1900..... 1,310,000 00
Increase of cost for 1901 of lighting as it existed September 1, 1900..... \$12,428 50

51 additional gas lamps, at \$17.50.....	\$892 50
66 additional gas lamps, at \$24.....	1,584 00
100 additional gas lamps, at \$28.....	2,800 00
40 additional electric lights, at 40 cents.....	5,840 00
8 additional electric lights, at 45 cents.....	1,312 00
Total increase for 1901.....	\$12,428 50

Extension of gas and naphtha lighting, 1901, 620 lamps, average six months..... 7,137 70
Extension of electric lighting, 1901, 50 lamps, average six months..... 3,700 00
Additional for 1,000 Welsbachs, at \$20 each..... 20,000 00
Additional for 500 naphthas, at \$22 each..... 11,000 00
For fitting up 520 additional gas lamps..... 4,200 00
Total increase for 1901..... \$58,466 20

CONTINGENCIES.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$1,500 00
Appropriation for 1900.....	1,500 00

This appropriation is required to pay for postage, telegraphing, and other minor and incidental expenses.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SALARIES OF DEPUTY, CLERKS AND EMPLOYEES.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$192,646 00
Appropriation for 1900.....	\$170,000 00
Transferred from "Supplies and Repairs".....	4,310 88
Increase.....	\$18,335 12

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Kirwin, James J.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00		
Richards, William W.....	Secretary.....	2,000 00	2,000 00		
Chambers, William.....	Bookkeeper.....	1,800 00	1,800 00		
Mundy, Ed. M., Jr.....	Stenographer.....	1,400 00	1,400 00		
Dunne, James P.....	".....	1,400 00	1,400 00		
Gill, Timothy.....	Messenger.....	900 00	900 00		
<i>Bureau of Public Buildings—Care and Maintenance.</i>					
White, E. S.....	Assistant Engineer.....	3,000 00	3,000 00		
Elcock, George S.....	Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00		
King, Amos P.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00		
Story, S. B.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
Hamilton, Joseph F.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Griffith, Walter R.....	Draughtsman.....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
Tice, George, Jr.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00		
Thompson, E. M. G.....	Inspector of Construction of Buildings.....	1,400 00	1,400 00		
Weeks, Wash. W.....	Inspector of Construction of Buildings.....	1,300 00	1,300 00		
Gavey, C. P.....	Inspector of Supplies.....	1,300 00	1,300 00		
Wellwood, William.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00		
Fielding, Walter D.....	Inspector of Fuel.....	1,300 00	1,300 00		
O'Connor, Lawrence.....	Inspector of Public Buildings.....	1,200 00	1,200 00		

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.	NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Harmon, John F.	Inspector of Public Buildings.	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00	.....	.....	<i>Bureau of Electricity and Gas.</i>					
Conklin, William B.	Messenger.	720 00	900 00	\$180 00	.....	Wynkoop, H. S.	Inspector of Gas and Electricity.	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	.....	.....
Clancy, Michael J.	Chief Engineer, Court-house.	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....	Deatly, William H.	Clerk.	600 00	1,000 00	\$400 00	.....
Brady, John.	Engineer, Court-house.	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	Cholet, Leon.	Inspector of Electric Conductors.	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Shevlin, Patrick.	"	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	O'Neil, Ed. J.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
O'Donnell, Robert.	"	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	Boudreau, Thomas J.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Thomas, Ed. J.	Engineer, Hall of Records.	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	Sullivan, Ed.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
McKenny, Matthew.	"	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	Byrne, Harry.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Bacon, James F.	"	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	Cassidy, Nicholas.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Brundage, John.	Engineer, Kings County Jail.	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	Joyce, Frank.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Rhatigan, James.	"	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	Collins, Michael H.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
*Vacant.	1 Engineer, Kings County Jail.	.....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	Quigley, Joseph M.	Inspector of Overhead Wiring.	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
Sullivan, John.	Engineer, Borough Hall.	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	{ To restore salaries of Boiler Engineers to \$1,200 per annum, 14 at \$100 each. } { To equalize salaries of Female Cleaners with those paid in Manhattan, 85 at \$60 each. }					
Franklin, John F.	"	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	Total.		\$175,122 00	\$192,546 00	\$19,684 00	\$2,160 00
McLoughlin, Alexander.	Engineer, Municipal Building.	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	Net increase.		.....	.....	\$17,524 00	.....
Collins, John.	"	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	*Positions vacant at present, but required to be filled:					
Dibbins, Thomas H.	"	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	1 Engineer, Kings County Jail.				\$1,100 00	
Martin, Thomas.	Janitor, Kings County Court-house.	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....	.....	1 Janitor, Borough Hall.				1,500 00	
*Vacant.	1 Janitor, Borough Hall.	.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	1 Janitor, First District Municipal Court.				600 00	
Lawler, John.	Janitor, Municipal Building.	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....	1 Janitor, Second District Municipal Court.				600 00	
Buchanan, George N.	Janitor, Hall of Records.	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....	1 Janitor, Third District Municipal Court.				700 00	
Doner, James C.	Assistant Janitor, Kings County Court-house.	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	1 Janitor, Fifth District Municipal Court.				700 00	
Mahon, James.	Assistant Janitor, Kings County Court-house.	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.					
Feeder, Adolph H.	Janitor, First District Magistrate's Court.	600 00	600 00	.....	.....	SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.					
Keenan, Margaret.	Janitress, Second District Magistrate's Court.	600 00	600 00	.....	.....	Departmental estimate for 1901.				\$234,075 00	
Kelly, Sarah.	Janitress, Third District Magistrate's Court.	600 00	600 00	.....	.....	Appropriation for 1900.				\$140,000 00	
Flood, Henry.	Janitor, Fifth District Magistrate's Court.	700 00	700 00	.....	.....	Transferred from Redemption of City Debt, 1900.				9,500 00	
Dixon, Lavinia.	Janitress, Sixth District Magistrate's Court.	600 00	600 00	.....	.....	Transferred from Redemption of City Debt, 1900.				2,900 00	
Forman, James N.	Janitor, Seventh District Magistrate's Court.	700 00	700 00	.....	.....					\$152,400 00	
*Vacant.	1 Janitor, First District Municipal Court.	.....	600 00	600 00	.....	Transferred to "Salaries of Deputy, etc."				4,310 88	
"	1 Janitor, Second District Municipal Court.	.....	600 00	600 00	.....	Increase.				148,089 12	
"	1 Janitor, Third District Municipal Court.	.....	700 00	700 00	.....					\$85,985 88	
Fitzgerald, Martin J.	Janitor, Fourth District Municipal Court.	600 00	700 00	100 00	.....	REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.					
*Vacant.	1 Janitor, Fifth District Municipal Court.	.....	700 00	700 00	.....	Municipal Building.				\$30,600 00	
Gettins, John.	Keeper, Floating Baths.	800 00	1,277 50	477 50	.....	Borough Hall.				17,150 00	
10 Bath Attendants, at \$12.50 (they now receive \$8.00 each).		8,000 00	9,125 00	1,125 00	.....	Kings County Court-house.				22,200 00	
5 Bath Attendants, at \$9.25. (they now receive at rate of \$1 a day.)		625 00	1,250 00	625 00	.....	Hall of Records.				4,325 00	
3 Watchmen, Floating Baths, at \$720.		2,160 00	.....	.....	\$2,160 00	Kings County Jail.				14,250 00	
4 Watchmen, Public Buildings, at \$730.		2,920 00	2,920 00	.....	.....	Municipal Court Buildings (5).				2,500 00	
6 Watchmen, Public Buildings, at \$720.		4,320 00	4,320 00	.....	.....	Magistrates' Court Buildings (8).				4,000 00	
6 Elevator Conductors, at \$780.		4,680 00	4,680 00	.....	.....	Firemen's Hall, E. D.				500 00	
2 Firemen, at \$780.		1,560 00	1,560 00	.....	.....	Storehouse, P. B., L. & S.				1,000 00	
2 Masons, at \$1,252.		2,504 00	2,504 00	.....	.....	Administration Building, Wallabout Market.				500 00	
1 Carpenter.		1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	.....	Disciplinary Training School.				21,050 00	
2 Toolmen, at \$720.		1,440 00	1,440 00	.....	.....	5 Public Baths.				15,050 00	
1 Stableman.		720 00	720 00	.....	.....	7 Free Public Libraries.				6,200 00	
1 Driver.		900 00	900 00	.....	.....	9 new branches for 1901.				10,000 00	
2 Drivers, at \$720.		1,440 00	1,440 00	.....	.....					\$149,395 00	
2 Foremen—Laborers, at \$720.		1,440 00	1,440 00	.....	.....	SUPPLIES TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.					
1 Laborer.		730 00	730 00	.....	.....	Public buildings.				\$25,000 00	
3 Laborers, at \$720.		2,160 00	2,160 00	.....	.....	Jail supplies.				10,000 00	
1 Keeper, W. C., Borough Hall.		780 00	780 00	.....	.....	Coal.				15,000 00	
1 Keeper, W. C., Court-house.		730 00	730 00	.....	.....	Telephone service.				12,500 00	
5 Cleaners (male), at \$730.		3,650 00	3,650 00	.....	.....	Horse keep, wagons, etc.				5,000 00	
5 Cleaners (male), at \$720.		3,600 00	3,600 00	.....	.....	Insurance.				750 00	
1 Cleaner.		626 00	626 00	.....	.....	Contingencies.				15,000 00	
2 Cleaners (female), at \$360.		720 00	720 00	.....	.....					83,250 00	
85 Cleaners (female), at \$300.		25,500 00	25,500 00	.....	.....	For purchase and erection of headstones over the graves of deceased veterans.				1,500 00	
<i>Wallabout Market Cleaning.</i>						NOTE—Previously appropriated in error to the Charities Department.					
4 Horses and carts, with drivers, at \$939.		3,756 00	3,756 00	.....	.....	Total for supplies and repairs, etc.				\$234,075 00	
1 Foreman of Laborers.		786 00	900 00	114 00	.....	SUMMARY.					
1 Driver.		720 00	720 00	.....	.....	Total for repairs.				\$149,325 00	
3 Laborers, at \$720.		2,160 00	2,160 00	.....	.....	Total for supplies.				83,250 00	
<i>Bureau of Public Lighting.</i>						Total for purchase, etc., of headstones to be placed over graves of deceased veterans.				1,500 00	
Allen, Austin E.	Assistant Engineer.	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....	.....	Grand total.				\$234,075 00	
Lansing, Charles H., Jr.	Clerk.	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....	LAMPS AND LIGHTING.					
Tucker, James D.	"	600 00	1,000 00	400 00	.....	Departmental Estimate for 1901.				\$978,371 90	
Moran, Anthony J.	Inspector of Gas and Electricity.	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....	Appropriation for 1900.				914,000 00	
Curran, Peter J.	Inspector of Lamps and Gas.	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	Increase.				\$64,371 90	
Bussing, John F.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	The increase of \$64,371.90 over the estimate of 1900 is required as follows:					
Dickinson, Ed. T.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	Required for 1901 for lighting as it existed July 23, 1900.				\$926,871 90	
Burns, John L.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	Appropriation for 1900.				914,000 00	
Walker, John W.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	Increase of cost for 1901 as existed July 23, 1900.				\$12,871 90	
Sinnott, Joseph.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	Extension of electric lighting.				30,000 00	
Tierney, James J.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	Extension of gas lighting.				10,000 00	
Hillbert, John J.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	Change of 4,000 gaslights to Welsbachs.				6,000 00	
1 Tinsmith.		1,075 00	1,075 00	.....	.....	Lanterns, frames, domes, globes, canopies, etc.				3,000 00	
1 Painter.		1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....	Street signs.				2,500 00	
						Total increase over 1900.				\$64,371 90	
						CONTINGENCIES.					
						Departmental Estimate for 1901.				\$1,500 00	
						Appropriation for 1900.				1,000 00	
						Increase.				\$500 00	
						BOROUGH OF QUEENS.					
						SALARIES OF DEPUTY CLERKS AND EMPLOYEES.					
						Departmental Estimate for 1901.				\$40,820 00	
						Appropriation for 1900.				37,140 00	
						Increase.				\$3,680 00	

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.
<i>Deputy Commissioner's Office.</i>				
Fowler, Joel.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00	.....
Everitt, William E.....	Chief Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....
Hitzel, Aldro F.....	Secretary.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....
Loulen, Thomas J.....	Private Secretary.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
Kiesel, William M.....	Typewriter.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
.....	Permit Clerk.....	.....	1,000 00	\$1,000 00
<i>Bureau of Public Buildings—Care and Maintenance.</i>				
.....	Inspector of Buildings.....	.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Flaherty, Henry J.....	Carpenter.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Smith, James W.....	Janitor.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Baker, Joseph.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
O'Rourke, James.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
Zeiler, George.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Guptill, Henry A.....	".....	600 00	1,000 00	400 00
Collins, Charles.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
Ryder, Alexander.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
Mangan, James.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
* Vacant.....	1 Stoker.....	.....	600 00	600 00
.....	2 Cleaners (male), at \$600 each.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
.....	4 Cleaners (female), at \$420 each.....	1,680 00	1,680 00	.....
<i>Bureau of Electricity.</i>				
Godley, Richard D.....	Engineer, Lighting and Electricity.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Burke, Joseph H.....	Chief Inspector of Electrical Conductors.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Vought, George W.....	Inspector of Electrical Conductors.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Starke, Louis H.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Doremus, Amzi N.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Modes, Aug. F.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Weeks, Richard D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Keogan, Patrick J.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Dooley, William B.....	Lineman.....	1,320 00	1,320 00	.....
<i>County Buildings.</i>				
Pye, Dennis R.....	Engineer and Electrician.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
McDougall, John.....	Watchman.....	600 00	600 00	.....
.....	2 Cleaners (female), at \$350 each.....	720 00	720 00	.....
Kavanagh, J. C.....	Janitor.....	920 00	920 00	.....
Conroy, Margaret.....	Janitress.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
.....	1 Fireman.....	800 00	800 00	.....
* Vacant.....	2 Stokers, at \$800 each.....	.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
Total.....		\$36,220 00	\$40,820 00	\$4,600 00

*Positions vacant at present, but required to be filled in winter:

1 Stoker.....	\$600 00
2 Stokers, County Buildings, at \$800 each.....	1,600 00

SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$40,000 00
Appropriation for 1900.....	35,000 00
Increase.....	\$5,000 00

This appropriation is required to pay for the necessary repairs and alterations, furnishing supplies, etc., to the public buildings, including the county offices, etc., as follows:

Repairs—Exterior and interior decorations, plumbing, steam, etc., buildings.....	\$16,000 00
Fuel—About 1800 tons of coal at \$4.50 per ton.....	8,100 00
Telephones.....	1,300 00
Furniture.....	3,500 00
Carpets.....	900 00
Janitors' supplies.....	1,200 00
Hardware.....	400 00
Electrical supplies—Lamps, wiring, etc.....	850 00
Miscellaneous—including supplies and repairs, livery, ice, lumber, disinfectant, water, fitting up offices, etc.....	7,750 00
Total.....	\$40,000 00

The increase of \$5,000 over the appropriation for 1900 is needed for the maintenance, care and repairs to the Municipal and County Buildings.

LAMPS AND LIGHTING.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$374,944 21
Appropriation for 1900.....	355,000 00
Increase.....	\$19,944 21

The increase of \$19,944.21 over the estimate for 1900 is required to provide for additional lighting, as follows:

First Ward—	
45 arc lamps, at \$135.....	\$5,850 00
Second Ward—	
40 gas lamps, at \$25.....	1,000 00
20 arc lamps, at \$111.32.....	2,226 40
Third Ward—	
30 Welsbach gas lamps, at \$31.50.....	945 00
15 arc lamps, at \$111.32.....	1,669 80
Fourth Ward—	
40 gas lamps, at \$18.50.....	740 00
30 Welsbach gas lamps, at \$30.....	900 00
15 arc lamps, at \$100.....	1,500 00
Fifth Ward—	
20 naphtha gas lamps, at \$30.....	600 00
15 arc lamps, at \$124.....	1,860 00
Public Buildings, including County Offices.....	2,653 01
Total.....	\$19,944 21

CONTINGENCIES.	
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$1,200 00
Appropriation for 1900.....	500 00
Increase.....	\$700 00

The above increase is absolutely necessary, as \$85 for traveling expenses for Inspectors and \$15 for postage, expressage, etc., are required each month.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

SALARIES OF DEPUTY, CLERKS, ETC.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$21,272 00
Appropriation for 1900.....	13,080 00
Increase.....	\$8,192 00

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY IN 1900.	SALARY IN 1901.	INCREASE.
<i>Deputy Commissioner's Office.</i>				
Miller, Edward I.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00	.....
Driscoll, John A.....	Chief Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,200 00	\$200 00
Garretson, J. L.....	Private Secretary.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
<i>Bureau of Public Buildings—Care and Maintenance.</i>				
O'Mara, Hubert.....	Foreman of Cleaners.....	900 00	1,000 00	100 00
Pfaff, Henry.....	".....	900 00	1,000 00	100 00
Haley, Daniel F.....	".....	780 00	1,000 00	220 00
McCormack, Thomas.....	".....	720 00	1,000 00	280 00
.....	2 Foremen of Cleaners, at \$500 each.....	.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Davis, Elizabeth.....	Janitress.....	480 00	600 00	120 00
.....	1 Fireman.....	.....	900 00	900 00
.....	2 Laborers, at \$625 each.....	.....	1,250 00	1,250 00
.....	6 Cleaners, at \$480 each.....	.....	2,880 00	2,880 00
<i>Bureau of Lighting and Electricity.</i>				
Sheridan, George.....	Chief Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Van Vechten, Hammond.....	Inspector of Exterior Wiring.....	780 00	960 00	180 00
Gillies, John D.....	".....	780 00	960 00	180 00
Foley, John J.....	".....	780 00	960 00	180 00
McDavitt, Bernard.....	".....	780 00	960 00	180 00
Total.....		\$13,300 00	\$21,272 00	\$7,972 00

SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$29,100 00
Appropriation for 1900.....	15,000 00
Increase.....	\$14,100 00

This appropriation is required for repairs and supplies as follows:

Furniture.....	\$15,000 00
Fuel.....	1,100 00
Safes.....	1,000 00
Typewriters.....	500 00
Carpets.....	1,500 00
Janitors' supplies.....	250 00
Hardware.....	200 00
Carpenter work and material.....	1,750 00
Mason work and material.....	1,750 00
Painting work and material.....	1,800 00
Miscellaneous work and material.....	1,000 00
Telephone service.....	3,000 00
Ice.....	100 00
Toilet supplies.....	150 00
Total.....	\$29,100 00

LAMPS AND LIGHTING.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$150,000 00
Appropriation for 1900.....	118,528 75
Increase.....	\$31,471 25

The appropriation for 1900 was not sufficient to maintain the number of lamps burning on present basis, and to meet the appropriation 625 lights were discontinued.

CONTINGENCIES.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$500 00
Appropriation for 1900.....	500 00

Statement of Appropriations for 1900, with Transfers and Departmental Estimate for 1901.

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION.	AMOUNT.	AMOUNT OF TRANSFERS.	TOTAL OF APPROPRIATIONS WITH TRANSFERS.	DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
<i>Salaries—General Administration.</i>				
Salaries of Commissioner, Secretary, etc.....	\$25,200 00	.....	\$25,200 00	\$25,500 00
<i>Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.</i>				
Salaries of Deputies, Clerks, etc.....	403,715 00	\$11,146 00	392,569 00	468,425 85
Transfer to Department of Health.....	\$11,146 00	.....	.....	.....
Supplies and Repairs.....	279,520 00	.....	279,520 00	490,085 00
Lamps and Lighting.....	1,310,000 00	.....	1,310,000 00	1,368,466 20
Contingencies.....	1,500 00	.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
<i>Borough of Brooklyn.</i>				
Salaries of Deputy, Clerks, etc.....	170,000 00	4,310 88	174,310 88	192,646 00
Transfer from "Supplies and Repairs".....	\$4,310 88	.....	.....	.....

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION.	AMOUNT.	AMOUNT OF TRANSFERS.	TOTAL OF APPROPRIATIONS WITH TRANSFERS.	DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Supplies and Repairs.....	\$140,000 00	\$8,089 12	\$148,089 12	\$234,075 00
Transfer from "Redemption of the City Debt," to provide for necessary changes to be made in the office of the Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.....	\$9,500 00			
To provide for the construction of bridge, fire escape and changing window bars on the Women's Prison of Kings County Jail.....	\$2,900 00			
	\$12,400 00			
Transfer to "Salaries of Deputy, Clerks, etc.".....	\$4,310 88			
	\$8,089 12			
Lamps and Lighting.....	914,000 00		914,000 00	978,371 90
Contingencies.....	1,000 00		1,000 00	1,500 00
<i>Borough of Queens.</i>				
Salaries of Deputy and Employees.....	37,140 00		37,140 00	40,820 00
Supplies and Repairs.....	35,000 00		35,000 00	40,000 00
Lamps and Lighting.....	355,000 00		355,000 00	374,944 21
Contingencies.....	500 00		500 00	1,200 00
<i>Borough of Richmond.</i>				
Salaries of Deputy and Employees.....	13,080 00		13,080 00	21,272 00
Supplies and Repairs.....	15,000 00		15,000 00	29,100 00
Lamps and Lighting.....	118,528 75		118,528 75	150,000 00
Contingencies.....	500 00		500 00	500 00
Total.....			\$3,820,937 75	\$4,418,406 16

RECAPITULATION.

Salaries—General Administration.

Salaries of Commissioner, Secretary, etc..... \$25,500 00

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Salaries of Deputies, Clerks, etc..... \$468,425 85
Supplies and repairs..... 490,085 00
Lamps and lighting..... 1,368,466 20
Contingencies..... 1,500 00

Borough of Brooklyn.

Salaries of Deputy, Clerks, etc..... \$192,646 00
Supplies and repairs..... 234,075 00
Lamps and lighting..... 978,371 90
Contingencies..... 1,500 00

Borough of Queens.

Salaries of Deputy and Employees..... \$40,820 00
Supplies and repairs..... 40,000 00
Lamps and lighting..... 374,944 21
Contingencies..... 1,200 00

Borough of Richmond.

Salaries of Deputy and Employees..... \$21,272 00
Supplies and repairs..... 29,100 00
Lamps and lighting..... 150,000 00
Contingencies..... 500 00

Total..... \$4,418,406 16

Very respectfully,
HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner.

No. 1464.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, September 4, 1900.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk of the Municipal Assembly:

SIR—In compliance with section 226, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and the Comptroller's circular letter, dated July 2, 1900, I have the honor to transmit herewith copy of Departmental Estimate of the amount of money which will be required to conduct the business of the Fire Department for the year 1901.

Yours respectfully,
J. J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR 1901.

FOR SALARIES.

Headquarters' Pay-roll.

(Sections 720 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY-ROLL OF AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Commissioner.....	John J. Scannell.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00
Secretary.....	Augustus T. Docharty.....	4,800 00	4,800 00
Assistant Secretary.....	John R. Shields.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Bookkeeper.....	Gustavus L. Jewell.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
Examiner of Accounts.....	Anthony Eickhoff.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Private Secretary.....	Keeffe S. O'Keeffe.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Purchasing Agent.....	James F. Reilly.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
Contract Clerk.....	Claude A. Wanzor.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Medical Officer.....	E. Benjamin Ramsdell.....	2,000 00	2,500 00
".....	Frederick A. Lyons.....	2,000 00	2,500 00

Medical Officer.....	Francis M. Banta.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,500 00
Cashier.....	Joseph Katzenstein.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Clerk.....	William H. Hart.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
".....	Henry C. Clark.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
".....	David Graham.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
Stenographer and Typewriter...	George A. Perley.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
".....	Charles A. Bauer.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Draughtsman and Mapmaker...	George S. Pentz.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Weighmaster.....			1,500 00
Storekeeper.....			1,800 00
Assistant Storekeeper.....	Frank McCaffrey.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Driver.....	John T. Mayers.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Peter Gilmore.....	912 00	912 00
Engineer.....	John Snyder.....	1,400 00	1,400 00
Stoker.....	William H. Corsa.....	912 00	912 00
".....	George O'Dell.....	912 00	912 00
".....	Roger Nixon.....	912 00	912 00
Night Watchman.....	William Gleeson.....	1,100 00	1,100 00
Watchman.....	Andrew Connor.....	1,100 00	1,100 00
Elevator Attendant.....	Andrew Klug, \$75 per month.....	900 00	900 00
".....	Patrick H. Moran, \$2.50 per day, 365 days.....	912 50	912 50
".....	days....., \$2.50 per day, 365 days.....		912 50
Cleaner.....	Bernard P. McNally, \$2.50 per day, 365 days.....	912 50	912 50
".....	Mary L. O'Rourke, \$3 per day, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
Laborer.....	James W. Redmond, \$5 per day, 365 days.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
".....	Frederick C. Day, \$2 per day, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
Scrubwoman.....	Marcella Coughlin, \$25 per month.....	300 00	300 00
".....	Mary E. Herrick, \$25 per month.....	300 00	300 00
		\$61,628 00	\$67,340 50

Appropriation for 1900, \$63,970.50.

Increase due to the reinstatement, by order of the Supreme Court, of the Assistant Secretary (which position was abolished April 1, 1898), and to rearrangement of compensation of employees.

In the case of the three medical officers an increase of salary of \$500 each is asked for the ensuing year, as their duties are laborious and exacting, and are analogous to those of Police Surgeons, who receive \$3,000 per annum.

The position of First Assistant Bookkeeper, for which an appropriation of \$2,500 was allowed for the year 1900, has been abolished.

The increased allowance asked for the Headquarters roll for 1901 is but \$3,370, of which the sum of \$3,000 is to pay the salary of the Assistant Secretary, reinstated by the Supreme Court, as above-mentioned, and therefore mandatory.

Bureau Chief of Department Pay-roll.

(Sections 727, 728, 740 and 753 of the Greater New York Charter.)

Chief of Department.....	Edward F. Croker.....	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00
Deputy Chief of Department....	Charles D. Purroy.....	4,200 00	4,200 00
".....	William Duane.....	4,200 00	4,200 00
".....	Thomas J. Ahearn.....	4,200 00	4,200 00
Chief of Battalion.....	Charles W. Kruger.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	Joseph B. Martin.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	Eugene F. Terpeny.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	William Guerin.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	Thomas Lally.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	John J. Burns.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	Frederick W. Gooderson, Jr.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	George L. Ross.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	John Binns.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	Timothy J. Bresnan.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	Richard W. Callaghan.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	John J. Cashman.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	John Welsh.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	Peter H. Short.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	James J. McCartney.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....	Joseph Shea.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
".....			3,300 00
Chief Instructor.....	Henry W. McAdams.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
Chief of Construction and Repairs to Apparatus.....	Patrick F. Ryan.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
Clerk.....			2,000 00
".....	Michael Reidy.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Bookkeeper.....	Joseph McGrade.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter...	Saul J. Rosenthal.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
		\$82,500 00	\$87,800 00

Appropriation for 1900, \$84,500.

Increase due to the necessity of making provision for an additional Chief of Battalion (at a salary of \$3,300 per annum), for a new battalion to be organized in the Borough of The Bronx, and to be composed of certain companies now in the 14th and 15th Battalions, which include so large an area as to render the creation of a new battalion district in said territory eminently desirable.

Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll.
(Sections 727 and 740 of the Greater New York Charter.)

		ALLOWED FOR 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
For present force, 1900:	For present force, 1901:		
105 Foremen.....	105 Foremen, \$2,160 each.....	\$226,800 00	\$226,800 00

		ALLOWED FOR 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
110 Assistant Foremen.....	110 Assistant Foremen, \$1,800 each.....	\$189,000 00	\$198,000 00
160 Engineers.....	160 Engineers, \$1,600 each.....	249,600 00	256,000 00
650 Firemen, 1st grade.....	650 Firemen, 1st grade, \$1,400 each.....	980,000 00	910,000 00
116 Firemen, 2d grade.....	116 Firemen, 2d grade, \$1,200 each.....	139,200 00	139,200 00
145 Firemen, 3d grade.....	145 Firemen, 3d grade, \$1,000 each.....	145,000 00	145,000 00
109 Fireman, 4th grade.....	109 Firemen, 4th grade, \$800 each.....	87,200 00	87,200 00
5 Pilots.....	5 Pilots, \$1,500 each.....	7,500 00	7,500 00
17 Stokers.....	17 Stokers, \$912.50 each.....	15,512 50	15,512 50
1 Ununiformed Acting Engineer.....	1 Ununiformed Acting Engineer, \$1,400 each.....	1,400 00	1,400 00
5 Ununiformed Acting Engineers.....	5 Ununiformed Acting Engineers, \$1,400 each.....	7,000 00	7,000 00
		\$1,935,412 50	\$1,992,212 50
For advancement of Firemen from 3d and 4th grades to 2d and 3d grades, respectively (see section 740, chapter 378, Laws of 1897).	For advancement of Firemen from 2d, 3d and 4th grades to 1st, 2d and 3d grades, respectively (see section 740, chapter 378, Laws of 1897).	34,500 00	51,415 00
		\$1,969,912 50	\$2,043,627 50
	For the purpose of organizing one new company at One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Prospect avenue (1 Foreman, 1 Assistant Foreman, 2 Engineers, 10 4th grade Firemen); also to change Hook and Ladder Companies Nos. 14 and 21 and Engine Company No. 53 from single to double companies (3 Assistant Foremen, 2 Engineers, 30 4th grade Firemen):		
	1 Foreman.....		2,100 00
	4 Assistant Foremen, \$1,800 each.....		7,200 00
	4 Engineers, \$1,600 each.....		6,400 00
	40 Firemen, 4th grade, \$800 each.....		32,000 00
		\$1,969,912 50	\$2,097,387 50
	For 8 Pump Engineers for fireboats, \$1,600 each.....		12,800 00
	1 Engineer for searchlight engine.....		1,600 00
		\$1,969,912 50	\$2,105,787 50

Appropriation for 1900, \$1,969,912.50.
The increased total asked for the ensuing year is explained as follows:
The increase asked for present force for 1901 and for advancement in grade of Firemen is mandatory. This accounts for \$73,715 of the increase asked.
The new house at One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Prospect avenue will shortly be completed and it will be necessary to equip the same with an adequate working force.
The two Hook and Ladder Companies and the Engine Company which it is desired to change to double companies are located in sections of the City which need increased protection.
The reason for asking for 8 Pump Engineers for the Fireboats is that the engine-room and the pump-room are located in different parts of the boat, and that when the Engineer is in the latter room attending to the working of the pumps, and it is necessary to move the boat in answer to a signal from the commanding officer, delay and danger arise; it is to obviate this trouble in the future that this allowance is asked.
The Department has recently acquired a searchlight engine which has proven of great advantage at fires, and an allowance of \$1,600 is asked to provide for the appointment of a regular Engineer to run the same.

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY-ROLL OF AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
<i>Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.</i> (Sections 727 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)			
Inspector of Combustibles.....	George E. Murray.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Clerk.....	James J. Carroll.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
".....	".....		1,200 00
Oil Surveyor.....	William S. Purdy.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Surveyor.....	Thomas H. Robertson.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Nicholas Moore.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Charles Cook.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	David Kraus.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	S. Wesley Smith.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	J. Graham McLochlin.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	William J. De Courcy.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Charles W. Eidt.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Oil Collector.....	John Arbuthnot.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	George H. Bailey.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Owen Eagan.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Albert W. Baillie.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	James F. Tierney.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Samuel Hodgkinson.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Edwin F. Horne.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Franz S. Wolf.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
		\$24,200 00	25,400 00
Appropriation for 1900, \$25,400.			

<i>Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.</i> (Sections 725 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)			
Fire Marshal.....	Peter Seery.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Assistant Fire Marshal.....	Thomas B. McGuire.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
".....	James H. Lestrangle.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
".....	John J. Clarke.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
".....	Herman W. de Malignon.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	Albert W. Orr.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	Samuel B. Willis.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	John P. Prial.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	John McGough.....	1,500 00	1,500 00

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY-ROLL OF AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR AMOUNT PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Bookkeeper.....	Louis O. Winckelbach.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	Josie L. McKeown.....	900 00	900 00
Interpreter.....	".....		1,500 00
		\$18,700 00	\$20,200 00
Appropriation for 1900, \$18,700.			

Increase due to the necessity of providing for the employment of an Interpreter, the Fire Marshal reporting that in the work of investigating the origin of many fires in sections where the people speak little or no English, his labors have been seriously retarded in consequence of not having at his command the services of such an employee.

Fire-alarm Telegraph Branch Pay-roll.
(Sections 725 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)

Chief Operator.....	George Farrell.....	\$2,250 00	\$2,250 00
Operator.....	Edward S. Sims.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	Edward Sellow.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	Christopher Jones.....	1,380 00	1,380 00
".....	Philip C. Ahearn.....	1,380 00	1,380 00
".....	James M. Jones.....	1,380 00	1,380 00
".....	Reuben Bouton.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	".....		1,500 00
".....	".....		1,500 00
".....	".....		1,500 00
Assistant Operator.....	Frank D. Collis.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Winfield H. Snyder.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Daniel C. Donohue.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Albert B. Lamberson.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Thomas J. Cusack.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Patrick Boggin.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	".....		1,200 00
".....	".....		1,200 00
Clerk.....	George A. Teller.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Batteryman.....	James J. Woodbridge.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Frank Cafferty.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Frank Timon.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Assistant Batteryman.....	Samuel F. Pease.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Instrument Maker.....	Charles Woolnough.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Thomas Meffort.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Machinist.....	Charles J. Schurbeck.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Inspector Fire-alarm Boxes.....	William Mundell.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Andrew Cole.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	John J. Donnelly.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Foremen of Linemen.....	Timothy Clancy.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Lineman.....	John J. Coffin.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Joseph McNally.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	John Sheehan.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	John Cawley.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	John McCarthy.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Simon A. Pregonzer.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	".....		1,000 00
Climber.....	Patrick Mullen.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	James O'Hare.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Edward Mullins.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Thomas Fitzpatrick.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Jacob Bernzott.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
".....	James Kurtz, \$3 per diem, 365 days.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
".....	Henry Nelson, \$2.50 per diem, 365 days.....	912 50	912 50
Cable Splicer.....	Joseph E. Cuff.....	1,460 00	1,460 00
".....	Henry C. Derr, \$3.50 per diem, 365 days.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
".....	James L. Wallace, \$3 per diem, 365 days.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
".....	"....., \$3 per diem, 365 days.....		1,095 00
Painter.....	Joseph T. Allen, \$2.50 per diem, (prevailing rate, \$3.50 per diem), 365 days.....	912 50	1,277 50
Driver.....	Andrew J. Kehoe, \$2.50 per diem, 365 days.....	912 50	912 50
".....	Le Grand Singleton, \$76 per month.....	912 00	912 00
Mason.....	Charles E. Schultz, \$3 per diem, 365 d.ys.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Groundman.....	Peter Brenner, \$2 per diem, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
".....	Michael Gormley, \$2 per diem, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
".....	Thomas F. Brock, \$2 per diem, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
".....	John J. Nanry, \$2 per diem, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
".....	Robert Burlinson, \$2 per diem, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
".....	Michael Walsh, \$2 per diem, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
".....	Joseph C. Dorr, \$2 per diem, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
".....	"....., \$2 per diem, 365 days.....		730 00
Stableman.....	John Jordan, \$2 per diem, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
		\$57,779 50	69,069 50

Appropriation for 1900, \$59,239.50.
Increase due to additional force of operators, assistant operators, etc., required for the proposed new central station in the Borough of The Bronx.

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY-ROLL OF AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.			ESTIMATE AS PER PAY-ROLL OF AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR AMOUNT PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Repair Shops Pay-roll. (Sections 725 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)							
Receiver of Supplies.....	Martin J. Waters.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00	Driver.....	Bernard M. Roche, \$76 per month.	\$912 00	\$912 00
Clerk.....	Warren C. Bennett.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	Watchman.....	Patrick McNally, \$2.50 per diem, 365 days.....	912 50	912 50
".....	George McArdle.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	".....	365 days.....	912 50	912 50
Foreman.....	Edward J. Moore, \$5 per diem, 304 days.....	1,520 00	1,520 00	Laborer.....	James McCauley, \$3 per diem, 304 days.....	912 00	912 00
Engineer.....	Thomas Bagley, \$100 per month.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	".....	John Noe, \$3 per diem, 304 days.....	912 00	912 00
Foreman Machinist.....	Peter Martin, \$4 per diem, 304 days.....	1,216 00	1,216 00	".....	John Dineen, \$2 per diem, 304 days.....	608 00	608 00
Machinist.....	William D. Hallenbeck, \$4 per diem, 304 days.....	1,216 00	1,216 00	Elevator Attendant.....	William Fisher, \$2.50 per diem, 304 days.....	760 00	760 00
".....	Louis Manns, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00			\$78,631 50	\$83,496 00
".....	William H. Colwell, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Appropriation for 1900, \$77,348.50. Increase due to additions to the mechanical force which the annual growth of the Department renders necessary, and to the reinstatement, by order of the Supreme Court, of two discharged Drivers.			
".....	Hiram S. Williams, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Hospital and Training Stables Pay-roll. (Sections 725 and 728 Greater New York Charter.)			
".....	Werner Von Munchausen, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Trainer and Driver.....	James McGoldrick.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00
".....	John H. Langstine, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	".....	David J. Curley.....	1,100 00	1,100 00
".....	John Miller, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Driver.....	Charles Kaiser.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	Clarence G. Adams, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	".....	George F. Foshay.....	912 00	912 00
".....	John J. Keelon, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	".....	Martin Joyce.....	912 00	912 00
".....	Henry J. Tierney, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	".....	Max Koons.....	912 00	912 00
".....	304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	".....	John J. Sullivan.....	912 00	912 00
Machinist's Helper.....	Michael Shields, \$3 per diem, 304 days.....	912 00	912 00	Stableman.....	Christopher O'Sullivan.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	John J. Malloy, \$2.25 per diem, 304 days.....	684 00	684 00	".....	Patrick Hughes, \$2 per diem, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
".....	Francis J. Clarke, \$2.25 per diem, 304 days.....	684 00	684 00	Hostler.....	Edward Finnerty.....	912 00	912 00
".....	Michael Finnell, \$2.25 per diem, 304 days.....	684 00	684 00	".....	Robert Mannle, \$2 per diem, 365 days.....	730 00	730 00
".....	Joseph Hyde, \$2.25 per diem, 304 days.....	684 00	684 00			\$10,520 00	10,520 00
".....	Philip Leddy, \$2.25 per diem, 304 days.....	684 00	684 00	Appropriation for 1900, \$10,217. Increase due to rearrangement of force and compensation.			
".....	James E. Hillis, \$2.25 per diem, 304 days.....	684 00	684 00	Buildings Superintendent Pay-roll. (Sections 725, 726 and 728, Greater New York Charter.)			
Machinist's Apprentice.....	Bernard J. Shea, \$1.75 per diem, 356 days.....	623 00	623 00	Buildings Superintendent.....	Alexander Stevens.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00
".....	Eugene C. Kelly, \$1.75 per diem, 304 days.....	532 00	532 00	Assistant Buildings Superintendent.....	Manly N. Cutter.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	John M. Buckley, \$1.75 per diem, 304 days.....	532 00	532 00	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	Elmer E. Kinney.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Mechanic.....	William Savage, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Draughtsman.....	Charles A. Rhind.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	William H. Shea, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Driver.....	Henry W. Bonnick.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Boilermaker.....	Roger McDermott, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	".....	James J. Kehoe.....	912 00	912 00
Steamfitter.....	Constant Malraison, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	".....	James Moore.....	912 00	912 00
".....	Charles Manley, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Ship Calker.....	William J. Kearney, \$3.25 per diem, 304 days.....	988 00	988 00
".....	Edward Reilly, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Tinsmith.....	Peter Leonard, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00
".....	John A. Hand, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	".....	304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00
Coppersmith.....	Peter J. Doyle, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Laborer.....	Denis McDonnell, \$2.50 per diem, 365 days.....	912 50	912 50
Foreman Blacksmith.....	Edward Nugent, \$4 per diem, 304 days.....	1,216 00	1,216 00			\$11,488 50	12,552 50
Assistant Foreman Blacksmith.....	Thomas Shields, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Appropriation for 1900, \$11,324. Increase due to the necessity of making provision for an additional Tinsmith and to rearrangement of force.			
Blacksmith.....	John Denny, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Apparatus, Supplies, etc. (Section 725 of the Greater New York Charter.)			
".....	John J. McEntee, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00			APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
".....	Henry Meyer, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Apparatus—			
".....	304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	New.....	\$45,000 00	\$45,000 00	
Blacksmith's Helper.....	Jacob Bonner, \$3 per diem, 304 days.....	912 00	912 00	Repairs.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	
".....	William H. Williamson, \$2.50 per diem, 304 days.....	760 00	760 00	Buildings—Repairs.....	50,000 00	50,000 00	
".....	George Carroll, \$2.50 per diem, 304 days.....	760 00	760 00	Contingencies.....	6,000 00	6,000 00	
".....	Lawrence McDonald, \$2.50 per diem, 304 days.....	760 00	760 00	Fuel—			
".....	Henry Gearty, \$2.50 per diem, 304 days.....	760 00	760 00	Coal.....	31,000 00	34,500 00	
".....	304 days.....	760 00	760 00	Wood.....	2,000 00	2,500 00	
Foreman Wheelwright.....	Christopher Schmidt, \$4 per diem, 304 days.....	1,216 00	1,216 00	Gas.....	18,000 00	18,000 00	
Wheelwright.....	John Wanner, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	General Supplies.....	25,000 00	25,000 00	
".....	William H. Mesick, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Horses—			
".....	Stephen Bridge, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	New.....	17,500 00	18,500 00	
".....	Michael Kennedy, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Horse hire, etc.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
".....	304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Forage.....	39,000 00	46,000 00	
Carpenter.....	George E. Knight, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Horseshoeing.....	24,000 00	24,000 00	
".....	Joseph Kennelly, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Harness, etc.....	6,000 00	6,500 00	
".....	Michael McDermott, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Hose—			
Foreman Harness Maker.....	John M. Haas, \$4 per diem, 304 days.....	1,216 00	1,216 00	New.....	45,000 00	72,500 00	
Harness Maker.....	Thomas Bell, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	New (Special appropriation made by Board of Estimate and Apportionment by resolution April 20, 1900).....	27,500 00		
Upholsterer.....	Daniel D. Daly, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Materials, etc.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	
Hose Repairer.....	James Lynch, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Machine and Paint-shop Supplies.....	13,000 00	13,000 00	
".....	Edward F. Halliday, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Rents.....	8,000 00	8,000 00	
Hose Repairer's Helper.....	John J. McAdams, \$2.50 per diem, 304 days.....	760 00	760 00	Telegraph Supplies and Repairs—			
Foreman Painter.....	Edward Ahern, \$4 per diem, 304 days.....	1,216 00	1,216 00	Telephone rent.....	3,000 00	3,500 00	
Painter.....	Charles A. Smith, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Materials.....	8,000 00	10,000 00	
".....	William Jackson, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Repairs.....	4,000 00	5,000 00	
".....	John H. Reid, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00	Keyless doors.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
".....	James J. Carey, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00				
".....	John T. Kenny, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00				
Wagon Painter.....	John Saul, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00				
Carriage Painter.....	William Beggs, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00				
".....	Christopher Byrne, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00				
".....	George W. Johnson, \$3.50 per diem, 304 days.....	1,064 00	1,064 00				
Driver.....	Peter Carroll.....	912 00	912 00				
".....	John J. Mehagen.....	912 00	912 00				
".....	John F. Brady.....	912 00	912 00				
".....	Charles H. Lynch, \$76 per month.....	912 00	912 00				
".....	John Eagan, \$76 per month.....	912 00	912 00				

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Telegraph Supplies and Repairs—		
New boxes.....	\$4,000 00	\$5,250 00
Alteration to boxes.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
New electrical apparatus.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Cable terminals, posts, castings, etc.....		5,000 00
Wagons, harness, etc.....	2,000 00	1,000 00
Instruments for new engine-houses.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Equipment of repair-shop.....		2,000 00
Maintenance and Repairs to Fire-boats.....	29,000 00	40,000 00
Total, Apparatus, Supplies.....	\$427,500 00	\$456,750 00

Apparatus—No increase.
Buildings—Repairs—No increase.
Contingencies—No increase.

Fuel—Increase, \$4,000 :
The amount allowed for this purpose for the current year has proven inadequate; hence the necessity of the increase asked for the ensuing year.

Gas—No increase.

General Supplies—No increase.

Horses—Increase, \$1,000 :

It has been thought prudent to ask for this advance over the allowance for 1900 to provide for emergencies liable to arise next year.

Forage—Increase, \$7,000 :

Owing to an advance in the price of forage, the amount allowed for the current year will be insufficient; hence the necessity for a larger sum for 1901.

Horseshoeing—No increase.

Harness—Increase, \$500 :

A moderate increase is deemed necessary over last year's allowance to meet possible contingencies during 1901.

Hose—No increase over the combined amounts allowed for this purpose for 1900, to wit, \$50,000 and \$27,500. In addition to the apportionment of \$50,000 made from the appropriation for 1900, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by resolution of April 20 last, made a further appropriation of \$27,500, in view of the urgent necessity of purchasing more hose. This further amount will also be necessary for 1901, as the great number of fires with which the Department has to contend renders it imperative that the companies be thoroughly equipped for all emergencies. Therefore an allowance of \$77,500 for hose will be required for the ensuing year, being the same total as appropriated for the current year.

Machine and Paint Shop Supplies—No increase.

Rents—No increase.

Telegraph Supplies and Repairs—Increase, \$5,750, accounted for as follows:

Telephone rent, \$500, due to increase in number of telephone connections. Materials, \$2,000, to extend the telegraph system to the outlying districts of the Borough of The Bronx. Repairs, \$1,000, to make urgent repairs to the telegraph system. New boxes, \$1,250, for the purchase of new and improved fire-alarm boxes to replace those now in use and not worth repairing, being of the type in use thirty years ago. Cable terminals, posts, castings, etc., \$8,000—no allowance asked for 1900—to replace the existing type of terminal heads and provide castings and posts for the cable terminals, which will afford greater capacity for cables and enlarged facilities for testing the same. Equipment of repair shop, \$2,000; no allowance asked for 1900; for the purchase of machine tools and to equip with electric power the present small hand-power shop, which will permit of the making of repairs and alterations to instruments—a work which is at present performed outside the service. The equipment of this shop, with the present force of mechanics, will, it is believed, effect a saving of its cost within a year, as well as a considerable amount of time in the doing of repair work. These increases are offset by the following decreases to the extent of \$6,000, to wit: Wagons, harness, etc., \$1,000. New electrical apparatus—no allowance asked for 1901; leaving the net increase asked for Telegraph Supplies and Repairs, at \$5,750, as above stated.

Maintenance and Repairs to Fire-boats—Increase, \$11,000 :
Repairs urgently necessary to the fire-boat "Zophar Mills" will require an expenditure of \$25,000, for the reason that the pumps break down frequently under severe work, and the marine engine is too small for the boat. The new pumps, it is estimated, will cost \$11,000, and the new propelling engine and 12-inch copper pipe connections for fire-pumps \$14,000, making a total of \$25,000. It was the purpose to do this work from the amount apportioned for the current year, but the requirements of the service in the way of new apparatus became so urgent and pressing that it had to be deferred. The general repairs to and maintenance of the other fire-boats will cost, at a moderate estimate, \$15,000. It is therefore hoped the increase asked may be allowed.

For two new fire-boats, at an estimated cost of \$75,000 each..... 150,000 00

One of the new boats desired is to replace the "William F. Havemeyer," a wooden boat constructed twenty-five years since, and which is antiquated and nearly worn out, as to its marine engines and fire-pumps, which latter are too small for advantageous use. The condition of the boat is such as hardly to justify further expenditures for repairs. The second new fire-boat is desired to afford additional means of protection to property along the river fronts and shipping in the harbor, the Department now having its sphere of duty in this respect greatly increased. Furthermore, to guard against a recurrence of the terrible disaster which a few months since happened to several vessels of the North German Lloyd line, while lying at their berths, it is eminently desirable that the number of fire-boats should be added to, and it is earnestly hoped that the necessary provision to accomplish this end be made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. It is further to be noted that the fire-boat "Robert A. Van Wyck," built a few years since, is not as strong as the necessities of the service demand and the accommodations for its crew thereon are inadequate.

It is confidently believed that the resulting good from the placing of two additional fire-boats in service would more than counterbalance the expense attendant upon so doing.

Aggregate..... \$3,088,916 00

The foregoing estimate, amounting to three million eighty-eight thousand nine hundred and sixteen dollars (\$3,088,916), is adopted as the sum of money which will be required for the expense necessary to the administration of the Fire Department of The City of New York, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for the year 1901.

J. J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT SHOWING APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1900 AND ESTIMATE FOR 1901—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

For Salaries.

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Headquarters Pay-roll.....	\$63,970 50	\$67,340 50
Bureau Chief of Department Pay-roll.....	84,500 00	87,800 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll.....	1,969,912 50	2,105,787 50
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	25,400 00	25,400 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	18,700 00	20,200 00
Fire-alarm Telegraph Branch Pay-roll.....	59,239 50	69,069 50
Repair Shops Pay-roll.....	77,348 50	83,496 00
Hospital and Training Stables Pay-roll.....	10,217 00	10,520 00
Buildings Superintendent Pay-roll.....	11,324 00	12,552 50
Total.....	\$2,320,612 00	\$2,482,166 00

For Apparatus, Supplies, etc.

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1901.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Apparatus.....	\$50,000 00	\$50,000 00
Buildings—Repairs.....	50,000 00	50,000 00
Contingencies.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Fuel.....	33,000 00	37,000 00
Gas.....	18,000 00	18,000 00

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1901.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
General Supplies.....	\$25,000 00	\$25,000 00
Horses.....	19,000 00	20,000 00
Forage.....	39,000 00	46,000 00
Horseshoeing.....	24,000 00	24,000 00
Harness, etc.....	6,000 00	6,500 00
Hose.....	77,500 00	77,500 00
Machine and Paint-shop Supplies.....	13,000 00	13,000 00
Rents.....	8,000 00	8,000 00
Telegraph Supplies and Repairs.....	30,000 00	35,750 00
Maintenance and Repairs to Fire-boats.....	29,000 00	40,000 00
Total.....	\$427,500 00	\$456,750 00
For two new Fire-boats.....		\$150,000 00

RECAPITULATION—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Salaries.....	\$2,320,612 00	\$2,482,166 00
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	427,500 00	456,750 00
Two new Fire-boats.....		150,000 00
Aggregate.....	\$2,748,112 00	\$3,088,916 00

Aggregate increase in Departmental Estimate for 1901, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, as compared with the amount allowed for 1900..... \$340,804 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

(For allowances to Volunteer Fire Companies, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 612, Laws of 1899.)

ESTIMATE FOR 1901.

Engine Companies, \$1,200; Hook and Ladder Companies, \$1,000; Hose and Patrol Companies, \$800.

COMPANY.	LOCATION.	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR AMOUNT FIXED BY LAW AND PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Engine—			
Washington, No. 1.....	Port Richmond.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00
Port Richmond, No. 3.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
New Brighton, No. 4.....	New Brighton.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Monroe, No. 5.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Catacart, No. 2.....	West New Brighton.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Eureka, No. 2.....	Tottenville.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Niagara, No. 5.....	Tompkinsville.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Neptune, No. 6.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Clifton, No. 8.....	Clifton.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Protection, No. 7.....	Stapleton.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Rescue, No. 9.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Huguenot.....	Huguenot.....		1,200 00
Hook and Ladder—			
Granite, No. 2.....	Port Richmond.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Richmond, No. 4.....	New Brighton.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Medora, No. 3.....	West New Brighton.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Wyandotte, No. 5.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Protection, No. 1.....	Tottenville.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Tiernan, No. 6.....	Tompkinsville.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Oceanic, No. 1.....	Linoleumville.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Aquehonga, No. 1.....	Mariners' Harbor.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Washington, No. 1.....	Kreisicherville.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
New Dorp, No. 1.....	New Dorp.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Columbia, No. 5.....	Rosebank.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Enterprise, No. 1.....	Stapleton.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Hose—			
Zephyr, No. 4.....	Port Richmond.....	800 00	800 00
Alert, No. 1.....	New Brighton.....	800 00	800 00
Lafayette, No. 3.....	".....	800 00	800 00
Tompkins, No. 6.....	".....	800 00	800 00
Starin, No. 5.....	West New Brighton.....	800 00	800 00
Neptune, No. 1.....	Tompkinsville.....	800 00	800 00
Scott, No. 7.....	Clifton.....	800 00	800 00
Excelsior, No. 1.....	Stapleton.....	800 00	800 00
Relief, No. 2.....	".....	800 00	800 00
B. Brown, No. 3.....	".....	800 00	800 00
Robinson, No. 9.....	".....	800 00	800 00
P. Weiderer, No. 11.....	".....	800 00	800 00
Steady Stream, No. 2.....	Mariner's Harbor.....	800 00	800 00
Active, No. 7.....	".....	800 00	800 00
Wadsworth, No. 4.....	Fort Wadsworth.....	800 00	800 00
Crasmere and Concord, No. 10.....	Concord.....	800 00	800 00

COMPANY.	LOCATION.	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR AMOUNTS FIXED BY LAW AND PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Patrol—			
Castleton, No. 1.....	Castleton.....	\$800 00	\$800 00
Total.....		\$38,800 00	\$40,000 00

Increase (\$1,200) due to the necessity of making provision for Huguenot Engine Company (pursuant to opinion of Corporation Counsel, dated July 19, 1900).

The foregoing estimate, amounting to forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), is adopted as the sum of money which will be required for the expense necessary to the administration of the Fire Department of The City of New York, Borough of Richmond, for the year 1901.

J. J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR 1901.

Headquarters' Pay-roll.

(Sections 720 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY ROLL, AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Deputy Fire Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	James H. Tully	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Secretary, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	William D. Moore	3,250 00	3,250 00
Private Secretary.....	William H. Hogan.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Examiner of Accounts	Thomas P. Egan.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Stenographer	E. K. Macoy.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Medical Officer (Surgeon)	N. A. Robbins.....	2,000 00	2,500 00
"	J. E. Smith.....	2,000 00	2,500 00
"	W. A. De Long	2,000 00	2,500 00
Cleaner, 365 days at \$2.50.....	William Ralph	912 50	912 50
" 365 " 1.50.....	Nellie A. Stewart.....	517 50	517 50
Laborer, 313 " 3.00.....	John E. McDougall.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.00.....	John Brower.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.00.....	John McKeon.....	939 00	939 00
" 365 " 2.50.....	Thomas P. Donovan.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
" 313 " 2.50.....	Sebastian Meyer.....	782 50	782 50
" 365 " 1.50.....	Barbara Wedel.....	547 50	547 50
" 365 " 1.50.....	Catharine F.ynn.....	547 50	547 50
Toolman, 365 " 2.50.....	Bernard Smith	912 50	912 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	Michael Sinnott	782 50	782 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	Jeremiah Powers.....	782 50	782 50
Batterymen, 313 " 2.50.....	Charles Dobbins	782 50	782 50
1 Bookkeeper			2,500 00
1 Clerk			1,200 00
"			1,000 00
1 Engineer, at prevailing rate of wages			1,200 00
Total.....		\$29,959 50	\$37,359 50

One Bookkeeper and two Clerks are necessary to perform the clerical duties at Headquarters; one Engineer to take charge of boilers and machinery.

Amount asked for 1901..... \$37,359 50
Amount allowed for 1900..... 32,359 50

Increase..... \$5,000 00

In the case of the three Medical Officers, an increase of \$500 each is asked for the ensuing year, as their duties are laborious and exacting, and are analogous to those of Police Surgeons, who receive \$3,000 per annum.

Bureau of Chief of Department Pay-roll.

(Sections 727, 728, 740 and 753 of the Greater New York Charter.)

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY ROLL, AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Deputy Chief of Department, in charge.....	James Dale.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Deputy Chief of Department.....	James F. Murray.....	4,200 00	4,200 00
"	John H. Perry.....	4,200 00	4,200 00
"	Samuel Duff.....	4,000 00	4,200 00
"	William H. Delahanty.....	4,200 00	4,200 00
Chief of Battalion	James Cunningham	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	John J. Fanning.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	James Doyle	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	Dennis McGroarty.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	Samuel G. Heustis.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	James Maguire.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	William McCarthy.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	David Kirkpatrick.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	James Kellock.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	John F. Dobson.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	Edward J. No-ton.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	Thomas S. Coppinger.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	Frederick J. Snow.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	John O'Hara.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	Charles W. D. Lene.....	3,300 00	3,300 00

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY ROLL, AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Chief of Battalion.....	David S. Thomas.....	\$3,300 00	\$3,300 00
"	Edward H. Heard.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	Patrick Nevins.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	Frank J. Duff.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	John Murphy.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
"	Thomas A. Kenny.....	3,300 00	3,300 00
Total.....		\$21,100 00	\$21,100 00

Amount asked for 1901..... \$21,100 00
Amount allowed for 1900..... 87,000 00

Increase..... \$3,300 00

Increase caused by assignment of John Murphy as Chief of Battalion by order of the Court.

Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-rolls.

(Sections 727, 728 and 740 of the Greater New York Charter.)

PRESENT FORCE, 1900.	PRESENT FORCE, 1901.	ALLOWED FOR 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.
90 Foremen.....	90 Foremen, at \$2,160.....	\$17,120 00	\$19,100 00
102 Assistant Foremen.....	102 Assistant Foremen, at \$1,800.....	178,200 00	183,600 00
130 Engineers.....	130 Engineers, at \$1,600.....	201,200 00	208,000 00
2 Engineers.....	2 Engineers, at \$1,400.....	2,400 00	2,800 00
586 Firemen, 1st grade.....	586 Firemen 1st grade, at \$1,400.....	830,933 25	820,400 00
Firemen, 2d grade.....	Firemen 2d grade, at \$1,200.....	28,800 00	
81 Firemen 3d grade.....	81 Firemen 3d grade, at \$1,000.....	20,000 00	81,000 00
63 Firemen, 4th grade.....	63 Firemen 4th grade, at \$800.....	58,400 00	54,400 00
2 Captains of Fire-boats.....	2 Captains of Fire-boats, at \$1,500.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
1 Pilot of Fire-boat.....	1 Pilot of Fire-boat, at \$1,500.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
4 Coal Passers.....	4 Coal Passers, at \$2.50 per diem.....	3,650 00	3,650 00
1 Boiler Fireman.....	1 Boiler Fireman, at \$2.50 per diem.....	912 50	912 50
1 Stoker.....	1 Stoker, at \$2.50 per diem.....	912 50	912 50
For Firemen 3d and 4th grades advanced to 2d and 3d grades respectively, in accordance with the provisions of section 740 of the Greater New York Charter.....	For Firemen 3d and 4th grades advanced to 2d and 3d grades respectively, in accordance with the provisions of section 740 of the Greater New York Charter.....	18,777 76	20,200 00
Total.....		\$1,534,806 02	\$1,665,775 00

For Proposed Organization of New Companies in the following Locations:

New engine company (No. 156) in building, property of the City, De Kalb avenue, near Fort Green place.			
New engine company (No. 164), Grand street, near Gardner avenue.			
New engine company (No. 165), Flushing avenue, near Broadway.			
New hook and ladder company (No. 68) in Headquarters Building, No. 365 Jay street.			
New hook and ladder company (No. 69), Fifth avenue, near Thirty ninth street.			
Change Engine Company No. 131 to double company (adding hook and ladder truck).			
Change Engine Company No. 157 to double company (adding hook and ladder truck).			
Five (5) Foremen, at \$2,160 each.....			10,800 00
Seven (7) Assistant Foremen, at \$1,800 each.....			12,600 00
Six (6) Engineers, at \$1,600 each.....			9,600 00
Seventy (70) Firemen 4th grade, at \$800 each.....			56,000 00
Total.....		\$1,534,806 02	\$1,665,775 00

Amount asked for 1901..... \$1,665,775 00
Amount allowed for 1900..... 1,534,800 02

Increase..... \$130,968 98

The increase is explained as follows:

The amount for advancement in grade and pay is mandatory.
The additional companies are very much needed.

Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.

(Sections 727 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY ROLL, AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Assistant Inspector of Combustibles.....	William A. Hervey.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00
Cashier.....	William H. Stevens.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Clerk.....	John W. Trim	1,200 00	1,000 00
Oil Collector.....	William H. Butler.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
"	Charles Miller.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
"	Henry B. Page.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
"	Joseph E. Ireland.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
"	Edward S. Wilson.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
"	William Montgomery.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
"	Thomas P. Morris.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
"	James G. Soden.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
"	Michael A. Foley.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
"	Henry W. Mahland.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Surveyor.....	James J. Nevins.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
"	William Water.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Total.....		\$17,700 00	\$17,700 00

Amount asked for 1901..... \$17,700 00
Amount allowed for 1900..... 17,700 00

No increase.....

Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.
(Sections 727 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY- ROLL, AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Fire Marshal.....	Alonzo Brymer.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Inspector.....	Canice Cassin.....	2,600 00	2,600 00
Assistant Inspector.....	James H. Flynn.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Assistant Fire Marshal.....	William L. Beers.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
".....	Henry R. Crofton.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Stenographer.....	Annie E. Imlay.....	900 00	900 00
Laborer, 365 days at \$3.....	William Condon.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Clerk (1).....			1,200 00
Total.....		\$13,095 00	\$13,700 00

Laborer, William Condon, performing labor in Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch, to be transferred to said pay-roll for year 1901. \$13,200 00
Amount asked for, 1901. 13,700 00
Amount allowed for, 1900.

Decrease..... \$500 00

Fire-Alarm Telegraph Pay-roll.
(Sections 727 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY-ROLL, AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Assistant in Charge.....	Henry F. Blackwell, Jr.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00
Inspector of Telegraph.....	James T. Wafer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Laborer, 365 days, at \$3.....	Edgar Coombs.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
" 365 " 3.....	Peter F. Healy.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
" 365 " 3.....	A. L. Kilbourne.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
" 365 " 3.....	Richard Grace.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
" 365 " 3.....	William Condon.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
" 365 " 3.....	William Gordon.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
" 365 " 3.....	Walter Scott.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Groundman, 365 days, at \$2.50.....	David Terhune.....	912 50	912 50
" 365 " 2.50.....	Patrick McNulty.....	912 50	912 50
" 365 " 2.50.....	James Dinnegan.....	912 50	912 50
Lineman, 365 days, at \$2.50.....	James Hagan.....	912 50	1,000 00
" 365 " 2.50.....	William Cain.....	912 50	1,000 00
" 365 " 2.50.....	James E. Stokes.....	912 50	1,000 00
" 365 " 2.50.....	William O'Rourke.....	912 50	1,000 00
Toolman, 365 days, at \$2.50.....	William Naeteldt.....	912 50	912 50
" 365 " 2.50.....	John Welch.....	912 50	912 50
" 365 " 2.50.....	John C. Murphy.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
" 365 " 2.50.....	Walter O'Connor.....	912 50	912 50
Batteryman, 365 days, at \$2.50.....	William H. Kinsella.....	912 50	1,000 00
Assistant Batteryman, 365 days, at \$2.50.....	John J. Hickey.....	912 50	912 50
Fire Alarm Signal Box Inspectors (2), at \$1,200 each.....			2,400 00
Linemen (5), 365 days, at \$3 each per diem.....			5,475 00
Groundmen (3), 365 days, at \$2.50 each per diem.....			2,737 50
Batteryman (1).....			1,200 00
Assistant Batteryman.....			1,000 00
Drivers (2), \$75 per month each.....			1,500 00
Operators (4), \$1,500 each.....			6,000 00
Assistant Operators (8), \$1,200 each.....			9,600 00
Clerk (1).....			1,200 00
Instrument Maker (1).....			1,200 00
Foreman in Charge Telegraph Construction (1).....			1,200 00
Total.....		\$54,315 00	\$59,900 00

Amount asked for 1901..... \$50,900 00
Amount allowed for 1900..... 22,385 00

Increase..... \$28,515 00

The above 29 positions are to replace 7 Laborers and 20 Uniformed Firemen, at present detailed to this branch of the Department, and to provide for 1 Clerk and 1 Instrument Maker.

The salaries of the 20 firemen detailed amount to \$28,000 per annum, and if they are returned to active fire duty with their companies, and the above positions filled, the actual increase in the expense for salaries in this branch would be but \$515.

Repair Shops Pay-roll.
(Sections 725 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY-ROLL, AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Blacksmith.....	Gilbert Stevenson.....	\$1,250 00	\$1,250 00
".....	Thomas Morris.....	1,250 00	1,250 00
Sail Maker.....	C. A. Chance.....	1,100 00	1,100 00
Wheelwright.....	Peter Luyster.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
".....	Patrick Farley.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Helper.....	Erhard Worth.....	750 00	750 00

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY-ROLL, AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Helper.....	Robert W. Ferrier.....	\$750 00	\$750 00
Laborer, 313 days, at \$3.....	Richard Rowland.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	John R. Annotoyne.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	F. D. Thorn.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	Thomas Wilson.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	William H. Guisard.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	William Berry.....	939 90	939 90
" 313 " 3.....	George W. Hand.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	William Egbert.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	William Jenkins.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	L. A. McNamara.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	John Quaid.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	Mathew Dunnigan.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	James F. Wilson.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	Jesse R. Chisholm.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	Archibald Graham.....	939 00	939 00
" 313 " 3.....	John H. Conk.....	939 00	939 00
" 365 " 3.....	Anthony J. Martin.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Mason, 365 " 3.....	John F. Quigley.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Toolman, 313 " 2.50.....	James F. Nidds.....	782 50	782 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	Joseph A. Dunn.....	782 50	782 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	George Campbell.....	782 50	782 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	William F. Lantry.....	782 50	782 50
" 365 " 2.50.....	Michael Casey.....	912 50	912 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	James G. Gillespie.....	782 50	782 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	Jacob M. Johnson.....	782 50	782 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	Albert Pratt.....	782 50	782 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	John E. Dunnigan.....	782 50	782 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	John Geiger.....	782 50	782 50
Batteryman, 365 days, at \$2.50.....	John J. Corcoran.....	912 50	912 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	Bartholomew Looney.....	782 50	782 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	Thomas Trihey.....	782 50	782 50
" 313 " 2.50.....	Hugh Dougherty.....	782 50	782 50
Groundman, 313 " 2.50.....	C. C. Quinn.....	782 50	782 50
Bookkeeper (1).....			1,500 00
Engineman (1), 313 days, at \$3.50, prevailing rate of wages.....			1,095 50
Carpenters (3), 313 days, at \$3.50 each, prevailing rate of wages.....			3,285 50
Painters (4), 313 days, at \$3 each, prevailing rate of wages.....			3,756 00
Caulkers (2), 313 days, at \$3.50 each, prevailing rate of wages.....			2,191 00
Blacksmith (1), 313 days, at \$3.50, prevailing rate of wages.....			1,095 50
Machinists (2), 313 days, at \$3.50 each, prevailing rate of wages.....			2,191 00
Tinsmith (1), 313 days, at \$3.50, prevailing rate of wages.....			1,095 50
Harness Maker (1), 313 days, at \$3.00, prevailing rate of wages.....			939 00
Machinist's helper, 313 days, at \$2, prevailing rate of wages.....			626 00
Watchman (1), 365 days, at \$2.50, prevailing rate of wages.....			912 50
Total.....		\$36,311 50	\$38,881 00

The above 17 positions for Engineman, Painters, etc., are to replace Laborers on this roll. Bookkeeper is necessary to perform the clerical work in this Bureau.
Amount allowed for 1900..... \$39,925 00
Amount asked for 1901..... 38,881 00

Decrease..... \$1,044 00

Hospital and Training Stables Pay-roll.
(Sections 723 and 728 of the Greater New York Charter.)

		ESTIMATE AS PER PAY-ROLL, AUGUST, 1900.	ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS PROPOSED TO BE PAID IN 1901.
Toolman, 365 days, at \$2.50.....	Bernard McGrath.....	\$912 50	\$912 50
Stableman, 365 days, at \$2.....	Michael Brady.....	730 00	730 00
Laborer, 365 days, at \$2.....	James B. Campbell.....	730 00	730 00
Toolman, 365 days, at \$2.50.....	Patrick Callahan.....	912 50	912 50
Groundman, 365 days, at \$2.50.....	Michael English.....	912 50	912 50
Trainer and Driver (1), 365 days, at \$3.....			1,095 00
Stablemen (3), 365 days, at \$2 each.....			2,190 00
Total.....		\$4,197 50	7,482 50

Amount asked for 1901..... \$7,482 50
Amount allowed for 1900..... 5,657 50

Increase..... \$1,825 00

Apparatus, Supplies, etc.
(Section 725 of the Greater New York Charter.)

	APPROPRIATED FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Apparatus—		
New.....	\$26,000 00	\$20,000 00
Repairs.....	15,000 00	15,000 00
Implements.....	3,000 00	3,000 00

	APPROPRIATED FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Buildings—Repairs.....	\$24,000 00	\$24,000 00
Contingencies.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Fuel—		
Coal.....	19,000 00	19,000 00
Wood.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Gas and Electric Lighting.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
General Supplies.....	20,000 00	20,000 00
Horses, Horse Hire, etc.....	12,000 00	12,000 00
Forage.....	40,000 00	40,000 00
Horseshoeing.....	18,000 00	18,000 00
Harness, etc.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Hose—		
New.....	28,000 00	28,000 00
Materials, etc.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Machine and Paint Shop.....	15,000 00	15,000 00
Rents.....	12,000 00	12,000 00
Telegraphic Supplies, Repairs, etc.—		
Telephone rentals.....	9,000 00	9,000 00
Privileges on Elevated Railroad structures.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Materials.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Repairs.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
New signal boxes.....	3,000 00	8,000 00
Keyless doors for signal boxes.....	2,500 00	1,500 00
New electrical apparatus.....	1,500 00	1,000 00
Storage battery and equipment.....		8,000 00
Cables, terminals, posts, castings, etc.....		10,000 00
Extension of fire alarm system, Long Island City.....		2,000 00
Streetsigns for indicating location of fire alarm boxes.....		2,500 00
Maintenance and Repairs to Fire-boats.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Total.....	\$300,000 00	\$320,000 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$320,000 00
Amount allowed in 1900.....	300,000 00
Increase.....	\$20,000 00

Apparatus.....	Decrease.	\$6,000 00
Buildings—Repairs.....	No Increase.	
Contingencies.....	"	
Fuel.....	"	
Gas and Electric Light.....	"	
General Supplies.....	"	
Horses, Horse Hire, etc.....	"	
Forage.....	"	
Horseshoeing.....	"	
Harness, etc.....	"	
Hose and Materials.....	"	
Machine and Paint Shop.....	"	
Maintenance and Repairs to Fire-boats.....	"	
Telegraph Supplies and Repairs—		
Telegraph rentals.....	"	
Privileges on Elevated Railroad structures.....	"	
Materials.....	"	
Repairs.....	"	
New signal boxes.....	Increase	5,000 00
This amount (\$5,000) is necessary to provide additional boxes for Long Island City and the rapidly growing outlying districts of the Borough of Brooklyn.		
Keyless Doors for Signal Boxes.....	Decrease.	1,000 00
New Electrical Apparatus.....	"	500 00
Street Signs for Indicating Location of Fire Alarm Signal Boxes.....	Increase.	2,500 00
This allowance will enable people to locate signal boxes without delay at times when delays may prove disastrous to life and property. These signal boxes are usually five or six blocks apart.		
Storage Battery and Equipment.....	"	8,000 00
This appropriation would cause a saving of about \$1.38 per cell, or a total annual saving of \$3,760 on 2,700 cells.		
Cables, Terminals, Posts, Castings, etc.....	"	10,000 00
This allowance would cause an annual saving of \$2,500, representing one-half the annual rental for stringing wires on elevated railroads. In addition to that, the public welfare would be best subserved and work of the Department expedited and facilitated by placing the wires underground wherever subways are available therefor.		
Extension of Fire Alarm System, Long Island City.....	"	2,000 00
This amount is required for the purchase of poles, wire, etc., to connect fire alarm signal boxes.		
New Fire-boat and Equipment.....	"	75,000 00
An additional fire-boat is very necessary for the proper protection of property along the water-front. This property is very valuable, and an extra boat is needed to prevent the spreading of fires and keeping down the losses therefrom.		

The foregoing estimate, amounting to two million three hundred and seventeen thousand three hundred and ninety-eight dollars (\$2,317,398), is adopted as the sum which will be required for the expense necessary to the administration of the Fire Department, City of New York (paid system), boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for the year 1901.

J. J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.
COMPARATIVE STATEMENT SHOWING APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1900 AND ESTIMATE FOR 1901.

SALARIES.

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Headquarters Pay-roll.....	\$37,359 50	\$37,359 50
Bureau Chief of Department Pay-roll.....	87,800 00	91,100 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll.....	1,534,806 02	1,665,775 00
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	17,700 00	17,700 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	13,700 00	13,700 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph Pay-roll.....	22,385 00	50,000 00
Repair Shop Pay-roll.....	39,925 00	38,881 00
Hospital and Training Stables Pay-roll.....	5,657 50	7,482 50
Total.....	\$1,754,333 02	\$1,922,398 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$1,922,398 00
Amount allowed for 1900.....	1,754,333 02
Increase.....	\$168,064 98

APPARATUS, SUPPLIES, ETC.

Comparative Statement showing the Amount of Appropriations for 1900 and the Amount Required for 1901.

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Apparatus and Repairs.....	\$44,000 00	\$38,000 00
Buildings and Repairs.....	24,000 00	24,000 00
Fuel, Coal and Wood.....	22,000 00	22,000 00
Gas and Electric Lighting.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
General Supplies.....	20,000 00	20,000 00
Horses, Horse Hire, etc.....	12,000 00	12,000 00
Forage.....	40,000 00	40,000 00
Horseshoeing.....	18,000 00	18,000 00
Harness, etc.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Hose, etc.....	30,000 00	30,000 00
Machine and Paint-shop Supplies.....	15,000 00	15,000 00
Rent for Buildings and Docks.....	12,000 00	12,000 00
Telegraph Supplies and Repairs.....	35,000 00	61,000 00
Maintenance and Repairs to Fire-boats.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Contingencies.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Total.....	\$300,000 00	\$320,000 00

Apparatus, Supplies, increase.....	\$20,000 00
New Fire-boat, increase.....	75,000 00

MAINTENANCE VOLUNTEER SYSTEM, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

(Section 722 of the Greater New York Charter; section 2, chapter 281, Laws of 1899 and section 1, chapter 82, Laws of 1900.)

Newtown.

ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS FIXED BY LAW PROPOSED TO BE PAID FOR THE FISCAL YEAR, BEGINNING JUNE 1, 1901.

Gooderson Engine Company.....	\$1,200 00
Maspeth Engine Company.....	1,200 00
Leona Chemical Engine Company.....	1,200 00
Wandownock Fire Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Woodside Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Maspeth Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Fearless Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Glendale Fire Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Ivanhoe Fire Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Elmhurst Fire Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Pioneer Fire Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$11,600 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$11,600 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	5,000 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$6,600 00

Far Rockaway.

Protection Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	\$1,000 00
Oceanic Hose Company No. 1.....	800 00
Mohawk Hose Company No. 1.....	800 00
Total.....	\$2,600 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$2,600 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	2,000 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$600 00

Flushing.

Mutual Engine Company No. 1.....	\$1,200 00
Rescue Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	1,000 00
Empire Hose Company No. 1.....	800 00
Young America Hose Company No. 2.....	800 00
Flushing Hose Company No. 3.....	800 00
Murray Hill Hose Company No. 4.....	800 00
Total.....	\$5,400 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$5,400 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	3,000 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$2,400 00

<i>Woodhaven.</i>	
South Side Engine and Pump Company.....	\$1,000 00
Americus Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Union Course Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Jones Hook and Ladder Company.....	1,000 00
Woodhaven Hose Company.....	800 00
Deraimes Hose Company.....	800 00
Americus Hose Company.....	800 00
	\$6,400 00

The South Side Engine and Pump Company operate a hook and ladder truck, in lieu of an engine.

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$6,400 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	4,186 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$2,214 00

<i>Richmond Hill.</i>	
Engine Company No. 1.....	\$1,200 00
Morris Park Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	1,000 00
Clarenceville Hook and Ladder Company No. 2.....	1,000 00
Morris Park Hose Company No. 1.....	800 00
Pecare Hose Company No. 2.....	800 00
	\$4,800 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$4,800 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	1,500 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$3,300 00

<i>Rockaway Beach.</i>	
Sea Side Hose and Engine Company No. 1.....	\$1,200 00
Atlantic Engine Company No. 1.....	1,200 00
Arverne Engine Company No. 2.....	1,200 00
Remsen Chemical Engine Company No. 3.....	1,200 00
Oceanus Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	1,000 00
Sam Myers Hook and Ladder Company No. 2.....	1,000 00
Volunteer Hose Company No. 2.....	800 00
Atlantic Hose Company No. 1.....	800 00
Arverne Hose Company No. 2.....	800 00
	\$9,200 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$9,200 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	5,000 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$4,200 00

<i>Columbia Fire Department, Richmond Hill.</i>	
Columbia Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	\$1,000 00
Columbia Hose Company No. 1.....	800 00
	\$1,800 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$1,800 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	498 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$1,302 00

<i>Jamaica.</i>	
Atlantic Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	\$1,000 00
Continental Truck Company No. 2.....	1,000 00
Woodhull Hose Company No. 1.....	800 00
Excelsior Hose Company No. 2.....	800 00
Distler Hose Company No. 3.....	800 00
Fosdick Hose Company No. 4.....	800 00
Resolute Hose Company No. 5.....	800 00
	\$6,000 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$6,000 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	1,200 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$4,800 00

<i>Floral Park.</i>	
Floral Park Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	\$1,000 00
	\$1,000 00
Amount asked for 1901.....	500 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	500 00
Mandatory increase.....	500 00

<i>Bayside.</i>	
Enterprise Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	\$1,000 00
	\$1,000 00
Amount asked for 1901.....	915 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	915 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$85 00

<i>Hollis.</i>	
Hollis Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	\$1,000 00
Columbia Hose Company No. 1.....	800 00
	\$1,800 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$1,800 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	600 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$1,200 00

<i>College Point.</i>	
Eagle Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	\$1,000 00
Union Hose Company No. 1.....	800 00
Enterprise Hose Company No. 2.....	800 00
	\$2,600 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$2,600 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	650 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$1,950 00

<i>Queens.</i>	
Queens Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	\$1,000 00
	\$1,000 00
Amount asked for 1901.....	714 50
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	714 50
Mandatory increase.....	\$285 50

<i>Whitestone.</i>	
Engine and Hose Company No. 1.....	\$1,200 00
Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.....	1,000 00
Columbia Hose Company No. 1.....	800 00
Indian Hose Company No. 2.....	800 00
	\$3,800 00
Amount asked for 1901.....	\$3,800 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	500 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$3,300 00

<i>Springfield.</i>	
Springfield Chemical Engine Company No. 1.....	\$1,200 00
	\$1,200 00
Amount asked for 1901.....	668 00
Amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	668 00
Mandatory increase.....	\$532 00

The foregoing estimate, amounting to sixty thousand and two hundred dollars (\$60,200), is adopted as the sum of money required to carry out the mandatory provisions of chapter 82, Laws of 1900.

J. J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

MAINTENANCE VOLUNTEER SYSTEM, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

(Chapter 82, Laws of 1900.)

Comparative Statement, Showing the Amount of Appropriations for the Year 1900 and the Amount Required for 1901, Excepting Maintenance of Fire Alarm Systems and Apparatus.

	AMOUNT ALLOWED JANUARY 1, 1900.	AMOUNT FIXED BY LAW FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGIN- NING JUNE 1, 1901.
Newtown.....	\$5,000 00	\$11,600 00
Far Rockaway.....	2,000 00	2,600 00
Flushing.....	3,000 00	5,400 00
Woodhaven.....	4,186 00	6,400 00
Richmond Hill.....	1,500 00	4,800 00
Rockaway Beach.....	5,000 00	9,200 00
Columbia Fire Department of Richmond Hill.....	498 00	1,800 00
Jamaica.....	1,200 00	6,000 00
Floral Park.....	500 00	1,000 00
Bayside.....	915 00	1,000 00
Hollis.....	600 00	1,800 00
College Point.....	650 00	2,600 00
Queens.....	714 50	1,000 00
Whitestone.....	500 00	3,800 00
Springfield.....	668 00	1,200 00
Total.....	\$26,931 50	\$60,200 00

Total amount asked for 1901.....	\$60,200 00
Total amount allowed January 1, 1900.....	26,931 50
Mandatory increase.....	\$33,268 50

Recapitulation of Amounts Required by the Fire Department of The City of New York for the Year 1901.

	MANHATTAN, THE BRONX AND RICH- MOND.	BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.	TOTALS.
Headquarters Pay-roll.....	\$67,340 50	\$37,309 50	\$104,650 00
Bureau Chief of Department Pay-roll.....	87,800 00	91,100 00	178,900 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-rolls.....	2,105,787 50	1,665,775 00	3,771,562 50
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	25,400 00	17,700 00	43,100 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	20,200 00	13,200 00	33,400 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch Pay-roll.....	69,069 50	50,900 00	119,969 50
Repair Shops Pay roll.....	83,456 00	38,881 00	122,337 00
Hospital and Training Stables Pay roll.....	10,520 00	7,482 50	18,002 50
Buildings Superintendent Pay-roll.....	10,552 50	.....	10,552 50
Total salaries.....	\$3,482,166 00	\$1,921,398 00	\$4,403,564 00
Maintenance Volunteer Companies, Borough of Richmond.....	40,000 00	.....	40,000 00
Maintenance Volunteer Companies, Borough of Queens.....	.....	60,200 00	60,200 00
Apparatus, Supplies, etc.....	456,500 00	320,000 00	776,500 00
New Fire-boats (2 for Manhattan and The Bronx, 1 for Brook- lyn and Queens).....	150,000 00	75,000 00	225,000 00
Aggregate.....	\$3,128,916 00	\$2,377,598 00	\$5,506,514 00

Grand total asked for 1901, Fire Department of The City of New York.....	\$5,506,514 00
Total allowed in 1900.....	4,868,176 52
Increase over 1900.....	\$638,337 48

Volunteer System, Borough of Queens (chapter 82, Laws of 1900), Supplementary Estimate for Fire Alarm Systems and Apparatus.....	\$76,034 00
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SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATE FOR FIRE ALARM SYSTEMS AND APPARATUS.

<i>Newtown.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
66 miles of No. 12 k. k. wire.....	\$1,750 00
50 new signal boxes.....	5,000 00
Poles and brackets.....	500 00
Extra cells of battery.....	200 00
1 fire alarm repeater.....	800 00
Labor, construction.....	700 00

Fire-alarm System—	
Incidentals.....	\$50 00
Maintenance of present system.....	1,500 00
	\$10,500 00
Apparatus—Hose.....	350 00
Total.....	\$10,850 00

<i>Far Rockaway.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
4 miles of wire.....	\$600 00
30 poles, cross-arms, etc.....	300 00
Extra battery.....	50 00
2 fire gongs.....	250 00
	\$1,200 00
Maintenance of present system.....	600 00
	\$1,800 00
Apparatus—	
2 hose wagons to replace those unfit for the service.....	1,200 00
2,500 feet new fire-hose, at 90 cents.....	2,250 00
Total.....	\$5,250 00

<i>Flushing.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
Battery materials.....	\$185 00
3 miles copper wire.....	330 00
3 fire signal boxes.....	375 00
Poles, cross-arms, etc.....	75 00
Placing wire, boxes, etc.....	375 00
Maintenance of present system.....	1,200 00
Total.....	\$2,540 00

<i>Woodhaven.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
30 fire-alarm signal boxes.....	\$3,750 00
7 bell-striking machines.....	2,450 00
7 indicators.....	1,050 00
1 repeater (four-circuit).....	1,000 00
20 miles telegraph wire.....	3,000 00
Battery and installation.....	500 00
Maintenance of system.....	1,250 00
	\$13,000 00
Apparatus—	
New frame for American Hook and Ladder Truck.....	\$600 00
New hook-and-ladder truck (Jones Hook and Ladder Company).....	1,800 00
New hose-wagon (Woodhaven Hose Company).....	600 00
New frame for Union Course Hook and Ladder Truck.....	600 00
New hose-wagon (Deraismes Hose Company).....	600 00
New hose-wagon (South Side Engine Company).....	600 00
	5,400 00
Total.....	\$18,400 00

<i>Richmond Hill.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
15 fire-alarm boxes.....	\$1,875 00
5 automatic bell-striking machines.....	1,750 00
1 three-circuit automatic repeater.....	800 00
5 bell indicators.....	750 00
12 miles telegraph wire.....	1,800 00
Poles, cross-arms, etc., for placing telegraph wires.....	1,800 00
Battery and installation.....	350 00
	\$9,125 00
Apparatus—	
1 new fourth-size "La France" steam fire-engine.....	\$4,000 00
1 new hose-wagon (Morris Park Hose Company No. 1).....	475 00
	4,475 00
Total.....	\$13,600 00

<i>Rockaway Beach.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
Extension of present system.....	\$1,000 00
Battery supplies.....	300 00
Maintenance of present system.....	1,600 00
	\$2,900 00
Apparatus—	
2,000 feet fire-hose.....	\$1,800 00
Ladders, hooks, axes, etc.....	150 00
	1,950 00
Total.....	\$4,850 00

<i>College Point.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
20 fire-alarm signal boxes.....	\$2,500 00
Poles, cross-arms, etc.....	200 00
Battery materials.....	350 00
Telegraph wire.....	800 00
Bell-striking machine and gong.....	650 00
	\$4,500 00
Apparatus—1 new hose-reel, Union Hose Company No. 1.....	150 00
Total.....	\$4,650 00

<i>Springfield.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
1 automatic bell striker.....	\$300 00
4 fire-alarm boxes.....	500 00
Battery material.....	200 00
Indicators.....	125 00
Wire.....	150 00
Construction.....	100 00
Poles, cross-arms, etc.....	100 00
	\$1,475 00
Apparatus—1 wagon to carry ladders and water for use of chemical engine.....	400 00
Total.....	\$1,875 00

<i>Jamaica.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—Maintenance of present system.....	\$2,000 00

<i>Whitestone.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—New bell-tower and appurtenances.....	\$300 00

<i>Queens.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
9 fire-alarm signal boxes.....	\$1,125 00
8 miles insulated copper wire.....	600 00
100 telegraph poles.....	700 00
Automatic bell striker.....	350 00
Maintenance of system.....	225 00
	\$3,000 00

<i>Bayside.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
1 bell tower.....	\$250 00
1 bell.....	144 00
Placing bell in tower.....	50 00
	\$444 00
Apparatus—500 feet of fire-hose.....	375 00
Total.....	\$819 00

<i>Hollis.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
10 fire-alarm signal boxes.....	\$1,250 00
2 bell strikers.....	500 00
1 indicator and gong.....	150 00
6 miles telegraph wire.....	900 00
Battery material and maintenance.....	500 00
	\$3,700 00
Apparatus—	
1 hose-wagon.....	\$500 00
500 feet fire-hose.....	500 00
	1,000 00
Total.....	\$4,700 00

<i>Columbia Fire Department, Richmond Hill.</i>	
Fire-alarm System—	
Bell-striking machine.....	\$500 00
5 fire-alarm boxes.....	625 00
Poles, wire, cross-arms, etc.....	1,550 00
Battery and materials.....	225 00
Maintenance of system.....	300 00
Total.....	\$3,200 00

RECAPITULATION.	
Newtown.....	\$10,850 00
Far Rockaway.....	5,250 00
Flushing.....	2,540 00
Woodhaven.....	18,400 00
Richmond Hill.....	13,600 00
Rockaway Beach.....	4,850 00
College Point.....	4,650 00
Springfield.....	1,875 00
Jamaica.....	2,000 00
Whitestone.....	300 00
Queens.....	3,000 00
Bayside.....	819 00
Hollis.....	4,700 00
Columbia Fire Department, Richmond Hill.....	3,200 00
Total.....	\$76,034 00

No. 1465.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, August 24, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—By direction of the Police Board I transmit herewith copy of the Departmental Estimate of the amount required to pay the expenses of the Police Department for the year 1901, in pursuance of the following resolution adopted at a meeting of the Police Board held this day:

Resolved, That the Departmental Estimate of the amount required to pay the expenses of the Police Department for the year 1901 be and is hereby approved, and that the said estimate be made in triplicate, one copy to be forwarded to the Mayor, as Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, one copy to the Comptroller and one copy to the Municipal Assembly.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

Departmental Estimate of the Police Department of The City of New York of the Amount Required for Expenses for the Year 1901.

	AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 1901.	AMOUNT ALLOWED FOR 1900.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
<i>Police Fund—For Salaries of Commissioners of Police, Chief of Police, Deputy Chiefs of Police, Inspectors of Police, Sergeants, Captains, Sergeants, Roundsmen, Patrolmen, Detective Sergeants, Telegraph Employees and Matrons, as follows:</i>				
Salaries of 4 Commissioners of Police, at \$5,000 each.....	\$20,000 00			
Salary of 1 Chief of Police.....	6,000 00			
Salaries of 5 Deputy Chiefs of Police, at \$5,000 each.....	25,000 00			
Salaries of 10 Inspectors of Police, at \$3,500 each.....	35,000 00			
Salaries of 23 Sergeants of Police, at \$3,000 each.....	69,000 00			
Salaries of 84 Captains of Police, at \$2,750 each.....	231,000 00			
Salaries of 386 Sergeants of Police, at \$2,000 each.....	772,000 00			
Salaries of 96 Roundsmen of Police, at \$1,500 each.....	594,000 00			
Salaries of Patrolmen of Police—				
Now in and to be advanced to 1st Grade, \$1,400, before January 1, 1901.....	4,438	\$6,213,200 00		
Additional for advancement to 1st Grade in 1901.....		17,000 00		
Now in and to be advanced to 2d Grade, \$1,550, before January 1, 1901.....	38	51,300 00		
Now in and to be advanced to 2d Grade, \$1,500, before January 1, 1901.....	1,224	1,591,200 00		
Additional for advancement to 2d Grade in 1901.....		13,500 00		
Now in and to be advanced to 3d Grade, \$1,750, before January 1, 1901.....	203	253,750 00		
Additional for advancement to 3d Grade in 1901.....		1,500 00		
Now in and to be advanced to 4th Grade, \$1,750, before January 1, 1901.....	83	95,450 00		
Additional for advancement to 4th Grade in 1901.....		3,500 00		
Now in and to be advanced to 5th Grade, \$1,800, before January 1, 1901.....	62	62,000 00		
Additional for advancement to 5th Grade in 1901.....		1,800 00		
Now in and to be advanced to 6th Grade, \$2,000, before January 1, 1901.....	32	28,800 00		
Additional for advancement to 6th Grade in 1901.....		3,000 00		

			AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 1901.	AMOUNT ALLOWED FOR 1900.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.				AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 1901.	AMOUNT ALLOWED FOR 1900.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.	
Salaries of Patrolman of Police—														
Now in 7th Grade, \$800.....	153	\$122,400 00					6 Cleaners, at \$360 per annum each, } Headquarters.....	\$2,160 00						
Vacancies in quota, at \$800..	16	12,800 00					2 Cleaners, at \$360 per annum each, } (Headquarters, Brooklyn).....	720 00						
							Steward.....	360 00						
	6,249		\$8,466,200 00				Cabin Boy.....	240 00						
							Cleaner.....	240 00						
Salaries of 150 Patrolmen of Police—Increase of Force, at \$800 each.....								\$92,317 25		\$79,543 00		\$12,774 25		
Salaries of 92 Detective Sergeants, at \$2,000 each.....														
Salaries of 193 Doormen, at \$1,000 each.....														
Salary of Superintendent of Telegraph and Tele- phones.....														
Salary of Assistant Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephones.....														
Salary of Assistant Superintendent of Telegraph and Telephones.....														
Salaries of 18 Operators, at \$1,850 each.....														
Salaries of 7 Linemen, at \$1,200 each.....														
Salary of 1 Batteryman.....														
Salary of 1 Messenger to Deputy Chief of Police (Brooklyn).....														
Salaries of 59 Matrons of Police, at \$1,000 each.....														
Total								\$187,417 25		\$178,743 00		\$12,774 25		\$4,100 00
NOTE.—The salaries of 1 Sergeant, 5 Roundsmen and 86 Patrolmen to be provided in the appropriation made to the Health Department and are not included in the above.														
Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force and Employees.														
Chief Clerk.....		\$3,000 00					Supplies for Police.							
Deputy Treasurer.....		4,000 00					Printing books and blanks	\$16,409 00						
Treasurer's Bookkeeper		3,500 00					Stationery.....	5,182 69		\$21,591 69				
First Deputy Clerk.....		3,000 00												
Clerk to Chief of Police.....		3,000 00					Badges, emblems, equipments and repairs.....	675 00						
Auditor.....		3,000 00					2,600 tons of coal, at \$4.24 per ton (Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond).....	\$11,024 00						
Property Clerk.....		2,500 00					2,600 tons of coal, at \$4.43 per ton (Brooklyn and Queens).....	11,518 00						
Stenographer and Typewriter		2,500 00					35 tons of soft coal, at \$10 per ton.....	350 00						
Stenographer and Typewriter to Chief of Police.....		2,500 00					45 cords of wood, at \$12 per cord.....	540 00		23,432 00				
Deputy Clerk.....		2,500 00					Gas and light for station-houses.....	\$50,000 00						
4 Private Secretaries to Commissioners, at \$2,500 each.....		10,000 00					Gas and light for Central Department.....	5,500 00		55,500 00				
Auditor.....		2,500 00					Supplying and furnishing Station-houses, viz.: Car-							
Second Deputy Clerk.....		2,400 00					pets, oilcloth, linoleum, directories, furniture,							
Cashier and Assistant Bookkeeper		2,400 00					stoves and stove-pipe, repairs, hardware, lum-							
Record Clerk (Brooklyn).....		2,400 00					ber, soap, shades, brooms, mops and handles,							
2 Deputy Clerks, at \$4,000 each		4,000 00					bandages, dusters, spittoons, tin pails, coal,							
Stenographer and Typewriter		2,000 00					scuttles, disinfectants, ice, stamps and other sup-							
Stenographer and Typewriter to the Police Board.....		2,000 00					plies							
Deputy Property Clerk (Brooklyn).....		2,000 00					Telegraph expenses, repairs and supplies.....	\$10,000 00						
Auditor.....		2,000 00					Rent of telephones (Manhattan).....	5,500 00						
2 Deputy Clerks, at \$1,900 each.....		3,800 00					Rent of telephones and telephone ex-							
Deputy Clerk.....		1,800 00					penses (Brooklyn).....	7,500 00						
Confidential Stenographer to President of the Police Board.....		1,700 00					Rent of telephones and lines (Queens).....	3,500 00		26,500 00				
Deputy Clerk.....		1,600 00					Meals of prisoners.....	\$2,700 00						
5 Deputy Clerks, at \$1,500 each.....		7,500 00					Meals of lost children.....	400 00						
Private Secretary to Deputy Chief of Police (Brooklyn).....		1,500 00					Subsistence for witnesses at House of Detention.....	5,700 00		8,800 00				
Deputy Clerk.....		1,400 00					Purchase of bicycles.....	3,400 00						
4 Deputy Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....		4,800 00					Music for annual parade and expenses of erecting reviewing stand	1,750 00						
2 Deputy Clerks, at \$1,100 each.....		2,200 00					Photograph Bureau and Bertillon System of Identification.....	4,000 00						
4 Deputy Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....		4,000 00					School for pistol practice	1,000 00						
Stenographer and Typewriter (Brooklyn).....		1,000 00					Patrol Wagon and Mounted Police Service—							
Junior Clerk (Brooklyn).....		600 00					Feeding 273 horses for Mounted Police.....	\$34,903 05						
		\$95,100 00		\$99,200 00		\$4,100 00	Shoeing 273 horses, at \$2.50 per month each	8,190 00						
Superintendent of Boilers		\$3,000 00					Stable expenses, board and care of 140 horses, at \$1 per day each.....	51,100 00						
5 Boiler Inspectors, at \$1,300 each.....		6,500 00					Shoeing 100 horses for patrol wagons, at \$7 per month each, including pads	8,400 00						
Clerk to Boiler Inspector.....		1,250 00					Shoeing 40 horses for patrol wagons, at \$3 per month each.....	1,440 00						
Foreman of Stables.....		1,200 00					Purchase of horses for Mounted Police in place of those condemned	18,000 00						
7 Plumbers, at \$3.75 per day each, 313 days		8,216 25					Purchase of patrol wagons and horses in place of those condemned.....	4,500 00						
Chief Engineer.....		1,140 00					Harness, wagons and supplies, bridles, saddles, sheets, blankets, combs, brushes, halters, etc.....	10,000 00						
9 Carpenters, at \$4 per day each, 313 days		11,268 00					Repairs to harness and wagons.....	6,000 00						
4 Painters, at \$3.50 per day each, 313 days		4,382 00					10 additional patrol wagons and horses	7,500 00		150,033 05				
2 Roofers, at \$3.50 per day each, 313 days		2,191 00					Steamboat Expenses and Supplies—							
3 Linemen, at 1,000 each (Brooklyn).....		3,000 00					800 tons of coal, at \$4.25 per ton, for steamboat "Patrol".....	\$3,400 00						
Expert Wireman.....		1,000 00					Oil, waste, packing and rope.....	1,500 00		4,980 00				
3 Firemen, at \$75 per month each.....		2,700 00					Six new launches, at \$5,000 each.....	\$30,000 00						
Messenger.....		900 00					Expenses of running six launches, at \$1.25 per day each.....	2,737 50		32,737 50				
Assistant Engineer.....		900 00					Water tax (Brooklyn).....	2,250 00						
Harness Maker.....		900 00					Total	\$380,649 24		\$312,000 00		\$68,649 24		
2 Elevator men, at \$70 per month each.....		1,680 00					Police Station-houses.							
2 Oilers, at 65 per month each.....		1,560 00					Alterations, fitting up, additions to and repairs of Station-houses.....	\$45,000 00		\$35,000 00		\$10,000 00		
36 Hostlers, at \$2 per day each, 365 days		26,280 00					Contingent Expenses—Central Department and Station-houses.							
5 Laborers, at \$2 per day each, 365 days, Headquarters.....		3,650 00					Contingent and incidental expenses of the Central Department and Station-houses, including expenses of Detectives, Patrolmen and others executing criminal process, investigation and trial of charges against Police officers, apprehension and arrest of criminals, bills of cost paid by order of courts, payment of rewards, etc							
2 Laborers, at \$2 per day each, 365 days (Headquarters, Brooklyn).....		1,460 00					Additions to Mounted Service.							
Stableman.....		730 00					Purchase of 25 horses for Mounted Service, at \$200 each.....	\$5,000 00						
Acting Stableman.....		730 00					Stabling, board and care of 25 horses, at \$1 per day each.....	9,125 00						
3 Deckhands, at \$60 per month each.....		2,160 00					Shoeing 25 horses, at \$30 per year each.....	750 00						
2 Matrons, at \$50 per month each.....		1,200 00					Saddles, bridles, saddle-cloths, etc., at \$36 per set.....	900 00						
Cook.....		600 00					Other supplies, blankets, sheets, combs, brushes, halters, etc.....	287 50						
							Total.....	\$16,062 50		\$16,062 50				
							Extra Telegraph and Telephone Supplies.							
							Extra telephone expenses, construction of new lines, extension of old lines and for additional underground and aerial cables.....	\$30,000 00						
							Placing electrical conductors underground, Borough of Brooklyn.....	40,000 00						
							Telephone Signal System for 19 precincts—816 iron booths, at \$40 each.....	\$32,640 00						
							Underground cables, trenching, branch conduits, labor, etc.....	114,000 00		146,640 00				
							Total.....	\$216,640 00		\$216,640 00				
							Police Station Houses—Rents.							
							Annie F. Foley, Stable, Thirty-second Precinct.....	\$601 92		\$601 92				

	AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 1901.	AMOUNT ALLOWED FOR 1900.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Andrew H. Green, executor, Estate of W. B. Ogden, } Thirty-fourth Precinct.....	\$1,800 00	\$1,800 00		
William H. Payne, Thirty-fifth Precinct.....	4,000 00	4,000 00		
Catherine T. Cunningham, additional accommoda- } tions, Thirty-sixth Precinct.....	950 00	950 00		
Joseph O'Donnell, Thirty-seventh Precinct.....	2,750 00	2,750 00		
William Henderson, Thirty-eighth Precinct.....	1,800 00	1,800 00		
Nereid Engine Company, Thirty-ninth Precinct.....	800 00	800 00		
Joseph H. Godwin, Fortieth Precinct.....	2,000 00	2,000 00		
Max Minshemer, agent for Mary A. Fitzgerald, } Bicycle Squad.....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
Frederick Schmidt, Sub-station, Harbor Police.....	600 00	600 00		
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.				
James Campbell, Stable, Forty-ninth Precinct.....	600 00	600 00		
William Van Auden, Stable, Fiftieth Precinct.....	650 00	650 00		
Harris Weinstein, Sixty-fifth Precinct.....	360 00	360 00		
Bernard Kalischer, sleeping rooms, Sixty-fifth Pre- } cinct.....	216 00	216 00		
William M. Miller, administrator, Estate of Emma } M. Miller, Stable, Sixty-sixth Precinct.....	180 00	240 00		\$60 00
Frederick E. Schultz, Stable, Sixty-seventh Precinct..	240 00	240 00		
Eleanor C. Dickerson, Sixty-eighth Precinct.....	1,000 00	1,000 00		
Mrs. Paul Bauer, Stable, Sixty-ninth Precinct.....	300 00	200 00	\$100 00	
Margaret McGrath, Seventieth Precinct.....	750 00	750 00		
James Burrill, Seventy-second Precinct.....	960 00	960 00		
New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, } Headquarters, Brooklyn.....	5,200 00		5,200 00	
BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.				
Mary E. Corry, executrix, Estate of William Corry, } Eightieth Precinct.....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
Edward M. Muller, First Sub of Eightieth Precinct..	1,500 00	1,500 00		
Rinalder Fisher, Second Sub of Eightieth Precinct...	240 00	240 00		
B. C. Gaedeker, Third Sub of Eightieth Precinct.....	1,000 00	800 00	200 00	
Estate of Herman Korn, formerly Third Sub of } Eightieth Precinct.....		350 00		350 00
BOROUGH OF QUEENS.				
Jane Duffy, Seventy-fifth Precinct.....	720 00	720 00		
Henry Freygang, for Estate of Maria Freygang, } First Sub of Seventy-sixth Precinct.....	720 00	720 00		
Mary E. Hines, Seventy-ninth Precinct.....	1,000 00	1,000 00		
Charles Schilling, Sub of Seventy-ninth Precinct.....	900 00	900 00		
New York Land and Warehouse Company, Head- } quarters, Queens.....	600 00	600 00		
Other stations—approximated.....	4,000 00	4,000 00		
Total.....	\$39,437 92	\$34,347 92	\$5,500 00	\$410 00

BUREAU OF ELECTIONS—GENERAL ELECTION EXPENSES.

(Made on a basis of 1,660 Election Districts.)

	AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 1901.	AMOUNT ALLOWED FOR 1900.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
4 Inspectors of Election, 4 days each, 16 days at } \$7.50 per day each, \$120 (Registration).....	\$192,200 00			
4 Inspectors of Election, 1 day each, 4 days at \$12 } per day each, \$48 (Election day).....	79,680 00			
2 Poll Clerks, 1 day each, 2 days at \$12 per day } each, \$24 (Election day).....	39,840 00			
2 Ballot Clerks, 1 day each, 2 days at \$8 per day } each, \$16 (Election day).....	26,560 00			
Rent of 1,660 polling places, 4 days at \$5 per day } each, \$20 (Registration days).....	33,200 00			
Rent of 1,500 polling places, 1 day at \$30 per day } each (Election day—Manhattan, The Bronx and } Brooklyn).....	45,000 00			
Rent of 160 polling places, 1 day at \$20 per day } each (Election day—Queens and Richmond).....	3,200 00			
Rent of 50 portable steel houses at \$100 each.....	5,000 00			
Contingencies—Fitting up Polling Places, including } Voting Booths and Repairs.....	5,000 00			
Stationery, printing, maps, etc.....	25,000 00			
Cartage of voting booths, guard-rails, ballot boxes, etc.	5,000 00			
Ballots—Official and sample.....	30,000 00			
Miscellaneous—Including \$200 for refreshments for } Clerks on Election night.....	1,000 00			
Advertising Election Districts, boundaries, polling } places, official canvass by County Clerk, Elec- } tion notices by the County Clerk or Clerk of the } Common Council, etc.....	65,000 00			
Advertising list of nominations by the Police Board, } pursuant to section 61, chapter 909, Laws of 1896 } Compensation for Clerks to Board of County Can- } vassers.....	20,000 00 5,000 00			
Salaries—				
Superintendent of Elections.....	6,000 00			
Chief Clerk.....	4,000 00			
First Assistant Clerk.....	2,000 00			
12 Clerks at \$1,400 each.....	16,800 00			
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00			
1 Chief of Bureau (The Bronx).....	1,500 00			
1 Chief Clerk (The Bronx).....	1,200 00			
4 Clerks at \$1,000 each (The Bronx).....	4,000 00			
1 Chief of Bureau (Brooklyn).....	4,000 00			
1 Chief Clerk (Brooklyn).....	2,500 00			
1 Map Clerk (Brooklyn).....	2,000 00			
1 Assistant Clerk (Brooklyn).....	2,000 00			
5 Clerks at \$1,400 each (Brooklyn).....	7,000 00			
1 Chief of Bureau (Queens).....	1,500 00			
1 Chief Clerk (Queens).....	1,200 00			
3 Clerks at \$1,000 each (Queens).....	3,000 00			

	AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 1901.	AMOUNT ALLOWED FOR 1900.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Salaries—				
1 Chief of Bureau (Richmond).....	\$1,500 00			
1 Chief Clerk (Richmond).....	1,200 00			
1 Clerk (Richmond).....	1,000 00			
1 Clerk (Richmond).....	900 00			
Rents—				
Branch Bureau of Elections (The Bronx).....	300 00			
Branch Bureau of Elections (Richmond).....	240 00			
Total.....	\$652,720 00	\$500,000 00	\$152,720 00	
Primary Election Expenses.				
(Made on a basis of 1,660 Primary Districts.)				
4 Inspectors of Election, 1 day each, 4 days at \$5 } per day each, \$20 (Primary day).....	\$33,200 00			
Rent of 1,500 polling places, 1 day at \$15 per day } each (Primary day—Manhattan, The Bronx and } Brooklyn).....	22,500 00			
Rent of 160 polling places, 1 day at \$10 per day } each (Primary day—Queens and Richmond).....	1,600 00			
Rent of 25 portable steel houses at \$100.....	2,500 00			
Contingencies—Fitting up Polling Places, including } Booths and Repairs.....	2,500 00			
Stationery and printing.....	15,000 00			
Cartage of voting booths, ballot boxes, guard-rails, } etc., Primary and Registration days.....	5,000 00			
Ballots—Sample.....	1,000 00			
Salaries of Temporary Clerks.....	30,000 00			
Advertising Primary Election Districts, boundaries, } notices, etc., Primary Election (2 papers in each } Borough).....	10,000 00			
Total.....	\$123,300 00	\$165,000 00		\$41,700 00

RECAPITULATION.

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION.	AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 1901.	AMOUNT ALLOWED FOR 1900.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners and Police } Force.....	\$10,828,000 00	\$10,721,350 00	\$106,650 00	\$13,350 00
Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force and Em- } ployees.....	187,417 25	178,743 00	8,674 25	4,100 00
Supplies for Police.....	380,649 24	312,000 00	68,649 24	
Police Station Houses—Alterations, etc.....	45,000 00	35,000 00	10,000 00	
Contingent Expenses—Central Department and } Station-houses.....	30,000 00	30,000 00		
Additions to Mounted Service.....	16,062 50	16,062 50		
Extra—Telephone and Telegraph Supplies.....	216,640 00		216,640 00	
Police Station-houses—Rents.....	39,437 92	34,347 92	5,500 00	410 00
Total.....	\$11,743,206 91	\$11,327,503 42	\$413,563 49	\$17,860 00
Bureau of Elections.				
Bureau of Elections—General Election Expenses.....	\$652,720 00	\$500,000 00	\$152,720 00	
Bureau of Elections—Primaries.....	123,300 00	165,000 00		\$41,700 00
Total.....	\$776,020 00	\$665,000 00	\$152,720 00	\$41,700 00

No. 1466.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE—COUNTY OF NEW YORK,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk:

SIR—Pursuant to the requirements of section 226, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I transmit herewith to the Municipal Assembly a duplicate of my estimate for conducting the business of the Sheriff's Office and of the County Jail for the year 1901.

Respectfully,

WM. F. GRELL, Sheriff.

SHERIFF OF NEW YORK COUNTY,
SHERIFF'S OFFICE, NEW YORK CITY,
September 4, 1900.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I submit the following estimate of the amounts required to conduct the business of the Sheriff's Office and of the County Jail for the year 1901:

Statements are herewith presented:

Of the salaries of each of the officers and clerks in the Sheriff's office and of the prison guards and van drivers.

Of the officers and employees of the County Jail.

Of the appropriations required for the expense of conducting the public business for the support of the prisoners in the County Jail and for the supplies for the Special Commissioner of Jurors.

Of the amounts allowed for 1900 and the amounts required for 1901.

The whole amount required for 1901 is..... \$131,482 00
The whole amount allowed for 1900 was..... 130,982 00

Increase..... \$500 00

This slight increase in the sum total is to enable me to appoint a Matron in the County Jail. It has been apparent to me for some time that a Matron to search the Civil and United States female prisoners upon their admission to the Jail, and generally to look after them during their detention, was an urgent necessity; the propriety of this increase will be so readily recognized by your Honorable Board that nothing but a statement of the fact is believed to be required to secure favorable consideration.

It is at this time impossible to state the "amount which may probably remain unexpended of any appropriations for 1900 at the end of the year," excepting the appropriation for "Salaries of Jury Notice Servers for Special Jurors," and the appropriation for "Furniture, Keep of Horses, etc.," in each of which a balance may remain unexpended.

WM. F. GRELL, Sheriff.

SALARIES—SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Salary of Sheriff—Salaries of Under Sheriff, Counsel, Deputy Sheriffs, Employees, etc.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	DESIGNATION.	RATE PER ANNUM.
William F. Grell.	867 West End avenue	Sheriff.	\$12,000 00
Henry P. Mulvany.	147 East 33d street.	Under Sheriff.	5,000 00
Philip J. Britt.	243 East 50th street.	Counsel.	6,000 00
Frank J. Burnes.	205 East 70th street.	Deputy Sheriff.	2,500 00
Joseph J. Carey.	46 Ridge street.	"	2,500 00
Louis Leavitt.	95 Second avenue.	"	2,500 00
Alex. J. Ahearn.	813 Greenwich street.	"	2,500 00
Joseph F. Prendergast.	107 Waverley place.	"	2,500 00
Thomas Halligan.	356 West 33d street.	"	2,500 00
Thomas Radley.	179 Cherry street.	"	2,500 00
Frank G. Kinn.	444 West 43d street.	"	2,500 00
Andrew Roberts.	204 East 21st street.	"	2,500 00
Silas Strauss.	271 East 78th street.	"	2,500 00
John J. Murray.	244 West 30th street.	"	2,500 00
Frank J. Walgering.	235 West 52d street.	"	2,500 00
James A. Hayes.	451 Pearl street.	Assistant Deputy Sheriff.	1,000 00
Samuel Stricker.	308 East 120th street.	"	1,000 00
Andrew J. McGivney.	377 Broome street.	"	1,000 00
John J. Hassett.	151 East 50th street.	"	1,000 00
Thos. F. Connolly.	29 Washington street.	"	1,000 00
John Zahn.	155 East 3d street.	"	1,000 00
Nathan Metzger.	114 Seventh street.	"	1,000 00
Geo. B. Gifford.	827 East 165th street.	"	1,000 00
Wm. H. O'Brien.	68 East 94th street.	"	1,000 00
Max Altman.	318 East 4th street.	"	1,000 00
John C. Mayforth.	319 East 10th street.	"	1,000 00
Daniel G. Terry.	167 East 105th street.	"	1,000 00
Henry McLaughlin.	39 West 60th street.	Entry Clerk.	2,500 00
Edward H. Walker.	72 West 93d street.	Auditor.	2,800 00
William C. Blaney.	1177 Third avenue.	Cashier.	2,000 00
William H. McCormick.	698 East 134th street.	Jury Clerk.	2,000 00
George A. Weaver.	136 West 92d street.	Arrest Clerk.	1,500 00
Frederick Green.	554 West 42d street.	Bond Clerk.	2,000 00
Francis E. V. Dunn.	338 East 17th street.	Law Clerk.	1,600 00
Richard D. Knahe.	863 West End avenue.	Secretary.	1,500 00
Thomas C. McNulty.	1193 Third avenue.	Assistant Entry Clerk.	1,500 00
Franklin J. Studley.	151 West 133d street.	Sheriff's Jury Clerk.	1,000 00
Conrad Muehlhaus.	162 Avenue B.	Under Sheriff's Clerk.	1,000 00
S. R. Frederick.	814 Sixth street.	Clerk.	1,020 00
John McCue.	100 West 81st street.	"	1,000 00
Francis X. Butler.	151 East 72d street.	Stenographer.	1,080 00
James Rickard.	320 East 57th street.	Messenger.	1,080 00
Mrs. Katie Buckley.	437 East 74th street.	Cleaner.	360 00
Mrs. Maggie McGinley.	706 Sixth street.	"	300 00
Mrs. V. Lebourveau.	327 West 59th street.	"	300 00
August Fischer.	445 East 57th street.	Accountant.	600 00
Daniel J. Kelly.	307 Hudson street.	Prison Guard.	1,500 00
Michael O'Keefe.	430 East 71st street.	"	1,500 00
Ferdinand C. Von Deesten.	1984 Bathgate avenue.	"	1,200 00
Wm. Monahan.	724 Lexington avenue.	"	1,200 00
Joseph Bell.	Van Nest, Westchester.	"	1,200 00
Daniel G. Harris.	1078 Second avenue.	"	1,200 00
James Cassidy.	141 West 21st street.	Van Driver.	840 00
M. J. Mulvany.	159 East 119th street.	"	840 00
Total.			\$99,880 00

Salaries of Jury Notice Servers for Special Jurors (chap. 378, Laws of 1896)..... \$500 00

SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

Salaries—County Jail.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	DESIGNATION.	RATE PER ANNUM.
Patrick A. Pickett.	County Jail.	Warden.	\$3,000 00
John Ferguson.	509 East 75th street.	Keeper.	1,000 00
Christopher Henry.	164 East 100th street.	"	1,000 00
Frank J. Gurrin.	244 East 28th street.	"	1,000 00
Richard Schoen.	1670 Avenue A.	"	1,000 00
William Whitman.	46 Canal street.	"	1,000 00
Edward Kennedy.	339 East 45th street.	"	1,000 00
Michael B. Fitzpatrick.	112 East 118th street.	"	1,000 00
David Murphy.	446 Fourth avenue.	"	1,000 00
Denis J. Riley.	63 Cherry street.	"	1,000 00
Bernard F. Fitzpatrick.	1636 Amsterdam avenue.	"	1,000 00
Hubert Casey.	153 West 84th street.	"	1,000 00
Henry H. Connolly.	205 West 130th street.	Clerk.	1,000 00
J. McMahon Brown, M. D.	213 East 69th street.	Physician.	1,000 00
Luke Carroll.	1464 Second avenue.	Engineer.	1,000 00
Michael Spellman.	156 East 27th street.	Assistant Engineer.	800 00
Denis P. Kerns.	541 West 125th street.	Cleaner.	900 00
Walter Donohue.	110 East 115th street.	"	900 00
Moritz Graubard.	176 Eldridge street.	"	700 00
Rose Taylor.	County Jail.	Cook.	300 00
Kate Muldoon.	"	"	300 00
Rose Mallon.	"	Assistant Cook.	240 00
Mary McMunn.	"	"	228 00
Catherine Hughes.	407 East 15th street.	Laundress.	204 00
		Matron.	500 00
Total.			\$22,152 00

Incidental expenses of the Sheriff's office and the County Jail..... \$2,750 00

Furniture, keep of horses, repairs to vans, horseshoeing, etc..... \$1,000 00

Support of indigent prisoners in County Jail..... \$4,000 00

Furniture and supplies for Special Commissioner of Jurors..... \$1,200 00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION.	ALLOWED 1900.	REQUIRED 1901.
Salaries—Sheriff's Office—		
Salary of Sheriff.	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00
Salaries of Under Sheriff, Counsel, Deputy Sheriffs, Employees, etc.	87,880 00	87,880 00
Salaries of Jury Notice Servers for Special Jurors (chap. 378, Laws of 1896).	500 00	500 00
Salaries—County Jail.	21,652 00	22,152 00
Incidental Expenses of the Sheriff's Office and the County Jail.	2,750 00	
Furniture—Keep of horses—		
Repairs to vans, horse-shoeing, etc.	1,000 00	1,000 00
Support of indigent Prisoners in County Jail.	4,000 00	4,000 00
Furniture and supplies for Special Commissioner of Jurors.	1,200 00	1,200 00
Total.	\$130,982 00	\$131,482 00

No. 1467.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE PEACE.

ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1901.

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY, 1900.	SALARY, 1901.
Rufus B. Cowing.	City Judge.	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00
John W. Goff.	Recorder.	12,000 00	12,000 00
Joseph E. Newburger.	Judge.	12,000 00	12,000 00
Martin T. McMahon.	"	12,000 00	12,000 00
Warren W. Foster.	"	12,000 00	12,000 00
Total.		\$60,000 00	\$60,000 00

Clerks, Stenographers, etc.

Edward R. Carroll.	Clerk.	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Edward J. Hall.	Deputy Clerk.	3,000 00	3,000 00
William N. Penney.	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
Henry Welsh.	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
John P. Brophy.	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
Edward K. Cowing.	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
Albert Elteich.	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
Michael D. Gallagher.	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
John F. McDermott.	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
William Havnah.	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
Samuel Wolf.	Assistant Clerk.	3,000 00	3,000 00
Lawrence L. Boyle.	Record Clerk.	1,200 00	1,200 00
Edward Chambers.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Charles Ehrman.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
(Vacancy.)	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Thomas W. Osborne.	Stenographer.	2,500 00	2,500 00
Frank S. Beard.	"	2,500 00	2,500 00
Peter P. McLoughlin.	"	2,500 00	2,500 00
George F. Flack.	"	2,500 00	2,500 00
Gustave St. Albe.	Interpreter.	2,000 00	2,000 00
Philip Dollin.	"	2,000 00	2,000 00
Benedetto Morrossi.	"	2,000 00	2,000 00
Lawrence F. Dowling.	Warden Grand Jury.	2,000 00	2,000 00
Total.		\$57,800 00	\$57,800 00

Michael Looney.	Chief Court Attendant.	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00
Richard McLaughlin.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Charles H. Wheelock.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
James M. McAuley.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Lawrence A. Curry.	Attendant.	1,200 00	1,200 00
Thomas F. Morris.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
(Vacancy.)	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
John S. Phillips.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Peter Seaman.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Harry E. Bedell.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Thomas Booth.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Lawrence V. C. Conover, Jr.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
John Clune.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Richard Dougherty.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
William F. Devlin.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Dennis Dowling.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Isaac Eckstein.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Edward P. Frank.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Edmund R. Gibbons.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
John H. Hart.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Patrick Harnett.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
George Jefferys.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
James F. Kelly.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Thomas E. Kearney.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Robert Lang.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
John Landsiedel.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Max Loewel.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
William McCabe.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
William S. McTaggart.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Patrick Moynahan.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Patrick O'Brien.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Michael C. O'Beirne.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
John O'Reilly.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Mortimer M. O'Sullivan.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
John F. Ormond.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Peter Rush.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Cedric Rappleye.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Louis Schmoll.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Alexander Schwab.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Thomas Shiels.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Henry Trott.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Alfred Walker.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
T. Harry Ward.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Giles Wannamaker.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
John White.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
George W. Wylie.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
William Boenke.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
William A. Ferguson.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Patrick Cummings.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
William A. Maguire.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Louis F. Gaffney.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
John Kennedy.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
James Degnan.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Jacob Newman.	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Total.		\$64,800 00	\$64,800 00

	YEAR 1900.	YEAR 1901.
Fees of Grand and Petit Jurors and expenses of Jurors.	\$75,000 00	\$75,000 00
Fees of Stenographers (chap. 81, Laws 1888, and chap. 379, Laws 1889).	15,000 00	15,000 00
Fees of Witnesses in behalf of the People (chap. 98, Laws 1895).	20,000 00	20,000 00
Office contingencies and rent of telephones.	1,500 00	1,500 00
Disbursements and fees of Commissions (sec. 658, Code of Criminal Procedure).	4,000 00	4,000 00
Library Fund (chap. 685, Laws 1895).	1,000 00	1,000 00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	YEAR 1900.	YEAR 1901.
Salaries of Judges.	\$60,000 00	\$60,000 00
Salaries of Clerks, etc.	57,800 00	57,800 00
Salaries of Attendants.	64,800 00	64,800 00

	YEAR 1900.	YEAR 1901.
Fees of Jurors and expenses of Jurors.....	\$75,000 00	\$75,000 00
Fees of Stenographers.....	15,000 00	15,000 00
Fees of Witnesses.....	20,000 00	20,000 00
Contingencies and rent of telephones.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Disbursements and fees of Insanity Commissions.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Library Fund.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Total.....	\$299,100 00	\$299,100 00

No. 1468.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—BOROUGH OF RICHMOND,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, STAPLETON,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—In compliance with chapter 13, section 374, Greater New York Charter, and a circular letter from the Honorable Comptroller under date of July 2, 1900, I transmit herewith estimates in detail of the amount necessary for the proper conduct of the business of the Department of Public Charities for the Borough of Richmond for the year 1901.

Yours respectfully,

JAMES FEENY, Commissioner.

SALARIES.

	1900.	1901.	INCREASE.
Commissioner.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	.....
<i>Almshouse.</i>			
Superintendent of Almshouse.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Superintendent of Out-door Poor.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Clerk, Almshouse.....	1,080 00	1,200 00	\$120 00
Physician.....	350 00	350 00	.....
Matron.....	317 28	317 28	.....
Matron, Assistant.....	317 28	317 28	.....
Seamstress.....	317 28	317 28	.....
Foreman and Farmer.....	400 00	600 00	200 00
<i>New Positions.</i>			
Hospital Helper.....	.....	120 00	120 00
Nurse, male.....	.....	140 00	140 00
Nurse, female.....	.....	120 00	120 00
Cook.....	.....	240 00	240 00
Stableman.....	.....	180 00	180 00
Driver.....	.....	240 00	240 00
Total.....	\$7,981 84	\$9,341 84	\$1,360 00

Supplies.

Amount asked for for these supplies is to be spent in the following manner, as near as can be ascertained at the present time:

Children's board.....	\$1,100 00
Groceries.....	2,700 00
Meats, fish and poultry.....	2,000 00
Hardware, farm implements.....	700 00
Dry goods and clothing.....	1,200 00
Blacksmithing and saddlery.....	350 00
Medicines.....	400 00
Boots and shoes.....	250 00
Lumber for coffins and fences.....	300 00
Coal and wood.....	1,000 00
Oats, meal and bran.....	700 00
Bedsteads, wire springs, mattresses and blankets.....	300 00
Fertilizers and seeds.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$12,000 00

Repairs.

Alterations and repairs to buildings.....	\$500 00
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Statement Showing the Departmental Estimate for Supplies for the Year 1901.

Average daily census, first seven months, 1899.....	116
Average daily census, first seven months, 1900.....	117
Increase.....	1
Supplies on hand as per inventory, January 1, 1900.....	\$1,979 50
Supplies received, January 1 to July 31, 1900.....	6,092 00
Total supplies to meet requirements, January 1 to July 31, 1900.....	\$8,072 26
Deduct supplies on hand as per inventory, July 31, 1900.....	1,027 20
Total expense from January 1 to July 31, 1900 (212 days).....	\$6,945 06
Add pro rata expense for remaining five months of 1900 (153 days).....	5,012 10
Total for year 1900.....	\$11,957 16
Add increase in census to meet requirements for 1901, estimated five per cent.	597 85
Total for year 1901.....	\$12,555 01

The average daily census of the first seven months of 1899 and 1900 includes employees provided for at Almshouse.

Included in above statement, for farm and morgue attached to Almshouse and board of children, as per following statement:

Farm.....	\$1,181 05
Morgue.....	566 62
Board of children.....	822 50
Total.....	\$2,570 17

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	ALLOWED 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Salaries.....	\$8,000 00	\$9,341 84	\$1,341 84	.....
Supplies.....	15,000 00	12,000 00	.....	\$3,000 00
Repairs.....	500 00	500 00	.....	.....
Poor adult blind.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Donations to veterans.....	1,000 00	600 00	.....	400 00
Burial of veterans, and headstones.....	600 00	400 00	.....	200 00
Transportation of paupers.....	75 00	100 00	25 00	.....
Insane pavilion.....	1,500 00	.....	.....	1,500 00
New hospital building.....	.....	20,000 00	20,000 00	.....
Total.....	\$27,675 00	\$43,941 84	\$21,366 84	\$5,100 00

At present one room in the sleeping apartment of the male pauper inmates is used as a hospital for male patients, without any of the modern facilities for the accommodation and treatment of the sick. This building is fifty years old. The nursing is done by pauper inmates.

The same is true of the room used for the female pauper inmates. The present condition is totally inadequate in every respect for the proper humane treatment of those unfortunates who are dependent upon the City, through poverty, when sick.

A new building for hospital purposes is an urgent necessity. This can be verified by the Inspector of the State Board of Charities.

No. 1469.

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF KINGS COUNTY,
BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 15, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York, N. Y.:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with Section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, I have the honor to submit a departmental estimate of the amount required for expenditure in the Office of the District Attorney of Kings County for the year 1901.

Very respectfully,

JOHN F. CLARKE, District Attorney, Kings County.

For Salary of the District Attorney.....	\$10,000 00
For Salary of Assistants, Clerks and Employees, as per schedule attached.....	67,900 00
For Contingencies.....	10,000 00

Total..... \$87,900 00

Office of the District Attorney of Kings County.

NAME.	POSITION.	SALARIES PAID IN 1900.	SALARIES PROPOSED FOR 1901.
John F. Clarke.....	District Attorney.....	\$10,000 00	\$10,000 00
Robert H. Elder.....	Assistant District Attorney.....	7,000 00	7,000 00
William H. Courtney.....	".....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Martin W. Littleton.....	".....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Robert H. Roy.....	".....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Frank X. McCaffrey.....	".....	5,000 00	5,000 00
William Van Wyck.....	".....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Arthur H. Walkley.....	Chief Clerk.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
Frederick B. Bailey.....	Assistant Clerk.....	1,800 00	*2,000 00
Thomas McNeely.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Frederick Rummel.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
William M. Byrnes.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Evart B. Bristol.....	".....	1,400 00	1,400 00
Fidele A. Driscoll.....	Stenographer.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Walter Worth.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Katharine J. Boyle.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Julia A. Brady.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Charles J. Dougherty.....	Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Joseph Hayes.....	Doorkeeper.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Jeremiah Mahoney.....	County Detective.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Joseph Irwin.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
James F. Mulcahey.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
George Corcoran.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Philip J. Cantlon.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Charles Doyle.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John Dee.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Charles V. Bowerhan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Henry Hasenflug.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Dennis Winter.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Michael F. Reilly.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John Worth.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Total.....		\$77,700 00	\$77,900 00

*Proposed increase, \$200.
Chapter 378, Laws of 1897.
Chapter 438, Laws of 1897.

Chapter 77, Laws of 1896.
Chapter 126, Laws of 1900.

There will be an unexpended balance in the appropriation for Contingent Disbursements, the amount of which it is impossible to estimate.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN F. CLARKE, District Attorney, Kings County.

No. 1470.

THE COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS—KINGS COUNTY,
ROOM 1, HALL OF RECORDS,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY,
September 6, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Chairman:

GENTLEMEN—Under chapter 591 of the Laws of 1899 there is herewith presented to you the estimate and application of the Commissioner of Records of Kings County for salaries and compensation of the Commissioner, his assistants and employees, and for other necessary expenses of his office, pursuant to said chapter 591, for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1901.

Very respectfully yours,

G. E. WALDO, Commissioner of Records of Kings County.

Application and Statement of the Commissioner of Records of Kings County for Appropriation, Pursuant to Chapter 591 of the Laws of 1899, for the Fiscal Year ending December 31, 1901:

1 Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00
1 Deputy Commissioner.....	3,500 00
1 Superintendent.....	4,000 00
About 80 employees as Experts, Clerks, Locators, Indexers, Comparers (interchangeable), Bookbinder, and other necessary expenses.....	87,500 00
Total.....	\$100,000 00

There will be practically no balance left over from the appropriation for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1900.

G. E. WALDO, Commissioner of Records of the County of Kings.

No. 1471.

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

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the request of the Honorable Comptroller of The City of New York, dated July 2d, 1900, The Long Island College Hospital respectfully submits the following:

The Long Island College Hospital is a corporation duly organized under the provisions of chapter 19 of the Laws of 1858 of the State of New York and acts amendatory thereof, and maintains in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, in The City of New York, a general hospital for the treatment of medical and surgical cases; that as departments thereof, but under the same corporate name and management, it maintains The Maternity of the Long Island College Hospital and The Dispensary of the Long Island College Hospital (incorrectly termed The Long Island College Dispensary in the law referred to below).

By section 230 of The Greater New York Charter it is provided (paragraph 28), "The Board of Estimate and Apportionment are hereby authorized in their discretion to include in their annual statements and estimates the following specified sums of money for the respective purposes herein stated, viz.:

To be paid to The Long Island College Hospital.....	\$4,000 00
To be paid to The Long Island College Dispensary (The Dispensary of the Long Island College Hospital).....	1,500 00
To be paid to The Maternity of the Long Island College Hospital.....	2,500 00

On January 1, 1900, the new regulations governing the reception of patients by private charitable institutions took effect, and the following estimate is therefore based only upon the six months from January 1 to July 1, 1900, and the estimate for a whole year is obtained by doubling the figures for six months. During that period of six months the Long Island College Hospital (including the Maternity of the Long Island College Hospital and the Dispensary of the Long Island College Hospital) has rendered, free of charge to the patient, medical and surgical aid and treatment to the poor of Kings County who applied to it therefor and were approved by the Commissioner of Charities of Kings County. During said period of six months the number of such persons treated in the general hospital of the Long Island College Hospital (exclusive of the Maternity and the Dispensary) was 373, who remained in the Hospital 5,886 days, and for whose treatment The City of New York paid the hospital the sum of \$4,544, as follows:

275 surgical cases, 5,062 days, at \$0 80.....	\$4,049 60
98 medical cases, 824 days, at \$0 60.....	494 40
373	5,886
	\$4,544 00

Or for an entire year, 746 medical cases, 11,772 days..... \$9,088 00

During said period of six months the number of such persons treated in the Maternity of the Long Island College Hospital was 23, for whose treatment The City of New York paid the hospital the sum of \$18 for each case, and, in addition, the per diem rate for overtime, amounting together to the sum of \$446.77.

Or for an entire year, 46 cases, amounting to about \$900.
During the said period of six months the number of such persons treated in the Dispensary of the Long Island College Hospital was 7,748, who made 18,640 visits.

Or for an entire year, 15,496 persons and 37,280 visits.
The foregoing is not a statement of the whole amount of charitable work done by the Institution, but only in such cases as have been accepted as proper charges against the City according to existing laws and regulations. For its work in the Dispensary the Institution was formerly awarded \$1,500, which in 1899 was reduced to \$750. This sum is all which the Institution has to defray the current expenses of the Dispensary, outside of its other resources, and the regular income was much affected when the new regulations of the State Board of Charities went into force, as since then only persons of very limited means could avail themselves of the advantages of the Dispensary.

The expenses of the Dispensary are as follows:

Salary of Warden, chargeable to Dispensary.....	\$500 00
Salary of Superintendent of Nurses, Dispensary.....	250 00
Salary of Pharmacist.....	500 00
Salary of Clerk.....	400 00
Salary of Nurses on duty in Dispensary.....	720 00
Salary of Janitor and Laundrywomen.....	660 00
Rent.....	1,000 00
Drugs and utensils.....	1,624 46
Surgical stores.....	339 93

Making a total of..... \$6,000 39
Less received for drugs, etc..... 2,868 95

Leaving a deficiency of..... \$3,131 44

—against which only \$750 was received from the City.

It is submitted that the appropriation for the Dispensary should be raised again to \$1,500, as in former years, and as authorized by law above quoted. Even then the amount received from the City would be but a small portion of what it has to spend to keep the Dispensary going, and the need is all the more urgent now, when under the regular State Board of Charities the work is confined exclusively to the poorest classes of the community.

During the coming year the number of persons who will apply for medical and surgical aid and treatment it is estimated will be as large as, if not larger than, that of the past year.

The Long Island College Hospital is without any endowment and is wholly dependent upon its current receipts to meet its current expenses, which in the past year amounted to over \$53,000.

Wherefore, The Long Island College Hospital petitions your Honorable Board to include in your statement and estimate the sum of \$4,000 to be paid to The Long Island College Hospital, \$1,500 to The Dispensary of the Long Island College Hospital, and \$2,500 to The Maternity of the Long Island College Hospital.

THE LONG ISLAND COLLEGE HOSPITAL,

By HENRY W. MAXWELL, President.

City and County of New York, ss.:

Henry W. Maxwell, being duly sworn, says: I am the President of the Long Island College Hospital. The statements contained in the foregoing petition are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY W. MAXWELL.

Sworn to before me this 5th day of September, 1900.

PERCY S. DUDLEY, Notary Public,
Kings and New York Counties.

No. 1472.

OFFICES OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS—KINGS COUNTY, }
No. 375 FULTON STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, N. Y., }
September 4, 1900. }

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

GENTLEMEN—I transmit herewith, "Departmental Estimate" of amount required for this department for the year 1901.

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD J. DOOLEY, Commissioner.

Departmental Estimate.

NAME.	OFFICIAL TITLE.	1900.	1901.
Edward J. Dooley.....	Commissioner.....	\$4,500 00	\$4,500 00
Denis Judge.....	Chief Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Christopher Byrnes.....	Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Jonh W. Walker, Jr.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Edward M. Crofton.....	Process Server.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Daniel S. Murphy.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Miles J. Riley.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Marguerite Frost.....	Stenographer.....	"	600 00
Contingencies.....	".....	2,200 00	1,600 00
	Total.....	\$13,900 00	\$13,900 00

*The sum of \$600 was transferred from the appropriation made for the year 1900 entitled "Contingencies" to the appropriation entitled "Salaries of Clerks, Assistants Messengers and Employees," by resolution dated August 8, 1900.

No. 1473.

ST. ELIZABETH'S INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL,
No. 235 EAST FOURTEENTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY, }
August 31, 1900. }

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

HON. GENTLEMEN—According to the capacity (40) of this institution and its expenditure for the care and maintenance of destitute children, accepted as public charges, the Board of Managers estimate the approximate sum needed for the year 1901 to be four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA R. PEACOCK, Secretary and Treasurer.

No. 1474.

NEW YORK, August 27, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Municipal Assembly and the Comptroller of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—In response to the circular letter of the Comptroller dated July 2, 1900, the Hospital and Dispensary of the Town of Flushing submits the annexed estimate of the amount required for the care and support of its inmates for the year 1901.

By chapter 754 of the Laws of 1895 and section 230 of The Greater New York Charter the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with the approval of the Municipal Assembly, is authorized to appropriate moneys for the benefit of the hospital, payments to be made thereout only for such inmates as are received and retained in the hospital pursuant to the rules established by the State Board of Charities.

Pursuant to such authority the sum of ten thousand dollars, to be expended for the care of in-patients accepted by the Department of Public Charities as proper charges against the City Treasury, at the rate of 65 cents per day for medical treatment and 80 cents per day for surgical treatment, was duly appropriated for the Flushing Hospital in the fall of 1899 and included in the Budget for 1900.

The Hospital asks that the same appropriation be made for its benefit for the year 1901, and also that, if possible, the old per diem rates of one dollar for surgical cases and 70 cents for medical cases be restored.

THE HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY OF THE TOWN OF FLUSHING,

JAMES A. RENWICK, President.

Estimate of the Amount Required for the Care and Support of the Inmates of the Flushing Hospital in and for the Year 1901.

Salaries—	
Superintendent.....	\$900 00
House Surgeon.....	180 00
Assistant Treasurer.....	120 00
	\$1,200 00
Wages.....	3,100 00
Provisions and supplies.....	5,200 00
Fuel and lights.....	1,350 00
Medicines and medical supplies.....	1,400 00
Ordinary repairs.....	450 00
Furniture, beds and bedding.....	500 00
Insurance and water rates.....	250 00
Ambulance service.....	250 00
Clothing.....	150 00
Printing, stationery and postage.....	100 00
Telephone.....	75 00
Rent (of small house used as an addition).....	144 00
Sundries.....	200 00
Total.....	\$14,369 00

NEW YORK, August 27, 1900.

THE HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY OF THE TOWN OF FLUSHING,

By JAMES A. RENWICK, President.

No. 1475.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }
NEW YORK LIFE BUILDING, No. 346 BROADWAY, }
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900. }

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to the requirement of section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, and in compliance with the request of the Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, the Municipal Civil Service Commission respectfully submits an estimate of the amount of expenditure required to conduct the business of the Commission for the year 1901.

The amount asked is \$95,344. For 1898 the appropriation was \$86,000, and the same amount was allowed for 1899. For this year, 1900, the amount was reduced to \$76,000.

The Commission believes that the sum asked will be required for the proper conduct of the business of its office next year, and that any decrease will seriously affect the public interest.

In order to keep within the limits of the appropriation for the current year, the Commission has been compelled to curtail the number of examinations; to supply names from lists held to be appropriate, in instances where the public service undoubtedly would have been benefited by holding new examinations, and, because of an inadequate clerical force, to defer the preparation of records and data required by the statute. A deficit of several thousand dollars would otherwise be shown in the accompanying statement instead of the estimated unexpended balance of \$164.41.

The Commission requires the services of at least five additional examiners. Serious and well-grounded complaints have been made by various City departments of delay in the preparation of lists of eligibles for appointment or promotion. Months have been required by the present small force of examiners to furnish the results of examinations where the public service required, and should have been supplied, with such results in as many weeks.

As an instance of such delays the Commission would refer to the Fire Department, where about 1,000 men were examined for promotion in the uniformed force. An average of five papers to each candidate and ten questions to each paper, gives 50,000 answers to be considered and rated in a single examination. As not more than two examiners could be spared from other work of equal importance, and these only from time to time, it will be readily seen why a delay of many months occurred in filling vacancies among the officers of this important arm of the service.

The services of at least four additional junior and three additional senior clerks are imperatively needed. Eight members of the clerical force have left the Commission during the current year to obtain better compensation elsewhere, and their places could not be filled because of lack of funds.

For the above reasons the Commission earnestly requests the full amount of its estimate, and as many of the items of expenditure are necessarily subject to variation, dependent upon the number and character of the examinations required and the amount of expert assistance necessary, it is respectfully requested that the appropriation be made in a lump sum, as in former years.

Respectfully,

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

By LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Statement Showing Pay-roll for 1900 and Estimate for 1901.

NAME.	POSITION.	SALARY, 1900.	PROPOSED SALARY, 1901.
Lee Phillips.....	Secretary.....	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00
John H. McCooley.....	Assistant Secretary.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Frederick G. Ireland.....	Chief Examiner.....	3,600 00	3,600 00
Daniel M. Simpson.....	Chief Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Frank A. Spencer.....	Labor Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Philip J. Coffey.....	Clerk.....	1,700 00	1,700 00
Emil Bach.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Claude F. Curtis.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Mamie Cadley.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
Mary A. Farrell.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
John H. Dougherty.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
George H. Eberle.....	Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
James D. Dunlap.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John Casey.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Frederick G. Smith.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
John W. Woodward.....	".....	800 00	800 00
Henry B. Boudnot.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
George Hesh.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Charles K. Terry.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00
John F. Flynn.....	".....	600 00	600 00
George B. Pettit.....	".....	600 00	600 00
James F. Dwyer.....	".....	600 00	600 00
William Connell.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	900 00	900 00

NAME.	POSITION.	SALARY, 1900.	PROPOSED, SALARY 1901.
A. Augusta Holland	Stenographer and Typewriter . . .	\$840 00	\$840 00
D. Aurelia McGowan	"	840 00	840 00
Francis Collingwood	Examiner	2,500 00	2,500 00
A. H. Brown	"	2,000 00	2,000 00
Alfred S. Houghton	"	1,320 00	1,320 00
William Geoghan	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Joseph A. Kene	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
E. Styles Potter	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
Charles B. Jessup	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Mildred G. Smith	"	900 00	900 00
Margaret Hetherton	Telegraph Operator	720 00	720 00
William T. O'Brien	Office Boy	300 00	300 00
Lawrence A. Byrne	"	300 00	300 00
William A. Tighe	"	300 00	300 00
William A. Barnard	"	300 00	300 00
		\$52,620 00	\$52,620 00
Danford N. B. Sturgis	Per Diem Examiners, at \$10 per Session, 2,074 sessions, at \$10.		
Persy S. Hildreth			
Lynds E. Jones			
Henry K. Spaulding			
Levi F. Warner			
Willoughby B. Dobbs			
F. Edge Kavanagh			
Frank Gallagher			
Charles H. Hyde			
Elmer G. Story			
Ernest L. Crandall			
Silas A. Underhill			
Total .....		.....	\$73,360 00

Incidentals for 1901.	
Postage	\$3,000 00
Expert services	4,000 00
Messenger service	300 00
Telephone service	744 00
Telephone tolls	240 00
Car fares and incidentals	300 00
Total	\$8,584 00
Appropriation for 1900	\$76,000 00
Approximate expenses for 1900	75,835 59
Approximate unexpended balance for 1900	\$164 41

Salaries for 1901	\$52,620 00
Examiners, 2,074 sessions, at \$10 per session	20,740 00
Expert services, postage, messenger service, telephone and incidentals	8,584 00
5 additional examiners, 800 sessions, at \$10 per session	8,000 00
4 additional junior clerks, at \$600	2,400 00
3 additional clerks, at \$1,000	3,000 00
Total	\$95,344 00

No. 1476.

JULY 6, 1900.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES OF THE BUSHWICK AND EAST BROOKLYN DISPENSARY, BROOKLYN, N. Y., FOR THE YEAR 1901.

Apothecary, per annum	\$780 00
Porter, per annum	520 00
Matron, per annum	240 00
Assistant Apothecary, per annum	260 00
Boy, per annum	182 00
Labor	150 00
Drugs and medicines	1,050 00
Printing, stationery, postage	250 00
Fuel, light and ice	225 00
Supplies	275 00
Telephone	82 00
Instruments	200 00
Furniture	150 00
Repairs to building	200 00
Total	\$4,564 00

EUGENE F. BARNES, Treasurer.

No. 1477.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, August 21, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to the provisions of section 234 of the Greater New York Charter I hereby submit the following schedule of the County Interpreter of Kings County for the year 1901:

NAME.	OFFICE.	SALARY.
Lorenzo Criscollo	County Interpreter	\$1,200 00

Very respectfully,
LORENZO CRISCOLLO,
Italian County Interpreter for Grand Jury,
Surrogate's and County Departments.

No. 1478.

QUEENS BOROUGH, July 30, 1900.

RICHMOND HILL LIBRARY.

(Opened April 8, 1900. First City grant for 1900 applied for in September, 1899, based on five months' circulation.)

FOR 1901.	FOR 1900.
AMOUNT OF GRANT DESIRED.	AMOUNT OF GRANT RECEIVED.
Based on circulation for Twelve Months, 10 cents per volume on 18,000 circulation, \$1,800.	Based on circulation for Five Months, 10 cents per volume on 5,900 circulation, \$590.
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES FOR 1901.	EXPENDITURE FOR 1900.
Increases due to multiplied circulation, widely extending usefulness to the public, necessitating proportionate increase in facilities, etc.	Note that the actual expenditures are far in excess of the \$590 granted by the City—the additional funds having been raised mostly from public spirited citizens by entertainments, etc.

FOR 1901.

For the Twelve Months—

Books for Library	\$1,400 00
Library furniture (for proposed new room)	100 00
Stationery, printing, expressage, book covers, labels and other small requisites	125 00
Coal for 2 rooms	50 00
Gas for 2 rooms	52 80
Annual Report, and distribution to public	40 00
Rental, 2 rooms (1 at \$12 per month, 1 at \$8 per month)	240 00
Salary, Librarian, at \$50 per month	600 00
Salary, Assistant Librarian, at \$50 per month	600 00
Salary, Janitor, 2 rooms, at \$10 per month	120 00
Salary, woman to wash windows, scrub, clean, etc.	60 00
Insurance	15 00
Total	\$3,402 80

FOR 1900.

For the Twelve Months—

Books for Library	\$738 61
Library furniture	83 50
Stationery, printing, expressage, book covers, labels and other small requisites	54 63
Coal for 1 room	22 65
Gas for 1 room	26 40
Annual Report, and distribution to public	40 00
Rental, 1 room, at \$8 per month	96 00
Salary, Librarian, Miss Harriette M. Easby, at \$25 per month	300 00
Salary, Assistant Librarian, Miss I. Harris (occasional)	66 34
Salary, Assistant Librarian, Miss M. Edgerton (occasional)	35 00
Salary, Janitor, 1 room (nominal pay), H. Ficke	48 00
Insurance	7 50
Total	\$1,517 63

Regents' certificate of approved circulation attached to original.

Respectfully submitted by

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, RICHMOND HILL LIBRARY,
ARTHUR HINDS, Chairman.

No. 1479.

NURSERY AND CHILD'S HOSPITAL.

(Laws of 1897, chap. 378; Laws of 1886, chap. 633.)

No. 571 LIVINGSTON AVENUE,
NEW YORK CITY, August 31, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the communication of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of July 2 I submit the following statement and request an appropriation of ninety thousand dollars:

EXPENSES.	CITY.	COUNTRY BRANCH.
Salaries and wages	\$12,910 61	\$7,941 62
Drugs and medical supplies	5,573 73	673 02
Provisions	25,646 79	12,043 88
Dry goods and shoes	1,084 32	2,328 50
House furnishings	1,467 12	837 04
Fuel and gas	5,797 96	3,170 37
Repairs	3,494 04	3,598 75
Plumbing and heating	1,171 65	997 08
Stationery, books, telephone postage	836 82	1,355 50
Insurance and taxes	522 16	
Total	\$32,945 76	58,505 20
		\$91,450 96

Salaries include 1 Engineer, 1 Superintendent, at \$75 a month; 2 Matrons, 2 Doctors, 1 Engineer, 1 Baker, at \$50 a month; all other employees, at \$25 a month and less.

Respectfully submitted,

M. G. GODDARD, Treasurer.

No. 1480.

OFFICE OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC ORPHAN ASYLUM SOCIETY,
ROOM 14, NOS. 4 AND 5 COURT SQUARE, BROOKLYN,
August 28, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted on June 27, 1900, that institutions entitled to receive money from the City Treasury send an estimate of the amount of money that will be required for committed children for the year 1901, the Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum Society of Brooklyn respectfully submits the following:

The Society receives the sum of \$2 per week for each child committed to St. John's Home for Boys and St. Joseph's Female Orphan Asylum, under chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

From the number of children at present in the institution and the probable increase in population during the ensuing year, it is fair to estimate that the average number of such children for 1901 will be about 1,142. That would amount to 416,830 days' support, or 59,547 1-7 weeks, which would make the total amount for the year \$119,094.29.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL F. MCGOLDRICK, Second Vice-President.

No. 1481.

THE BROOKLYN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL ASSOCIATION AND HOME FOR DESTITUTE CHILDREN,
NO. 217 STERLING PLACE, NEAR FLATBUSH AVENUE,
BROOKLYN, N. Y., September 1, 1900.

Hon. Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—The Executive Board of above institution respectfully submits to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment its request for the usual appropriation to be awarded to this charity, under Charter enactments of the Greater New York, being two dollars (\$2) per week for each child sent to it to be lodged, fed, clothed and educated, as per contract entered into between this Institution and the City for the maintenance of County Wards. Also for the apportionment under chapter 378 Laws 1897, for fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) for maintenance of dispensary and hospital cases. Hoping that this may receive your favorable consideration,

Respectfully yours,

A. MATHILDE JAHN, Treasurer,

The Brooklyn Industrial School Association and Home for Destitute Children.

No. 1482.

THE CONVENT OF THE SISTERS OF MERCY,
NO. 273 WILLOUGHBY AVENUE,
BROOKLYN, August 16, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council of the City of New York:

HON. AND DEAR SIR—We respectfully submit our estimate of the appropriation required for the care and support of four hundred and sixteen (416, probable monthly average) children committed to our institution during 1901:

416 children, for 365 days, at \$2 per week. \$43,382 86

Paragraph 24, section 230, Greater New York Charter.

Respectfully yours,

SISTERS OF MERCY,

By SISTER M. STEPHEN, Secretary.

No. 1483.

SETON HOSPITAL, SPUYTEN DUYVIL, NEW YORK CITY, }
July 26, 1900. }

To the Members of the Municipal Assembly, City of Greater New York:

GENTLEMEN—In response to your communication of the 2d inst., I beg to state the estimated number of patients for the year 1901 to be:

One hundred and fifty (150) medical patients, at 60 cents per day..... \$32,850 00
Twelve (12) surgical patients, at 80 cents per day..... 3,504 00
Total..... \$36,354 00

Permit us to say that the amount allowed per capita this year, namely, 60 cents per day, is not enough for the maintenance of the patients. Out of this allowance we were not able to pay the salaries and wages of those employed.

One dollar (\$1) per day, as formerly granted by the City, would barely enable us to meet our expenses.

Nevertheless we have based our estimate for 1901 on this year's per capita. Trusting that you will kindly come to our aid in this matter, with much gratitude for many past favors, I am, with much respect, honored sirs,

Yours,

SR. FRANCIS IGNATIUS, Treasurer.

No. 1484.

MOTHERS' AND BABIES' HOSPITAL, No. 596 LEXINGTON AVENUE,
CORNER OF LEXINGTON AVENUE AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET, NEW YORK CITY, }
NEW YORK, July 16, 1900. }

City of New York, Department of Finance:

DEAR SIR—Our estimate for year 1901, for care of emergency cases in the Hospital, is for 300 patients, at \$18, or \$5,400.

Respectfully,

MOTHERS' AND BABIES' HOSPITAL,
F. MESSITER, Registrar.

No. 1485.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1901 FOR THE SHELTERING ARMS NURSERY.

1. Under the Charter of New York City, section 230, subdivision 22, subsection 23, it is provided that:

"The board of estimate and apportionment are hereby authorized in their discretion to include in their annual statements and estimates the following specified sums of money for the respective purposes therein stated, viz.:

"One thousand dollars (\$1,000) to be paid to the Sheltering Arms Nursery."

In addition to this the institution is entitled to receive money under the Laws of 1888, chapter 472, under what is known as the "Mothers and Infants' Fund."

The annual statement for the year 1899 shows that the total expenditures for that year amounted to over seventy-five hundred dollars (\$7,500). It is very probable that the expenditures for the coming year will be at least eight thousand dollars (\$8,000).

The following is a statement of the work done by the institution for the year 1899:

Number of children committed during year 1899.....	23
" children discharged during year 1899.....	22
" children maintained during year 1899.....	137
" children not maintained by City during year 1899.....	84
" days paid for by City during year 1899.....	11,360
" infants 2 years of age or under.....	42
" days' care of infants under 2 years of age.....	7,581
" children over 2 years of age.....	95
" days' care of infants over 2 years of age.....	20,535
" days' care of mothers.....	5,002
" days' treatment of hospital patients.....	435
" days' treatment of hospital patients paid for by City.....	75
" inmates during the year 1899.....	167
" inmates during the year 1899 paid for by City.....	53
" County wards discharged.....	22
Total number of children discharged.....	66
" children admitted.....	61

Value of real estate.....	\$38,250
Personal property.....	34,750
	\$73,000

Receipts.

From City, 1899.....	\$3,633 13
All other sources.....	1,679 72
	\$5,312 85

Expenditures.

For salaries and wages.....	\$2,334 28
Supplies, etc.....	3,523 62
All other purposes.....	3,171 57
Total.....	\$9,029 47
	6,645 32
Total.....	\$2,384 15

It is respectfully submitted that the full estimate of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) allowed under the charter should be made; and also the full proportional amount which is due and payable under what is known as the "Mothers and Infants' Fund," and at least thirty-six hundred dollars (\$3,600), an amount about equal to the amount which was received from the City last year.

Dated AUGUST 1, 1900.

SHELTERING ARMS NURSERY,
Per. SAMUEL A. WOOD, Treasurer.

State of New York, County of New York, ss:

Samuel A. Wood, Treasurer of the Sheltering Arms Nursery, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That he has read the foregoing estimate and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

SAMUEL A. WOOD.

Sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1900,
[SEAL.] J. B. ROE, Notary Public, N. Y.

No. 1486.

HOUSE OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, }
NINETIETH STREET, EAST RIVER, NEW YORK CITY. }

The Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the circular received, we respectfully state that the sum required for the maintenance of about one hundred and fifty inmates in the "House of the Good Shepherd," during 1901, at the per capita rate of one hundred and ten dollars (\$110) per annum, will amount to about sixteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$16,500).

Respectfully yours,

SISTERS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.

No. 1487.

ST. ANN'S HOME, }
NINETIETH STREET, AND AVENUE A, NEW YORK CITY. }

The Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the circular received, we respectfully state that the sum required for the maintenance of three hundred and fifty children in "St. Ann's Home for Destitute Children," during 1901, at the per capita rate of one hundred and four dollars (\$104) per annum, will amount to about thirty-six thousand four hundred dollars (\$36,400).

Respectfully yours,

SISTERS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.

No. 1488.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1901.

To the Municipal Assembly of New York:

The Board of Managers of the Brooklyn Maternity (formerly Brooklyn Lying-in Asylum) beg to submit the following estimate of expenses for the support of the institution for the year 1901:

Wages.

Superintendent, Matron, Nurses, Engineer and general help.....	\$4,000 00
Provisions, light, fuel, bedding, etc.....	6,500 00
Medicines and hospital appliances.....	800 00
Ordinary repairs.....	600 00
Interest on mortgage.....	1,260 00
Incidentals.....	300 00

Total.....	13,460 00
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They therefore hereby respectfully request the stated appropriation of \$2,500 as provided in section 230 of the Charter for the Greater New York.

Respectfully,

ANNELLA D. KRUGLER, Treasurer.

No. 1489.

OFFICE OF THE EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS,
CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 149 CHURCH STREET, }
August 31, 1900. }

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—The Examining Board of Plumbers respectfully make application for Examiners Fees, Clerk Hire, Plumbing Material, Postage, etc., for the year 1901:

	1900.	1901.
Salaries.		
Examiner John Renehan, 3 sessions per week.....	\$780 00	\$780 00
Examiner Edward Haley, 3 sessions per week.....	780 00	780 00
Examiner James E. McGovern, 3 sessions per week.....	780 00	780 00
Clerk and Stenographer, Anna Renehan, per annum.....	1,000 00	1,200 00
Plumbing Material.		
200 pounds of solder, at 20 cents per pound.....	\$40 00	
50 pounds of block tin, at 40 cents per pound.....	20 00	
100 feet (400 pounds) 2-inch lead waste-pipe, at 5½ cents per pound.....	22 00	
100 feet (600 pounds) 3-inch lead waste-pipe, at 5½ cents per pound.....	33 00	
100 feet (800 pounds) 4-inch lead waste-pipe, at 5½ cents per pound.....	44 00	
	\$159 00	159 00
Tools.		
2 sets of plumbers' tools, \$10 each.....	\$20 00	20 00
Postage and Postal Cards.		
Postage, postal cards, etc.....	75 00	75 00
Total.....	\$3,594 00	\$3,794 00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN RENEHAN, President, Examining Board of Plumbers.

No. 1490.

ST. CATHERINE'S HOSPITAL,
BUSHWICK AVENUE AND TEN EYCK STREET, }
BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 24, 1900. }

To the Municipal Assembly:

DEAR GENTLEMEN—In compliance with your resolution to be informed what the estimate sum for in-patients accepted by the Public Charities Treasury would be, is the amount of about \$20,000 for the year of 1901, not including any salary for nursing and necessary help. Trusting this will answer your request, I am,

Yours respectfully,

M. CATHARINE HERBERT, O. S. D., Superioress.

No. 1491.

ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL, }
August 31, 1900. }

The Municipal Council:

GENTLEMEN—In reply to your communication of July 2d we beg to state that the amount required for the care and support of such inmates of St. Vincent's Hospital as are chargeable to The City of New York for the year 1901 will be twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).

This estimate is based on the number of free days which patients were treated in the hospital from August 1, 1899, to August 1, 1900.

Total number of free days:	
Medical, 17,312, at 60 cents.....	\$10,387 20
Surgical, 18,303, at 80 cents.....	14,642 30
Total.....	\$25,029 60

Of these days the City paid for 4,123 medical and 5,855 surgical days. For the remainder we have received no compensation. We would add that we have a large ambulance service, and are obliged to support four horses, three ambulances, drivers, etc.

The total number treated in the Dispensary since its reopening, November 1, 1899, is 8,390.

Yours respectfully,

SISTER LOUIS GONZAGA.

No. 1492.

THE BROOKLYN EASTERN DISTRICT HOMEOPATHIC DISPENSARY, }
No. 194 SOUTH THIRD STREET, }
BROOKLYN, August 30, 1900. }

ESTIMATE FOR 1901.

For medicines and supplies.....	\$1,300 00
For fuel and light.....	250 00
For stationery, records and printing.....	200 00
For telephone and messenger service.....	160 00
For current repairs.....	300 00
For Janitor, \$360; for Janitress, \$200; for Laundress, \$30.....	860 00
For Registrar.....	200 00
For Apothecary.....	400 00
For Matron and Nurse.....	400 00
For Medical Staff.....	300 00
For 1 Domestic.....	100 00
Total.....	\$4,470 00

Our receipts last year from private sources were \$2,368, but of this sum \$1,000 was rather an endowment. Expenditures \$2,700.

For the current year you appropriated for this institution \$1,200, but our expenses are largely increased by the new State regulations for the management of dispensaries.

We treated last year 18,510 cases, the great majority of whom were poor people of the Eastern District of this borough.

For the Board of Trustees,

GEO. V. TOMPKINS, Secretary.

No. 1493.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, August 13, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the circular of the Hon. Bird S. Coler, we, on behalf of the Lutheran Hospital Association of The City of New York and vicinity, respectfully submit the following:

The amount of expenditures for the year 1901 for the above institution is of course entirely dependent upon the number of patients that may come to our care.

In order to give your Honorable Board an outline of our work, we beg to state that during the last year (the year before last shows about the same work), with 15,472 hospital days of treatment and 2,650 free meals to out-door poor, our expenditures were as follows:

For salary and wages.....	\$2,535 46
For provisions.....	2,924 38
For medical supplies.....	298 66
For funeral expenses.....	92 00
For light and fuel.....	585 23
For furniture, bedding and clothing.....	309 70
For printing and stationery.....	87 60
For water tax.....	75 00
For telephone.....	15 00
For disbursements, by order of Fire Department.....	282 15
For insurance premium.....	130 40
For interest on mortgage.....	290 00
For house repairs.....	475 07
Total.....	\$8,150 97

The expenditures would be far greater if the members of our Association did not donate provisions, clothing, bedding, furniture, medicines, etc., to a very large extent.

Our receipts are made up by voluntary contributions from various Lutheran congregations, which alone, however, would not enable us to carry on the work, as almost 75 per cent. of our patients are poor and unable to pay for their treatment and care. They would be obliged to appeal to the City for help if we could not provide for them.

The appropriation for 1900 was \$2,977.13.

We respectfully request your Honorable Board to set aside for the use of our Hospital for the ensuing year a sufficient sum to enable us to carry out our charitable work and thereby to lighten the burden of The City of New York.

Yours respectfully,

F. W. BRODSKY, President,
G. RIEDEL, Financial Secretary,
Lutheran Hospital Association, etc.

No. 1494.

AUGUST 30, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully call your attention to the necessity of the following repairs to the armory of Troop "C," N. G., N. Y., a list of which repairs is inclosed in our annual budget.

(1) As regards a new tin roof, would say that the present roof was put on in 1878 and leaks so badly that it is absolutely beyond repair, and any money spent to patch it up is useless and wasted.

(2) The plumbing and steam apparatus has also been in use since 1878, and some of the pipes are in such bad condition that it is impossible to heat certain parts of the building.

(3) The stables are in constant use and have not had any repairs in five years. Some of the stalls are in a dangerous condition, and the troop is liable at any time to lose a horse from a broken leg.

(4) Painting of building: The building is in great need of painting, and I would ask it on the ground of preserving the structure.

(5) The shower and closet in the officers' room is a very necessary repair. At present the officers have no way of taking a bath except by going through the main hallway.

(6) By extending the gallery on the west end of the building, the seating capacity would be greatly increased and it would be a real benefit to the troop, as in all entertainments given by the organization the small and confined space in the gallery for chairs has been a great drawback.

Respectfully,

CHAS. I. DE BEVOISE, Captain, Troop "C."

STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED EXPENSES, YEAR 1901—SALARIES, REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES FOR TROOP "C" ARMORY.

Salaries.

1 Armorer, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00
1 Janitor, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00
1 Engineer, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00
1 Assistant Engineer, at \$2.50 per day.....	912 50
3 Laborers, at \$2 per day.....	2,190 00
6 Hostlers, at \$2 per day.....	4,380 00
Total.....	\$11,862 50

Repairs.

New roof (tin).....	\$1,700 00
Repairs to plumbing.....	250 00
" steam-fitting.....	150 00
" stables.....	250 00
" front door.....	20 00
" iron railing.....	30 00
Painting outside of building, stables, drill-hall and executive part of building.....	1,100 00
Shower and closet in officers' room.....	600 00
Extending gallery on west end of building.....	1,250 00
Total.....	\$5,350 00

Supplies.

Gas and electric lighting.....	\$2,500 00
Coal, 150 tons egg; wood, 2 loads block.....	750 00
Telephone.....	250 00
5 tons blacksmith coal.....	25 00
5 gross Colgate's oatmeal soap, No. 1.....	62 50
2 boxes ivory soap.....	9 00
2 barrels washing soda.....	12 00
25 pounds Castile soap.....	3 00
25 pounds English Crown soap.....	6 20
100 gallons Gaskell's disinfecting fluid.....	80 00
50 gallons phenile.....	40 00
50 gallons grain alcohol.....	125 00
50 gallons witch hazel.....	50 00
50 gallons Marvin's floor polish.....	43 10
1 barrel neatfoot oil, No. 1, prime.....	45 00
20 gallons machine oil for guns.....	7 00
10 gallons machine oil for dynamo.....	3 00
1 gross bath towels, 24 inches by 60 inches.....	30 00
1 gross huck towels, 20 by 42 inches.....	26 20
25 gallons Miller's harness dressing.....	27 00
2 dozen twine yacht mops, with handles.....	7 60
1 dozen oak pails, galvanized iron bands.....	5 20
5 dozen 1-pound cans Comstock brightening metal polish.....	10 00
2 reams emery paper, one No. 1, one No. 2.....	6 10
1 dozen galvanized iron pails.....	9 00
1 dozen steel rakes, large.....	4 55
½ dozen scoop shovels (Ames), No. 5.....	7 30
½ dozen square shovels (Ames), D handle.....	5 50
½ dozen spades.....	6 00
½ dozen picks and handles.....	6 00
½ dozen hatchets (surveyors' axes) with handles.....	2 55
½ dozen axes.....	6 00
2 double-face 16-pound hammers, with handles.....	3 65
1 Horton & Arnold 12-inch draw knife.....	1 00

3 claw hammers 14 ounce adze eye.....	\$1 20
1 Eddy metallic tape, 100-foot, feet and inches.....	2 65
1 set Hawkins socket chisels, ¼ to 2 inches, with handles.....	4 25
2 Diston 4-foot crosscut saws, adjustable handles.....	3 25
2 wire-cutting pliers, 6 inches.....	1 90
2 wire-cutting pliers, 8 inches.....	2 00
1 Giant nail-puller.....	75
1 jack plane.....	75
1 Miller's Falls breast drill.....	1 90
2 sets Morse twist drills, 1-16 to ¼ inch.....	2 35
6 iron wedges, 12 inches.....	1 50
3 Horton & Arnold shipbuilder's adzes, with handles.....	6 00
3 boxes household ammonia.....	12 00
1 Gillett horse clipper.....	15 00
2 small and 2 large knives for clipper.....	4 40
1 electric motor (1 horse), with shafting.....	50 00
½ dozen buffing wheels, cloth, 12 inches.....	5 45
1 dozen sticks rouge (crocas).....	3 00
½ dozen flat rubber manhole gaskets, 11 by 15 inches.....	2 40
½ dozen flat rubber manhole gaskets, 9 by 15 inches.....	2 40
½ dozen flat rubber handhole gaskets, 3 by 3 inches.....	1 20
3 Stilson wrenches, 6-inch, 10-inch, 14-inch.....	3 45
1 Christoffel 3-inch Rose cleaner for boiler tubes.....	1 70
1 dozen assorted cold chisels.....	2 40
1 dozen balls, cotton packing.....	30
1 dozen balls asbestos packing.....	84
½ dozen oil cans, ¼ gallon, brass.....	10 50
½ dozen large hay hooks.....	2 44
1 sterling hack saw frame, 12 inches.....	90
1 dozen 12-inch hack saw blades.....	90
3 dozen 10-inch saw files.....	6 54
3 dozen 12-inch smooth files, assorted.....	9 75
3 dozen 12-inch bastard files, assorted.....	7 80
12 galvanized-iron ashcans, with covers.....	36 00
5 one-gallon LePage's glue.....	7 50
1 emery wheel, No. 1, 10 inches.....	4 00
4 monkey wrenches, 1 6-inch, 1 8-inch, 1 10-inch, 1 12-inch.....	2 00
25 yards canton flannel.....	2 00
1 box Sapolio.....	5 00
1 box Bon Ami.....	5 00
250 pounds flake Motheline.....	16 00
2 reels for fire-hose (brackets).....	12 00
2 boards to bridge gutter.....	10 00
1 electric fan, 4 feet diameter, with motor for rifle range.....	200 00
1 coil Manilla rope, ½ inch diameter.....	12 00
1 coil Manilla rope, ¾ inch diameter.....	16 00
1 coil Manilla rope, 1 inch diameter.....	20 00
1 coil Manilla rope, 2 inches diameter.....	27 00
1 coil cotton H rope.....	12 00
Single wrought-iron pulley blocks, 2 ½-inch, 2 ¾-inch, 2 1-inch, with beckets.....	9 00
Double wrought-iron pulley blocks, 2 ½-inch, 2 ¾-inch, 2 1-inch, with beckets.....	12 00
Triple wrought-iron pulley blocks, 2 ½-inch, 2 ¾-inch, 2 1-inch, with beckets.....	15 00
2 locomotive jackscrews, 1 ¾-inch, 22 overall.....	9 00
3 compasses, Fig. 7721, No. 947 c. M. M. M. catalogue.....	18 00
1 set steel figures, ¾ inches, 0 to 9.....	4 50
1 mill hose cart, capacity 200 feet, 2 ½-inch hose.....	16 00
2 nozzles for 2 ½-inch hose, ¾-inch.....	8 00
1 oil stone, mounted, 8 inches.....	1 00
1 sand stone, mounted, 4 inches, face 30 inches diameter, foot tread.....	7 50
1 dozen hard wood mallets.....	6 00
1 square steel, 2 feet.....	1 00
1 dozen stable lanterns, with wire guards.....	6 00
1 hand level (Locke's Brass).....	7 50
3 ship's augers, 1 inch.....	4 50
3 ship's augers, 1 ¼ inches.....	5 00
7 gymnasium supplies.....	50 00
6 dozen whisk brooms.....	18 00
6 dozen stable brooms.....	21 00
6 dozen corn brooms.....	18 00
6 dozen main brooms.....	18 00
1 dozen ostrich feather dusters, 18 inches.....	25 00
6 dozen combs, rubber, toilet use.....	6 00
6 dozen brushes, bristle, toilet use.....	45 00
3 boxes toilet paper.....	15 00
6 sides harness leather, heavy.....	36 00
6 sides harness leather, light.....	36 00
12 snow shovels, steel.....	6 00
350 feet fire-hose, cotton, 2 ½ inches.....	175 00
150 feet 1 ½-inch steam hose, 50 feet lengths, with coupling, 4-ply.....	50 00
1 portable forge, Buffalo.....	7 50
4 knives, 1 10 inches, 1 12 inches, 1 14 inches, 1 18 inches.....	2 00
1 cleaver.....	1 00
1 meat saw.....	1 00
2 alcohol torches for gas lighting, 8 feet long.....	4 00
1 alcohol torch for gas lighting, 35 feet long.....	6 00
3 marking pots and brushes.....	1 50
20 pounds sponges (large).....	15 00
12 large chamois skins.....	3 00
5 kegs wire nails, 1 6-pound, 1 8-pound, 1 10-pound, 1 20-pound, 1 40-pound.....	25 00
2 storm flags, United States.....	8 00
2 post flags, United States.....	20 00
6 bush hooks, 2-ring, with handles.....	6 00
1 eureka posthole digger.....	3 00
1 dozen 2-prong hay forks, ten handles.....	6 00
1 dozen manure forks.....	6 00
3 steel wheelbarrows, 3 cubic feet tray.....	24 00
3 machine hammers, ball peen, 14 ounces.....	1 50
3 dozen belt lacings, cut.....	2 75
3 sides belt lacings, cut.....	2 50
½ dozen 2-foot rules, brass bound.....	90
100 pounds Atlantic white lead.....	6 00
5 gallons spar varnish (outside).....	10 00
5 gallons spar varnish (inside).....	10 00
½ dozen sash tools, assorted, Martin.....	1 50
½ dozen pound 6-O, Martin.....	2 50
½ dozen flat varnish brushes, 3 inches, Martin.....	1 50
10 gallons raw linseed.....	6 00
10 gallons turpentine.....	4 00
1 gallon turpentine dryer.....	60
12½ pounds French ochre.....	1 00
12½ pounds burnt umber.....	1 00
1 dozen fitches, assorted.....	2 60
Saddlers' tools.....	35 00
Blacksmith supplies and tools.....	50 00
Veterinary supplies.....	80 00
Cocoa mats, 12 6 feet by 8 feet, 24 3 feet by 2 feet.....	80 00
Total.....	\$5,819 67

No. 1495.

MAIMONIDES FREE LIBRARY.

AMENDED BUDGET.

DISTRICT NO. 1, INDEPENDENT ORDER BENAI BERITH,
NORTHEAST CORNER FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET AND LEXINGTON AVENUE, NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, July 5, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Complying with the requirements of your Department we beg to submit to you the estimate of expenditures of the Maimonides Free Library of District No. 1, Independent Order Benai Berith for the year 1900, and the proposed expenditures for 1901, as follows:

	1900.	1901.
Salary to Librarian, Sara X. Schottenfels.....	\$936 00	\$936 00
" Assistant, Miss Martha Sternberg.....	520 00	520 00
" Assistant, Miss Sarah Blumberg.....	364 00	364 00
" Assistant, Miss May Bacharach.....	260 00	260 00
" Assistant, Miss Fanny Adler.....	208 00	260 00
" Assistant, Miss Hanna Stengler.....	208 00	260 00
" Substitute, Miss Violet Alsberg.....	72 00	72 00
" two Assistants, help for 1901.....	150 00	416 00
" Secretary, S. Hamburger.....	120 00	150 00
" Janitress, Miss C. Jaeger.....	520 00	520 00
" Bookbinder, William Frantz.....	550 00	550 00
Binding materials and additional bookbinding.....	1,702 00	2,800 00
Rent, gas, telephone and electric lights.....	400 00	400 00
Postage and expressage.....	350 00	400 00
Printing, stationery and book covering.....	5,000 00	6,500 00
Books and periodicals.....	200 00	200 00
Reports and lists.....	250 00	250 00
Catalogues.....	350 00	350 00
Shelving, bookcases, sundries, cleaning.....	150 00	150 00
Insurance.....		
Total.....	\$12,370 00	\$15,478 00

For the year 1901 for additional room help and increase in books an additional sum of three thousand one hundred and eight dollars will be needed, making the approximate amount required \$15,478.

Respectfully submitted,
S. HAMBURGER, Secretary.

No. 1496.
BROOKLYN HOME FOR AGED COLORED PEOPLE,
BROOKLYN, August 27, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Complying with the requisition of the Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, in behalf of your Honorable Board, the following estimate of expenses of the Brooklyn Home for Aged Colored People for the year 1901 is respectfully submitted:

Number of persons to be maintained, who would otherwise be a charge upon the City, 35.	
No salary is paid to any officer of the institution.	
Cost of maintenance—provisions, medicines, etc.....	\$2,052 62
Services—Engineer, \$624, house servants, \$9.....	1,524 00
Printing, stationery, stamps, etc.....	125 00
Dry goods, etc.....	342 92
Insurance.....	100 00
Interest on mortgage debt.....	950 00
Total.....	\$5,594 54

Any additional information will be cheerfully given if required, on notice to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. SARA T. EDGERTON, Secretary, Richmond Hill, N. Y.

No. 1497.
SANITARIUM FOR HEBREW CHILDREN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Replying to your circular of July 20, 1900, requesting the officers of institutions to send their estimates for the year 1901, I wish to inform you that the Sanitarium for Hebrew Children of The City of New York respectfully requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to make provision for the payment to that society in the year 1901, the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, pursuant to section 8, chapter 501, Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 385, Laws of 1895, and chapter 378, Laws of 1897 (Charter), section 230, subdivision 7, page 78.

Respectfully yours,
NATHAN LEWIS, President.

No. 1498.
NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM—BUSINESS DEPARTMENT,
AMSTERDAM AVENUE AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In reply to the circular letter sent by the Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller of The City of New York, I beg to state that the estimated amount required for the care, support and maintenance of the inmates of this institution for the year 1901 will be eighty-four thousand two hundred and ten dollars (\$84,210), in following proportions:

300 children under two years of age, at 30 cents per day.....	\$41,610 00
150 children over two years of age, at \$2 per week.....	15,600 00
150 women (nursing mothers), at \$12 per month.....	21,600 00
300 obstetrical cases, at \$18 each.....	5,400 00
Total.....	\$84,210 00

Pursuant to section 22, chapter 263, Laws 1872.

Yours very truly,
NEW YORK INFANT ASYLUM,
FRANCIS B. GRIFFIN, Treasurer.

No. 1499.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
August 9, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your circular letter dated July 2, 1900, and as therein requested present the following estimate of the amount required to conduct the business of the City Chamberlain's Office for the year 1901.

For the Year 1901.

Contingencies, Chamberlain's Office.....	\$500 00
Salary of Chamberlain, as per section 196, chapter 378, Laws 1897.....	12,000 00
Salaries of Officers, Clerks and Employees.....	31,300 00
Total.....	\$43,800 00

Allowed for the Year 1900.

Contingencies, Chamberlain's Office.....	\$500 00
Salary of Chamberlain, as per section 196, chapter 378, Laws 1897.....	12,000 00
Salaries of Officers, Clerks and Employees.....	27,500 00
Extra amount allowed by Board of Apportionment on account of transfer of Queens County Court Funds.....	3,000 00
Total.....	\$43,000 00

To perform the duties required of this office on account of the transfer of Court Funds to this office heretofore kept by the Treasurer of the County of Queens, which office was abolished by the last Legislature, I found it necessary to make three additional appointments, for whose salaries the Board of Apportionment made an additional allowance. Said amount will be necessary for the coming year and is included in this statement.

Herewith I inclose a comparative list showing the several amounts allowed for 1900, and what is required for 1900, as requested in your circular.

Very respectfully,
PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain.

Salaries—Officers, Clerks and Employees.

	FOR 1900.		FOR 1901.
Deputy Chamberlain.....	\$7,500 00	Deputy Chamberlain.....	\$7,500 00
Chief Clerk.....	3,000 00	Chief Bookkeeper.....	3,000 00
Equity Bookkeeper, Borough of Richmond.....	2,950 00	Equity Bookkeeper, Borough of Richmond.....	2,950 00
Bookkeeper.....	2,750 00	Bookkeeper.....	2,750 00
".....	1,800 00	".....	2,000 00
".....	1,500 00	".....	1,500 00
".....	1,200 00	".....	1,200 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00	Clerk.....	1,500 00
Warrant Clerk.....	1,300 00	Warrant Clerk.....	1,500 00
".....	1,200 00	".....	1,200 00
".....	1,100 00	".....	1,100 00
Warrant Clerk and Bank Messenger, Borough of Brooklyn.....	1,200 00	Warrant Clerk and Bank Messenger, Borough of Brooklyn.....	1,200 00
Stenographer.....	1,100 00	Stenographer.....	1,100 00
Bank Messenger.....	1,200 00	Bank Messenger.....	1,200 00
".....	900 00	".....	1,000 00
Examiner, Coupons and Indorsements.....	600 00	Examiner, Coupons and Indorsements.....	600 00
Total.....	\$30,500 00	Total.....	\$31,300 00

No. 1500.

GATES AVENUE HOMEOPATHIC DISPENSARY,
No. 13 GATES AVENUE,
BROOKLYN, July 20, 1900.

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

SIR—In response to your circular of 2d inst. I have to report that the Trustees have made the following estimate for the year 1901, viz.:

Salaries of physicians and wages.....	\$650 00
Supplies.....	50 00
Necessary repairs and all other expenses.....	150 00
	\$850 00

Less

Permanent income from investment.....	\$247 50
Probable income from other sources.....	100 00
	347 50

Amount required..... \$502 50

And in accordance with above estimate we ask for an appropriation of five hundred dollars (\$500) under 23d subdivision of 22d division of section 230 of the New York City Charter.

Respectfully,
GATES AVENUE HOMEOPATHIC DISPENSARY,
D. R. ALDRIDGE, Secretary.

No. 1501.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1901 FOR THE BROOKLYN NURSERY AND INFANTS' HOSPITAL.

1. Under the Charter of New York City, section 230, subdivision No. 22, subsection 23, it is provided that:

"The Board of Estimate and Apportionment are hereby authorized in their discretion to include in their annual statements and estimates the following specified sums of money for the respective purposes therein stated, viz.: four thousand dollars (\$4,000) to be paid to the Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital."

In addition to this the institution is entitled to receive money under the Laws of 1888, chapter 472, under what is known as the "Mothers and Infants' Fund."

The annual statement for the year 1899, shows that the total expenditures for that year amounted to about the sum of nineteen thousand dollars (\$19,000). It is very probable that the expenditures for the coming year will be at least fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000).

The following is a statement of the work done by the institution for the year 1899:

BROOKLYN NURSERY AND INFANTS' HOSPITAL.

From August 1, 1899, to August 1, 1900.

Number of children cared for.....	242
Number of free days' support.....	15,010
Days partly paid for.....	7,356
	22,366
Number of mothers with children.....	64
Number of months' support.....	172
Money received from City in 1900—	
For board of committed children for months of June, July, August, September, October, November and December.....	\$164 00
For board of accepted children in Hospital and Nursery.....	1,835 22
Total.....	\$1,999 72

It is respectfully submitted that the full estimate of four thousand dollars (\$4,000) allowed under the Charter should be made; and also the full proportional amount which is due and payable under what is known as the "Mothers and Infants' Fund," and at least two thousand dollars (\$2,000), an amount equal to the amount which was received from the City last year.

Dated August 1, 1900.

OMRI F. HIBBARD, Attorney for Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital.
State of New York, County of Kings, ss.:

Omri F. Hibbard, attorney of The Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That he has read the foregoing estimate and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true of his own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

OMRI F. HIBBARD.

Sworn to before me this 3d day of August, 1900.

JACOB L. KORNICKER, Notary Public, New York County.
Certificate filed in Kings County.

No. 1502.

ASYLUM OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL,
NEW YORK, August 30, 1900.

Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

In compliance with the request made in the Comptroller's circular of July 2, 1900, estimates for charitable institutions for the year 1901, I beg to submit the following estimate for the asylum of St. Vincent de Paul, 215 West 39th street, New York City: 110 children at \$104 per year, making a total of \$11,440.

Yours truly,
C. H. AMY, Assistant Treasurer.

No. 1503.

WEELABKA HALL, OSSIPEE MOUNTAIN PARK,
MOULTONBORO, N. H., August 29, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

In accordance with the request sent out from the Comptroller's office for an estimate of the amount of expenditure required for the care and support of the inmates of the Wayside Home, No. 352 Bridge street, Brooklyn, for the year 1901, I beg to say that we believe that the amount to which we may be entitled for the coming year will be the same as last year, which was \$7,500, and we ask that that amount be put in the budget.

I am a long distance from New York and cannot recall the chapter and year of the law under which we, in common with the House of the Good Shepherd, are entitled to this amount.

EMMA F. PETTENGILL,
President, Wayside Home, Residence, No. 143 Clinton street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

No. 1504.

AMERICAN FEMALE GUARDIAN SOCIETY AND HOME FOR THE FRIENDLESS,
No. 29 EAST TWENTY-NINTH STREET AND NO. 30 EAST THIRTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

The Annual Appropriation from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by Act of Legislature, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

Appropriation.....	\$25,000 00
Public School Fund.....	27,928 75
Court for board of Children.....	13,155 28
All other sources.....	20,634 09
Total for the year 1899.....	\$86,718 12

Expenditures for the Year 1899.

Salaries of teachers of 13 schools.....	\$40,892 50
Salaries and wages of employees and servants.....	6,605 06
Supplies.....	7,230 64
Rent of school buildings.....	9,540 00
All other purposes.....	23,975 42
Total.....	\$88,243 62

No. 1505.

SECOND BATTERY, N. G., N. Y.,
FOURTH AVENUE AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, September 1, 1900.

The Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

SIRS—I have the honor to furnish an estimate, as requested, giving the names, positions and salaries of the employees in the armory of this organization for 1901, viz.:

Henry J. Muhlfeld, Armorer, 365 days, at \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00
John H. Allen, Janitor, 365 days, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00
William B. Love, Laborer, 365 days, at \$2 per day.....	730 00
Paul Jaegle, Laborer, 365 days, at \$2 per day.....	730 00
Michael J. McBride, Laborer, 365 days, at \$2 per day.....	730 00
Total.....	\$5,110 00

There is no increase over 1900. The appointments and salaries are provided for in Military Code, section 140, 1898.

Respectfully,

DAVID WILSON, Captain.

No. 1506.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, SECOND DISTRICT,
No. 172 GRAND STREET, CORNER OF CENTRE STREET,
September 1, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith submit the following estimate for salaries for this Court for the year 1901:	
Hermann Bolte, Justice (Laws of 1875, chap. 438).....	\$6,000 00
Francis Mangin, Clerk (Laws of 1872, chap. 438).....	3,000 00
James P. Divver, Assistant Clerk (Laws of 1872, chap. 438).....	3,000 00
Benjamin F. Spellman, Stenographer (Laws of 1870, chap. 725).....	2,000 00
Deidrick Knabe, Interpreter (Laws of 1866, chap. 745).....	1,200 00
Hugh Taggart, Attendant Officer (Laws of 1853, chap. 529).....	1,000 00
James McCullough, Attendant Officer (Laws of 1853, chap. 529).....	1,000 00
1 Attendant Officer, to fill vacancy (Laws of 1897, chap. 378).....	1,000 00

Respectfully yours,

HERMANN BOLTE, Justice.

APPROPRIATION FOR 1901.

Hermann Bolte, Justice.....	\$6,000 00
Francis Mangin, Clerk.....	3,000 00
James P. Divver, Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00
Benjamin F. Spellman, Stenographer.....	2,000 00
Deidrick Knabe, Interpreter.....	1,200 00
Hugh Taggart, Attendant.....	1,000 00
John H. Gaughan, Attendant.....	1,000 00
James McCullough, Attendant.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$18,200 00

Unexpended balance, from January 1, 1900, up to September 1, 1900, being salary of John H. Gaughan, Attendant..... \$666 64

No. 1507.

HEBREW BENEVOLENT AND ORPHAN ASYLUM SOCIETY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
AMSTERDAM AVENUE, 136TH AND 138TH STREETS,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly of New York:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the request of the Comptroller of the City of New York, asking for an estimate of the amount of the expenditures for the institution for the year 1900, would say that we require the same amount as formerly, viz.: \$100,000.

Yours very respectfully,

AARON SCHIFF, Secretary.

No. 1508.

S. R. SMITH INFIRMARY AND GENERAL HOSPITAL,
NEW BRIGHTON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, N. Y.,
September 4, 1900.

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

Pursuant to request of the Comptroller, under your resolution of June 27, 1900, the S. R. Smith Infirmary, of the Borough of Richmond, respectively reports the following estimate of the amount required for the care and support of the inmates of its hospital, as provided by law, for the year 1901:

For medical patients.....	\$4,150 70
For surgical patients.....	4,802 93
Total.....	\$8,952 63

Chapter 102 of the Laws of 1897 authorizes an appropriation to us of not to exceed \$10,000 in any one year.

The amount appropriated for our use in 1900 was \$5,000.

The number of indigent patients treated by us in the year beginning July 1, 1899, and ending June 30, 1900, was—

Medical, 6,289, at 60 cents per day.....	\$3,773 40
Surgical, 5,458, at 80 cents per day.....	4,366 30

Total..... \$8,139 70

There has been a steady increase in the number of indigent patients treated annually in our hospital, and as this is the only general hospital in the Borough of Richmond where they can receive treatment it is necessary to provide for an increased number in the year 1901.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

F. C. TOWNSEND, Treasurer, S. R. Smith Infirmary,
No. 44 Pine Street, New York, N. Y.

No. 1509.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY,
No. 109 BRADFORD STREET, BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 10, 1900.

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

In response to your letter of inquiry as to an estimate of expenses for the coming year of the above institution, I am requested to submit to you a conservative estimate as if we were to continue as at present:

Rent.....	\$250 00
Coal and wood.....	125 00
Medicine.....	250 00
Light.....	25 00
Board for 10 people.....	1,560 00
Cook.....	180 00
2 Nurses.....	480 00
Janitor.....	100 00
Sundries.....	200 00
Total.....	\$3,170 00

Respectfully submitted,

H. O. ROCKEFELLER, Director.

No. 1510.

MISSIONARY SISTERS OF THE THIRD ORDER OF ST. FRANCIS,
PEEKSKILL, N. Y., July 31, 1900.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR 1901.

To the Municipal Assembly:

HONORABLE GENTLEMEN—In conformity to the requirements of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, I send herewith the estimate of this institution for the year 1901.

Section 230, Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 196, Laws 1899. For the care and maintenance of inmates accepted by the Department of Public Charities as proper charges against the City Treasury; for infants under two years of age, at the rate of 38 cents per day; for dependent children (other than infants under two years of age), at the rate of \$2 per week.

The amount required for the care and support of the inmates of this institution in and for the year 1901, as per capita allowance of money..... \$93,167 44

MISSIONARY SISTERS THIRD ORDER OF ST. FRANCIS,
SISTER M. MARGARET, Secretary.

No. 1511.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF QUEENS,
THIRD DISTRICT, TOWN HALL, JAMAICA,
July 16, 1900.

Departmental Estimate of Amount of Expenditure for the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of Queens, Third District, for the Year 1901.

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	1900. ANNUAL SALARY.	1901. PROPOSED SALARY.
James F. McLaughlin.....	Justice.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
George W. Damon.....	Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
John L. Gwydir.....	Stenographer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Thomas Fox.....	Attendant.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Joseph Kestler.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
	Contingencies—Postage, Express- age, Car-fare, etc.....	100 00	100 00
Total.....		\$11,100 00	\$11,100 00

JAS. F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice.

No. 1512.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK,
August 28, 1900.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I submit herewith an estimate of the amount (\$14,500) of expenditure required for salaries, etc., of the above office for the year 1901:

	ESTIMATE 1901.	ALLOWED 1900.
Salaries—		
President's salary.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Salaries of Secretary, Stenographer-typewriter, two Investigators of Complaints—one Clerk and one Messenger.....	9,200 00	6,800 00
Contingencies.....	300 00	300 00
Total.....	\$14,500 00	\$12,100 00

The difference between the amount asked this year and that appropriated last year is for an additional Investigator of Complaints, a Clerk and a Messenger. I now have neither a clerk nor a messenger, and have only one Investigator of Complaints for the entire borough, which, as you are aware, is more than twice the area of Manhattan Island.

Respectfully,

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

No. 1513.

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH BRIGADE, N. G., N. Y.,
PARK AVENUE AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 6, 1900.

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

SIR—Replying to your communication of July 2, 1900, I have the honor to say that in compliance with section 140 of the Military Code, State of New York, the following amount should be appropriated for expenses of Fifth Brigade Headquarters, National Guard of New York, Park avenue and Thirty-fourth street, for the year 1901:

One Armorer (Charles W. Le More), at \$4 per day..... \$1,460 00

Certificate of floor space submitted by Major E. F. Austin, Engineer, Fifth Brigade National Guard of New York, hereto attached.

Respectfully,

(Signed) GEORGE MOORE SMITH, Brigadier General.

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH BRIGADE, N. G., N. Y.,
PARK AVENUE AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 20, 1900.

Certificate under M. C. 139, as to the number of feet of floor surface in the Headquarters of the Fifth Brigade, National Guard of New York,
2,102.2 square feet.

(Signed)

E. F. AUSTIN, Major and Engineer, Fifth Brigade.

Approved:

(Signed)

DANIEL APPLETON,
Colonel, Seventh Regiment, Commanding Fifth Brigade.

No. 1514.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS OF THE FIRST DIVISION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

(Chap. 601, Laws of 1895.)

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

The Justices of the Court of Special Sessions of the First Division of The City of New York respectfully submit the following estimate of the appropriation required for that Court for the year commencing January 1, 1901, and ending December 31, 1901:

Estimate for 1901.

Salary of five Justices, at \$9,000 per annum each.....	\$45,000 00
Clerk of Court for one year.....	4,000 00
Deputy Clerk for one year.....	3,000 00
Assistant Clerk for one year.....	1,500 00
Court Stenographer for one year.....	3,000 00
Interpreter for one year.....	2,000 00
2 Clerks at \$1,200 per annum each for one year.....	2,400 00
1 Stenographer for one year.....	1,200 00
1 Messenger for one year.....	1,200 00
5 Subpoena Clerks at \$1,200 per annum each for one year.....	6,000 00
Contingent Cash Fund for one year.....	1,500 00
Total.....	\$70,800 00

Names and Official Titles of the Several Persons Receiving Such Salaries.

NAME.	OFFICIAL TITLE.	SALARY.	AMOUNTS OF SALARIES PROPOSED TO BE PAID DURING ENSUING YEAR.
Elizur B. Hinsdale.....	Justice.....	\$9,000 00	\$9,000 00
William Travers Jerome.....	".....	9,000 00	9,000 00
Ephraim A. Jacob.....	".....	9,000 00	9,000 00
William C. Holbrook.....	".....	9,000 00	9,000 00
John B. McKean.....	".....	9,000 00	9,000 00
William M. Fuller.....	Clerk of Court.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Joseph H. Jones.....	Deputy Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Walter H. Carpenter.....	Assistant Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
David S. Veitch.....	Court Stenographer.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Gustave Simonson.....	Interpreter.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
James W. Brinck.....	Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
William L. Trafford.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Charles W. Gould.....	Stenographer.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Herbert H. Mase.....	Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Austin E. Woodman.....	Subpoena Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John Hasselberger.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Frank W. McCabe.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
George J. La Harker.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John J. Dempsey.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Contingent Cash Fund.....		\$69,300 00	\$69,300 00
		1,500 00	1,500 00
Total.....		\$70,800 00	\$70,800 00

Of the balance now remaining of the Contingent Cash Fund, it is estimated that the greater part, if not all, will be expended.
Dated SEPTEMBER 4, 1900.

THE JUSTICES OF THE COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS OF THE FIRST DIVISION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

By EPHRAIM A. JACOB, Presiding Justice, September Term, 1900.

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Salary of five Justices, at \$9,000 per annum each.....	\$45,000 00	\$45,000 00
Clerk of Court for one year.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Deputy Clerk for one year.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Assistant Clerk for one year.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Court Stenographer for one year.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Interpreter for one year.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,200 per annum each for one year.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
1 Stenographer for one year.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 Messenger for one year.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
5 Subpoena Clerks, at \$1,200 per annum each.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Contingent Cash Fund for one year.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Total.....	\$70,800 00	\$70,800 00

No. 1515.

HEADQUARTERS FIRST BRIGADE, N. G., N. Y.,
ENGINEER'S OFFICE, PARK AVENUE AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET,
NEW YORK, October 23, 1896.

To the Assistant Adjutant-General, Headquarters First Brigade:

SIR—I have the honor to return herewith the communication of Colonel William Seward, dated October 7, 1896, requesting a measurement of the floor space of the new Ninth Regiment Armory, at No. 125 West Fourteenth street, New York City, pursuant to section 178 of the Military Code. I have measured the floor space of this armory, pursuant to law, and report that I have computed the amount to be one hundred and six thousand four hundred and one (106,401) square feet.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
(Signed) AVERY D. ANDREWS, Engineer, First Brigade.

NINTH REGIMENT, N. G., N. Y.,
No. 125 W. FOURTEENTH STREET, NEW YORK.

Annual Estimate for Supplies 1901.

Egg coal, tons.....	250
Split cordwood, cords.....	5
Shades (electric lamps), dozen.....	6
Marks ventilators.....	4
Wire brads (½ inch to 2 inches), dozen.....	3
Carpet tacks, black flat heads, 2 ounces, dozen papers.....	1
Wire brushes for rifles (brass), dozen.....	1
Wire brushes for cleaning stone, dozen.....	1-6
Boiled oil, gallons.....	5
Turpentine, gallons.....	5
White lead, pounds.....	50
Black varnish, gallons.....	10
Lead-colored paint, pounds.....	15
Light drab paint, pounds.....	15
Wormers for cleaning rifles (cal. 45).....	4
Sapolio, case.....	1
Window polish (Bon Ami), case.....	1
Babbitt's soap, case.....	1
Parlor matches, gross.....	1
Potash (lye), case.....	1

Hair brooms (28 inch), dozen.....	½
Toilet paper (in rolls), case.....	1
Sand paper (assorted), quire.....	1
Bronze liquid, gallons.....	3
Gold bronze, pounds.....	10
Leader strainers (copper), dozen.....	1
Cocoa matting, 34 feet long, rubber tipped, roll.....	1
Alterations to wood and iron gates Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets.	
Painting halls and walls.....	
Miller's harness soap (one pound), dozen boxes.....	½
Miller's harness oil (pints), dozen cans.....	1
Feather dusters, No. 20, dozen.....	1
Case for colors.....	1
Desk blotting, quires.....	6
Cleaning rods for rifles, dozen.....	2
Crude oil, gallons.....	10
Paint brushes (one pound), dozen.....	½
Painters' dust brushes, dozen.....	½
Radiator brushes, dozen.....	½
Wrapping paper and cutter (24 inch), roll.....	1
Lenox canton flannel for rifles, yards.....	25
Felt pads for peerless floor oilers, dozen.....	2
Ice spades, dozen.....	½
Lamp wicking, dozen balls.....	2
Rubber cuspidor mats (15 inch), dozen.....	1
Mail boxes ("A" to "K," etc.), set.....	1
Perfection oil tank (60 gallons).....	1
Machine oil (Red A), gallons.....	10
Cylinder oil (Valvaline), gallons.....	10
Coal scoops (long and narrow), dozen.....	½
Iron pulleys (4-inch face, 15-16 inch core), 6-inch.....	2
Brass cleaning composition, gallon.....	1
Cold chisels (assorted), dozen.....	½
Flat files (assorted), dozen.....	1
Half globes for outside fixtures, Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets.....	50
Clear inner globes for arc lamps, gross.....	½
Manhole gasket (10½ and 14½ inches), dozen.....	½
Black lead, pounds.....	25
Change in heating system, so that more pressure can be carried on company's rooms, and less on south side of building, at same time.	
Disinfectant, barrel.....	1
Locks and keys for 30 gun cases.....	30
Locks and keys for sally ports, Fifteenth street.....	4
Repairing locks, company locker rooms.	
Snow shovels, dozen.....	1
Metal polish (Sublime), dozen cans.....	1
Twine (heavy), dozen balls.....	2
Twine (fine), dozen balls.....	1
Burnt umber, pounds.....	50
Screw drivers (assorted), dozen.....	½
Claw hammers (carpenters), dozen.....	½
Tack hammers, dozen.....	½
Screws (flat heads, assorted), dozen.....	6
Mops, dozen.....	6
Regulator diaphragms (11-inch pressure).....	2
Cold water paint, pounds.....	25
Wardrobes (portable and shelved), 2 feet deep, 8 feet high, 5 feet 11 in. wide.....	9
Railing and newels, 12 feet 1 inch by 8 feet 2 inches.....	1
Railing and newels, 11 feet 5 inches by 7 feet 8 inches.....	1

Salaries.

POSITION.	NAME.	1901.	1900.
Armorer.....	George W. Hill.....	\$1,460 00	\$1,460 00
Janitor.....	Frank J. Higgins.....	1,460 00	1,460 00
Engineer.....	John H. McGinn.....	1,460 00	1,460 00
Assistant Engineer.....	Lucas Barger.....	1,460 00	1,460 00
Laborer.....	Henry A. Harris.....	730 00	730 00
".....	Raymond Arnot.....	730 00	730 00
".....	Frederick Sickendick.....	730 00	730 00
".....	John W. Golden.....	730 00	730 00
".....	John Taylor.....	730 00	730 00
".....	Edward W. Ingram.....	730 00	730 00

No. 1516.

HEADQUARTERS EIGHTH REGIMENT INFANTRY, N. G., N. Y.,
WASHINGTON GREYS,

PARK AVENUE AND NINETY-FOURTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 5, 1900.

To Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, through the Comptroller:

SIR—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 2d instant, requesting names, etc., of the employees of this armory for the year 1901. Following is the list:

NAME.	OFFICIAL TITLE.	PAY PER DAY.	PAY PER YEAR.
Robert B. Breen, Jr.....	Armorer.....	\$4 00	\$1,460 00
Thomas R. Murphy.....	Janitor.....	4 00	1,460 00
Jeremiah McCarthy.....	Engineer.....	4 00	1,460 00
John Lynch.....	Assistant Engineer.....	4 00	1,460 00
Henry Mortimer.....	Laborer.....	2 00	730 00
Gabriel Nundeam.....	".....	2 00	730 00
Thomas Eames.....	".....	2 00	730 00
Henry J. Finnis.....	".....	2 00	730 00
Andrew Keifner.....	".....	2 00	730 00
John Kennedy.....	".....	2 00	730 00
Total.....			\$10,220 00

Measurement of armory, as certified by Engineer, First Brigade, N. G., N. Y., was filed in office of Comptroller, City of New York, September, 1893, and is 103,558 square feet.

Respectfully,

J. M. JARVIS, Colonel, Eighth Regiment, N. G., N. Y.

No. 1517.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS,
LONG ISLAND CITY, September 1, 1900.

To the Honorable the Council, The City of New York, Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President:

GENTLEMEN—Annexed hereto please find duplicate estimate of amount required to be appropriated for the expense of my office for the year 1901, which is respectfully submitted by
Yours truly,

FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS,
LONG ISLAND CITY, September 1, 1900.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, President:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with your request, and with the requirements of section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, the undersigned hereby submits for your favorable consideration

and action the following estimate of expenditure for the year 1901, for the Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, as per sections 382 and 383 of said Charter, and respectfully asks that appropriation be made for such, to wit:

For salary for President of the Borough of Queens.....	\$3,000 00
For salary for Secretary of the President of the Borough.....	2,500 00
For salary for Stenographer and Typewriter.....	600 00
For salary for Investigator of Complaints, or Messenger.....	900 00
For salary for Clerical services.....	1,200 00
For incidental expenses.....	500 00
Total.....	\$8,700 00

Yours truly,
FREDERICK BOWLEY, President.

No. 1518.

BROOKLYN TRAINING SCHOOL AND HOME FOR YOUNG GIRLS,
No. 1483 PACIFIC STREET,
BROOKLYN, August 1, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

In compliance with the request of the Comptroller of New York City, that the officers of institutions should send to you before September 4 an estimate of expenditures for the year 1901, we, the undersigned, beg to submit our report.

From past experience, we need for care:
Services of Matron, Cook, Laundress and Janitor..... \$1,091 50
For maintenance and support of Teacher..... 3,378 05

Total..... \$4,669 55

We respectfully take this opportunity to say that we as an institution have suffered from the change made this year in the distribution of City money to institutions; and while we very readily understand the efforts of your Board to investigate the claims of every City institution in order to discriminate between the deserving and undeserving ones, we beg to call your attention to our regular official reports, which prove that we are worthy of your consideration. We respectfully state that \$2 a week per capita is not an adequate sum for the care, support and maintenance of an inmate, especially where the number is small and limited, and we therefore trust that you may find means to increase the rate per capita.

Very respectfully,
MRS. WILLIAM R. TAYLOR, President.
RENEE KELLER, Treasurer.

No. 1519.

FIVE POINTS HOUSE OF INDUSTRY,
No. 155 WORTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 3, 1900.

In response to the circular from the Comptroller's office regarding the estimate for the Five Points House of Industry for the year 1901. (Sec. 230, Greater New York Charter, as amended by chap. 196, Laws 1899):

For the care and maintenance of dependent children, accepted by the Department of Public Charities as proper charges against the City Treasury, at the rate of \$2 per week..... \$32,000 00

Respectfully submitted,
WM. F. BARNARD, Superintendent.

No. 1520.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, SECOND DISTRICT,
THIRD AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET,
August 1, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the circular letter of the Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, I transmit herewith the estimate of the amount of expenditure required for the conduct of this Court for the year 1901. I have not prepared the parallel column mentioned in the circular, for the reason that these same salaries will be paid during the ensuing year, as none of the positions are to be abolished nor new positions created, and no increase or decrease of salaries made, these being fixed by the Charter.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice.

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

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the circular letter of Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, I have the honor to submit the following as the estimate of the amount of expenditure required for the proper conduct of the business of the Municipal Court of the City of New York, Borough of The Bronx, Second District, for the year 1901, viz.:

For the salary of John M. Tierney, Justice.....	\$6,000 00
" Howard Spear, Clerk.....	3,000 00
" John Monaghan, Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00
" William M. Browne, Stenographer.....	2,000 00
" Robert Vollbracht, Interpreter.....	1,200 00
" Timothy J. Kelly, Attendant.....	1,000 00
" Peter Koelble, Attendant.....	1,000 00
" James L. Doyle, Attendant.....	1,000 00

These salaries are all fixed by law and are the same as was allowed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the year 1899.

The Interpreter appointed for this Court acts also in the Court in the First District, in this Borough.

There will be no part of the appropriation for the year 1899 unexpended at the end of this year.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice.

No. 1521.

FLUSHING LIBRARY ASSOCIATION,
MAIN STREET AND JAMAICA AVENUE, FLUSHING, BOROUGH OF QUEENS,
August 1, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

The undersigned having this day addressed an application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an appropriation for the year 1901, for the Flushing Free Library, respectfully send herewith, as required by law, a duplicate of the Departmental Estimate which accompanies and is a part of said application, to wit:

FLUSHING FREE LIBRARY.
Departmental Estimate for 1901.

	YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1901.	CURRENT YEAR.
Salaries—		
Librarian.....	\$800 00	\$720 00
First Assistant Librarian.....	240 00	240 00
Second Assistant Librarian.....	240 00	165 00
Janitor.....	144 00	144 00
Lighting, Heating, Water and Insurance.....	225 00	229 60
Books and Binding.....	750 00	464 19
Printing, Stationery and Equipment.....	250 00	305 57
Repairs and Improvements.....	400 00	623 71
Interest on Mortgage.....	250 00	318 98
Sundries.....	50 00	23 05
Total.....	\$3,349 00	\$3,234 10

Attest:
HENRY M. DUNCAN, President, Flushing Library Association.
WALTER L. BOGERT, Treasurer.

No. 1522.

THE SOCIETY OF THE LYING-IN HOSPITAL OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 7 LIVINGSTON PLACE,
NEW YORK, July 28, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President, Municipal Assembly, City Hall:

SIR—I have the honor to inclose, as directed by the Comptroller, copy of the estimate of expenditures for the year 1901 of The Society of the Lying-in Hospital of the City of New York.

Very respectfully yours,
F. DELANO WEEKS, Secretary.

THE SOCIETY OF THE LYING-IN HOSPITAL OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 7 LIVINGSTON PLACE,
July 28, 1900.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Estimate of amount required for the care and support of its inmates for the year 1901 by the Society of the Lying-in Hospital, by the provisions of chapter 385 of the Laws of 1895, passed April 23, 1895..... \$12,000 00

Very respectfully submitted,
THE SOCIETY OF THE LYING-IN HOSPITAL
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
By F. DELANO WEEKS, Secretary.

THE SOCIETY OF THE LYING-IN HOSPITAL OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 7 LIVINGSTON PLACE,
July 28, 1900.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the request of the Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, under date of the 2d of July, 1900, The Society of the Lying-in Hospital, occupying at present three stations, No. 314 Broome street, No. 7 Livingston place and No. 320 East Sixteenth street, hereby presents to your Honorable Board its estimate of the amount required for its charitable work for the year 1901, according to the provisions of chapter 385 of the Laws of 1895.

During the year and up to the present date the Society has had 2,281 applicants for treatment and cared for some 1,670 cases.

It may be well to state that the work of the Society consists of the care of destitute women in childbirth who cannot pay for any medical attendance, and whose circumstances are such that if not cared for by the Society they would become a public charge. Every case treated by the Society is carefully investigated, and no cases are relieved unless absolutely destitute.

Besides relieving between two and three thousand poor women every year, who receive medical attendance where they are found, the Society maintains a station for the distribution of food and clothing, as many relieved by the Society are found in a starving and destitute condition.

During the past year an appropriation of \$12,000 was allowed the Society, but for the care and maintenance of inmates only, and owing to the discontinuance of its indoor service during the construction of its hospital, the Society received nothing; its usual work of relief therefore was much restricted. The Society expects to occupy its new buildings on January 1 next, this covers the entire front on Second avenue, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, and will accommodate in all 250 patients. It is believed that the location of this large maternity hospital will prove of great value to the City authorities in providing a convenient emergency hospital for the City poor. The present City Maternity Hospital in Twenty-sixth street has a limited accommodation of 13 beds, while the maternity wards on Blackwell's Island may be considered somewhat inaccessible for such cases as require immediate treatment.

The Society of the Lying-in Hospital earnestly desires to co-operate in every way with the City in giving proper medical treatment to deserving poor, and will accept such pro rata rate for the care of any patients as it shall seem expedient to the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment to fix upon.

All of which is very respectfully submitted by the Society of the Lying-in Hospital of the City of New York.

F. DELANO WEEKS, Secretary.

No. 1523.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF RICHMOND—FIRST DISTRICT,
VILLAGE HALL, LAFAYETTE AVENUE, NEW BRITTON,
July 27, 1900.

Hon. Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with directions contained in circular letter of Comptroller dated July 2, 1900, I send the following estimate of expenditures for year 1901 for Municipal Court, Borough of Richmond, First District, viz.:

Salary of Justice.....	\$5,000 00
" Clerk.....	2,000 00
" Assistant Clerk.....	2,000 00
" Stenographer.....	2,000 00
" Attendant.....	1,000 00
" ".....	1,000 00
Contingent expenses.....	100 00
Total.....	\$13,100 00

The following is a comparative statement of the amount, as estimated above, with the salaries paid for the current year, according to the last pay-roll of the Court, viz.:

	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATION 1900.	AMOUNT OF ESTIMATE 1901.
Salary of Justice.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
" Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
" Assistant.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
" Stenographer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
" Attendant.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
" ".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Contingent expenses.....	100 00	100 00
Total.....	\$13,100 00	\$13,100 00

All of the above salaries are fixed by the provisions of sections 1355 and 1373 of the Charter, and I certify that the services of the above-named officers, clerks and subordinates are necessary for the efficient performance of the duties of this Court.

The item of contingent expenses is estimated to cover disbursements necessary in the business of the Court, such as postage, expressage, traveling expenses of Court Officers, etc.

Respectfully submitted,
JNO. J. KENNEY, Justice.

No. 1524.

GENERAL SOCIETY OF MECHANICS AND TRADESMEN,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, NOS. 10-12 WEST FORTY-FOURTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 12, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—The General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of The City of New York, a duly incorporated body under the Laws of the State of New York, applies through its Secretary to you for an appropriation of \$12,000, to be used by the said Society in the support and maintenance of the "Free Library," located at Nos. 16 to 24 West Forty-fourth street, in The City of New York.

It respectfully declares that the said Library is owned and maintained solely by the said Society as a Free Public Library; that it is open for the free circulation of books among the inhabitants of The City of New York from eight o'clock A. M. to eight o'clock P. M. every day except Sunday and Holidays; that the number of volumes contained in the library is 109,955; that the aggregate number of volumes actually withdrawn from the said library by the inhabitants of the said City, for use in their homes or places of business, during the twelve months next preceding the first day of January, 1900, was 120,818.

It further respectfully declares that the value of the real estate owned by the said Society, and used solely for the said library, exceeds \$20,000, and is free from any incumbrances.

[SEAL.] RICHARD T. DAVIES, Secretary.

FREE LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Receipts for the year 1899—	
Appropriation by the General Society.....	\$17,515 74
Received from The City of New York, on account of appropriation of 1899....	4,166 64
Total.....	\$21,682 38
Disbursements for the year 1899—	
Salary account.....	\$7,071 24
Books purchased.....	3,303 21
Lighting, heating, insurance and Janitor.....	2,658 21
Bindery and sundry expense account.....	40 77
Supplies for library, includes finding lists, postages, etc., all supplies being purchased on contract after competition.....	846 21
Reading-room account, newspapers and periodicals.....	371 47
Betterments, repairs and improvements in Library Department, all for library account.....	7,391 27
Total.....	\$21,682 38
Circulation for 1899—	
Free circulating section.....	Volumes, 120,818
Consulted, reference section.....	1,522
Total.....	122,340
Average attendance in reading-rooms daily.....	
	177

IMPORTANT.

Attention is particularly called to the following statement of facts :
That in September, 1899, the Society came in possession of the building Nos. 16 to 24 West Forty-fourth street and began at once the removal of its plant from No. 18 East Sixteenth street. This necessitated the closing of the Circulating Department for a period of nearly thirty days, and of the Reading-rooms for a longer period. The results of this change and enforced closing were a large falling off in circulation, both from closing for the period stated, and from the fact that our former readers were too far from us to avail of the privileges of the Library, and we had not become, as yet, sufficiently known in the new location to receive that patronage which has since come to us and which is also steadily increasing. We do not appeal for any especial consideration on account of above conditions, but think that the Board should be informed as to the reasons for the marked reduction in circulation. Our facilities are now unsurpassed for accommodating both the reading public and those who desire to consult valuable and rare works of reference in special lines, and we are expending money generously to enlarge our benefits, regardless of any sum or sums that may be appropriated under the law by your Honorable Board. As you are aware, the library is only one feature of our educational and beneficent work.

Attention is also especially called to an innovation, begun by us in a small way in 1898 and continued in 1899, viz.: The donating of duplicate books, which have become inactive in New York, to small and struggling libraries in the vicinity of the city, and we have included in our list the charitable institution maintained by the City, feeling that it was but just to the City to make return, in some way, for its appropriations to our library work. A list of the donations made in 1899 is herewith attached :

Department of Charities, Borough of Manhattan.....	Volumes, 1,271
United States Navy Cob Dock Reading Room, Brooklyn.....	600
Webb Academy and Home for Ship Builders, Fordham, N. Y.....	500
Woodbury (Conn.) Public Library.....	500
Free Public Library, Oyster Bay, L. I., N. Y.....	500
Pleasantville (N. Y.) Free Library Association.....	500
Catonsville (N. Y.) Improvement Society.....	500
Emma S. Clark Memorial Library Setauket, L. I., N. Y.....	500
Pittston (Penn.) Library Association.....	400
Public School No. 2, Weehawken, N. J.....	300
Tompkins Memorial Library, Bensonhurst, L. I., N. Y.....	250
Fulton (N. Y.) Public Library.....	250
Islip, L. I. (N. Y.) Library Association.....	250
Walpole (N. H.) Town Library.....	250
New York State Soldiers and Sailors' Home.....	250
Brewster (N. Y.) Free Library and Reading Rooms.....	200
Library of St. Luke's Hospital, New York City.....	200
Mirzapur Circle, Children's Aid Society, New York City.....	150
Total.....	7,371

The books which are in use in the Cob Dock, or Soldiers and Sailors' Reading-room, in the Brooklyn Navy Yard, were originally designed to be sent to the Island of Guam or to Manila, but upon the suggestion of Rear Admiral Philip were kept and placed in the above Library, and are of inestimable value to the Sailors and Marines who are stationed in the Navy Yard. Rear Admiral John W. Philip, acknowledging the gift, says :

"In behalf of the Sailors and Marines of the service, I most sincerely thank the Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen for this valuable and esteemed gift.

"The Cob Dock Reading-room has but few volumes and is visited by more sailors day and evening than any other single place under control of the Navy. Here, too, each book will be looked after and carefully taken care of, whilst thousands of men will have free access to them."

In response to an inquiry sent to Hon. John W. Keller, Commissioner of Charities, the following appreciative letter was received :

"Your communication of the 28th, concerning surplus books which you offer to place at the disposal of the institutions of this Department, is received. I would advise you that we shall be very glad to receive any such books that you may have.

"Thanking you for your very kind offer, both in behalf of the Department and in behalf of the patients, who will undoubtedly enjoy your contribution, I am

"Yours sincerely, etc."

Upon a notice being sent that the books were in readiness the Department sent for and received the 1,271 volumes which had been selected.

In each instance where books have been donated, some individual member of the Library Committee or of the Society has paid for recovering and boxing the books so that they have gone out in the best possible condition. They are also conspicuously marked as the gift of the Society.

The Library now contains, in the

Circulating Section.....	Volumes, 95,843
DeMilt Section.....	13,845
Slade Architectural Section.....	567
A total of.....	109,955

No. 1525.

HEADQUARTERS THIRTEENTH REGIMENT HEAVY ARTILLERY, N. G., N. Y.,
ARMORY, CORNER SUMNER AND JEFFERSON AVENUES,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, July 24, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President Municipal Assembly :

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to Comptroller's notice under date of July 2, I have the honor to submit list of armory employees, with salaries required for 1901.

NAME.	POSITION.	RESIDENCE.	PER DIEM.	PER ANNUM.
James McNevin.....	Armorer.....	175 South Elliott place...	\$4 00	\$1,460 00
Edward H. Madison.....	Janitor.....	73 Flatbush avenue.....	4 00	1,460 00
Thomas Holmes.....	Engineer.....	40 Union avenue.....	4 00	1,460 00
Charles J. Carr.....	Assistant Engineer.....	194 Georgia avenue.....	3 00	1,095 00
John Murray.....	Laborer.....	107 Prospect street.....	2 00	730 00
Matthew Kelly.....	".....	690 Degraw street.....	2 00	730 00
Philip Franz.....	".....	77 Bond street.....	2 00	730 00
Harry C. Velsor.....	".....	676 Hancock street.....	2 00	730 00
James Mahegan.....	".....	777 Driggs avenue.....	2 00	730 00
George W. Smith.....	".....	28 St. James place.....	2 00	730 00

NAME.	POSITION.	RESIDENCE.	PER DIEM.	PER ANNUM.
Edward Haviland.....	Laborer.....	750 Marcy avenue.....	\$2 00	\$730 00
Ernest L. Hester.....	".....	291 Ellery street.....	2 00	730 00
Thomas Gannon.....	".....	373 Lexington avenue.....	2 00	730 00
Joseph McCue.....	".....	717 Gates avenue.....	2 00	730 00
Total.....				\$12,775 00

Armory, 184,621 square feet.

Very respectfully,

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Colonel Commanding.

No. 1526.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN—EIGHTH DISTRICT,
July 24, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

In accordance with section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, I herewith furnish you with an estimate of the amount required to pay the expenses of this Court for the ensuing year.

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	COMPENSATION PER ANNUM.	CHAPTER 410, LAWS 1882.
Joseph H. Stiner.....	Justice.....	\$6,000 00	1283
Thomas Costigan.....	Clerk.....	3,000 00	1427
Robert J. Cook.....	Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00	1427
Harold Eyre.....	Stenographer.....	2,000 00	1434
Henry Merzbach.....	Interpreter.....	1,200 00	1433
William Heim.....	Attendant.....	1,000 00	1432
Charles J. Geiger.....	".....	1,000 00	1432
Daniel Walsh.....	".....	1,000 00	1432

Very respectfully submitted,

JOS. H. STINER, Justice,
Municipal Court, Borough of Manhattan, Eighth District.

No. 1527.

JULY 20.

Inclosed please find the report of the New Utrecht Free Library at Bath Beach for the year 1899 ; also a suggestion of the work and wishes of the managers for the year 1900, and a requisition for an appropriation for 1901 based upon the scale of the last appropriation.

SARAH P. SHERWOOD, President.

REPORT OF NEW UTRECHT BATH BEACH FREE LIBRARY FOR 1899.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Balance, January 1.....	\$235 93	Books.....	\$552 14
City appropriation to date.....	733 26	Librarian's salary.....	300 00
Raised from other sources.....	567 22	Janitor's salary.....	72 00
Total.....	\$1,536 41	Library supplies.....	89 01
		Repairing books.....	48 90
		Fuel and light.....	26 98
		Cataloguing.....	23 77
		Insurance.....	11 25
		Balance, January 1, 1900.....	\$1,274 05
		Total.....	\$1,536 41

The expenses of this library have been increased in 1900, as it has been opened Sunday afternoons, so the salary of an attendant for that day has been added. It is intended, as soon as a suitable place can be provided, to move the library, as one small room lighted by lamps is inadequate therefore an increase in rent will be necessary, as both a room for reading and one for the distribution of books is desirable. Just the right place is not at the command of the managers at present, but we hope in the near future to secure one. All the surplus money will be expended for books. During the six months already past we have spent between three and four hundred dollars. Acquiring many useful books of reference. In the autumn we propose buying many more. An appropriation based upon the same scale as that granted by the Board of Estimate for 1900 would be satisfactory to the trustees and managers.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH P. SHERWOOD, President, New Utrecht Free Library.
BENSONHURST, July 25, 1900.

No. 1528.

HOSPITAL FOR RUPTURED AND CRIPPLED,
FORTY-SECOND STREET AND LEXINGTON AVENUE,
NEW YORK, July 30, 1900.

The Municipal Assembly, New York City :

GENTLEMEN—The estimated expenditure required for the care and support of the inmates of this institution for the year 1901 is ninety thousand dollars (\$90,000).

Yours truly,
S. H. LE ROY.

No. 1529.

NEW YORK, August 8, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—During the month of February, 1900, the Italian Benevolent Society of the Legion of the Sons of Columbus was duly incorporated under the Laws of the State of New York as a charitable incorporation, and the certificate was duly approved by the State Board of Charities at Albany, N. Y., and as such has been filed by the State Board of Charities, and also with the County Clerk of the County of New York.

The said institution is a charitable institution for aid in time of sickness and for assistance to the poor when they are in need. Its place of conducting business is now at No. 2424 Second avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and it has been doing business in assisting the poor and furnishing the attendance of a doctor, etc., as a corporation since the 1st of February, 1900.

As such institution, by and through its president and trustees, it asks that an appropriation be made—an allowance of \$500. That the amount of assistance it has given since it was incorporated up to the present time is the sum of \$1,779.31, and has aided persons, and all it receives is small donations from persons, \$609.89.

That in accordance with section 230 of the Charter of Greater New York, articles 8 and 22, and No. 24 of article 22, we ask that an appropriation be made from the funds of the City for the purpose of assisting this institution in its charitable work in the sum of \$500.

The said institution pays for rent of its place of business at No. 2424 Second avenue the sum of \$20 per month. For required help, consisting of a secretary and telephone service, the sum of \$15 per week ; for the attendance of a doctor for the sick the sum of \$150 per year, and for other incidental expenses, consisting of gas, paper, etc., the sum of \$10 per month. No other payments for services are made except such as are incidental to the daily need of the assistance of the poor.

Respectfully submitted,

VITO CONTESSA, President.

No. 1530.

THE BROOKLYN HOSPITAL,
RAYMOND STREET, CORNER DEKALB AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
CITY OF NEW YORK, August 4, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, City of New York :

SIRS—In accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of June 27, 1900, I have the honor to submit on behalf of the Brooklyn Hospital an estimate of the

required amount for the care and support of the inmates of this Institution in and for the year 1901.
It is respectfully requested that the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) be appropriated for the above-mentioned purpose.

Very respectfully yours,
JOHN E. LEECH, President, Board of Trustees.

No. 1531.

THE BROOKLYN HOSPITAL,
RAYMOND STREET, CORNER DEKALB AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
CITY OF NEW YORK, August 4, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

SIRS—In accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of June 27, 1900, I have the honor to submit on behalf of the Brooklyn Orthopaedic Dispensary an estimate of the amount required for the maintenance of this Institution in and for the year 1901.
It is respectfully requested that the sum of one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,250) be appropriated for the above-mentioned purpose.

Very respectfully yours,
JOHN E. LEECH, President, Board of Trustees.

No. 1532.

THE BROOKLYN HOSPITAL,
RAYMOND STREET, CORNER DEKALB AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
CITY OF NEW YORK, August 4, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

SIRS—In accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of June 27, 1900, I have the honor to submit on behalf of the Low Maternity an estimate of the amount required for the care and support of the inmates of this institution in and for the year 1901.
It is respectfully requested that the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) be appropriated for the above-mentioned purpose.

Very respectfully yours,
JOHN E. LEECH, President, Board of Trustees.

No. 1533.

THE BROOKLYN HOSPITAL,
RAYMOND STREET, CORNER DEKALB AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
CITY OF NEW YORK, August 4, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

SIRS—In accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of June 27, 1900, I have the honor to submit on behalf of the Brooklyn Hospital Dispensary an estimate of the amount required for the maintenance of this institution in and for the year 1901.
It is respectfully requested that the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) be appropriated for the above-mentioned purpose.

Very respectfully yours,
JOHN E. LEECH, President, Board of Trustees.

No. 1534.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, TENTH DISTRICT,
NOS. 312 AND 314 WEST FIFTY-FOURTH STREET,
August 14, 1900.

Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with request contained in circular letter issued by the Department of Finance, dated July 2, 1900, I furnish below departmental estimate of the amount of expenditure required for this Court for the year 1901:

NAME.	POSITION.	SALARY.
Thomas E. Murray.....	Justice.....	\$6,000 00
Hugh Grant.....	Clerk.....	3,000 00
George Sexton.....	Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00
William C. Booth.....	Stenographer.....	2,000 00
Martin Senger.....	Interpreter.....	1,200 00
Cornelius Foley.....	Attendant.....	1,000 00
Thomas Campbell.....	".....	1,000 00
John F. Ulrich.....	".....	1,000 00

This is the same as the pay-roll for 1900, there is no increase or decrease.

Respectfully submitted,
T. E. MURRAY, Justice.

No. 1535.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,
August 15, 1900.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with sections 382 and 383 of the Charter, I request appropriation for the Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the year 1901 as follows:

	REQUIRED FOR 1901.	APPROPRIATED FOR 1900.
President's salary.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Salaries of Secretary, Clerk, etc.....	6,800 00	6,800 00
Contingencies.....	300 00	300 00
Total.....	\$12,100 00	\$12,100 00

Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1536.

FORT HAMILTON FREE LIBRARY.
ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR 1901.

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

	1901.	1900.
Salaries.		
Miss Callie M. Mayo, Librarian.....	\$206 00	\$206 00
Miss Lillian L. Mayo, Assistant Librarian.....	167 00	167 00
Mrs. Cronin, Janitress.....	120 00	120 00
Total Salaries.....	\$493 00	\$493 00
Other Expenses.		
For books.....	200 00	300 00
Magazines and papers.....	25 00	25 00
Binding and repairs to books.....	100 00	100 00
Cataloguing and cards for cataloguing and charging.....	250 00	235 00
Book covers.....	25 00	25 00
Interest.....	50 00	50 00
Fuel and lights.....	90 00	90 00
Insurance and water.....	35 00	28 00
Shelving.....	30 00	20 00
Incidentals, stationery, supplies and repairs.....	150 00	125 00
Total.....	\$1,450 00	\$1,493 00

Appropriation to the Fort Hamilton Free Library for the Year 1900.

Appropriated by the State of New York.....	\$200 00
Appropriated by The City of New York.....	1,270 00
Expenses.....	\$1,470 00
Deficit.....	1,493 00
	\$23 00

Copy of Report of the Fort Hamilton Free Library to the Board of Regents of the State University for the Year ending July 1, 1900.

Growth—Volumes added: Given, 25; bought 648-673.
Size—Total volumes in Library, 5,843.
Use—Volumes issued for home use, 16,565; volumes issued for use in Library, 5,000.
Open—Hours each week, 52.
Expenses—Salaries, \$483; all other expenses, \$785.
Receipts—All sources, \$1,289.

No. 1537.

THE EAST SIDE HOUSE SETTLEMENT,
SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET AND EAST RIVER,
WEBSTER FREE CIRCULATING LIBRARY,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

Clerk of Municipal Assembly:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with circular letter from the Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, I send you the estimate and statement of the Webster Free Library for the year 1901. Accompanying this is a copy of the Regents' Certificate of Approval of Circulation. The original Certificate of the Regents accompanies the estimate which is sent to the Mayor.

Yours truly,
EVERETT P. WHEELER, President, Webster Free Library.

ESTIMATES OF THE AMOUNT OF EXPENDITURE OF THE WEBSTER FREE LIBRARY FOR THE YEAR 1901.

The Webster Free Library is a library maintained for the welfare and free use of the public in The City of New York. It is subject to the inspection of the Regents of the University of the State of New York, and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard.

The aggregate circulation, as certified by the Regents, for the year ending June 30, 1899, which is the term fixed by the Regents of the University for their annual examination, was 61,000. The amount granted in 1899 by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the basis of this circulation, for the year 1900, was four thousand five hundred and fifty dollars (\$4,550).

A certificate from the Board of Regents of the University is presented herewith, showing that in the judgment of the Regents said Library has circulated for the free use of the public during the year ending June 30, 1900, 76,000 volumes, of such a character as to merit a grant of public money.

The appropriation to which, under such certificate, the said Library would be entitled is seven thousand six hundred dollars (\$7,600) for the expenses of the year 1901. Mindful, however, of the admonitions to economy, contained in the circular of the Comptroller dated July 2, 1900, the Managers of the Library ask for a grant of public money to the amount of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) only.

The Managers annex hereto two tabulated statements, as requested by the Comptroller, showing the expenses of the Library during the year 1900, and also the expenses proposed to be incurred during the year 1901, with explanations showing the reason for the increase in amounts.

A separate comparative statement is also appended, showing in one column the amounts specified in the estimate for 1900 and the amounts proposed to be paid out by the Library during the ensuing year. It will appear from these statements that the expenses for the year 1900 are more than the amounts of the grant of public moneys, and that the difference will be very much greater during the year 1901. The Managers expect to raise the difference by private subscription. Every item of expense not absolutely necessary for the business of conducting the Library has been excluded, and every item included in the estimate has been reduced to the lowest amount of expenditure consistent with efficient service. The Library is very glad to co-operate with the Board of Estimate in accomplishing these important objects.

In the management of the Library we have co-operated to the utmost extent possible with the principals and teachers of the public schools in our vicinity, so as to provide them and their pupils with books which shall be of use to them in their studies.

The building and land occupied by the Library and the books contained therein represent an expenditure of about thirty-two thousand dollars, most of which has been raised by private subscription.

No part of the appropriation for 1900 will remain unexpended at the close of the year.

The grant of the public moneys has been of the greatest utility in extending the work of the Library, and we believe by this combination of the intelligent and careful supervision of unpaid managers and of capital contributed by private liberality with the grant of public funds, results are obtained which are of great advantage to the citizens of New York and contribute to their permanent welfare.

The changes and additions to the Library Building, mentioned in our Budget for 1900, have been begun, but are not completed, and will not be until 1901.

NEW YORK, August 9, 1900.

EVERETT P. WHEELER, President, Webster Free Library,
Foot East Seventy-sixth Street, Borough of Manhattan.

E. W. GAILLARD, Librarian.

UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK—PUBLIC LIBRARIES DEPARTMENT.

Certificate of Approved Circulation.

This certifies that Webster Free Library, New York, is subject to the inspection of the Regents and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard; that its system of recording the circulation of books and the character of the books so circulated have been officially inspected by an officer of the university; that its trustees have reported under oath the number issued for home use during the year ending June 30, 1900, and that in the judgment of the Regents this library has circulated for the free use of the public during the said year 76,000 volumes of such a character as to merit a grant of public money.

In Witness Whereof, the Regents grant, under seal of the university, this certificate, recorded as No. 664 in the University Register, July 20, 1900.

MELVIL DEWEY, Director.

CHAS. F. WHEELLOCK, Deputy Secretary.
W. R. EASTMAN, Library Inspector.

Webster Free Library.

	EXPENDITURES FOR 1900.	EXPENDITURES FOR 1901.	
E. W. Gaillard, Librarian.....	\$1,080 00	\$1,200 00	Well deserved for faithful service.
A. M. Fowler, Assistant Librarian.....	285 00	720 00	Employed only a part of 1900.
Miss Clara Smith, Assistant Librarian.....	480 00	480 00	
J. Hugo Fischer, Assistant Librarian.....	420 00	420 00	
Henry Fialke, Junior Assistant.....	180 00	240 00	This is a small increase for a boy who has worked in the Library for two years: he has been promoted from position of Boy.
Heating, lighting, Janitor service, etc.....	900 00	900 00	
Binding.....	115 00	150 00	As a library grows older its books needs rebinding.
Magazines.....	25 00	30 00	
Printing, stationery, postage and sundries.....	400 00	750 00	It is expected that extensive work with the schools will require this increase, and, besides this, it allows for the printing of a catalogue, with 30,000 entries.
New books.....	1,500 00	2,500 00	
Book-cases and equipment.....	700 00	700 00	The Library is now much pressed for shelf room for books, and increased space is much needed.
Addition to building.....	.....	6,500 00	Required by growth of work.
Total.....	\$6,035 00	\$14,590 00	

Webster Free Library.

	BUDGET FOR 1900.	BUDGET FOR 1901.
Librarian	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00
Assistants	1,060 00	1,860 00
1 Boy	192 00	.....
Books and binding	2,125 00	2,650 00
Printing, postage and equipment	1,250 00	1,450 00
Heating, lighting, janitor, etc.	900 00	900 00
	\$6,727 00	\$8,060 00
Addition to building	5,000 00	6,500 00
Total	\$11,727 00	\$14,560 00

No. 1538.

NEW AMSTERDAM EYE AND EAR HOSPITAL,
No. 230 WEST THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 14, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with a request of the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held June 27, 1900, I have the honor to submit that the amount required by this Hospital, as per the provision of section 230, Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 196, Laws of 1899, for in-patients accepted by the Department of Public Charities as proper charges against the City Treasury at the rate of sixty cents per day for medical treatment and eighty cents for surgical treatment for the year 1901 will be \$500.

Yours respectfully,

THOS. R. POOLEY, Executive Surgeon.

No. 1539.

HEBREW ORPHAN ASYLUM SOCIETY OF THE CITY OF BROOKLYN,
Nos. 373 TO 393 RALPH AVENUE,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 13, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President, Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—Inclosed please find estimate of the Hebrew Orphan Asylum Society of the City of Brooklyn for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,

A. J. PIDDIAN, Secretary.

HEBREW ORPHAN ASYLUM SOCIETY OF THE CITY OF BROOKLYN,
Nos. 373 TO 393 RALPH AVENUE,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 1, 1900.

Departmental Estimate, Hebrew Orphan Asylum Society of the City of Brooklyn.
(Chap. 173, Laws of 1875 and 1876.)

Estimated number of children for the year 1901, 325, at \$104..... \$33,800 00

A. J. PIDDIAN, Secretary.

No. 1540.

ST. JOHN'S GUILD,
No. 501 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK,
August 7, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan:

SIR—St. John's Guild, a charitable organization having its principal place of business at No. 501 Fifth Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, hereby respectfully submits its estimate of expenditure for the year 1901, in compliance with a circular letter from the Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900.

The sum authorized by section 230, subdivision 22, paragraph 7, of the Charter of New York City, to be appropriated to said St. John's Guild is thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).

The amount required for the care and support of the inmates of the hospitals of St. John's Guild is much in excess of the sum of thirty-thousand dollars, but as the Charter authorizes an appropriation to that extent only, this estimate is limited to said sum.

Yours very respectfully,

W. L. STRONG, President.

No. 1541.

BROOKLYN, August 13, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, President of the Industrial Association, Brooklyn, E. D., would respectfully submit the following as the estimate of the amount of money required to pay for the maintenance of county wards for the year 1901:

300 county wards, per capita allowance 25 cents per day..... \$27,375 00

Yours respectfully,

BENJ. W. WILSON, President,
No. 165 Ross street.

No. 1542.

COLORED HOME AND HOSPITAL,
EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET AND CONCORD AVENUE,
NEW YORK CITY, August 10, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Having been requested by the Comptroller to prepare and send to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment an estimate of the amount required for the care and support of the inmates of the Colored Home and Hospital in and for the year 1901, the following statement is respectfully submitted. In conformity with the provisions by law (sec. 230, Greater New York Charter, as amended by chap. 196, Laws of 1899), the Board of Managers petition for a per capita allowance for patients accepted by the Department of Public Charities as proper charges against the City Treasury, at the rate of sixty (60) cents per day for medical treatment and eighty (80) cents per day for surgical treatment. For infants under two (2) years of age, at the rate of thirty-eight (38) cents per day. For chronic invalids and for old people, at the rate of forty-five (45) cents per day.

The managers petition that the limit of the appropriation for the year 1901 be placed at not less than twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), and that it be determined by the work performed. The number of days' treatment from July 1, 1899, to July 1, 1900, was 82,401.

It is also further petitioned that the Department of Public Charities be requested to commit to the care of the Colored Home and Hospital, the sick and the aged colored poor, who are proper charges of the City, in so far as there are accommodations for them. This Department has publicly asked for new and enlarged buildings for the proper care of the City poor. To supply this need, so far as the colored poor are concerned, the Colored Home and Hospital asks to be entrusted with their care, as was done during the long period when neither the City nor any other private charity made provision for them. Buildings thoroughly equipped for doing the work required have been provided through private benevolence in compliance with the urgent request of the State Board of Charities. In addition to the general hospital and maternity buildings, there is a separate pavilion for the treatment of tuberculosis which affords every facility for accomplishing the best results on the most approved methods for the cure and prevention of this disease. The wards have a capacity for thirty-two (32) beds; they are permeated in every quarter by sunlight, fresh air and cleanliness, and the patients are under strict and judicious medical supervision. We petition that colored consumptive cases be sent to us. No allowance of public money was made in 1900 for old people and for incurables. We believe that injustice was done to a class into whose lives of hard and unremunerative toil there has never come even the possibility of providing for the misfortunes which have overtaken them. For this worthy class we do earnestly intercede, that they may be remembered in the Budget for 1901.

A training school for colored nurses, now in successful operation, entitles the institution to favorable recognition by the City, inasmuch as it affords the only opportunity for the educated colored woman to become a professional nurse.

The Colored Home and Hospital differs from other homes and hospitals in that no revenues are derived from "paying patients"; the entire amount from this source received in 1899 having

been \$221.20. In asking for a more liberal appropriation from the City than heretofore, it is with pleasure that we mention the gratifying result of efforts on the part of the managers to increase the income from private sources.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY W. BOOTH, First Directress.

No. 1543.

ST. JOSEPH'S INSTITUTE,
WESTCHESTER, NEW YORK CITY,
August 8, 1900.

Presiding Officer of the Municipal Assembly, New York City:

SIR—In compliance with request in circular letter of 2nd ult. received from the Comptroller of New York City, the St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes respectfully submits to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment an estimate of the amount required for the year 1901.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx.

For tuition and maintenance of 92 pupils, at \$300 each per annum..... \$27,600 00
For clothing of 110 State pupils, at \$30 each per annum..... 3,300 00

Total..... \$30,900 00

—Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.

Borough of Brooklyn.

For tuition and maintenance of 58 pupils, at \$300 each per annum..... \$17,400 00
For clothing of 65 State pupils, at \$30 each per annum..... 1,950 00

Total..... \$19,350 00

—Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.

Borough of Queens.

For tuition and maintenance of 3 pupils, at \$300 each per annum..... \$900 00
For clothing of 5 State pupils, at \$30 each per annum..... 150 00

Total..... \$1,050 00

—Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.

Boroughs of Richmond.

For tuition and maintenance of 3 pupils, at \$300 each per annum..... \$900 00
For clothing of 1 State pupil..... 30 00

Total..... \$930 00

—Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.

Respectfully submitted,

THERESA LAMBERT, Treasurer.

No. 1544.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS,
SECOND DIVISION, CITY OF NEW YORK.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Justices of Special Sessions of the Second Division of The City of New York hereby make estimate as follows of the expenses necessary for the maintenance and conduct of the said Court in the boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond for the year 1901 to be \$54,900, and respectfully ask that appropriation be made for such purpose.

The detailed estimate is as follows:

NAME.	TITLE.	SALARY, 1900.	SALARY, 1901.
John Courtney.....	Justice.....	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00
Howard J. Forker.....	".....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Patrick Keady.....	".....	6,000 00	6,000 00
John Fleming.....	".....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Thomas W. Fitzgerald.....	".....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Joseph L. Kerrigan.....	Chief Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
John Dorman.....	Deputy Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Martha Partington.....	Assistant Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Edward McLaughlin.....	Stenographer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Ivar Levine.....	Interpreter.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Deceased.....	Court Attendant.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Thomas F. Meagher.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Patrick McDonald.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Guilio Bonanno.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Samuel Moch.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
James Seaton.....	Clerk for Richmond.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
John J. Darcy.....	Attendant for Richmond.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Henry S. Moran.....	Clerk for Queens.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
John Shannon.....	Attendant for Queens.....	1,200 00	1,200 00

	1900.	1901.
Salaries—Five Justices.....	\$30,000 00	\$30,000 00
Salaries—Clerk, Deputy Clerk, employees, etc.....	23,400 00	23,400 00
Contingencies.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Total.....	\$54,900 00	\$54,900 00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated:

HOWARD J. FORKER,
President of the Board of Justices of Court of Special
Sessions, Second Division, City of New York.

No. 1545.

CORONERS' OFFICE—BOROUGH OF RICHMOND,
ROSEBANK, N. Y., August 15, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of Greater New York:

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Coroners of the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, hereby respectfully submit the following Departmental Estimate for the year 1901, for the consideration of your Honorable Board.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Coroners of the Borough of Richmond, it was resolved to ask your Honorable Board for the sum of sixteen thousand one hundred and fifty dollars (\$16,150), for the transaction of their business for the year 1901, this being the same amount asked for and allowed for the year 1900:

NAME.	POSITION.	YEAR 1901.	YEAR 1900.	NOT USED 1900, AND PROBABLY REMAIN UN- EXPENDED.
John Seaver.....	Coroner.....	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00	.....
George C. Tranter.....	".....	4,000 00	4,000 00	.....
George Mord.....	Coroner's Physician.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....

NAME.	POSITION.	YEAR 1901.	YEAR 1900.	NOT USED 1900, AND PROBABLY REMAIN UN- EXPENDED.
S. E. Whitman.....	Coroner's Physician.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00	.....
Martin Hughes.....	Chief Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Archibald Fulton.....	Assistant Clerk.....	1,450 00	1,450 00	.....
William E. Dawson.....	Stenographer.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
Contingent expenses of two Coroners, at \$250 each.....		500 00	500 00	\$50 00
Post-mortem examinations and chemical analyses.....		500 00	500 00	500 00
Total.....		\$16,150 00	\$16,150 00	\$550 00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN SEAVER,
GEORGE C. TRANTER, } Board of Coroners.

No. 1546.

NEW YORK, August 15, 1900.

Estimate of Expenditures of the Washington Heights Free Library for the Year 1901, made Pursuant to Circular from the Comptroller's Office, dated July 2, 1900.

In lieu of rent, interest on mortgage loan of \$30,000 on the Library Building.....	\$1,350 00
Insurance on building and contents.....	150 00
Heating and lighting.....	750 00
Printing, \$300, and stationery, \$150.....	450 00
Bookbinding, \$500; Library supplies, \$200.....	700 00
Sundry expenses.....	250 00

Salaries.

Librarian, gratuitous service.....	.....
1 Assistant Librarian-in-Charge.....	900 00
1 Under-assistant at \$27.50 per month.....	330 00
5 Under-assistants at \$25 per month.....	1,500 00
Janitor, \$50 per month.....	600 00

Total..... \$6,980 00

The above estimate is exclusive of expenditures for new books, these being provided for by contributions of money made by friends of the Library exclusively for the purchase of books and by \$200 per annum received from the State. The certificate of circulation from the Regents covers only eleven months, the Library having been closed for one month during removal to the new building in April, 1900.

Amount of appropriation of the year 1900 (all of which will be expended).....	\$4,450 00
Amount asked for for the year 1901.....	6,000 00

Respectfully submitted,

EDMUND S. WHITMAN,
President, Washington Heights Free Library.

Copy of Regents' certificate of circulation herewith.

UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK—PUBLIC LIBRARIES DEPARTMENT,

Certificate of Approved Circulation.

This certifies that Washington Heights Free Library, New York, is subject to the inspection of the Regents and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard; that its system of recording the circulation of books and the character of the books so circulated have been officially inspected by an officer of the University, that its trustees have reported under oath the number issued for home use during the eleven months ending May 1, 1900, and that, in the judgment of the Regents, this library has circulated for the free use of the public during the said eleven months 60,000 volumes of such a character as to merit a grant of public money.

In Witness Whereof, the Regents grant under seal of the University this certificate, recorded as No. 717 in the University register, August 9, 1900.

[SEAL.]

CHAS. F. WHELOCK, Deputy Secretary.

MELVIL DEWEY, Director.
W. R. EASTMAN, Library Inspector.

A true copy, original sent to Comptroller.

No. 1547.

ESTIMATE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, FIRST DISTRICT.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN—FIRST DISTRICT,
NORTHWEST CORNER STATE AND COURT STREETS,
August 20, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—Under the Charter of the Greater New York there will be required for the maintenance of this Court for the year 1901 the following sums:

	AMOUNT ALLOWED 1900.	AMOUNT REQUIRED 1901.
John J. Walsh, Justice.....	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00
Edward Moran, Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
James A. Dunn, Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Dudley J. Fagan, Stenographer (appointed January 5, 1900).....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Matthew J. Dowd, Attendant (appointed March 9, 1900).....	1,000 00	1,000 00
John J. McManus, Attendant (appointed March 20, 1900).....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Charles Koch, attendant (appointed April 4, 1900).....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Court Interpreter (an increase as required under chap. 699 of the Laws of 1899, amending chap. 378, sec. 1373 of Laws of 1897).....	.....	1,200 00
Total for year 1900.....	\$17,000 00	
Total amount required for year 1901.....		\$18,200 00

Probable unexpended balance of salaries at the end of year 1900..... \$590 54

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. WALSH, Justice of the Municipal Court.

No. 1548.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FREE CIRCULATING LIBRARY OF THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 7 EAST FIFTEENTH STREET, August 14, 1900.

Expenses which are Paid from City Appropriation.

PERSONS EMPLOYED.	OFFICE.	SALARY, 1900.	SALARY, 1901.
Harriet F. Husted.....	Librarian.....	\$900 00	\$900 00
Harriette Arden.....	Assistant.....	720 00	720 00
Annie Dennis.....	".....	660 00	660 00
Alice K. Ulman.....	".....	540 00	540 00
	A Summer Assistant (for 8 or 10 weeks).....	100 00	100 00
	Total salaries.....	\$2,920 00	\$2,920 00
	Bookbinding bills (estimated).....	400 00	500 00
	Total.....	\$3,320 00	\$3,420 00

The above are the only expenses paid from the City appropriation, as the Young Women's Christian Association of the City of New York provides rooms for the Library in its own building (No. 7 East Fifteenth street), and also furnishes heat, light, care, repairs, janitor's services, etc.

After the payment of the expenses specified in the above statement the balance of the appropriation is used for the purchase of books.

Appropriation granted in 1900 (on a circulation of 70,000)..... \$5,000 00

Expenses taken therefrom (as stated above)..... 3,320 00

Balance for purchase of new books in 1900..... \$1,680 00

It is hoped that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will consent to make a much larger appropriation for 1901, as that of the current year does not allow for a proper and proportionate increase of the Library.

MARY McL. WATSON (Mrs. B. F. Watson),
Chairman of Library Committee, Y. W. C. A. of the City of New York.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Free Circulating Library of the Young Women's Christian Association of The City of New York,
No. 7 East Fifteenth Street.

	1900.	1901.
Appropriation granted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for 1900 on an approved circulation of 70,000.....	\$5,000 00	.....
Expenses specified in accompanying Departmental Estimate as paid from appropriation in 1900.....	3,320 00	.....
Balance left for purchase of new books for a library of 28,000 volumes. The balance unexpended at the close of the current year will not more than pay outstanding bills, as the purchase of books has been limited by the amount of the fund at command.	\$1,680 00	.....
Appropriation asked for 1901, being the maximum amount allowed by law for an approved circulation of 80,000, as certified by Regent's Certificate No. 659 of June 4, 1900, inclosed to Comptroller.....	.....	\$8,000 00

MARY McL. WATSON (Mrs. B. F. Watson),
Chairman, Library Committee, Y. W. C. A. of The City of New York.

No. 1549.

THE CENTRAL HOMEOPATHIC DISPENSARY, No. 298 HOWARD AVENUE,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN—CITY OF NEW YORK,
August 20, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—The Central Homeopathic Dispensary is entitled under the City Charter to fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) annually. I am authorized by the Board of Managers of the Institution to make the following estimate of the amount required for the year 1901:

Wages.....	\$400 00
Fuel and lights.....	100 00
Medicine and supplies.....	400 00
Printing.....	50 00
Telephone.....	40 00
Repairs.....	200 00
Postage.....	10 00
Interest and mortgage of \$5,000.....	250 00
Sundries.....	100 00

Total..... \$1,750 00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

MARY W. ALLEN, Treasurer.

No. 1550.

QUEENS, QUEENS BOROUGH, NEW YORK CITY,
August 20, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly:

In behalf of the Queens Free Library, located in Queens, Queens Borough, application is hereby made, according to instructions given, for an appropriation from the City, of maximum amount, based on approved circulation, the certificate of which is in the hands of the Comptroller. (REV.) J. S. N. DEMAREST, President, Board of Trustees.

No. 1551.

SLOANE MATERNITY HOSPITAL,
FIFTY-NINTH STREET AND AMSTERDAM AVENUE,
NEW YORK, August 13, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—We respectfully apply for an appropriation of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000), for the care and support of the women and their babes in the Sloane Maternity Hospital, for the year 1901, based upon the allowance as determined by the Department of Finance in their letter dated March 2, 1900, such allowance to be subject to rules and regulations as shall be prescribed by the Department of Charities and Correction, also subject to the inspection of the State Board of Charities.

Very respectfully,
SLOANE MATERNITY HOSPITAL,
By WM. D. SLOANE, Treasurer.SLOANE MATERNITY HOSPITAL,
FIFTY-NINTH STREET AND AMSTERDAM AVENUE,
August 13, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In conformity with the request contained in the circular letter of the Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, the Sloane Maternity Hospital respectfully submits herewith its estimate of the amount it should be pleased to receive from the City for the year 1901.

A recent act of the Legislature provides that your Honorable Board shall determine as to the amount a charitable institution shall be allowed in any one year. Accordingly we submit herewith a brief statement of the claims of our institution for recognition at your hands.

The Hospital has been in operation for twelve years, during which period it has treated over 9,600 patients within its walls. It is situated at the corner of Amsterdam avenue and Fifty-ninth street, is in a thoroughly fireproof building and specially constructed for obstetrical work; contains 150 beds and is well equipped with a competent staff of doctors and nurses. The building with its equipment cost about \$525,000, and is entirely free of debt.

During the past year (1899) we cared for 1,250 mothers beside their babies within the walls of the Hospital, of which the Superintendent of the Out-door Poor of the Department of Charities and Correction approved of 430 cases as worthy of public support. The entire cost of maintenance was \$39,981.80, and the Hospital is free of debt.

Our income was derived as follows:

Interest from Endowment Fund	\$12,500 00
Private sources	22,616 67
City of New York—	
Balance of 1898 appropriation	\$901 20
Account of 1899 appropriation	4,360 31
	5,261 51
Total	\$40,321 18

The Hospital is conducted on the most economical basis, and is doing most effective work in assisting the City to relieve its deserving poor.

Believing that our request is a reasonable one, we beg for it your favorable consideration, and remain

Very respectfully yours,
JAS. W. McLANE, President.

WM. D. SLOANE, Treasurer.

No. 1552.

LAW LIBRARY—COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
August 3, 1900.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Trustees of the Law Library in Brooklyn, pursuant to Laws 1863, chapter 463, ascertains and by its chairman hereby certifies:

That the sum of eighty-two hundred dollars will be required for the care and management of the Law Library of the Second Judicial District at Brooklyn, for the fiscal year from January 1, 1901, to December 31, 1901, inclusive, viz.:

Salary of Librarian	\$3,750 00
Salary of Assistant Librarian	2,200 00
Salary of Clerk	750 00
Incidentals, binding, stationery, shelving, and boy at \$7 per week	1,500 00
Total	\$8,200 00

That the amounts given in this certificate are set forth in the statements required by the Comptroller's circular and which statements are annexed, duly certified.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES D. BELL.

Statement of the Law Library in Brooklyn, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, of Estimate of Expenditure for Care and Management of Law Library, Second Judicial District, as Certified Pursuant to Laws of 1863, Chapter 463, and Requirement of Comptroller.

	1901.		1900.
Alfred J. Hook, Librarian.....	\$3,750 00	Alfred J. Hook, Librarian.....	\$3,750 00
Otto Wetzel, Asst. Librarian...	2,200 00	Otto Wetzel, Asst. Librarian...	2,200 00
Daniel E. Cubberly, Clerk.....	750 00	Daniel E. Cubberly, Clerk.....	750 00
	\$6,700 00		\$6,700 00
Incidentals—Binding, stationery, shelving and boy (William G. Martin), at \$7 per week	\$1,500 00 1,500 00	Incidentals—Binding, stationery, shelving and boy (William G. Martin), at \$7 per week	\$1,500 00 1,500 00
Total.....	\$8,200 00	Total.....	\$8,200 00

Dated AUGUST 3, 1900.

JAMES D. BELL, Chairman.

No. 1553.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, Charles W. N. Akberg, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,200 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general interpreters of the Norwegian, Danish and Swedish languages for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,
CHAS. W. N. AKBERG.

Salary for year 1900	\$1,200 00
Salary for year 1901	1,200 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, November 14, 1881, pursuant to chapter 623 of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City, which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1554.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, Frank Ciancimino, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,200 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general interpreters of the Italian language for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,
FRANK CIANCIMINO.

Salary for year 1900	\$1,200 00
Salary for year 1901	1,200 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, December 30, 1886, pursuant to chapter 623 of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn, by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City, which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1555.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, Charles Berger, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,500 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general interpreters of the Polish and Hungarian languages for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,
CHARLES BERGER.

Salary for year 1900	\$1,500 00
Salary for year 1901	1,500 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, September 15, 1888, pursuant to chapter 623 of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City, which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1556.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, Hyman B. Rosenson, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,200 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general interpreters of the Lithuanian language for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,

HYMAN B. ROSENSEN.

Salary for year 1900	\$1,200 00
Salary for year 1901	1,200 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, December 5, 1892, pursuant to chapter 623 of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn, by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City, which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1557.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, Thomas O. Conti, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,200 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general interpreters of the Italian language for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,

THOMAS O. CONTI.

Salary for year 1900	\$1,200 00
Salary for year 1901	1,200 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, October 27, 1897, pursuant to chapter 623 of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn, by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1558.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, Myron E. Golubock, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,500 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general interpreters of the Hebrew and Russian languages for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,

MYRON E. GOLUBOCK.

Salary for year 1900	\$1,500 00
Salary for year 1901	1,500 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, October 28, 1895, pursuant to chapter 623 of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn, by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City, which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1559.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, Anton Braun, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,500 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general interpreters of the German language for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,

ANTON BRAUN.

Salary for year 1900	\$1,500 00
Salary for year 1901	1,500 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, December 4, 1893, pursuant to chapter 623 of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn, by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City, which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1560.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, James Divisich, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,200 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general interpreters of the Italian language for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,

JAMES DIVISICH.

Salary for year 1900	\$1,200 00
Salary for year 1901	1,200 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, March 16, 1896, pursuant to chapter 623 of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn, by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City, which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1561.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, Henry W. Langschmidt, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,200 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general interpreters of the German language for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,

HENRY W. LANGSCHMIDT.

Salary for year 1900	\$1,200 00
Salary for year 1901	1,200 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, April 19, 1897, pursuant to chapter 623 of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn, by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City, which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1562.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, Alexander Lipitz, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,500 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general interpreters of the Hebrew and Russian languages for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,

ALEXANDER LIPITZ.

Salary for year 1900	\$1,500 00
Salary for year 1901	1,500 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, October 27, 1897, pursuant to chapter 623 of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn, by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City, which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1563.

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

GENTLEMEN—I, Benedetto Martella, hereby respectfully request that the sum of \$1,200 be appropriated by your Honorable Body for the payment of my salary as one of the general inter-

preters of the Italian language for the several local inferior courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction in the Borough of Brooklyn, Second Division, City of New York, for the year 1901.

Yours very truly,

BENEDETTO MARTELLA.

Salary for year 1900.....\$1,200 00
Salary for year 1901.....1,200 00

Appointed by resolution of the Common Council of the former City of Brooklyn, June 30, 1875, pursuant to chapter 623, of the Laws of 1875, and apportioned and assigned to perform the same services in the same courts in the Borough of Brooklyn, by resolution of the Mayor of the former City of Brooklyn, pursuant to sections 1373 and 1536 of the Charter of the Greater City, which appears in the CITY RECORD of January 14, 1898, page 184.

No. 1564.

NEW YORK INSTITUTION FOR THE INSTRUCTION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB,
ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET AND BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY,
NEW YORK, August 16, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

In accordance with the provisions of section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, I herewith forward to your Honorable Body a duplicate of estimate for tuition fees, under existing provisions of the law, that will be required to meet the appointments, already made or pending, for the ensuing year.

The original estimate has been forwarded to the Comptroller of The City of New York, agreeable to resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as passed June 27, 1900.

Respectfully yours,

ENOCH HENRY CURRIER, Principal.

THE NEW YORK INSTITUTION FOR THE INSTRUCTION OF THE DEAF AND DUMB.
ESTIMATE FOR 1900-1901.

List of pupils from New York County appointed to the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, by the authority of the Commissioner of Charities and Correction, who are to receive education and support in accordance with the provisions of chapter 325, Laws of 1863; chapter 721, Laws of 1867; chapter 253, Laws of 1874; chapter 213, Laws of 1875; chapter 615, Laws of 1886, and chapter 36, Laws of 1892, at \$300 per annum.

August 31, 1900.

Sarah Koplowitz.
Abram Chaimowitz.
John Van Tury.
Sophia Kneupfel.
Joseph Bolitzer.
Katie Christgau.
Ida Socoloff.
Solomon Zimmerman.
Richard W. Byron, Jr.
Harry Grossman.
Louise Lee.
Samuel Krumholtz.
Emily Thorman.
Annie Schoen.
Harry Blechner.
Peter Ehnes.
Morris Plapinger.
Isaac Zwicker.
Charles Lydon.
George Schwefringhaus.
Lillian Russell.
Otto J. Stahl.
Chak Laventall.
Charles Mohn.
William E. Staak.
Edward Bahr.
Richard Thompson.
Harry Dolich.
Annie Gerner.
Ollie O. Woolf.
Joseph Dennen.
Hubert Lieberz, Jr.
Cecilia Gilmour.
Nita Millington.
Toby Jacobs.
John Bohlman, Jr.
Louis Jacobs.
Abram Mofsovit.
Thomas Travers.
Frank Carley.
William Ault.
Moses Neidenberg.
Harry Barnett.
Edward Ohland.
Helena Berg.
Angelo Polino.
Alfred F. Schoenewaldt.
Frederick C. Hencke.
Henry Sherer.
Liser Helfand.
Vincenzo Vitalo.
Frida Albert.

Jacob Friedman.
Julius Seandel.
Albert E. Dirkes.
William Kreuger.
Max Lubin.
George M. Gilmour.
Robert Finkelstein.
Evaline Skoien.
Raphael Goldberg.
Morris Weiner.
Sarah Prager.
John J. O'Brien.
Leopold Frey.
Chris. C. Sonneborn.
Louis Weiss.
Mary M. Dulaney.
Louis Kerner.
Frida Rothstein.
Bertha Levy.
Lena Lippman.
Albert C. Gunter, Jr.
Louis Rothkrug.
Emil Clerc.
Nathan Mofsovit.
Rebecca Halpern.
Leonard Kramer.
John F. Koepfer.
Minnie Pincus.
Charles Diedrich.
Davis Tatarinsky.
Irving Simon.
Isadore Reichert.
Annie Edberg.
Jacob Bartnoffsky.
May Ruhl.
*Mary E. Gilmour.
*Katie Wellin.
*Julie Heine.
*William Burke.
*Frederika Smith.
*George L. Freyer.
*Jacob Miller, Jr.
*William Weinberg.
*Arnold Dietrich.
*Herman Lazrowitz.
*William Sullivan.
*Christian Trinks.
*Elsie Berg.
*Samuel Neis.
*Edwin Zwetschenbaum.
*Mollie Presser.
*Nicola Manzi.

*Henry Jackson.
*John Ohrlie.
*Thomas McMahon.
*Charles Kurk.
*David Lookman.
*Dora Buckner.
*Katie Ross.
*Papina Dalfco.
*Ludwig Fisher.
*Alfred Ernst.
*Catherine Mullen.
*Joseph Zwicker.
Annie Klaus.
Hannie Schwinger.
Benjamin Goldstein.
Isadore Lovitch.
Dora Guttenberg.
Walter C. St. Clair.
John Broderick.
Frederick A. Gabay.
Solie Goershanek.
Wilhelm Hausmann.
*Frances M. Cofor.
*Tosco Russo.
*Richardson B. Slaughter.
*Santina La Spire.
*Max Loudon.
*Augusta Schram.
*Max Dubin.
*Mamie Power.
*Mary Sonn.
*Goldie Rosenwaike.
*George Edwards.
*Harry Berry.
*Cecilia Dale.
*Dora Rosinsky.
*Rachel Cohen.
*Dora Rosenbaum.
*Nellie Herter.
*Joseph Fernandez.
*Elsie Ohrlie.
*Hyman Epstein.
*George Walters.
*Elias Reis.
*Charles Villing.
*James Rose.
*Vincent Giardo.
*Harry Rottman.
*Tony Christano.
*Julius Rattheim.
*David Weck.
*James Reddy.

ESTIMATE 1900-1901.

List of pupils appointed to the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, who are to be supplied with clothing by the order of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, at the expense of the County of New York, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 386, Laws of 1864, at \$30 per annum:

David Burt.
Rose Mishnun.
Christina M. Peter.
Annie Stingman.
Barnett Zwofte.
George W. Rau.
Barbara Hutter.
Edward Rappolt.
Ida Bucher.
William Lamprecht.
Kate McGirr.
Harry Holmes.
William Renner.
Charles T. Romaine.
Chester M. Isbell.
Sophia Frankel.
Mamie Callender.
Henry Plapinger.
Margaret Branfuhr.
Lillie Jacobs.
Michael Elliott.
Golde Rubin.
John N. Cullimore.
Elsa A. Hoenack.
Samuel M. Friedman.
August Muhlbach.
Benjamin Silvermond.
Minnie Levin.
Samuel Goldstein.
Samuel Cohn.
Adolph Buhl.
Alexander Siegel.
James McBride.
William J. Schwerskin.
Mary Hoffman.
Rose Sherer.

Florence E. Brown.
Joseph Zeis.
Mabel Finnell.
Annie Bonoff.
Vernon S. Birck.
Amelia Attig.
Hannah Frey.
Anton Tanzas.
Robert Limmer.
Samuel Meyers.
Barney Neyvers.
George Steinhauser.
Louis Reauty.
Florence M. Byron.
Stafford Dingman.
Diedrich Pape.
Grace Burdette.
Edward McGovern.
Frank Girsch.
Herman Steinholtz.
Frederick Wink.
Cora M. Kingsley.
Henry Dorst.
Alice Judge.
Minnie Walker.
Henry Droppe.
Mary Tanzas.
Eli Magerski.
Matthew H. Morrison, Jr.
Charles Ackerman.
Robert Rainbird, Jr.
Jennie Schaechter.
David Kalem.
Joseph Stamm.
Henry Powell.
Fannie L. Bohart.

Sadie Koplik.
George A. Reicke.
David Hurewitz.
Kate Cheren.
John Heil, Jr.
Alfred G. Stern.
Seligman Gerson.
Golde Narkir.
Eva Sherman.
Elsa A. Miller.
Frederick G. King.
Kate Bredermeyer.
Arthur L. Hurson.
Julius Byck.
Sorina E. Plant.
Robert Annett.
Mendel Rosenberg.
Joseph Lykes.
Maurice Littman.
Charles Siegel.
Jacob Lovitch.
Leonard Rabenstein.
Alfred Holtzheim.
James Schatzkin.
Sara Zablou.
Katie Mohr.
Paul G. C. Dittmar.
Charles Hoone.
Arthur Ellison.
Mier Blaustein.
John Agresto.
Betsy Fink.
Joseph Hynes.
Ethel Lloyd.

* Applications made and appointments pending.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

Summary.

156 County pupils, at \$300 per annum.....\$46,800 00
106 State pupils, at \$30 per annum.....3,180 00
Total.....\$49,980 00

ESTIMATE FOR 1900 AND 1901.

List of pupils from Kings County, appointed to the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb by the authority of the Commissioner of Charities and Correction, who are to receive education and support in accordance with the provisions of chapter 325, Laws of 1863; chapter 721, Laws of 1867; chapter 253, Laws of 1874; chapter 213, Laws of 1875; chapter 615, Laws of 1886, and chapter 36, Laws of 1892, at \$300 per annum:

August 31, 1900.

George K. S. Gompers.
Delma Pearce.
Ida Wooten.
John G. Lange.
Frank W. Nimmo.
Ida S. Szwicz.
Frank T. Lux.
Alfred J. Lyons.
Charles H. Miller.
Henry Andes.
Thomas Gaimaro.
Samuel Kreinek.
Mary Schultz.
Charles Weimuth.
Louis Davis.
Elizabeth Prins.
Susan M. Adcock.
David Wax.
Moses Samovich.
Violet Hann.
Joseph Gabrielewitz.
Nathan Charr.
Annie H. Englehardt.

Annie E. Frank.
William H. Berg.
*Martha Muller.
*Bessie Lockwood.
*Francis Deitz.
*Willie Lux.
*Maggie Murtaugh.
*Ruth Arnold.
*Albert Wood.
*Jennie Hughes.
*Emma Floyd.
Tennie Weshler.
Clarence Doughty.
Joseph Grossman.
Frances Mears.
William C. Wren.
Edith D. Pedlowe.
Marguerite Gordon.
Edmond Deane.
Carl Lautenberger.
Ruby M. Bier.
Ingerbord H. Petersen.

Ella Pfurr.
Oscar Foland.
Lillie S. Berg.
Paul Gaffney.
George V. Overbeck.
William D. Bergmann.
Samuel Camman.
Morris Pincus.
William J. Friedman.
Angelina Quartucci.
Gladys E. Wren.
Ida M. Schulte.
Frederick Hoffman.
*Max Bergman.
*Lucy Conley.
*Susan Golden.
*William Schoppen.
*H. W. Meyer.
*Thomas F. Harrison.
*Arthur Pinder.
*J. H. Camman.
*Adolph Bergman.

* Applications made and appointments pending.

ESTIMATE FOR 1900-1901.

List of pupils appointed to the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb who are to be supplied with clothing by order of the Superintendent of Public Instruction at the expense of the County of Kings in accordance with the provisions of chapter 386, Laws of 1864, at \$30 per annum:

Alfred G. Barry.
Felix M. E. Berg.
Charles J. Pightling.
Max Gonzenbach.
Jennie Bolender.
Isra L. Solomon.
Carl A. Berg.
Samuel D. Smith.
Hetwisch Hutschenreuter.
Paul O. F. Berg.
Winnie Clark.
Florence A. Mason.
Amelia Neder.
Edward Zundt.
Hannah Klein.
Abraham Haischober.
Gertrude Turner.

Israel Koplowitz.
Frida Kugler.
Elizabeth Dailey.
John Mason.
William Aalhue.
Samuel Greenberg.
Herman Plapinger.
Louis H. Kutner.
Thomas Geffres.
Frederick M. Nimmo.
Dora Hopfer.
Samuel Tompeto.
Louise L. Turner.
Samuel J. Dyer, Jr.
William Hefferman.
Jessie F. Hicks.
Robert H. Anderson.

William O. Fish.
James Moriarity.
Adolph Duerr.
Solomon A. Gompers.
Jacob Amnuth.
Frank Fluhr.
George Wigley.
Frederick Einsfeld.
James O'Donnell.
Ruth Bennett.
Gilbert C. Willetts.
Annie C. Miller.
Peter Neder.
Fannie Lipnitsky.
Albert Zwicker.
Adelaide Honstratter.

KINGS COUNTY.

Summary.

67 County Pupils, at \$300 per annum.....\$20,100 00
50 State Pupils, at \$30 per annum.....1,500 00
Total.....\$21,600 00

ESTIMATE FOR 1900-1901.

List of pupils from Richmond County, appointed to the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb by the authority of the Commissioner of Charities and Correction, who are to receive education and support in accordance with the provisions of chapter 325, Laws of 1863; chapter 721, Laws of 1867; chapter 253, Laws of 1874; chapter 213, Laws of 1875; chapter 615, Laws of 1886, and chapter 36, Laws of 1892, at \$300 per annum:

August 31, 1900.

Caroline Palmieri.
Henry A. Koster.

Frederick G. Fancher.
*Frederick Drake.

* Application made and appointment pending.

List of pupils appointed to the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb who are to be supplied with clothing by order of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, at the expense of the County of Richmond, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 386, Laws of 1864, at \$30 per annum:

Lillian Dornblut. Bruno Dornblut, Jr. Sarah McKeown.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

Summary.

4 County Pupils, at \$300 per annum.....\$1,200 00
3 State Pupils, at \$30 per annum.....90 00
Total.....\$1,290 00

ESTIMATE FOR 1900-1901.

List of pupils from Queens County appointed to the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb by the authority of the Commissioner of Charities and Correction, who are to receive education and support in accordance with the provision of chapter 325, Laws of 1863; chapter 721, Laws of 1867; chapter 253, Laws of 1874; chapter 213, Laws of 1875; chapter 615, Laws of 1886, and chapter 36, Laws of 1892, at \$300 per annum:

August 31, 1900.

Albert Downs.
Arnold Amman.

*John Hager, Jr.
William F. Siebel.

Estella Maus.
*Frank Ziegler.

* Application made and appointment pending.

List of pupils appointed to the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb who are to be supplied with clothing by order of the Superintendent of Public Instruction at the expense of the County of Queens, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 386, Laws of 1864, at \$30 per annum:

Carrie B. Van Valkenburg.

COUNTY OF QUEENS.

Summary.

6 County Pupils, at \$300 per annum.....\$1,800 00
1 State Pupil, at \$30 per annum.....30 00
Total.....\$1,830 00

RECAPITULATION.

New York County.

156 County Pupils, at \$300 per annum.....\$46,800 00
106 State Pupils, at \$30 per annum.....3,180 00

Kings County.

67 County Pupils, at \$300 per annum.....20,100 00
50 State Pupils, at \$30 per annum.....1,500 00

<i>Richmond County.</i>		
4 County Pupils, at \$300 per annum.....		\$1,200 00
3 State Pupils, at \$30 per annum.....		90 00
<i>Queens County.</i>		
6 County Pupils, at \$300 per annum.....		1,800 00
1 State Pupil, at \$30 per annum.....		30 00
Total Estimate for 1900-1901.....		\$74,700 00

No. 1565.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF
NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, SIXTH DISTRICT.
NEW YORK, August 22, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with your circular request of July 2, 1900, I herewith furnish you with the Departmental Estimate of the amount of money required for the conducting and transacting of business in this court for the year 1901, together with the names of persons connected with the court, salaries, etc.
In the year 1900 the appropriation for this court was..... \$18,200 00

Expended as follows, to wit:

NAME.	POSITION.	SALARY PER ANNUM.
Daniel F. Martin.....	Justice.....	\$6,000 00
Abram Bernard.....	Clerk.....	3,000 00
William P. Meehan.....	Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00
George C. Kiesel.....	Stenographer.....	2,000 00
Henry Alsheimer.....	Interpreter.....	1,200 00
Albert Goettmann.....	Attendant.....	1,000 00
Lawrence Collins.....	".....	1,000 00
John F. Heaney.....	".....	1,000 00
Total.....		\$18,200 00

Under the provisions of the White Civil Service Law it provided that all Court Attendants of the Municipal Courts of The City of New York before being appointed should pass a competitive examination. The Civil Service Commissioners of The City of New York adopted a rule that on and after August 10, 1899, all appointments of additional Court Attendants by the Municipal Court Justices, which positions were created by the Greater New York Charter, should become null and void, inasmuch as in the month of July, 1899, an eligible list was made up of all persons who had successfully passed a competitive examination, and that all persons appointed as Court Attendants should first be certified to the Justice by the said Board.

On August 10, 1899, the appointment of John F. Heaney as Court Attendant, mentioned in the appropriation for the year 1900, became null and void, and the appropriation made for his salary for the year 1900 was not used from January 1 to June 1, 1900, making five months at \$83.33 per month, leaving an unexpended balance of \$416.65.

On June 1, 1900, I appointed Terence S. Reilly Court Attendant to fill the vacancy, his name having been certified to me by the Civil Service Board from the eligible list then in existence.

The aggregate amount necessary to be appropriated for the expense of this court for the year 1901 by your Board is \$18,200, made up as follows, to wit:

NAME.	POSITION.	SALARY PER ANNUM.
Daniel F. Martin.....	Justice.....	\$6,000 00
Abram Bernard.....	Clerk.....	3,000 00
William P. Meehan.....	Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00
George C. Kiesel.....	Stenographer.....	2,000 00
Henry Alsheimer.....	Interpreter.....	1,200 00
Albert Goettmann.....	Attendant.....	1,000 00
Lawrence Collins.....	".....	1,000 00
Terence S. Reilly.....	".....	1,000 00
Total.....		\$18,200 00

Respectfully submitted,
DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice.

No. 1566.

BETH ISRAEL HOSPITAL, No. 206 EAST BROADWAY, }
NEW YORK, August 15, 1900.

The Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

HONORABLE SIRS—The Beth Israel Hospital herewith respectfully submits its estimate of the amount required for the care and support of its inmates for the year 1901:

As the Hospital will change its location about May 1, 1901, from its present quarters, where it has twenty-eight free beds, to its new building, where it will have sixty-six free beds, the figuring for the last eight months of the year will necessarily be different from that of the first four months.

From January 1, 1901, to April 30, 1901—		
Number of free medical beds.....	14	
Total number of hospital days for the occupation of these beds for 120 days.....	1,680	
Amount required at 60 cents per day.....		\$1,008 00
Number of free surgical beds.....	14	
Total number of hospital days for the occupation of these beds for 120 days.....	1,680	
Amount required at 80 cents per day.....		1,344 00
From May 1, 1901, to December 31, 1901—		
Number of free medical beds.....	33	
Total number of hospital days for the occupation of these beds for 245 days.....	8,085	
Amount required at 60 cents per day.....		4,851 00
Number of free surgical beds.....	33	
Total number of hospital days for the occupation of these beds for 245 days.....	8,085	
Amount required at 80 cents per day.....		6,468 00
Amount required for support of all free inmates.....		\$13,671 00
Deduct 10 per cent. for such patients as will not come within the rules of the Department.....		1,367 10
Amount required for the year 1901.....		\$12,303 90

Appended to this estimate is a list of salaries of all officers and employees of this institution for the month of July.

Respectfully submitted,
A. E. ISAACS, Honorary Secretary.

List of Salaries of all Officers and Employees for the Month of July, 1900.

NAME.	POSITION.	SALARY.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Borchardt.....	Superintendent and Matron.....	\$62 50
Aaron Bernstein.....	Assistant Secretary.....	50 00
Isaac Price.....	".....	18 25
I. Feldman.....	Pharmacist.....	60 00
Miss Frida Hartman.....	Head Nurse.....	40 00
Max Josephy.....	Nurse.....	17 00
Harris Cohen.....	".....	14 00
Miss Fogel.....	".....	10 00
Miss Siegel.....	".....	10 00
Miss Lievien.....	".....	10 00
Miss Lieberman.....	".....	10 00
Miss Finn.....	".....	10 00
Miss Mandelbruck.....	".....	10 00
Katie Suckorsh.....	Laundress.....	12 00
Mary Kotlarsk.....	".....	14 00
Jennie Levenson.....	Cook.....	18 00
Ida Raff.....	Servant.....	13 00
Michael Jurevitz.....	Janitor.....	14 00
Barnett Rudinsky.....	Porter.....	10 00
Morris Cohen.....	".....	10 00
Julius Ragosin.....	".....	10 00
H. Blumberg.....	Collector.....	82 20
S. Klachko.....	".....	1 00
M. Kunkes.....	".....	5 05

No. 1567.

THE MODERATION SOCIETY'S FREE ICE WATER FOUNTAINS, }
No. 34 PARK ROW, }
NEW YORK, August 15, 1900.

To the Honorable RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, Acting Mayor, New York City:

HONORABLE AND DEAR SIR—Our Society urgently requests aid from the City to carry on its popular charities this summer (for we are out of funds).

Boston and many other cities have made appropriations for ice, and each dollar will benefit thousands of the laborers and poor and little children, also preventing intemperance and crime.

Our society (1879) was the first to give free ice and ice-water and make large flower distributions in the slums. We have done this for twenty-one years, with small contributions, and at very little expense. This year ice is so much higher, and a number of our best contributors are dead.

Our society presented to the City the Tompkins square granite fountain, and erected it, and we maintain fountains at the Post-office, Five Points and other places, also perambulators.

Very respectfully yours,
SYLVANUS LYON.

No. 1568.

HOUSE OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, }
BROOKLYN, August 17, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—Our estimate for the year 1901, calculating the care and maintenance of 125 committed inmates, at the rate of \$110 per year, would be \$13,750.

For St. Agnes' Home for Destitute Children we have calculated the care and maintenance of 200 children at the rate of \$104 per year. This would be \$20,800.

Very respectfully yours,
SISTER M. JOACHIM, Treasurer.

No. 1569.

THE HEBREW INFANT ASYLUM OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }
EAGLE AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, }
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

To Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor of The City of New York; Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller of The City of New York; The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—In response to the circular letter sent to this institution by Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, under date of July 2, 1900, requesting us to send an estimate of the amount required for the care and support of the inmates of our asylum for the year 1901, we beg to state that we can comfortably take care of 140 children, and that at the present time that number is being cared for. In view of the constant requests for the admission of children, we feel warranted in the assertion that our average of inmates during the year will equal that number.

Of the 140 children now with us, 107 are above two years of age, and figuring their expense at 28 cents a day for each child for 31 days, their monthly maintenance amounts to \$928.76. The expense of caring for 33 children below two years of age at 38 cents a day each for 31 days, makes a total monthly expense for them of \$388.74. The total monthly expense for these children being \$1,317.50, the yearly expense for maintaining them will aggregate \$15,810.

Basing our request for an appropriation on the foregoing facts and on the further fact that our institution will probably be filled to its entire capacity during the whole of the year, judging from the numerous applications for the admission of children to our home, we believe that the sum of sixteen thousand (\$16,000) would be a fair and reasonable appropriation for our institution, and we respectfully ask that that sum be allowed to us for the care and support of our inmates.

Very respectfully yours,
MRS. S. WALLENSTINE, President.

No. 1570.

HEADQUARTERS FIRST NAVAL BATTALION, N. Y., }
U. S. S. "NEW HAMPSHIRE," OFF WHITESTONE LANDING, }
NEW YORK, August 15, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, New York City:

SIR—I hereby certify that the floor space of the United States steamship "New Hampshire" is 38,040 square feet.

Respectfully,
H. N. FLETCHER,
Engineer Lieutenant, First Naval Battalion, New York.

HEADQUARTERS FIRST NAVAL BATTALION, N. Y., }
U. S. S. "NEW HAMPSHIRE," OFF WHITESTONE LANDING, }
NEW YORK, August 15, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to forward the following estimate of expenditures for the First Naval Battalion, New York, for the year of 1901, with names of employees:

	Per day.
1 Janitor, Allen W. Walz, at.....	\$3 75
1 Armorer, Hugh McKeon, at.....	2 75
1 Engineer, B. J. Tebbens, at.....	2 70
1 Assistant Engineer, Frank Brinkman, at.....	2 20
1 Laborer, William Leahy, at.....	1 90
" John Twomey, at.....	1 70
" Edward A. Halvoisen, at.....	1 50
" Julius Bjurstrom, at.....	1 35
" Aaron Cuffee, at.....	1 30
" Eric Nelson, at.....	85
Total per day.....	\$20 00
Total per year.....	\$7,300 00

Respectfully,
W. B. FRANKLIN, Lieutenant Commander, Commanding.

No. 1571.

AUGUST 15, 1900.

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

The Children's Fold of The City of New York respectfully applies for the usual appropriation by your Honorable Board in its behalf, viz., seventeen thousand (\$17,000) dollars for the ensuing year, 1901, upon the basis of two dollars per capita per week, reference being had to section 5, subdivision 22, section 230, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

The object of this institution is the maintenance, training and education of destitute children; and all those for whose support any portion of the City's appropriation is drawn have first been received and accepted as City charges by the Commissioner of Charities or committed by a magistrate. It has under its care about seventy girls in its house on One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, near St. Nicholas avenue, in this city, who attend the public school in the vicinity, and about one hundred boys at Mount Minturn, Elmsford, Westchester County, New York, for whom a school is provided. We have there two cottages in which are maintained these one hundred boys; also a school-house, reception house and infirmary, with woods and fields for the boys' playground. The money received from the City is expended solely towards the maintenance of the children. The difference between the amount granted to the institution by the city and the actual expense of conducting the institution is contributed by friends.

No trustee or officer of the institution receives any compensation for his services.

We respectfully request, therefore, that the same appropriation which has heretofore been made in its behalf, namely, seventeen thousand (\$17,000) dollars, on a basis of two dollars per week per child, may be made for the ensuing fiscal year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES B. MEYER, President.

No. 1572.

AUGUST 15, 1900.

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

The Shepherd's Fold of The City of New York respectfully applies for the usual appropriation by your Honorable Board in its behalf, namely, five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for the ensuing year, 1901, upon the basis of two dollars per capita per week, reference being had to section 11, subdivision 22, section 230, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

The object of this institution is the maintenance, training and education of destitute children and all those for whose support any portion of the City's appropriation is drawn have first been received and accepted as City charges by the Commissioner of Charities or committed by a magistrate.

It has under its care between forty and fifty boys, which it maintains in a cottage at Mount Minturn, Elmsford, Westchester County, New York, in connection with the institution, The Children's Fold.

No trustee or officer of the institution receives any compensation for his services.

It respectfully requests, therefore, that the same appropriation which has heretofore been made in its behalf, namely, five thousand dollars (\$5,000), upon the basis of two dollars per week per child, may be made for the ensuing fiscal year.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES POTT, President.

No. 1573.

ST. MALACHY'S HOME, ATLANTIC AND VAN SICLEN AVENUES, }
BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 22, 1900. }

To the Municipal Assembly:

HON. SIRS—In reply to a communication of July 22, 1900, requesting our estimate for 1901, we have figured on sixty-seven thousand dollars. We would be grateful if our share would be seventy thousand dollars, still looking for nothing but what our charges call for.

Hoping this will be satisfactory.

Very respectfully,

SISTER M. HEMBROSE, Superintendent.

No. 1574.

HOLLIS, N. Y., August 16, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

The Hollis Public Library of Hollis, Borough of Queens, City of New York, applies for the sum of three hundred and twenty dollars (\$320) to help defray the expenses of maintaining the said library for the year 1901, as per estimate, and Regent's Certificate of Approved Circulation for 3,200 volumes attached.

FREDK. BURT, President, Hollis Public Library.

Estimate of Expenses of the Hollis Public Library, Hollis, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

1901.		1900.	
Books.....	\$200 00	Books.....	\$200 00
Rent store.....	100 00	Rent store (place had been vacant	
Salary Librarian.....	50 00	some time and got rent reduced)	75 00
" Janitor.....	12 00	Salary Librarian (Miss E.A. Nagle)	50 00
Light and fuel.....	10 00	" Janitor (too small).....	6 00
Insurance.....	8 00	Light and fuel (too small).....	5 00
New cases, shade lettering on		Insurance (more books).....	6 75
window and other small sun-		Sundries (more books, new cases	
dries.....	30 00	needed, no money to pay for	
		other things).....	5 00
Total.....	\$410 00	Total.....	\$347 75

No balance from 1900 appropriation.

FREDK. BURT, President, Hollis Public Library.

No. 1575.

FIRST SIGNAL CORPS, N. G., N. Y., }
PARK AVENUE AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, }
NEW YORK CITY, August 16, 1900. }

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller of The City of New York, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

SIR—Replying to your communication of July 2, 1900, I have the honor to say that in compliance with section 140 of the Military Code the following amount should be appropriated for the expense of salaries of employees of the First Signal Corps, N. G. N. Y., Park avenue and Thirty-fourth street, for the year 1901:

1 Armorer (Patrick J. Moran), at \$4 per day..... \$1,460 00

1 Janitor (James G. Wilson), at \$4 per day..... 1,460 00

Total for salaries..... \$2,920 00

Respectfully,

OSCAR ERLANDSEN,
Captain, Commanding First Signal Corps, N. G., N. Y.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE, 1901.

FIRST SIGNAL CORPS, N. G., N. Y., }
PARK AVENUE AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, }
NEW YORK CITY, August 16, 1900. }

The Armory Board, New York City:

SIRS—Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Auditing Board of the First Signal Corps, N. G., N. Y., it is hereby certified, as provided by the Military Code, that the work hereinafter stated and the articles enumerated are necessary for the transaction of the business of the First Signal Corps for the year 1901.

New Work.

To extend present lockers in the locker-room to the ceiling and build two new lockers for clothing, drawings to be furnished by the Commanding Officer; estimated cost about \$450.

Alterations and Repairs.

To change cupola on roof of armory so as to make it suitable for a signal tower, the specification and design to be furnished by the Commanding Officer; estimated cost about \$500.

To lay over present floor in locker-room, meeting-room and saddle-room, a 7/8-inch by 3-inch comb-grained Georgia pine floor.

The present floors are uneven and defective; estimated cost about \$350.

Supplies.

5 gallons grain alcohol.....	\$10 00
3 gallons naphtha.....	2 00
3 gallons sperm oil.....	3 00
4 gallons brilliant metal polish.....	4 00
2 gallons spar varnish.....	5 00
1 gallon bronze, liquored.....	2 50
12 1-pound cans orange enamel paint.....	4 00
12 1-pound cans white enamel paint.....	4 00
12 1-pound cans dark blue enamel paint.....	4 00
10 gallons mixed paints.....	10 00
12 1-pound cans orange shellac.....	4 00
2 dozen quarts ammonia.....	3 00
1/2 dozen Fitch's paint brushes.....	3 00
1/2 dozen enamel paint brushes.....	3 00
1/2 dozen varnish brushes.....	4 00
10 gallons kerosene oil.....	4 00
5 pounds gold bronze.....	3 00
1 dozen No. 1 corrugated cuspidor rubber mats.....	4 00
1 dozen No. 2 corrugated cuspidor rubber mats.....	5 00
6 gallons Miller's harness dressing.....	6 00
1 dozen pints No. 0 Miller's harness oil.....	4 00
1 dozen bottles Black Wonder.....	4 00
2 No. 5 Galvanized ash cans.....	4 00
1 dozen heavy china cuspidors.....	8 00
6 dozen Bon-Ami.....	5 00
1,000 sheets, case of 100 rolls, toilet paper.....	7 00
1 dozen corn brooms, small size.....	4 00
1 dozen clothes brushes.....	6 00
50 yards cheese cloth.....	3 00
5 gross parlor matches.....	5 00
5 quires emery cloth, Nos. FF and O.....	5 00
50 pounds pure castile soap.....	20 00
2 boxes Babbitt's laundry soap.....	10 00
3 dozen sponges.....	6 00
4 transmitter telephones, at \$15.....	60 00
4 extra carbons, for telephones, at \$0.25.....	1 00
4 switches and lightning arresters, at \$6.....	24 00
30 dry batteries, at \$0.50.....	15 00
1,500 feet submarine wire, at \$0.05.....	75 00
12 flexible cords, at \$0.50.....	6 00
6 switches, at \$1.....	6 00
4 pocket galvanometers, at \$5.....	20 00
100 iron pins, at \$0.20.....	20 00
6 pairs cutting pliers, at \$3.....	18 00
2 wire reels, at \$8.....	16 00
Electrical Engineering Leaflets, by Houston & Kennelly.....	4 50
"Universal Writing Computer".....	1 00
"The Electric Telephone".....	1 00
"Electric Telegraph".....	1 00
2 spools annunciator wire.....	8 00
10 miles galvanized iron wire, at \$7.....	70 00
100 porcelain insulators.....	75 00
200 split insulators, at \$6.....	12 00
300 glass insulators, at \$3.25.....	9 75
300 brackets and spikes, at \$3.50.....	10 50
500 feet board measure scantling for poles, at \$3.....	15 00
1 mile copper wire.....	10 00
6 rolls insulating tape, at \$0.50.....	3 00
500 feet Manila rope, 1-inch.....	12 00
300 feet Manila rope, 1/2-inch.....	9 00
1 dozen galvanized water pails.....	6 00
30 chamois skins (1 kip), No. 1212.....	10 50
6 feather dusters.....	3 00
2 24-quart stone water coolers, with stand.....	30 00
6 rolls wrapping paper.....	12 00
1 paper cutter.....	4 00
6 dozen boxes wax tapers.....	3 50
15 pounds wrapping cord.....	5 00
3 dozen Turkish bath towels, 20 by 40.....	15 00
3 dozen face towels.....	10 00
100 yards heavy canton flannel.....	10 00
100 pounds pure gum camphor, in half-ounce cakes.....	55 00
5 dozen Pears' glycerine soap, transparent.....	9 00
6 dozen goblets.....	3 50
1 box bits, assorted sizes.....	8 00
1 carpenter's oil stone, in wooden frame.....	3 00
2 braces, 1 small, 1 large.....	6 00
3 dozen Corbin's blank keys.....	2 00
1 dozen horse brushes.....	8 00
1 dozen curry combs.....	10 00
1 dozen brass polishing brushes.....	3 00
2 dozen files, assorted sizes.....	6 00
2 dozen whisk brooms.....	4 00
1 monkey wrench, 9-inch.....	1 50
1 monkey wrench, 7-inch.....	1 50
1 dozen Elgin hand-lanterns, nicked, with red globes.....	20 00
1 dozen Elgin hand-lanterns, nicked, with white globes.....	15 00
10 pounds Miller's harness soap.....	5 00
1 12-foot round ladder.....	4 00
1 18-foot round ladder.....	6 00
1 dozen Kean's combination mop and brush handles.....	4 00
1 dozen cotton mops.....	2 00
1 6-foot blackboard, in oak frame, on pedestal.....	25 00
Annual rent of telephone, with unlimited calls in Greater New York, about.....	150 00
1 Hyde's Map of Greater New York.....	15 00

Estimated cost of alterations and repairs..... \$1,300 00

Estimated cost of supplies..... 1,067 50

Total..... \$2,367 50

OSCAR ERLANDSEN, Captain,
CHARLES F. LEMBKE, Jr., First Lieutenant, } Auditing Board.

No. 1576.

ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL FOR CONSUMPTIVES,
EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET AND BROOK AVENUE, }
NEW YORK, August 22, 1900. }

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

RESPECTED SIR—St. Joseph's Hospital receives, cares for and treats such patients as are sent to it, or accepted in pursuance of the rules established by the Commissioner of Charities.

The City pays the Hospital sixty cents a day for the medical patients so sent and received.

Since January the number of medical patients so sent and received are as follows, viz.:

January, 243 medical patients, bill.....	\$3,511 20
February, 226 medical patients, bill.....	3,194 20
March, 215 medical patients, bill.....	3,130 80
April, 183 medical patients, bill.....	2,594 40
May, 162 medical patients, bill.....	2,335 20
June, 187 medical patients, bill.....	2,239 20

Total for the six months (paid for 1,216 medical patients)..... \$17,005 00

We are satisfied from many years of experience, that during the year 1901 we will be called upon to render service to at least the same number of patients as were treated during the year 1900, and we have taken as a basis for our estimate for 1901 the average monthly treatment as above.

Towards applicants for treatment, no distinction whatever is made because of color, race or religion, and at almost all times the full capacity of the Hospital is used.

Our estimate for 1901 is as follows, viz.:
2,432 medical patients, and the sum required on the basis of present payments is... \$34,010 00

ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL, New York City.
SISTER LIGUORI, Superior.

No. 1577.

SURROGATE'S COURT, KINGS COUNTY,
BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 22, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In response to request I transmit herewith a statement of amount required for salaries and contingencies for this Court and office for the year 1901:

Salary of the Surrogate..... \$10,000 00
Salaries of Chief Clerk and Clerk of the Surrogate's Court, Stenographer and employees..... 50,000 00
Contingencies..... 500 00

Total..... \$60,500 00

The sum allowed for the year 1900 was \$59,500, as follows:

Salary of the Surrogate..... \$10,000 00
Salaries of Chief Clerk, etc..... 44,000 00
Contingencies..... 500 00
For recopying and certifying mutilated and worn-out records..... 5,000 00

Total..... \$59,500 00

The item of salaries for the year 1901 is larger than for the year 1900 because there has been no increase in the clerical force for the past two years, notwithstanding the fact that legislation, as well as the natural growth of population in the county, has vastly increased the business of the office. Further, the application of civil service rules and regulations requires that the clerks be employed on the particular work specified for the grade in which they are classed. In view of these facts and to properly provide for attending to the business of the office, I am obliged to ask for sufficient funds to employ five additional clerks. Should further explanation be desired I will be pleased to appear and furnish same whenever desired.

GEO. B. ABBOTT, Surrogate.

KINGS COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT.

NAME.	POSITION.	1900.	1901.
George B. Abbott.....	Surrogate.....	\$10,000 00	\$10,000 00
Michael F. McGoldrick.....	Chief Clerk.....	7,000 00	7,000 00
Edward B. Dickinson.....	Stenographer.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Edward J. Bergen.....	Administration Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Henry W. Osborn.....	Accounting Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Lorenzo O'Connor.....	Calendar Clerk.....	2,300 00	2,300 00
Peter Beilman.....	Interpreter and Clerk.....	2,300 00	2,300 00
Joseph W. Duffy.....	Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Martin R. Kays.....	".....	1,600 00	1,600 00
John F. Kidd.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00
Thomas J. McGinn.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Henry J. Wall.....	Index Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Luke O'Reilly.....	Recording Clerk.....	1,300 00	1,300 00
Nicholas A. O'Connor.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00
Edward F. Duffy.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00
Patrick L. Dunne.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
John T. Bridges.....	".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
Peter Flanagan.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
John H. Heffernan.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Hugh O'Brien.....	Court Officer.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John R. McDonald.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00
Hugh Gallagher.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
William J. Doherty.....	Custodian.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Francis S. Reeve.....	Typewriter and Copyist.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Mary L. Murphy.....	Stenographer's Amanuensis.....	600 00	600 00
.....	Five additional Clerks.....	.....	6,000 00
.....	Recopying records.....	5,000 00	.....
.....	Contingency funds.....	500 00	500 00
Total.....		\$59,500 00	\$60,500 00

No. 1578.

NEW YORK FREE CIRCULATING LIBRARY FOR THE BLIND,
INCORPORATED JUNE 3, 1895.
NO. 121 WEST NINETY-FIRST STREET,
NEW YORK, August 23, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly:

We hereby make application for grant of City money to the amount of four hundred and fifty-five dollars and eighty cents (\$455.80), based on our circulation of 4,558 volumes.

This money will be required to pay running expenses as per last year, viz.: Miss Helen M. Ferry, Librarian, \$600; Mrs. C. M. Kellogg, Teacher, \$468; Frank Cobb, Janitor, \$24; rent (unless again donated) after May 1, 1901, \$500—also sundry expenses.

Sincerely,
NEW YORK FREE CIRCULATING LIBRARY FOR THE BLIND.

CLARA A. WILLIAMS, Secretary and Treasurer.

Original, with Regent's Certificate attached, to the Comptroller.

No. 1579.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
FIFTH DISTRICT, BATH AVENUE, CORNER BAY TWENTY-SECOND STREET,
BATH BEACH, August 14, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Agreeably to the instructions contained in your circular letter of July 2, 1900, requiring an estimate of expenditure for the year 1901 of the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, Fifth District, I have the honor to submit the

ESTIMATE.

NAME.	TITLE.	RATE FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE 1901.
Cornelius Furgueson.....	Justice.....	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00
Jeremiah J. O'Leary.....	Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Eugene A. Curran.....	Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Joseph N. B. Rawle.....	Stenographer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Alfred Huttlinger.....	Interpreter.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John F. Dwyer.....	Attendant.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Cornelius Snedeker.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Peter C. Moore.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Contingent expenses.....		.....	150 00
Total.....		\$18,200 00	\$18,350 00

On the following page will be found a comparative statement as required by your circular.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

In tabular form, showing in one column the amount of all appropriations made to the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, Fifth District, for the year 1900, for different objects and purposes, with additions and deductions therefrom for any transfers which may have been made from one appropriation to another, and showing in another column the amounts of appropriations asked for in our departmental estimate for the year 1901.

NAME.	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ADDITIONS, DEDUCTIONS, TRANSFERS.	APPROPRIATION ASKED FOR 1901.
Cornelius Furgueson.....	\$6,000 00	None.	\$6,000 00
Jeremiah J. O'Leary.....	3,000 00	"	3,000 00
Eugene A. Curran.....	3,000 00	"	3,000 00
Joseph N. B. Rawle.....	2,000 00	"	2,000 00
Alfred Huttlinger.....	1,200 00	"	1,200 00
John F. Dwyer.....	1,000 00	"	1,000 00
Cornelius Snedeker.....	1,000 00	"	1,000 00
Peter C. Moore.....	1,000 00	"	1,000 00
Contingent expenses.....	.....	"	150 00
Total.....	\$18,200 00	.....	\$18,350 00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CORNELIUS FURGUESON, Justice.

No. 1580.

BROOKLYN, August 15, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York:

In compliance with section 226 of the Greater New York Charter I have the honor to submit a departmental estimate of the amount required for expenditure by the Stenographer to Grand Jury, Kings County, for the year 1901.

Very respectfully,

RUTH HOWELL, Stenographer to Grand Jury, Kings County.

For taking and transcribing minutes of Grand Jury, Kings County, for 1901..... \$4,000 00
Amount of appropriation for 1900..... 4,000 00

It is impossible to state the exact amount that will be expended during the current year, as the amount depends upon the number of days of attendance and folios transcribed. (See chap. 548, Laws of 1885).

No. 1581.

THE DOMINICAN CONVENT OF OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY,
NO. 329 EAST SIXTY-THIRD STREET,
NEW YORK, August 17, 1900.

The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Complying with the request contained in a circular letter received from the Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, we beg to state:

I.—This institution does not receive any fixed appropriation from the City Government.
II.—It does receive from the City remuneration at the rate of two dollars per week for each child over the age of two years, legally committed to it, and thirty-eight cents per day for every infant under that age, while the same remain within its charge. (See sec. 230, Charter of Greater New York, amended by chap. 196 of Laws of 1899.)

III.—For the year 1899 it received from the City for the care of children so committed to it \$63,482.12.

IV.—As children are constantly being received and discharged, it is impossible to say what amount should be paid the institution by the City for the year 1901, but a safe conjecture would seem to be that it should not be more than the above-mentioned amount.

V.—Regretting our inability to answer your inquiries more positively, and trusting that the foregoing may to some extent be of service to you and what you desire, and with every wish to furnish whatever further information may lie within our power, we have the honor to remain,

With great respect,

SISTERS OF THE DOMINICAN CONVENT OF OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY,
By WILLIAM H. BARRY, Attorney.

No. 1582.

OFFICE OF THE ST. JOSEPH'S ASYLUM,
EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, CORNER AVENUE A,
NEW YORK, August 7, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to the circular letter received from his Honor the Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, requesting the St. Joseph's Asylum in The City of New York to file its estimate of expenditures for the year 1901, we respectfully represent:

That for the year 1900 there was appropriated by your Board the sum of \$83,849.83. This sum will, in our opinion, be exhausted during the current year. In addition to the expenses to be incurred by the Asylum during the coming year, we shall have to pay an assessment amounting to \$4,750 and accrued interest. As the Asylum is used almost exclusively for the purposes of children committed to its care, there being only private children in the institution at the present time, and as we shall have incidental expenses to contend with in the coming year, in the way of additional repairs for the proper protection of the inmates, we respectfully ask your Board to appropriate for the year 1901, for the purposes of this Asylum the sum of \$90,000.

Respectfully submitted,

ST. JOSEPH'S ASYLUM IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By WILLIAM TEWES, President.

No. 1583.

J. HOOD WRIGHT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL,
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET AND AMSTERDAM AVENUE,
NEW YORK, July 25, 1900.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller, New York City:

DEAR SIR—In response to your circular of July 2, 1900, asking for certain data upon which to base estimates for appropriations to be made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to partially compensate private hospitals for the care of sick and injured who would be entitled to care by the public institutions, we beg to submit that it is practically impossible to do more than refer to our capacity for service, and by calling special attention to the fact that we are essentially an Emergency Hospital, located in a rapidly growing district on the West Side, where by the contiguity of the Hudson River Railroad, the river docks, the active construction of buildings, the large number of tenement-houses and the great number of passengers carried by the street cars, the liability to accident is greatly increased over many other districts.

It will be readily seen, therefore, that we cannot but approximate the demand upon us for ambulance and other classes of emergency cases.

We think you should appropriate for the J. Hood Wright Hospital at least \$7,500, for by an equitable administration of the law applicable to Hospitals since January 1, 1900, more than that amount would justly come to us for the service rendered the public. Of course if we did not become legally and equitably entitled to it under the law or the rules of the Department of Charities, it would still remain in the Public Treasury.

In our last annual report we endeavored to set forth the statistics of our Hospital and Dispensary from the beginning.

This statement will be found on page 48, and for it we respectfully request your careful consideration. It will there be seen that during the past four years we have admitted and treated in the Hospital an average of 1,000 per annum.

We have given to these patients more than 12,000 days of free treatment (90 per cent. of all our service being absolutely free).

We have averaged over 1,500 ambulance calls. In addition we have averaged 1,000 cases in the Emergency Ward alone, which is irrespective of an average of 5,500 cases treated in the Dispensary. It costs us in excess of \$1.25 per day to care for a patient with the closest economy.

Our work in all the departments is increasing. Our Ambulance Service is especially severe and difficult to maintain.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSIAH C. REIFF, President, J. Hood Wright Memorial Hospital.

TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1899.

To Balance in Bank, January 1, 1899.....	\$4,738 53
To Cash Gifts a/c.....	13,557 94
To Board of Patients a/c.....	3,812 75
To Annual Members a/c.....	2,320 00
To Annual Beds a/c.....	300 00
To Patrons a/c.....	750 00
To Interest a/c.....	405 00
To Ambulance a/c.....	26 00
To Dispensary a/c.....	30 60

Total..... \$25,940 82

Paid by order of Executive Committee:

By Wages.....	\$7,678 65
By Medical Supplies.....	1,291 74
By Medical and Surgical Supplies.....	1,817 12
By Mineral Water.....	80 08
By Meats.....	2,482 65
By Fish Food.....	187 54
By Bread Food.....	527 37
By Milk and Cream.....	1,155 46
By House and Sun tries.....	1,072 79
By Groceries and Vegetables.....	2,722 65
By Alterations and Repairs.....	931 34
By Ambulance a/c.....	1,261 14
By Fuel.....	983 13
By Ice.....	316 06
By Gas.....	657 20
By Balance in Bank of New York.....	2,775 90

Total..... 25,940 82

T. C. BUCK, Treasurer.

Audited and found correct.

GEO. S. HICKOK, } Auditing
JOSEPH J. KITTEL, } Committee.
January 13, 1900.

Consolidated Statement of Receipts and Expenses from December, 1885.

	RECEIPTS.	EXPENSES.		RECEIPTS.	EXPENSES.
1885-1886.....	\$23,403 10	\$13,237 15	1893.....	\$15,330 85	\$19,339 57
1886.....	9,986 24	13,025 52	1894.....	23,725 48	20,471 75
1887.....	16,518 60	11,794 40	1895.....	19,320 03	20,291 19
1888.....	14,527 39	15,089 38	1896.....	25,950 38	24,496 36
1889.....	42,032 43	12,500 00	1897.....	24,268 11	24,983 22
1890.....	10,194 33	15,223 50	1898.....	25,755 66	21,454 76
1891.....	15,351 37	15,212 00	1899.....	21,202 29	23,164 92
1892.....	11,161 06	16,021 16			

Consolidated Statement of the Work Done since the Opening as a Hospital in December, 1885.

Year.	Patients remaining in Hospital January 1.	Admitted during the year.	Total treated in Hospital.	Discharged cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Left without advice.	Transferred.	Treated in Emergency Ward.	Treated by Ambulance Surgeon and brought to Hospital.	Patients treated in Dispensary.	Total visits of Dispensary patients.	Days' treatment in Hospital.	Days of free treatment in Hospital.	Ambulance calls answered.	Operations performed.	Died.
1885..	..	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	..	..	..	..	..	..
1886..	1	295	396	224	69	7	..	47	..	..	1,327	3,462	..	..	400	83	37
1887..	10	536	546	278	199	5	2	..	..	..	5,565	..	..	..	359	207	35
1888..	27	635	662	360	152	10	4	36	..	..	2,916	6,290	..	..	336	335	44
1889..	29	492	521	195	197	18	6	22	..	..	..	6,470	..	..	345	315	46
1890..	37	532	569	265	197	15	..	17	..	..	3,384	6,825	..	..	567	382	48
1891..	27	545	572	278	164	18	..	29	..	..	3,833	7,889	..	..	713	438	55
1892..	28	501	529	226	152	19	..	42	..	..	3,857	7,993	..	..	770	534	50
1893..	40	731	771	283	312	33	..	13	678	339	4,693	8,813	..	..	913	646	24
1894..	46	686	732	318	281	13	..	10	674	537	5,203	10,579	16,992	15,542	873	818	67
1895..	43	663	706	331	226	24	..	9	867	829	5,778	12,219	13,308	11,838	1,174	1,000	82
1896..	34	941	975	503	303	13	..	12	848	817	5,586	11,849	14,117	12,323	1,353	1,062	108
1897..	36	915	951	416	385	16	..	..	1,106	923	5,630	12,527	19,806	11,321	1,479	977	92
1898..	42	1,064	1,106	415	494	28	..	..	949	1,059	5,475	13,378	13,339	11,884	1,623	1,244	123
1899..	46	1,035	1,081	435	446	29	..	..	1,357	1,164	5,207	11,071	14,681	12,712	1,868	1,096	133

1893, one-third Hospital closed five months for repairs.

Coroners' cases—1894, 32; 1895, 35; 1896, 57; 1897, 42; 1898, 67.

No. 1584.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1900.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

DEAR SIR—At the meeting of this Board held on the 3d instant a resolution was received from the Municipal Assembly, adopted by the Board of Aldermen on May 29 and by the Council June 12, recommending that gas-mains be laid, etc., in Prospect terrace, Borough of The Bronx.

At the same meeting a second resolution was received, adopted by both branches of the Municipal Assembly on June 12, recommending that gas-mains be laid, etc., in Nagle avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

I now beg to notify you that the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies has given orders to have five lamps erected and lighted on Prospect terrace, between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets, Williamsbridge, and to have sixteen lamps fitted up and lighted on Nagle avenue, between Broadway and Dyckman street.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

No. 1585.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW, ROOM 1911, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 22, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Municipal Assembly, New York:

DEAR SIRS—In reply to a request of the Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, calling attention to a resolution passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held on June 27, 1900, which states that section 226 of the Greater New York Charter requires the heads

of Departments, Bureaus, Offices, Boards and Commissions to send to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment an estimate in writing, called Departmental Estimates, of the amount of expenditure required in their respective Departments, Bureaus, etc., for the year 1901, including a statement of each of the salaries of their officers, clerks, employees and subordinates, etc., I have the honor to submit the following Departmental Estimate for the year 1901 compared with that of the year 1900.

The following table will show the amount required, for what purpose required, titles, etc., for the year 1901 compared with that of 1900:

Table Showing the Amount of Salaries Paid Officers and Assistants Employed in the Bureau of Municipal Statistics, According to the last Pay-roll of the Office, giving Names and Official Titles; also the Amount of Salaries Proposed to be Paid during the Ensuing Year.

NAMES.	OFFICIAL TITLE.	ANNUAL SALARY.	
		Year 1900.	Estimated Amount Required for 1901.
John T. Nagle.....	Chief of Bureau.....	\$3,500 00	\$3,500 00
David N. Harburger.....	Statistician.....	1,200 00	1,400 00
George J. Muller.....	".....	600 00	600 00
Archibald R. Brasher.....	Statistician (temporary).....	900 00	900 00
Joseph A. Courtney.....	Office Boy.....	300 00	300 00
Alicia Fitzgerald.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	600 00	780 00
Mary McCarthy.....	".....	600 00	780 00
.....	Statistician (special qualifications).....	Vacancy.	1,200 00
.....	Statistical Draughtsman.....	"	1,200 00
.....	Temporary Assistants, Typewriters, Statisticians.....	"	540 00
Total Appropriation for Salaries.....	Chief of Bureau.....	\$3,500 00	\$3,500 00
.....	Clerks and Assistants.....	7,200 00	7,200 00
Total Appropriation for Contingencies.....	.....	500 00	500 00
.....	Total.....	\$11,200 00	\$11,200 00

I have the honor to estimate that there will probably remain at the end of the year 1900 an unexpended balance of the appropriation for Salaries and Contingencies of \$1,000. I have the honor to be,

Very respectfully yours,

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

No. 1586.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES BY THE NEW YORK HOMOEOPATHIC MEDICAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL, "FLOWER HOSPITAL."

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The following estimate of the amount of expenditures by the New York Homoeopathic Medical College and Hospital (Flower Hospital) for the year 1901 is respectfully submitted:

SALARIES.

Superintendent, Housekeeper and Supervisory Nurse.....	\$2,400 00
2 Clerks.....	1,080 00
15 Trained Nurses.....	3,120 00
6 Orderlies.....	1,320 00
1 Ambulance Driver, 2 Porters.....	666 00
2 Engineers.....	800 00
2 Cooks, 1 Kitchen Girl.....	684 00
3 Waitresses.....	432 00
4 House Maids.....	566 00
4 Laundry Maids.....	708 00
Provisions.....	10,400 00
Medicines.....	4,000 00
Ambulance Service (feed, shoes, repairs).....	520 00
House Supplies.....	400 00
Furniture, Bedding, etc.....	500 00
Repairs.....	1,000 00
Improvements (New Administration Building).....	1,000 00
Painting and Decorating.....	250 00
Fuel and Lights.....	2,000 00
Stationery.....	750 00
Sundries (postage, car-fares, etc.).....	400 00
Total.....	\$33,076 00

The hospital is open night and day, with an ambulance ready at a moment's notice. Its inmates are mostly sick and wounded, picked up in the streets at the call of the Police. The nature of the injuries are fractured skulls, broken limbs, poisoning and sunstroke cases, and every disease requiring immediate medical or surgical aid.

Laws of 1896, chapter 829, section 10.

No. 1587.

ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL, EAST FIFTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 24, 1900.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

HONORED SIR—St. Francis Hospital receives, cares for and treats such patients as are sent to it, in pursuance of the rules established by the Commissioner of Charity.

The City pays the Hospital sixty cents a day for medical, and eighty cents a day for surgical patients so sent and received.

We are satisfied, from many years of experience, that during the year 1901 this institution will be called upon to render service to at least the same number of patients as were treated during the year 1900, and would therefore state that we will require at least \$13,000 for the year 1901. This estimate is based upon the number of cases approved by the Department of Charities during the present year.

We wish to state that this Hospital is constantly occupied by the destitute sick regardless of creed, nationality or color, and is at almost all times filled to its utmost capacity.

Most respectfully,

ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL,
By SISTER JOSEPHINE, Secretary.

No. 1588.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY,
UNITED CHARITIES BUILDING, No. 105 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET,
NEW YORK, July 10, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—As requested, we submit herewith a brief statement of the annual disbursements of the New York Children's Aid Society for the support of our charitable work, and an estimate of the amount required for the care and support of our inmates for the year 1901:

DISBURSEMENTS.

The total disbursements of the Children's Aid Society for the year 1899 were as follows:	
For industrial schools.....	\$156,596 91
For lodging-houses and farm school.....	63,806 23
For central office expenses.....	8,200 00
For disbursements of sending destitute children to homes in the country.....	30,091 94
For various charities, including the summer fresh-air charities and all other purposes.....	53,808 11

Total disbursements..... \$312,503 19

Received from the City \$128,304.60, or 41 per cent.

THE PER CAPITA PLAN.

The appropriation to the Children's Aid Society for the year 1900 was changed from the custom of former years, and placed on a per capita basis as follows:

For the care and education of poor children in the industrial schools (in addition to the apportionment of the Corporate School Fund) at the rate of \$8 per annum, amounting to about.....	\$53,000 00
For inmates accepted by the Department of Public Charities as proper charges against the City Treasury, to wit: for the support and training of homeless boys and girls in the lodging-houses and farm school at a per capita rate of \$50 per annum each, amounting to about.....	17,000 00
Total.....	\$70,000 00

APPROPRIATION FOR 1901.

The appropriation for these purposes on a per capita basis was somewhat experimental, and the Children's Aid Society urgently asks that the per capita rates be increased so that better work may be accomplished. The rate of \$8 per capita for the average attendance at the industrial schools, in addition to the sum of \$8.96 paid from the Corporate School Fund, making in all \$16.96 per capita toward the cost of training a child in the industrial schools for a whole year, is so little that the best work cannot be done and the best teachers cannot be employed. The American Female Guardian Society received in the Budget for 1900 a per capita of \$10 each for the children in their industrial schools, and we would respectfully urge that the work of the Children's Aid Society, being equally important and valuable, is deserving of the same consideration. We therefore ask that an appropriation of \$10 per capita be made for the average attendance in our industrial schools in the Budget for 1901.

We ask also that the per capita for the support and training of homeless boys and girls in the lodging-houses and farm school be increased to \$60 per annum each. The rate of \$50 per annum each apportioned to our Society about \$17,000, while the total expenses of this department were.....

Less receipts of laundry and the farm and from lodgings and meals paid for.....	\$63,806 23
.....	19,278 97
Total.....	\$44,527 26

—toward which is received from the City \$17,000, or 26 per cent.

As a result of the very low per capita rate in aid of this important work, it is a most difficult undertaking to support these lodging-houses and farm school for the training of homeless street boys. With a larger per capita better work could be done and more individual care exercised in the training of each boy. When it is considered how low this appropriation is and how much less than that granted for the care of inmates of any other charitable society, we feel sure that our earnest appeal for an increase will be favorably considered.

In the Budget for 1900, to several of the institutions of the city an appropriation was granted for placing out dependent children in families. This is a work which the Children's Aid Society originated and has been engaged in for nearly fifty years, and we ask that the same consideration be given us as to the Juvenile Asylum, the Catholic Protectory and the Foundling Asylum, and that a per capita of \$20 each be granted us for placing dependent children in family homes. This appropriation will be of very great advantage to the City for the reason that when the child is once placed in a family home, there is no further charge against the City. Each child placed out in this manner saves the City the expense of caring for it for an average of two or three years, amounting to two or three hundred dollars. By its long experience in this work the Children's Aid Society is better fitted than any other organization to place out children and to supervise them subsequently during their minority.

BUDGET FOR 1901.

Under this plan, the appropriation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the year 1901 will read as follows:

New York Children's Aid Society.

(Section 230, Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 196, Laws of 1899.)
For the care and education of poor children in the industrial schools (in addition to the apportionment of the Corporate School Fund), at the rate of \$10 per annum each; for inmates accepted by the Department of Public Charities as proper charges against the City Treasury, to wit: for the support and training of homeless boys and girls in the lodging-houses and farm at a per capita of \$60 per annum each; for children "placed out" with families, at the rate of \$20 each.....

In conclusion we would respectfully point out that the great number of friends and supporters of the Children's Aid Society hope anxiously that these matters will receive the favorable attention of the Board. The aid which the City has given us for thirty years has been amply justified by the great results accomplished.

Very respectfully yours,
C. SARING BRACE, Secretary.

No. 1589.

HEADQUARTERS SQUADRON "A," N. G., N. Y.,
MADISON AVENUE AND NINETY-FOURTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 23, 1900.

To the President of the Municipal Assembly of Greater New York, City Hall:

SIR—Pursuant to instructions contained in letter from Comptroller's Office dated July 2, 1900, I have the honor to inclose herewith Departmental Estimate for Squadron "A," N. G., N. Y., for the year 1901. I have this day forwarded copies to his Honor the Mayor, and to the Comptroller. I am, sir,

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
OLIVER B. BRIDGMAN, Major.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1901 OF SQUADRON "A," N. G., N. Y.
Amount Estimated for in the Year 1900.

NAME.	DESIGNATION.	DAILY PAY.	YEARLY PAY.
1. Frank L. Aber.....	Armorer.....	\$4 00	\$1,460 00
2. Albert E. Braithwaite.....	Janitor.....	4 00	1,460 00
3. John Kelly.....	Engineer.....	4 00	1,460 00
4. William Quinn.....	Assistant Engineer.....	4 00	1,460 00
5. Frank Bird.....	Laborer.....	2 00	730 00
6. William Craig.....	".....	2 00	730 00
7. George Corkery.....	".....	2 00	730 00
8. Thomas Doran.....	".....	2 00	730 00
9. John Etheridge.....	".....	2 00	730 00
10. Matthias Fenkbeiner.....	".....	2 00	730 00
11. James Glynn.....	".....	2 00	730 00
12. Isaac Kelly.....	".....	2 00	730 00
13. Max Lange.....	".....	2 00	730 00
14. Charles W. Muller.....	".....	2 00	730 00
15. Charles F. Seamen.....	".....	2 00	730 00
16. Frank Wood.....	".....	2 00	730 00
Total.....			\$14,600 00

Amount Required for the Year 1901.

NAME.	DESIGNATION.	DAILY PAY.	YEARLY PAY.
1. Frank L. Aber.....	Armorer.....	\$4 00	\$1,460 00
2. Albert E. Braithwaite.....	Janitor.....	4 00	1,460 00
3. John Kelly.....	Engineer.....	4 00	1,460 00
4. William Quinn.....	Assistant Engineer.....	4 00	1,460 00
5. Frank Bird.....	Laborer.....	2 00	730 00
6. William Craig.....	".....	2 00	730 00
7. George Corkery.....	".....	2 00	730 00

NAME.	DESIGNATION.	DAILY PAY.	YEARLY PAY.
8. Thomas Doran.....	Laborer.....	\$2 00	\$730 00
9. John Etheridge.....	".....	2 00	730 00
10. Matthias Fenkbeiner.....	".....	2 00	730 00
11. James Glynn.....	".....	2 00	730 00
12. Isaac Kelly.....	".....	2 00	730 00
13. Max Lange.....	".....	2 00	730 00
14. Charles W. Muller.....	".....	2 00	730 00
15. Charles F. Seamen.....	".....	2 00	730 00
16. Frank Wood.....	".....	2 00	730 00
17. William Delaney.....	".....	2 00	730 00
18. Charles Gates.....	".....	2 00	730 00
19. John Leary.....	".....	2 00	730 00
Total.....			\$16,790 00

I certify that the parties mentioned on this estimate were duly appointed by me, and that the salaries herein stated are lawfully designated in the Military Code, chapter 212, Laws of 1898, and I do further certify that all of the above appointments have been made in conformity with the General Laws of 1898. The increase in the number of Laborers is made necessary by the increase of the number of horses kept in Squadron's stables, the law in this case (chapter 601, Laws of 1898), allowing one (1) Laborer for every 10 horses stabled in the armory and used for military purposes.

OLIVER B. BRIDGMAN, Major, Commanding Squadron "A," N. G., N. Y.
HEADQUARTERS SQUADRON "A," N. G., N. Y., August 23, 1900.

ENGINEER'S CERTIFICATE OF FLOOR SPACE, SQUADRON "A" ARMORY.

ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
HEADQUARTERS FIRST BRIGADE, N. G., N. Y.,
PARK AVENUE AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET,
NEW YORK, June 19, 1895.

Assistant Adjutant-General, Headquarters First Brigade, N. G., N. Y., New York City:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to report that, pursuant to instructions from Brigade Headquarters, I have measured the floor surface of the armory at Ninety-fourth street and Madison avenue, New York City, now occupied by Squadron "A," N. G., N. Y.

I further report that I have computed the amount of floor surface of said armory according to paragraph 177 of the Military Code and find the sum total to be fifty-eight thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight (58,858) feet. I have the honor to be,

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
(Signed) A. D. ANDREWS, Brigade Engineer.

Approved:
(Signed) LOUIS FITZGERALD, Brigade Commander.

JANUARY 25, 1895.

A true copy:

OLIVER B. BRIDGMAN, Major, Commanding Squadron "A."

No. 1590.

BROOKLYN, August 24, 1900.

Municipal Assembly, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with a request from the Comptroller's Office dated July 2, 1900, please find the following statement in regard to the Society for the Aid of Friendless Women and Children, located at No. 20 Concord street, Brooklyn, New York.

This society was incorporated April 28, 1870, and will celebrate, at its coming annual meeting in November, its thirtieth anniversary.

Its object is first to provide an temporary home for destitute women and children not of the criminal class. We receive on an average over 800 women and 300 children, to whom we give food and shelter for a period not exceeding two weeks—except in special cases. We also give necessary clothing and assist the women to find work or to reinstate themselves in their homes. Meetings are held for these women, and various means are used for their moral benefit.

This institution also provides a permanent home for an average number of 50 children. A kindergarten is carried on for the smaller children. The large girls go to the public school and to Sunday school. They are also taught, in the Home, sewing, cooking and general housework.

The matron is an admirable woman, especially adapted for her position, and the atmosphere of the Home is not institutional but homelike. All cases are thoroughly investigated, and the most careful supervision and economy is exercised throughout all the departments of the Home.

It costs on the average about seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500) to meet the yearly expenses of this work. Collections and donations and interest on investments average nearly \$4,000. We are allowed this year by the Budget \$2 a week for each child accepted by the Commissioners and 42 cents a day for temporary women—to the extent of our appropriation.

In view of the above facts the Society respectfully asks for the year 1901 from the City an appropriation of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) to carry on the work of the Home.

Very respectfully,
JULIA OLCOTT MOORE (Mrs. W. B.), President of the Society.

No. 1591.

UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK MEDICAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN,
No. 19 WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, August 30, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly of New York City:

GENTLEMEN, SIR—The New York Medical College and Hospital for Women, No. 19 West One Hundred and First street, respectfully requests the apportionment to its use the sum of eight thousand dollars, the same being the estimated amount necessary to pay twenty-five dollars per capita for obstetric attendance on needy poor mothers in their own homes or domiciled in the hospital of the above-named institution, and furthermore we would ask the sum of eighteen dollars per month for each needy mother domiciled in the hospital if retained therein two months or over, and the same pro rata amount for each fraction of a month, and furthermore for in-patients other than maternity cases sixty cents per day for medical treatment and eighty cents per day for surgical treatment.

Praying you will grant this petition, we are,

Very respectfully yours,
THE NEW YORK MEDICAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN,
By CORDELIA WILLIAMS, Vice-President.

No. 1592.

SEVENTEENTH SEPARATE COMPANY, N. G., N. Y.,
FLUSHING, August 20, 1900.

To the Armory Board, City of New York, N. Y.:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to submit herewith an itemized statement of necessary expenditures in this armory for the coming year, as provided in section 226 of the Greater New York Charter:

Gun-racks for 100 Springfield rifles.....	\$200 00
Lockers, 25 additional.....	100 00
Repairing plaster and papering ceiling and walls in officers' room.....	150 00
Painting halls, upstairs and down.....	50 00
Papering walls and ceilings and painting woodwork in non-com.'s rooms (two)....	75 00
50 tons of coal, price estimated at \$5 per ton.....	250 00
2 dozen mops, no handles.....	3 00
3 large feather dusters.....	3 00
6 hair brooms, 18 inches wide, each.....	15 00
2 corn brooms.....	70
3 gallons Clipper compound for cleaning guns.....	4 50
12 bristle brushes, 45 cal., for cleaning guns.....	5 00
1 box soap.....	4 00
2 gross pens, half Falcon, half stub.....	2 00
Electric lighting, gas and water.....	
One Armorer at \$3 per day.....	1,095 00
One Engineer at \$3 per day.....	1,095 00

Respectfully,
JOHN F. KLEIN, Captain.

No. 1593.

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
RICHMOND COUNTY, N. Y.
STAPLETON, N. Y., September 1, 1900.*The Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:*

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, Commissioner of Jurors in and for the County of Richmond, N. Y., appointed under chapter 441, Laws of 1899, hereby respectfully makes requisition for the following sums for the payment of salaries and contingent expenses of the office for the ensuing year from January 1 to December 31, 1901:

*Salary Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner of Jurors.....	\$1,500 00
*Salary William J. Dowling, Assistant Commissioner of Jurors.....	1,200 00
*Salary Daniel P. Libby, Clerk.....	1,200 00
Jury Notice Server's Fund.....	500 00
Contingent expenses.....	200 00

Total.....\$4,600 00

Very respectfully submitted,

CHARLES J. KULLMAN,
Commissioner of Jurors, Richmond County, N. Y.OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF JURORS—RICHMOND COUNTY, NEW YORK,
STAPLETON, NEW YORK, September 1, 1900.*To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:*

GENTLEMEN—I herewith submit comparative statement of all appropriations made to my office for and during the year 1900 and the appropriations asked for in my estimate for the year 1901:

	APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Salary, Commissioner of Jurors.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00
Salaries of Employees (Assistant Commissioner, \$1,200, Clerk, \$1,200)	2,200 00	2,400 00
Transferred from Richmond County Contingent Fund to Salaries of Employees.....	200 00	.....
Jury Notice Server's Fund.....	500 00	500 00
Contingencies.....	200 00	200 00
Total.....	\$4,600 00	\$4,600 00

Very respectfully submitted,

CHARLES J. KULLMAN,
Commissioner of Jurors, Richmond County, N. Y.

No. 1594.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL,
ST. MARK'S AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
NEW YORK CITY, August 24, 1900.*To the Honorable Board of Estimate of The City of New York:*

In obedience to your resolution at your meeting of June the 27th ultimo I have the honor to submit the following estimate of expense of caring for the charity patients at this institution for the year 1901, basing the same on number so treated for the twelve months ending August 15th instant, with ten per cent. added, to meet probable increase.

23,760 free days surgical patients, at 80 cents per day.....	\$19,008 00
20,780 free days medical patients, at 60 cents per day.....	12,468 00

Total.....\$31,476 00

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. D. KEILEY, Secretary.

DISPENSARY OF THE COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL,
ST. MARK'S AVENUE,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, August 24, 1900.*To the Honorable Board of Estimate of The City of New York:*

In obedience to your resolution at your meeting of June the 27th, ultimo, I have the honor to submit the following estimate of the expense of caring for the charity patients at this institution for the year 1901, basing the same on the number of patients so treated for the twelve months ending August 15 instant, with ten per cent. added to meet probable increase:

10,500 prescriptions, at 10 cents each.....	\$1,056 00
Printing and stationery.....	117 25
Instruments.....	50 00
Rent of premises, including light and heat.....	250 00
Wages.....	144 00
Service of Pharmacist, gratis (Sister of Charity).....	.....

Total.....\$1,617 25

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. D. KEILEY, Secretary.

No. 1595.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1901 OF ST. PHILIP'S PARISH HOME.

No. 1119 BOSTON ROAD, NEW YORK CITY.

(Organized May, 1872. Incorporated under General Act July, 1872.)

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

Number of inmates cared for fifteen (15).

Current expenses.....	\$600 00
Salary, Matron.....	100 00
Salary, Man Helper.....	120 00
Coal and wood.....	110 00
Advertising.....	13 00
Printing.....	35 00
Taxes.....	12 00
Interest.....	12 00
Gas.....	6 00
Insurance premium.....	15 00

Total.....\$1,013 00

Respectfully submitted,

HUTCHENS C. BISHOP, President,

No. 127 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, New York City.

AARON F. POTTER, Secretary,
No. 137 Lawrence street, Brooklyn, N. Y.KATE V. CARMAND, Treasurer,
No. 54 Wall street, New York City.
NEW YORK, August 28, 1900.

No. 1596.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE OF THE CATHEDRAL FREE CIRCULATING LIBRARY FOR 1901.

Books.....	\$12,000 00
Bindings.....	600 00
Subscriptions.....	300 00
Stationery, supplies and printing.....	800 00
Telephone.....	75 00

*Salaries fixed by resolution of Appointing Board. Certified copy of said resolution filed with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment under date of July 3, 1899.

Repairs and improvements.....	\$500 00
Heat and light.....	500 00
Postage.....	300 00
*Salary, Miss E. Wright, Stenographer.....	624 00
*Salary, Miss Leahy, Janitress.....	300 00
*Salary, Edward Fey, boy.....	338 00
*Salary, Andrew Haggerty, boy.....	156 00
*Salary, Thomas Kelly, boy.....	104 00
Sundry expenses.....	500 00
Total.....	\$17,097 00

*Salaries same as last year.

(Signed) JOS. H. McMAHON, Director.

Appropriation to the Cathedral Free Circulating Library.

Allowed for 1900.....\$9,500 00

Departmental estimate for 1901.....\$17,097 00

There will be no balance at the close of the year.

No. 1597.

ST. CHRISTOPHER'S HOSPITAL FOR BABIES,
No. 283 HICKS STREET, BROOKLYN, N. Y.*To the Chairman, Municipal Assembly:*

DEAR SIR—Our estimate for the year 1901 is based on—

1,406 days of surgical treatment of patients.....	\$1,124 80
And 3,151 days of medical treatment of patients.....	1,890 60

For the treatment of the above we solicit the sum of.....\$3,015 40

Respectfully,

HELEN M. BURLEY, Treasurer.

Nos. 1598 and 1599.

HEADQUARTERS FOURTEENTH REGIMENT ARMORY,
EIGHTH AVENUE, FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS,
BROOKLYN, August 24, 1900.*To the Armory Board, New York City:*

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to submit estimate of pay of employees in this armory for the year 1901—\$11,132.50.

Pay-roll for 1900.

NAME.	POSITION.	SALARY PER DAY.	SALARY PER ANNUM.
Ramon Cardona.....	Armorer.....	\$4 00	\$1,460 00
Peter J. Farrell.....	Engineer.....	4 00	1,460 00
Michael Murray.....	Janitor.....	4 00	1,460 00
George W. Granger.....	Fireman.....	2 50	912 50
James O'Donnell.....	Laborer.....	2 00	730 00
William McLeer.....	".....	2 00	730 00
William Fokett.....	".....	2 00	730 00
Henry Morris.....	".....	2 00	730 00
John J. Dixon.....	".....	2 00	730 00
Joseph McDermott.....	".....	2 00	730 00
Charles R. Flossman.....	".....	2 00	730 00
James Ratigan.....	".....	2 00	730 00
Total.....			\$11,132 50

Respectfully,

B. T. CLAYTON, Colonel.

HEADQUARTERS FOURTEENTH REGIMENT ARMORY,
EIGHTH AVENUE, FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS,
BROOKLYN, August 24, 1900.*To the Armory Board, New York City:*

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to make requisition for the following supplies to be furnished for the use of this command for the year 1901.

Respectfully,

B. T. CLAYTON, Colonel.

Armorer's and Janitor's Supplies.

2 dozen oilcloth floor brooms, 36 inches.....	\$72 00
2 dozen oilcloth floor brooms, 18 inches.....	36 00
3 dozen whisk brooms.....	6 00
1 dozen mop wringers, for pails.....	9 00
6 dozen twine mops, with handles attached (Brooklyn).....	18 00
4 dozen turkey-feather dusters, 16 inches.....	14 00
2 dozen window brushes.....	12 24
6 dozen scrub brushes.....	7 98
2 dozen waste-paper baskets.....	7 50
2 dozen handles, with slides, for scrub brushes.....	2 00
2 dozen kalsomine brushes, No. 125, State Prison catalogue.....	40 00
1/2 dozen carpet sweepers, Bissell's Grand Rapids.....	18 00
1 dozen Rex fire extinguishers, 3 gallons, copper, at \$13.50.....	162 00
8 dozen corn brooms, No. 8.....	40 00
1/2 dozen curry combs and brushes, bristle.....	18 00
12 dozen toilet soap, Peerless oatmeal.....	6 00
2 dozen polishing brushes, 14 inches, handles 6 inches.....	5 00
2 dozen hair dust brushes (counter).....	10 00
3 dozen hair brushes, for toilet room.....	9 75
3 dozen rubber combs.....	6 00
6 dozen linen hand towels, 36 inches long.....	18 00
10 dozen lamp wicks, sample at armory.....	1 00
16 dozen galvanized pails, 16-quart.....	80 00
1/2 dozen soldering irons, 3 four-pounds, 3 three-pounds.....	7 50
1 dozen 1-pound boxes Babbit's lye.....	2 00
2 dozen stencil brushes.....	2 50
3 dozen cakes of lamp-black for stencils.....	2 40
3 dozen blacking brushes and daubers, daubers separate.....	14 00
12 dozen large boxes of Dixon's blacking.....	12 00
1/2 dozen roof brushes.....	3 00
12 dozen zincs for electric batteries.....	8 00
1 dozen flat wall brushes, 5 inches wide, No. 103, State Prison catalogue.....	2 50
1 dozen sash tools, flat, No. 11.4.....	2 40
2 dozen dust pans.....	2 40
4 dozen round electric globes, sample at armory.....	12 00
1 1/2 dozen one-gallon square varnish tin cans (for oil).....	3 00
30 dozen agate wash basins.....	120 00
12 dozen cuspidors, State Prison catalogue, 40 cents.....	60 00
2 dozen brass padlocks with two keys.....	12 00
3 cocoa mats, 3.2 by 2.10.....	18 00
2 cocoa mats, 5.6 by 2.....	14 00
3 cocoa mats, 7.4 by 2.....	27 00
7 cocoa mats, 3.4 by 2.....	23 00
20 gallons grain alcohol, 95 degrees, in 5-gallon cans.....	50 00
20 gallons kerosene oil, 150 test, in 5-gallon cans.....	6 00
10 gallons Balmontyle oil.....	10 00
10 gallons radiator or heater bronze.....	30 00
5 gallons ammonia.....	2 25
3 gallons liquid dryers.....	2 00
25 gallons boiled oil.....	18 75
40 barrels sawdust.....	8 00

1 barrel Portland cement.....	\$5 00
2 barrels lime.....	2 50
3 barrels sal soda.....	12 00
2 barrels Marvin's floor dressing.....	100 00
300 pounds Eagle soap powder.....	30 00
1 box, sheets, charcoal tin plate, 14 by 20.....	7 00
1/2 dozen sheets of zinc, 4 by 7 feet.....	12 00
300 pounds flake naphthaline.....	12 00
20 pounds of solder, half-and-half.....	4 00
200 pounds sal ammoniac.....	20 00
100 pounds roof metallic paint, in oil.....	4 00
50 pounds roof cement.....	1 50
4 pounds sponges, sheep's wool.....	10 00
10 pounds castile soap.....	2 50
6 pounds Globe metal polish.....	2 50
3 boxes ivory soap.....	15 00
3 boxes Colgate's octagon soap.....	11 25
3 gross matches (Columbia), safety.....	3 60
2 gross bath towels, large, heavy.....	72 00
1 rung ladder, 16 feet.....	8 00
2 step ladders, 5 feet.....	6 00
2 step ladders, 8 feet.....	6 00
500 camp chairs, sample in Bureau of Supplies (Brooklyn).....	400 00
1 store truck, No. 3.....	6 00
100 feet 3/4 4-ply steam hose, with coupling, in 50 feet lengths.....	32 00
500 feet No. 3 halyards.....	10 00
20 floor planks, 9 1/2 inches wide, 16 feet long.....	8 00
8 Excelsior mattresses, 3 by 6 feet, for rifle range.....	16 00
1 glass diamond cutter.....	7 50
1 double and 1 single 8-inch patent sheave blocks.....	6 00
400 feet 2 1/2 Manila rope.....	30 00
1 snips, hand, cut 4 1/2 inches.....	3 50
1 bench shears, cut 7 inches.....	4 50
1 measuring tape, heavy, Holland, 100 feet, with leather case.....	3 00
3 pieces linen crash for roller towels, 60 yards to piece, No. 22, State Prison catalogue.....	20 00
2 pieces unbleached cotton flannel, 60 yards to piece.....	7 20
1 load white sand.....	2 50
1 Fairbanks scale, with measuring rod combined, No. 1243, page 31, catalogue.....	50 00
1 typewriter machine, Remington, No. 6, with cover.....	100 00
1 oak typewriter, flat top desk, with drawers on both sides.....	28 00
200 rolls of toilet paper, 1,000 sheets to roll.....	22 00
1 bushel rock salt.....	50
1 copying press and stand complete.....	30 00
2 iron barrows, National, No. 5.....	28 50
1 Fairbanks scale, No. 152, page 131, catalogue, with tin scoop, capacity half ounce to 240 pounds.....	15 50
1 water cooler, porcelain lined, lever tap, 12 gallons, grained oak with stand.....	12 00
10 dozen sawers or globes for incandescent lamps, sample at armory.....	18 00
2 iron clamps, open 8 inches, adjustable.....	2 00
1 box of sapolito, 36 cakes.....	2 00
1 roll each, 15, 36 and 40 in mella wrapping paper, 24 by 36 by 50/400, at 6c. per pound.....	28 00
1 roll cutter for each of the papers, 15-inch \$1.50, 36-inch \$2 and 40-inch \$2.50.....	6 00
100 pounds Atlantic white lead.....	6 00
2 dozen pair chest handles, No. 5.....	2 00
300 feet 1 1/4 rubber hose, in 50 feet lengths, with coupling, sample at armory.....	36 00
1 oak typewriter chair, No. 42 State Prison catalogue.....	5 00
3 dozen packages of tacks, No. 1.....	1 c8
9 dozen packages of tacks, No. 12.....	8 64
6 pounds Frank Miller's harness black soap.....	3 00
500 feet of 2 1/2-inch hose with two swinging reels and two brass nozzles, samples at armory.....	300 00
1 full set of carpenter's tools, to be selected.....	65 00
200 sheets cardboard for targets, sample at armory.....	60 00
25 pounds red vaseline No. 2, Chesebrough Manufacturing Company.....	1 30
1 sewing machine, Singer's tailor, improved manufacture.....	33 50
1 pair Herick shears for tailor.....	9 00
1 jack for chimney.....	7 00
2 dozen axes and handles.....	35 00
2 dozen shovels, Ames.....	25 00
2 dozen rakes, 16 teeth, 6-foot handles.....	24 00
2 dozen Victor lanterns, R. E. Dietz Company.....	15 00
1/2 dozen globes for street lamps, sample at armory.....	18 00
1 half round globe for vestibule lamp, sample at armory.....	4 00

Gas and electric light and telephone service for 1901.

Engineer's Supplies.

2 dozen ironclad ash cans, No. 4.....	75 00
1 dozen 10-inch blades for hack-saw.....	1 00
1 dozen flat bastard files, No. 12.....	2 52
1 dozen smooth files, No. 12.....	2 46
1 dozen half-round smooth files, No. 12.....	3 66
1 dozen half-round smooth files, No. 8.....	2 00
1 dozen small sized files, assorted, Nos. 6, 8, 10.....	2 50
2 pairs flat nose 6-inch plyers.....	80
2 pairs gas plyers, 6 and 12.....	1 25
2 sets twist drills, 1-16 to 1/2.....	6 75
1 Lampkin wrench with drill attachments.....	4 75
1 set stocks and pipe dies, 1 to 2 1/2.....	15 00
10 pounds Chester's square flax packing, 3/8.....	5 00
5 pounds Garlock ring packing, Style No. 5, Factory 72676, Office No. 37762, section 2.....	2 50
5 pounds section 1.....	2 50
3 pounds Style No. 250, Factory 82821, Office No. 40425, for hot water.....	1 80
1 case (6) Lauvine's packing tools.....	2 25
1/2 dozen cold chisels, high grade crucible steel, flat, 1/2 to 1-inch.....	2 00
3/8-inch dierfranno for Kiley regulator valve.....	1 00
2 pound cans, Le Page's liquid glue.....	3 00
2 handhole covers, 7 by 9 inches, with crow feet.....	2 50
1 gross washers for cold-water faucets, sample at armory.....	3 00
5 sheets of rubber, for washers, 1-16.....	2 50
5 pounds Clesteron's rubber bestos, flat, for packing, 3/8.....	1 50
3 pounds Clesteron's rubber bestos, flat sheet packing, 1-16.....	1 50
250 tons egg coal.....	1,250 00
25 tons nut coal.....	125 00
2 cords of pine wood, 1 cut.....	28 00

Total.....\$4,535 08

HEADQUARTERS, FOURTEENTH REGIMENT ARMORY,
EIGHTH AVENUE, FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS,
BROOKLYN, August 24, 1900

To the Armory Board, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to make requisition for the following repairs to be made in this armory.

Respectfully,
B. T. CLAYTON, Colonel.

Dining-room, kitchen, pantry, wash-room and corridor in basement, side walls to be painted and ceilings to be calcimined and all woodwork to be cleaned and varnished.....	\$475 00
Billiard-room walls to be painted, ceilings to be calcimined and all woodwork to be cleaned and varnished.....	220 00
Bowling-alley walls to be painted, ceilings calcimined and all woodwork to be cleaned and varnished.....	250 00
New floor.....	800 00

Put up two partitions with doors and locks under stairs in basement, paint and grain the same as the rest of the woodwork and put up shelving all around.....	\$75 00
Put up partition between coal vault and fire-room with door and lock and paint the same.....	25 00
Put one small swivel iron bar on front door, Eighth avenue, to relieve the lock.....	15 00
Put one swivel iron bar to secure the back door on Seventh avenue end of main drill-room. The door is not properly secured the way it is at present.....	20 00
Put cover over kitchen grating on Fifteenth street, to prevent water from going in coal vault.....	15 00
Reservoirs in the lavatory to be repaired, and put new chains where required.....	40 00
Seats in lavatory to be repaired where required, and all woodwork to be cleaned and varnished.....	45 00
Put three new urinal bowls and reset the others.....	100 00
Paint side walls and calcimine ceilings, clean and varnish woodwork in lavatory.....	120 00
Put iron sleeves around steam-pipes, and plaster the same where required.....	150 00
Plaster side walls and ceilings where required.....	150 00
Repair skylight on sidewalk over boiler-room on Fifteenth street, to prevent from leaking.....	35 00
Doors Fourteenth street, Fifteenth street and Eighth avenue, rear of main drill-room, to be scraped and varnished.....	200 00
Repair sidewalks and stone steps where required.....	100 00
Two tees with blow-off, with brass plug, in fire-room.....	5 00
One 1 1/2 valve on drip-pipe to trap in pump-room.....	5 00
Connect drip-pipe with valves to sewer in fire-room.....	30 00
Put one valve or plug in water-main and connect same with water-closet in men's lavatory.....	75 00
Repair all doors and locks and furnish keys where required.....	75 00
Reupholster seats and backs of walnut armchairs with leather.....	150 00
Put new window shades, cords and rollers and repair others where required.....	150 00
Reputty all glass panes on windows and put new panes and sash cords where required.....	150 00
One new screw faucet in wash-room.....	2 50
Repair street washers and boxes in Fourteenth street, Fifteenth street, and Eighth avenue, so that they can be used for cleaning windows.....	100 00
For repairing gas fixtures in vestibule and street lamps and basement and connecting in the new supply-rooms.....	150 00
For new Welsbach light, mantles and chimneys.....	500 00
New range in officers' kitchen.....	60 00
Paint and repair all sashes and window cases on the outside of armory.....	300 00
Paint all iron bars, railings and also the ironwork around the outside of armory.....	250 00
Put in two fire-plugs, one in basement and one in main drill-room, and connect the same with water-main.....	300 00
Paint and repair board fence in rear of armory.....	50 00
Cut 2-foot window from Engineer's work-room to corridor in basement and put in sash and frame.....	30 00
Hang vestibule door with double-action hinges and put new bolts on the others to be secured, and put new brass glass guards.....	100 00
Put glass in fanlights over officers' and company-room doors.....	25 00
Paint side walls and ceiling in Armorer's office.....	75 00
Paint side walls and ceiling in Armorer's workshop.....	75 00
Paint roofs and leaders and repair all cracks where required to prevent the same from leaking.....	300 00
Point up with cement all stone and brick work.....	200 00
Reopen fireplace in officers' dining-room and connect the same with gas logs and put up new mantel.....	100 00
Build fireplace with flue and put up mantel in one room on the third floor and connect the other fireplaces with gas logs.....	250 00
Put up skylights or window on stairs going from second to third floor (there is no ventilation the way it is at present).....	40 00
Equip all radiators with water-seal air valves, sample at armory.....	100 00
Repair snow guards on the main roof.....	100 00
Build gallery on north side of drill hall the same as that on south side.....	10,000 00
Total.....	\$16,582 50

HEADQUARTERS FOURTEENTH REGIMENT,
EIGHTH AVENUE, FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS,
BROOKLYN, August 24, 1900.

To the Armory Board, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to make requisition for the following furniture to be furnished for the use of this command.

Respectfully,
B. T. CLAYTON, Colonel.

Colonel's Room—	
1 carpet rug, with border.....	\$75 00
6 oak armchairs, leather seat and veneer back (sample at armory).....	30 00
1 Marvin's fireproof safe.....	90 00
6 armchairs upholstered with leather, Derby Desk Company, No. 3560, page 67, catalogue, with monogram of regiment.....	200 00
Total.....	\$395 00
Adjutant—	
1 oak roll-top desk, Globe Company.....	\$50 00
1 oak pigeon-hole case, Globe Company, page 76, Catalogue No. 5, to fit in 60-inch desk top.....	40 00
1 oak desk chair, Derby Desk Company, No. 583 1/2, page 76, catalogue.....	33 00
12 oak armchairs, leather seats and veneer backs (sample at armory).....	60 00
Total.....	\$183 00
Council Room—	
30 library chairs, upholstered with leather, Derby Desk Company, No. 500, page 69, catalogue, with monogram of regiment.....	\$1,800 00
4 sofas, upholstered with leather, Derby Desk Company, No. 500, page 69, catalogue, with monogram of regiment.....	340 00
3 oak desk chairs, Derby Desk Company, No. 583 1/2, page 76, catalogue, with monogram of regiment.....	120 00
Total.....	\$2,260 00
Surgeons—	
1 oak roll-top desk, Globe Company.....	\$70 00
1 oak pigeon-hole case, Globe Company, No. 5, page 72, catalogue, to fit in 60-inch top desk.....	40 00
1 oak desk chair, leather seat and back.....	7 50
3 oak wardrobes, double, with mirror fronts.....	120 00
Total.....	\$207 50
Colonel's and Officers' Toilet-room and Coat-rooms—	
1 mirror, oak, flat frame, 3 feet 1 inch by 3 feet.....	\$15 00
2 mirrors, oak, flat frame, 6 feet 10 inches by 2 feet 6 inches.....	40 00
1 mirror, oak, flat frame, 5 feet 10 inches by 2 feet 6 inches.....	18 00
Total.....	\$73 00
Quartermasters—	
1 oak table, with drawers for Tailors' work-room.....	\$15 00
Staff Room—	
1 carpet rug, with border.....	\$100 00
1 oak library table, 5-foot.....	30 00
12 oak armchairs, upholstered seats and backs with leather.....	120 00
Total.....	\$250 00

Officers' Cloak Room—	
1 carpet rug, with border.....	\$150 00
1 Directors' table.....	75 00
Total.....	\$225 00
Armorer's Office—	
6 oak armchairs, saddle seats.....	\$30 00
Company A—	
1 oak roll-top desk, 60-inch, Derby Desk Company.....	\$40 00
1 oak desk chair, leather seat and back.....	7 50
Paint side walls and ceiling in company-room.....	75 00
Total.....	\$122 50
Company B—	
1 oak roll-top desk, 4 feet 6 inches, Derby.....	\$35 00
1 oak desk chair, leather seat and back.....	7 50
1 oak double wardrobe, with mirror front.....	40 00
Paint side walls and ceiling in company-room.....	75 00
Total.....	\$157 50
Company C—	
1 oak roll-top Derby desk, 60 inches.....	\$40 00
1 oak desk chair, leather seat and back.....	7 50
2 oak desk chairs, saddle seats.....	12 00
2 oak double wardrobes, with mirror fronts.....	80 00
1 folding screen.....	6 00
Paint side walls and ceiling in company-room.....	150 00
Total.....	\$295 50
Company D—	
1 oak roll-top desk, 3 feet 6 inches.....	\$20 00
1 oak single wardrobe.....	20 00
2 dozen camp stools, sample Bureau of Supplies, Brooklyn.....	18 00
3 chairs, oak, sample in company room.....	18 00
1 oak library table, 4 feet by 3 feet.....	25 00
Total.....	\$101 00
Company E—	
Repair lockers and locks, supply new keys where required, with two master keys.....	\$100 00
3 oak tables, 5 feet, with drawers and locks.....	50 00
Put ventilators in from windows.....	12 00
2 dozen camp stools, sample Bureau of Supplies, Brooklyn.....	19 20
Paint side walls in company-rooms and put up picture moulding.....	125 00
Total.....	\$306 20
Company F—	
4 dozen camp chairs, sample Bureau of Supplies, Brooklyn.....	\$38 00
2 oak double wardrobes, with mirror front.....	80 00
1 carpet rug, with border 8 feet by 10 feet.....	25 00
1 carpet rug, with border 21 feet square.....	125 00
Paint side walls and ceiling in company-room.....	70 00
Total.....	\$338 00
Company G—	
1 oak roll-top desk, Derby Desk Company, 4 feet 6 inches.....	\$35 00
1 oak desk chair, leather seat and back.....	7 50
1 oak library table, 5 feet.....	30 00
2 oak armchairs, upholstered with leather.....	50 00
2 oak double wardrobes, with mirror front.....	80 00
Total.....	\$202 50
Company H—	
1 oak roll-top desk, Derby Desk Company, 60 inches.....	\$40 00
1 oak desk chair, leather seat and back.....	7 50
1 oak library table, 6 feet.....	35 00
2 oak armchairs, upholstered with leather.....	80 00
Paint side walls and ceilings of company-room.....	70 00
Total.....	\$232 50
Company I—	
1 oak roll-top desk, Derby Desk Company, 60 inches.....	\$40 00
1 oak desk chair, leather seat and back.....	7 50
6 oak armchairs, saddle seats.....	30 00
1 oak double wardrobe, with mirror front.....	40 00
1 carpet rug, with border, 6 x 8 feet.....	25 00
Paint side walls and ceiling in company-room.....	70 00
Total.....	\$212 50
Company K—	
1 oak roll-top desk, Derby Desk Company, 60 inches.....	\$40 00
1 oak desk chair, leather seat and back.....	7 50
2 oak double wardrobes, with mirror fronts.....	80 00
6 oak armchairs, saddle seats.....	30 00
Paint side walls and ceiling in company-room.....	125 00
Total.....	\$282 50
Company L—	
1 oak library table 5 ft.....	\$30 00
2 oak armchairs, upholstered with leather.....	50 00
Paint side walls and ceilings in company-rooms.....	100 00
Total.....	\$180 00
Company M—	
1 1/2 dozen oak armchairs, leather seat and veneer (backs sample in Bureau of Supplies, Brooklyn).....	\$90 00
1 oak table, 8 feet by 4 feet.....	40 00
1 carpet rug with border.....	150 00
Paint side walls and ceiling in company-room.....	150 00
3 dozen camp chairs (sample in Bureau of Supplies, Brooklyn).....	28 80
1 leather couch, 6 feet 10 inches.....	50 00
Picture moulding.....	15 00
Total.....	\$523 80

Company M is a new company and has practically nothing in room.
Which was ordered on file.

No. 1600.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF QUEENS,
SECOND DISTRICT, ELMHURST,

August 22, 1900.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

DEAR SIR—I beg to hand you herewith copy of the estimate of the amount of expenditures required by the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Second District, Borough of Queens, in accordance with circular under date of July 2, 1900, received from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Very respectfully yours,

WM. RASQUIN, JR.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF QUEENS,
SECOND DISTRICT, ELMHURST,
August 22, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with your circular under date of July 2, 1900, in relation to Departmental Estimates for the year 1901, requesting me to submit to you an estimate of the expenditures of the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Second District, Borough of Queens, for said year 1901, I beg to submit the following:

	SALARY AC- CORDING TO LAST PAY-ROLL, AND NOW BEING PAID.	AMOUNT TO BE PAID IN 1901.
William Rasquin, Jr., Justice.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Henry Walter, Jr., Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
C. Herbert Burns, Stenographer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Frederick W. Bieling, Attendant.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Philip Peters, Attendant.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Contingencies.....		100 00

The amount for contingencies, I think, is embraced in the total amount for contingencies of the Municipal Court of The City of New York, but as I am not positive on this subject I have included it in this estimate, so that in either event the amount may be allowed. No specific amount was allowed for this Court for the current year.

No unexpended balance of the appropriation for this Court for the year 1900 will remain at the end of the year.

WM. RASQUIN, JR., Justice,
Municipal Court of The City of New York, Second District, Borough of Queens.

Separate Comparative Statement showing all Appropriations made to the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Second District, Borough of Queens, for the Year 1900, and the Estimate for the Year 1901.

	APPROPRIA- TION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1901.
1 Justice.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
1 Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
1 Stenographer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
1 Attendant.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
	1,000 00	1,000 00

The amount of \$100 for contingencies is asked for 1901 in the event that it is not included in the general amount for contingencies to the Municipal Court of The City of New York, as I understand was done for the year 1900.

WM. RASQUIN, JR., Justice,
Municipal Court of The City of New York, Second District, Borough of Queens.

No. 1601.

CLERK'S OFFICE, COUNTY COURT,
KINGS COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
BROOKLYN, August 30, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, I respectfully submit the following estimate for the County Court of Kings County, for the year 1901:

Salaries.

NAME	OFFICE	AMOUNT, 1900.	AMOUNT, 1901.
Joseph Aspinall.....	County Judge.....	\$10,000 00	\$10,000 00
William B. Hurd, Jr.....	".....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Charles T. Van Doren.....	Deputy and Chief Clerk.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
John D. Acker.....	Deputy Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
John F. Moore.....	Assistant Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Charles H. Foley.....	".....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Michael H. Keeley.....	".....	2,500 00	2,500 00
George H. Murphy.....	".....	2,500 00	2,500 00
James G. Fitzgerald.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
John McNamara.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Thomas J. Buttlng.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
John H. Meehan.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Timothy J. Carey.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
John J. Pyburn.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
John J. Gartland.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Edward J. Pendergast.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
William Hemstreet.....	Stenographer.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Charles J. Joyce.....	".....	3,000 00	3,000 00
William Aspinall.....	Confidential Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
William D. Cornell.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Joseph G. Giambalvo.....	Interpreter.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Bernard Wolff.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Henry Meyer, Jr.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
T. F. Donovan.....	Chief Officer.....	1,800 00	2,400 00
George C. Shevlin.....	Warden, Grand Jury.....	1,500 00	2,000 00
Peter F. Hagan.....	Officer, Acting Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Benjamin F. Childs.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
George W. McCloskey.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Thomas P. Crowne.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Joseph Bagnarello.....	County Detective.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Erastus P. Backus.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
John F. Graham.....	Officer.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
Richard J. Newman.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
John T. O'Brien.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
William Ten Eyck.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
Bernard McGuinness.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
William T. Noonan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
John F. Hayes.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
James Scanlon.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
Simon B. Crane.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
John H. Westervelt.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
Truman Hanks.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
Harry Stanley.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
Henry Mittag.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
William H. Sharkey.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
George Jaquillard.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
Thomas Stapleton.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
William H. Catherwood.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
George F. Hyde.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
Byron C. Belknap.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
Francis J. Pearn.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
John F. Davis.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
John Campbell.....	".....	1,200 00	1,500 00
Total.....		\$106,700 00	\$114,400 00

Very respectfully,

CHARLES T. VAN DOREN, Chief Clerk.

Separate Comparative Statement.

	1900.	1901.
2 County Judges.....	\$20,000 00	\$20,000 00
2 Deputy Clerks, 1 at \$3,500; 1 at \$2,500.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
12 Assistant Clerks, 4 at \$2,500; 8 at \$1,800.....	24,400 00	24,400 00
2 Stenographers.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
2 Confidential Clerks.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
3 Interpreters.....	5,400 00	5,400 00
1 Chief Officer.....	1,800 00	2,400 00
1 Warden Grand Jury.....	1,500 00	2,000 00
4 Officers, Acting Clerks.....	7,200 00	7,200 00
2 County Detectives.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
22 Officers.....	26,400 00	33,000 00
Contingent Fund.....	\$106,700 00	\$114,400 00
Total.....	\$107,200 00	\$114,900 00

No. 1602.

ST. JAMES' RECTORY, No. 25 OLIVER STREET,
NEW YORK, August 27, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President, Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

HON. SIR—In compliance with a circular from the Honorable Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, requesting St. James' Home to send to the members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment an estimate of the amount required for the care and support of the inmates of our institution, as provided by law, in and for the year 1901. I write on behalf of the Trustees and Managers to acquaint yourself and the other members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that St. James' Home will require the same amount as last year, namely, \$10,400.

Yours respectfully,

(REV.) JOHN J. KEAN, President of Trustees, St. James' Home.

No. 1603.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS' OFFICE,
QUEENS COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
LONG ISLAND CITY, August 31, 1900.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1901 IN THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS FOR THE COUNTY OF QUEENS.

Salaries.

Edward J. Knauer, Commissioner.....	\$1,500 00
H. Homer Moore, Deputy Commissioner.....	1,200 00
Howard Sutphin, Clerk.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$3,700 00

It is not proposed to change the salaries for 1901, either by increase or decrease.

Condition of Other Funds at Date Hereof, Appropriated for 1900.

Jury Notice Servers.....	\$1,000 00
Drawn from that fund.....	306 50
Balance.....	\$693 50
Contingencies.....	\$500 00
Drawn from that fund.....	58 25
Balance.....	\$441 75

In my best judgment, there will be little, if any, amount remaining unexpended of the above appropriation at the end of the year 1900, for the reason that the greatest expense for serving notices, postage, telephone, typewriting, car-fares and other incidental expenses will be incurred from now to the end of the year.

Under the act creating the office (chapter 441, Laws 1899), a new list of jurors is now in course of preparation, which must be filed in December. In making up this list, it will be necessary to summon all eligible jurors, the expense of which must be met out of the above unexpended balances.

I respectfully ask that the appropriation for my office for the year 1901 be the same as for the year 1900, as follows:

Salaries.....	\$3,700 00
Jury Notice Servers.....	1,000 00
Contingencies.....	500 00
Total.....	\$5,200 00

Respectfully,

EDWARD J. KNAUER, Commissioner.

No. 1604.

HOME FOR AGED AND INFIRM HEBREWS, OF NEW YORK,
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH STREET, WEST OF COLUMBUS (NINTH) AVENUE,
NEW YORK, August 23, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—In compliance with the letter of the Comptroller of July 2, 1900, the undersigned begs leave to submit that the average annual number of inmates in its institution, located at the above place, is in the neighborhood of about 215, and that the expenditures of the institution for 1901 are estimated at about \$33,000. At the present time there are in the said institution 198 inmates. It annually, and as frequently as requested, reports to the State Board of Charities, and refers to it, and an inspection is invited as to its character and condition. Homes of a like character, to wit, the Colored Home and the Peabody Home for Old People, have received a per capita appropriation, and this institution should receive the same. Heretofore the institution has only received an insignificant appropriation, to wit, \$250.

Very respectfully yours,

CHAS. STERNBACH, Treasurer.

No. 1605.

HEADQUARTERS NAVAL MILITIA, NEW YORK,
U. S. S. NEW HAMPSHIRE—OFF WHITESTONE, L. I.,
NEW YORK, August 27, 1900.

The President, Municipal Assembly, New York City:

SIR—I have the honor to forward herewith estimates of supplies, etc., required for the maintenance and repairs of the Armory and Headquarters of the Naval Militia, situated on board the U. S. S. "New Hampshire," also used as an Armory by the First Battalion, N. Y., for the year 1901.

Respectfully,

J. W. MILLER, Captain, N. M.

Estimate of Maintenance and Repairs for the Headquarters Naval Militia, S. N. Y., used as an Armory, for the year 1901.

50 tons coal.....	\$250 00
1 cord wood, 18 inches long.....	8 00
150 pounds signal balliards.....	6 00
4 pounds white lime.....	1 00
1 water cooler.....	2 00
6 folding chairs.....	3 00
6 gauge glasses.....	3 00
1 bolt No. 2 canvas.....	8 00
6 balls cotton twine.....	50
2 palms and needles.....	50

5 gallons bright varnish.....	\$1 00
15 gallons bright shellac.....	24 00
5 gallons wood alcohol.....	4 00
5 pounds varnish brushes.....	3 00
3 brooms.....	1 00
3 brushes.....	1 00
2 dustpans.....	50
6 galvanized fire-buckets.....	4 00
2 fire axes and brackets.....	4 00
2 lengths canvas hose, 2½-inch, 50 feet each.....	30 00
1 box Babbitt's soap.....	3 00
100 pounds soda.....	1 00
150 feet manila rope, 2-inch.....	4 00
200 feet manila rope, 1-inch.....	6 00
5 pounds silver aluminum.....	5 00
½ gross emery paper.....	2 50
½ gross sandpaper.....	1 50
5 lamps, wicks and globes.....	20 00
1 dozen sponges, large.....	6 00
1 dozen sponges, small.....	3 00
2 hose couplings, complete.....	4 00
50 pounds yellow paint.....	12 00
6 call bells.....	6 00
1 dry battery for same.....	1 00
250 feet portable wire.....	7 50
5 switches.....	2 50
250 feet No. 14 B. L. G. insulated wire.....	7 50
1 typewriter.....	60 00
2 bookcases, 1 small table for copying press, 3 small book shelves for rooms, 1 sign for headquarters office, 1 step-ladder.....	42 63
2 glass windows for large bookcases.....	8 00
1 dozen panes window glass, assorted.....	5 00
2 water breakers.....	5 00
10 tins ley.....	3 00
Total.....	\$570 63

HEADQUARTERS NAVAL MILITIA, NEW YORK,
U. S. S. NEW HAMPSHIRE, OFF WHITESTONE, L. I.,
August 28, 1900.

The President, Municipal Assembly, New York City:

SIR—The appropriations required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of these headquarters armory in and for the year 1901, are as under:

NAMES.	OFFICIAL TITLE.	SALARY PER MONTH.
Ernest N. Squire, 1 year.....	Armorer.....	\$80 00
Janar Avers, 6 months.....	Assistant Armorer.....	50 00
	6 months at.....	\$130 00
	6 months at.....	80 00
Total amount required.....		\$1,260 00

Respectfully,

J. W. MILLER, Captain, N. M.

No. 1605.

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

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with a request from the Comptroller under date of July 2, 1900, I would say that the salaries paid all officers, clerks and subordinates employed, according to the last pay-roll of my Court was as follows:

Stephen D. Stephens, County Judge and Surrogate, at the rate of \$5,000 per annum.
Thomas Keeney, Jr., Stenographer of County Court and Surrogate's Court, at the rate of \$1,700 per annum.
William Finley, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court, at the rate of \$2,000 per annum.
C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk in the Surrogate's Office, at the rate of \$1,500 per annum.
Joseph E. Mullins, Clerk in the Surrogate's Office, at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.
John Rooney, Court Crier and attendant of the County Court, Surrogate's Court and Supreme Court, at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.
For contingencies I was allowed \$500 for the year 1900.

I would respectfully ask on appropriation by your Honorable Board to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the County Court and Surrogate's Court of the County of Richmond for the ensuing year of 1901 as follows:

Salaries fixed by Law.

Stephen D. Stephens, County Judge and Surrogate.....	\$5,000 00
William Finley, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.....	3,000 00
Thomas Keeney, Jr., Stenographer.....	2,500 00
C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk in the Surrogate's Office.....	1,500 00
Joseph E. Mullins, Clerk in the Surrogates' Office.....	1,200 00
John Rooney, Court Crier and Attendant.....	1,200 00
For contingent expenses.....	500 00

The reasons I ask for the above increase in the amount of salaries are as follows:

The Clerk of the Surrogate's Court is entitled to receive a suitable compensation for his services, both as a matter of right, as he is a most experienced man, having been in his present position over eighteen years, and by comparison with the salaries paid in the other boroughs. He is the Clerk of a court of record, and the work performed by him is just as important as that by any other clerk of a court of record. In the boroughs of Manhattan and Kings many subordinate clerks receive as much and more than is now asked for him. In addition to his duties as Clerk of the Court he has also to act as Transfer Tax Clerk. In the Borough of Queens the Clerk receives \$3,000 and the transfer tax clerk \$1,500, making \$4,500 in all. Certainly the amount asked for Richmond, for both services, \$3,000, must be regarded not only as reasonable, but also just.

Thomas Keeney, Jr., the Stenographer of the County Court and Surrogate's Court, is one of the most competent men in his profession. He serves in two courts of record and his work is just as important as that performed by any other stenographer. I can find in the civil list no stenographer of any court of record in the Borough of Manhattan or Kings who receives less than the amount asked for him, whereas the majority of them receive \$3,000.

There will remain a small unexpended balance of the appropriation for contingencies for my Department for 1900, at the end of the year, but I am unable to state the probable amount.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN D. STEPHENS,
County Judge and Surrogate of Richmond County.

Appropriations made for the County Court and Surrogate's Court of Richmond County for the Year 1900.

Stephen D. Stephens, County Judge and Surrogate's salary.....	\$5,000 00
Thomas Keeney, Jr., Stenographer salary.....	1,700 00
William Finley, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court, salary.....	2,000 00
C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk in the Surrogate's Office, salary.....	1,500 00
Joseph E. Mullins, Clerk in the Surrogate's Office, salary.....	1,200 00
John Rooney, Court Crier and Attendant, salary.....	1,200 00
For contingent expenses.....	500 00

Amount of Appropriations asked for in the Departmental Estimate for the Year 1901.

Stephen D. Stephens, County Judge and Surrogate, salary.....	\$5,000 00
Thomas Keeney, Jr., Stenographer, salary.....	2,500 00
William Finley, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court, salary.....	3,000 00
C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk in the Surrogate's Office, salary.....	1,500 00
Joseph E. Mullins, Clerk in the Surrogate's Office, salary.....	1,200 00
John Rooney, Court Crier and Attendant, salary.....	1,200 00
For contingent expenses.....	500 00

No. 1607.
FIRST BATTERY, FIRST BRIGADE, N. G., N. Y.,
ARMORY, NO. 340 WEST FORTY-FOURTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 29, 1900.

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

SIR—In compliance with your circular of July 2, 1900, I have the honor to make the following return:

The following are the employees and their rate of pay: John G. Jansen, Armorer, No. 461 West Forty-ninth street, \$4 per day; Jacob Johannes, Jr., Janitor, No. 342 West Forty-fourth street, \$4 per day; William L. Fuchs, No. 335 West Forty-fourth street, Laborer, \$2 per day; Henry Diggelmann, No. 443 West Fortieth street, Laborer, \$2 per day. Total salary required for year 1901, \$4,380.

The following supplies are necessary and required for the year 1901:

1 telephone.....	\$125 00
1 safe (not furnished this year).....	200 00
1 oak table, 8 feet (not furnished last year).....	40 00
2 boxes Babbitt's soap.....	8 50
4 gross matches.....	1 50
1 box Sapolio.....	5 00
100 feet 4-ply rubber hose.....	10 00
50 yards roller toweling.....	5 50
2 dozen office towels.....	3 00
2 gross toilet paper.....	15 00
2 dozen scrubbing brushes.....	4 00
1 dozen lanterns (not furnished this year).....	5 00
2 dozen brooms.....	8 00
1 dozen whisk brooms.....	1 75
1 dozen feather dusters, 20-inch.....	14 00
1/2 dozen dust brushes.....	1 50
1/2 dozen gas torches.....	2 00
3 dozen boxes tapers.....	3 00
2 dozen chamois skins.....	18 00
3 dozen mops, cotton.....	6 00
1/2 dozen mop handles.....	1 50
1/2 dozen flat varnish brushes.....	1 50
1/2 dozen mop wringers.....	4 50
1 dozen snow shovels.....	6 50
1/2 dozen dust pans.....	1 25
1/2 dozen hair brooms, large.....	10 00
1 dozen shoe-polishing brushes.....	4 25
1/2 dozen shoe daubers.....	1 50
1 dozen spittoons, 8-inch, papier-mache.....	4 50
1 dozen floor scrubbers, handled.....	6 00
2 dozen scrub cloths.....	2 50
3 dozen toilet soap.....	3 00
1 dozen dandy brushes.....	4 00
20 gallons metal polish.....	35 00
20 gallons Miller's harness dressing.....	14 00
10 gallons Miller's harness oil.....	9 00
5 gallons ammonia.....	5 75
5 gallons alcohol.....	15 00
5 gallons benzine.....	1 25
10 gallons turpentine.....	6 50
12 tons coal, nut.....	57 00
1 cord kindling wood, sawed and split.....	10 00
200 pounds wrapping paper.....	10 00
10 pounds vaseline.....	3 00
300 pounds soda, sal.....	4 50
10 pounds sponges.....	31 00
50 pounds Castile soap, red, large bars.....	5 00
25 pounds cosmoline.....	6 00
200 pounds moth exterminator.....	24 00
2 barrels disinfectant.....	100 00
4 office letter baskets.....	1 50
2 office baskets, waste paper.....	1 00
1 extension ladder, 20-foot.....	7 00
1 dozen stable pails, wood.....	3 00
1 barrel Crown "A" soap.....	25 00
1 platform scale, 600 pounds.....	22 00
Tools for lathe.....	25 00
Total.....	\$949 25

Respectfully,
LOUIS WENDEL, Captain.

No. 1608.
CORONERS' OFFICE—CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF QUEENS,
JAMAICA, August 30, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Coroners, Borough of Queens, herewith submit to you the Departmental Estimate of the Coroners' Office, Borough of Queens, City of New York, for the year 1901:

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	APPROPRIATION FOR 1901.
Salaries of three Coroners, Philip T. Cronin, Samuel S. Guy, Jr., and Leonard Ruoff, Jr.....	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00
Salaries of three Coroners' Physicians, Dr. William H. Nammack, Dr. T. J. Flynn and Dr. Benjamin G. Strong.....	4,500 00	6,000 00
Salary of Coroners' Clerk, Charles J. Schneller.....	1,500 00	2,000 00
Salary of Coroners' Stenographer, Thomas J. Prendeville, Jr.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Expenses (railroad fares, carriage hire, room rent, clerk hire, incidentals and telephones), \$1,000 for each Coroner.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Chemical Analysis.....	500 00	500 00
Total.....	\$23,000 00	\$25,000 00

Respectfully submitted,
[SEAL] PHILIP T. CRONIN,
SAMUEL S. GUY, JR., } Board of Coroners,
LEONARD RUOFF, JR., } Borough of Queens.

No. 1609.
ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL—SISTERS OF THE POOR OF ST. FRANCIS,
HENRY STREET, BETWEEN CONGRESS AND WARREN STREETS,
BROOKLYN, August 30, 1900.

Clerk of the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

DEAR SIR: In response to your favor, asking for an appropriation of the amount which we believe should be appropriated, to pay for patients received by us and accepted by the Commissioner of Charities, we beg leave to request that the sum of about \$20,000 be appropriated, and base such request on the number of patients admitted and treated in the hospital and accepted by the Commissioner of Charities for the past six months of the year 1900, of which the following is a statement:

Patients in hospital January 1, 1900.....	187
Patients admitted January 1, 1900.....	276
Total.....	463
Patients paid for by City, Medical 149, 2,671 days.....	\$1,602 60
Patients paid for by City, Surgical 72, 1,389 days.....	1,111 20
Amount received.....	\$2,713 80
Total patients, 221.	

February 2 to 28, admitted 260 patients—	
Patients paid for by City, Medical 91, 1,710 days.....	\$1,026 00
Patients paid for by City, Surgical 44, 723 days.....	378 40
Amount received.....	\$1,604 40
Total patients, 135.	

March 1 to 31, admitted 301 patients—	
Patients paid for by the City, Medical 77, 1,448 days.....	\$868 80
Patients paid for by the City, Surgical 41, 806 days.....	644 80
Amount received.....	\$1,513 60
Total patients, 118.	

April 1 to 30, admitted 282 patients—	
Patients paid for by the City, Medical 73, 1,163 days.....	\$697 80
Patients paid for by the City, Surgical 44, 557 days.....	445 60
Amount received.....	\$1,143 40
Total patients, 117.	

May 1 to 31, admitted 290 patients—	
Patients paid for by the City, Medical 31, 543 days.....	\$325 80
Patients paid for by the City, Surgical 30, 503 days.....	402 40
Amount received.....	\$728 20
Total patients, 61.	

June 1 to 30, admitted 261 patients—	
Patients paid for by the City, Medical 26, 490 days.....	\$294 00
Patients paid for by the City, Surgical 27, 424 days.....	339 20
Amount received.....	\$633 20
Total patients, 53.	

July 1 to 31, admitted 274 patients—	
Patients paid for by the City, Medical 36, 453 days.....	\$271 80
Patients paid for by the City, Surgical 30, 301 days.....	240 80
Amount received.....	\$512 60
Total patients, 66.	

Of the foregoing patients admitted into the hospital there were, in no one month, pay patients exceeding 25, and some of these only paid a part for their board.

All of the other patients were charity patients, admitted, supported and treated without compensation from them or anyone for them. It will be seen from the foregoing that there were admitted to the hospital 2,131 patients from January 1, 1900, to July 31, 1900. Deducting from this 175 patients who paid something leaves a total of 1,956 patients who were treated without compensation, except that the City accepted and paid for 771, of which 483 were medical and 288 surgical patients, and who were treated and supported in the aggregate 13,181 days, and the hospital received, or is to receive, \$8,849.20 therefor.

Taking the figures as above set forth, if only the amount allowed to the hospital for the last six months for accepted patients is continued, if it can be so under the rules, to January 1, 1801, the hospital will be entitled, according to our approximation, to about a total sum of \$15,000 for the year 1900, if allowable, as we understand there is some restriction as to any additions to the amount appropriated last year, and we respectfully urge, without intending any criticism, that a larger number of patients should be accepted by the City than are now accepted, as it seems to us that the number has been gradually decreased so as to make the appropriation already made answer for the year 1900, whether the hospital has a larger number of patients than the amount appropriated will pay for and who are proper subjects for acceptance by the City or not. Of course this is a difference of opinion, maybe, between the Department and ourselves. We have no criticism to make as to the work of the Department, except that we feel that a larger number of patients should be accepted as a City charge; as we said before, we do not make this as a criticism but as an argument for an increased appropriation in case the Board of Estimate, in its wise judgment, should decide that our field of usefulness is entitled to as large an appropriation as we think should be made. In any case we feel that an appropriation equal to that of last year should be accorded.

Trusting this communication will be received simply as one written for information, and not as a complaint or criticism of any officer or Department, and thanking the various officers and departments for their kind and courteous treatment, we remain,

Yours respectfully,
SISTERS IN CHARGE OF ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

No. 1610.
OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF KINGS COUNTY,
COURT-HOUSE, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK,
August 30, 1900.

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

Pursuant to the request contained in your resolution of June 27, 1900, I beg to submit to you the following estimate of the amount required to pay the expenses of the Office of the Sheriff of Kings County for the year 1901:

For Maintenance of the Kings County Jail, Civil Prison and Women's Prison.....	\$80,000 00
For Salary of Physician of County Jail.....	2,000 00
For Transportation of Prisoners between Magistrates' Courts, Courts of Special Sessions and County Court.....	15,500 00
Total.....	\$97,500 00

The Office of the Sheriff of Kings County is a fee office. There are no clerks or other subordinates appointed by the Sheriff to be paid by the City. The charges for the Maintenance of the Jail consist of statutory fees. Bills are rendered and paid monthly. There are no special objects or purposes requiring special appropriations of specific sums. The estimate for the Maintenance of the Jail is \$8,000 less than the appropriation for the present year. Of the appropriation for 1900 for the Maintenance of the Jail there will probably remain unexpended at the end of the year \$10,000.

The Physician to the County Jail is appointed, and his salary is fixed by the Board of Supervisors under section 126 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff.

Comparative Statement of the Appropriations of 1900 and Estimate for 1901 for Office of Sheriff of Kings County.

Appropriation, 1900—	Estimate, 1901—
For Maintenance of Kings County Jail, Civil Prison and Women's Prison.....	For Maintenance of Kings County Jail, Civil Prison and Women's Prison.....
\$88,000 00	\$80,000 00
For Salary of Physician of County Jail.....	For Salary of Physician of County Jail.....
2,000 00	2,000 00
For Transportation of Prisoners between Magistrates' Courts, Courts of Special Sessions and County Court.....	For Transportation of Prisoners between Magistrates' Courts, Courts of Special Sessions and County Court.....
15,500 00	15,500 00
Total.....	Total.....
\$105,500 00	\$97,500 00

The only change in the estimate is in Maintenance of Jail, and that is \$8,000.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff of Kings County.

No. 1611.
ESTIMATE FOR JAMAICA HOSPITAL, 1901.
JAMAICA, September 1, 1900.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Manhattan, New York:

GENTLEMEN—We respectfully ask your Honorable Board to increase the appropriation to this institution from \$1,500 to \$2,000 for the ensuing year. We ask this as our present appropriation will be exhausted by the last of October.

We also would call your attention to the fact that the present rate of 60 cents per diem for medical and 80 cents per diem for surgical cases is inadequate for services rendered.

We also protest against not being paid for indigent patients who have not resided in the boroughs of Kings and Queens for one year, as instance a case where an unfortunate had not resided in this country for a year.

Another case of injustice we believe to exist in the refusal of the late Charity Commissioner to pay for inmates who are brought to this institution, cared for with medical and nurse service and sent or taken home the same day. We are justly entitled to a day's pay for the same.

Very respectfully yours,

MARY R. GALE, President.

No. 1612.

SACRED HEART ORPHAN ASYLUM RECEPTION HOUSE,
FORT WASHINGTON AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEETH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 3, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—We hereby make application to have children committed by the City to our institution, the Sacred Heart Orphan Asylum, West Park, N. Y., and respectfully request that provision should be made for the support of 100 children.

Last year we made a similar application but it was not presented on time. However, by mistake 27 children were committed by the City to our institution, for which we received no payment.

Hoping that you will take this into consideration and that we will meet with a favorable reply, we are,

Yours respectfully,

THE MISSIONARY SISTERS OF THE SACRED HEART,
Mother AGOSTINA CHIODINI, President.

No. 1613.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
FOURTH DISTRICT,
CORNER SECOND AVENUE AND FIRST STREET,
NEW YORK, September 1, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Herewith, in compliance with Comptroller's circular of July 2, 1900, an estimate in detail of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the business of the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Fourth District, Borough of Manhattan, for the year 1901:

George F. Roesch.....	Justice.....	\$6,000 00
John E. Lynch.....	Clerk.....	3,000 00
Lawrence Mulligan.....	Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00
Caleb H. Redfern.....	Stenographer.....	2,000 00
Joseph Roesch.....	Interpreter.....	1,200 00
.....	Attendant (in place of Francis McNicol, lately deceased).....	1,000 00
Joseph F. Blackgrove.....	Attendant.....	1,000 00
Emil Bayer.....	".....	1,000 00
Contingent Fund—For messenger service, filing Justices' return on appeal, actions removed to the City Court, cases transferred to other districts, and postage.....		100 00
Total.....		\$18,300 00

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. F. ROESCH, Justice.

JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.

No. 1614.

HARLEM DISPENSARY,
NO. 108 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 1, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment;
Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller of The City of New York; Honorable Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Replying to a communication under date of July 2, 1900, from Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller of The City of New York, and in accordance with the resolution passed at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on June 27, 1900, the Harlem Dispensary herewith transmits to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment its estimate of the amount required for the care and support of its patients in and for the year 1901, as provided by sections 230 and 240 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Physician-in-Chief.....	\$300 00
Apothecary.....	600 00
Out-door Visiting Physician.....	180 00
.....	\$1,080 00
Other Amounts.....	
For drugs.....	\$450 00
Sundry supplies.....	100 00
Fuel and light.....	200 00
Printing and stationery.....	75 00
Interest on mortgage.....	750 00
Maintenance and repairs to building.....	150 00
Postage, etc.....	10 00
.....	1,735 00
Total.....	\$2,815 00
The estimated income of the institution for the year 1901 is as follows:	
From prescriptions.....	\$750 00
From subscriptions and donations.....	350 00
From interest.....	150 00
.....	1,250 00

—which, deducted from the total as hereinbefore shown, leaves an amount required as above stated of.....

\$1,565 00

Respectfully,

GEO. H. COREY, Treasurer.

No. 1615.

HEADQUARTERS SECOND BATTALION, N. M., N. Y.,
FOOT OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, BROOKLYN, N. Y.,
BROOKLYN, August 29, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I hand you herewith abstract of resolution intended to cover the wage account of the Second Naval Battalion for the year 1901.

This application for the continuance of compensation is based on sections 141 and 142, chapter 212, Laws of 1898, approved April 2, 1898.

Respectfully,

R. P. FORSHEW, Commander, Second Battalion, N. M., N. Y.

HEADQUARTERS SECOND BATTALION, N. M., N. Y.,
FOOT OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, BROOKLYN, N. Y.,
BROOKLYN, August 29, 1900.

Commander R. P. FORSHEW, Second Battalion, N. M., N. Y.

SIR—Pursuant to special orders, dated August 25, I beg to advise that I have measured the superficial area in ground, deck and armory space cared for and under the supervision of the employees of the Second Battalion, N. M., N. Y.:

Drill grounds and platforms, exclusive of buildings.....	Square feet. 69,300
Boat-house (three floors).....	9,100
Headquarters' cottage (two floors).....	2,800
Deck space of U. S. S. "Aileen," steam launch "Brooklyn," naphtha launch, sailing and rowing cutters, whale boats and gigs.....	5,600
Total.....	86,800

In addition to the above the water space for which we are responsible aggregates 15,000 feet, being 100 by 150 feet, immediately contiguous to the boat-house and the stagings.

Respectfully,

T. S. LANGTHORN, Ensign, Fourth Division,
Detailed as Engineering Officer, Second Battalion, N. M., N. Y.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the employment by the Commander of the Second Battalion, Naval Militia, New York, of so many employees as may be provided for out of an appropriation of seventy-three hundred dollars (\$7,300), which is hereby made for that purpose, at such rates of compensation as may be determined upon by said Commander of the Second Naval Battalion, Naval Militia, New York, provided, however, that such rates of compensation shall not exceed the amounts provided for in the Military Code.

No. 1616.

THE BROOKLYN E. D. DISPENSARY AND HOSPITAL,
NOS. 106 TO 112 SOUTH THIRD STREET,
BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 31, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—On behalf of this institution I, the undersigned, President, respectfully submit the following estimate of expenses of this institution for the year 1901:

For Hospital.

House supplies.....	\$4,500 00
Instruments, surgical dressings, medicines.....	1,300 00
Fuel and light.....	800 00
Stationery and printing.....	100 00
Ordinary repairs.....	400 00
Telephone service.....	150 00
Insurance.....	125 00
Ambulance service.....	1,600 00
Permanent improvements, including new elevator.....	2,500 00
Sundries.....	250 00
Salaries—	
Superintendent.....	\$600 00
Supervising Nurse.....	600 00
3 Nurses.....	540 00
1 Orderly.....	180 00
2 Night Nurses.....	432 00
1 Cook.....	300 00
1 Helper.....	192 00
1 Laundress.....	240 00
1 Engineer.....	750 00
1 Janitor.....	180 00
1 Scrubwoman.....	132 00
.....	4,146 00
Total.....	\$15,871 00

For Dispensary.

Medicines, instruments, dressings, etc.....	\$900 00
Fuel and light.....	400 00
Stationery and printing.....	60 00
Sundries.....	50 00
Salaries—	
1 Registrar.....	\$600 00
1 Matron.....	300 00
1 Janitor.....	120 00
1 Nurse.....	180 00
.....	1,200 00
Total.....	\$2,610 00

I beg to call attention to the fact that we did not receive any money for the dispensary department during 1900, owing to an error having occurred in the forming of last year's estimate. We never have had a separate account for the dispensary department, and having given the entire estimate for dispensary and hospital combined, your Board made no division between the two and in consequence we were only allowed to draw against the amount set aside for us for patients actually admitted to the hospital. Your attention has been called to this fact several times, but without avail. However, the hope has been held out to us that we may get the difference allowed to us this coming year.

Trusting such will be the fact, I remain,

Yours respectfully,

JAMES F. BENDERNAGEL, President.

No. 1617.

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

The following is a true and correct estimate of the expenditures for the year 1901, of the German Evangelical Aid Society of the City of Brooklyn, New York, for the maintenance of its Home for the Aged, on Chauncey street, near Broadway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City and State of New York:

The said institution is commonly known as the German Evangelical Home for the Aged, and is maintained by the German Evangelical Aid Society of the City of Brooklyn, which is a corporation organized under and pursuant to the Laws of the State of New York.

Breadstuffs.....	\$1,144 22
Butchers' bills.....	2,526 52
Groceries.....	3,857 96
Milk.....	700 00
Coal, gas and ice.....	1,620 78
Medicine.....	289 33
Dry goods and utensils.....	510 09
Funeral expenses.....	1,187 00
Fire insurance.....	367 36
Plumbers' bills.....	557 14
Painters' bills.....	304 27
Wagon and blacksmith.....	169 30
Feed and straw.....	544 97
Farm expenses.....	45 83
Interest.....	1,508 00
Salaries.....	2,532 00
Rent.....	300 00
Sundry expenses.....	425 39
Total expenses.....	\$18,896 16

Present number of inmates.....

275

We respectfully refer to section 230 of the Charter of The City of New York, as amended by chapter 196, Laws of New York, 1899.

Dated SEPTEMBER 1, 1900.

Respectfully submitted,

DORA STREUBEL, Treasurer.

No. 1618.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS, FIRST DIVISION.

Statement of Appropriation Necessary for the City Magistrates' Courts of the First Division of The City of New York.

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES FOR 1900.	SALARIES FOR 1901.	INCREASE.
Henry A. Brann.....	City Magistrate.....	\$7,000 00	\$7,000 00	.....
Robert C. Cornell.....	".....	7,000 00	7,000 00	.....
Leroy B. Crane.....	".....	7,000 00	7,000 00	.....
Joseph M. Deuel.....	".....	7,000 00	7,000 00	.....
Charles A. Flammer.....	".....	7,000 00	7,000 00	.....
Clarence W. Meade.....	".....	7,000 00	7,000 00	.....
Willard H. Olmsted.....	".....	7,000 00	7,000 00	.....
John O. Mott.....	".....	7,000 00	7,000 00	.....
Joseph Pool.....	".....	7,000 00	7,000 00	.....
John B. Mayo.....	".....	6,000 00	6,000 00	.....

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES FOR 1900.	SALARIES FOR 1901.	INCREASE.
Edward Hogan.....	City Magistrate.....	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00	.....
Lorenz Zeller.....	".....	6,000 00	6,000 00	.....
Philip Bloch.....	Secretary.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
".....	Police Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....
Eben Demarest.....	".....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....
Courtney N. Kennelly.....	".....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....
Henry P. Lewis.....	".....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....
James McCabe.....	".....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....
Moses McKee.....	".....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....
Ludwig F. Thoma.....	".....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....
Charles A. Adams.....	Police Clerks' Assistant.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Charles Anthes.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Edgar J. Bird.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Thomas A. Church.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
George W. Cregier.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
David Chrocheron.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
William G. Davis.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
James E. Doran.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
James G. Dyer.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Martin O. Galvin.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Nathan Klein.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Harry Merz.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
J. Sherman Moulton.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Thomas W. Murray.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Daniel P. Sullivan.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Samuel Williamson.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Albert G. Wilson.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Arthur Erdofy.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
John H. Andrews.....	Stenographer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Edmund H. Cole.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Edmund T. Davis.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Waterman L. Ormsby, Jr.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
Michael J. Treacy.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
William Chilvers.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
".....	Additional Stenographer for Sixth District.....	.....	2,000 00	\$2,000 00
Bernard Here.....	Interpreter.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Emil Kunzli.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Marc Moustaki.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Maurice Schwarz.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Fred Weil.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
Arnold Krivulin.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
George LeMon.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
".....	Additional Interpreter for Sixth District.....	.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Simon Klapper.....	Attendant.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
".....	".....
Contingent Fund.....	".....	500 00	1,000 00	500 00
Total.....	".....	\$159,700 00	\$163,700 00	\$4,000 00

Note—The increase in the contingent fund asked for is to cover items of expenditures not provided for in the year 1900.

An increase of \$3,500 is asked on Salary Account. This is to enable the Board of Magistrates to procure a Stenographer and an Interpreter for the Sixth District Court, which transacts the entire criminal business for the Borough of The Bronx.

JOSEPH M. DEUEL, President.

PHILIP BLOCH, Secretary.

No. 1619.

THE CHURCH CHARITY FOUNDATION OF LONG ISLAND,
OFFICE IN ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, ATLANTIC AND ALBANY AVENUES,
BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, September 3, 1900.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with your request of date July 2, 1900, I now respectfully submit an estimate of the amount required for the care and support of the inmates of the institution, as provided by law, in and for the year 1901.

This institution has five departments and one sub-department, all under one charter and administration. These are as follows: St. John's Hospital and Order of Trained Nurses, the Home for the Aged, the Orphan House, the Orphans' Press, the Home for the Blind.

The following is our estimate of total expenditure:

St. John's Hospital and Order of Trained Nurses.....	\$28,000 00
Orphan House.....	11,500 00
Home for the Aged.....	9,500 00
Sisters' House.....	1,400 00
Orphans' Press.....	9,000 00
Home for the Blind.....	5,000 00
Expenses of administration.....	5,000 00
Total.....	\$69,400 00

It may be proper to here remark that the work of these departments is substantially the same as last year, except that the Atlantic Avenue Dispensary has been discontinued for the present.

In 1899 the institute cared for the following number of needy persons the stated number of days:

St. John's Hospital, 950 persons, 19,678 days.
Home for the Aged, 44 persons, 14,977 days.
Orphan House and Orphan's Press, 97 persons, 31,765 days.
Home for the Blind, 13 persons, 4,735 days.

These institutions have been accustomed to receive appropriations from The City of New York, in which they are located, except that in the year 1900 nothing was received on account of the Orphans' Press, and that no City money was received for St. John's Hospital after June 1, 1900, except for certain patients received into the hospital before that date.

We respectfully ask that in the year 1900 appropriations be made by your Honorable Body to several of these institutions in the following sums:

Home for the Aged, 50 inmates, same amount as given in 1899.....	\$820 93
Home for the Blind, for care of 12 of the inmates at the rate of \$110 a year.....	1,320 00
Orphan House, for care of 50 inmates at the rate of \$2 a week.....	5,700 00
Total.....	\$7,840 93

We understand that the appropriation for the school system of the Orphan House is made by the Board of Education. If made by your Honorable Board we would ask that the usual amount, \$2,300, be granted, making the total appropriation \$10,140.93.

I have the honor to be, with great respect,

Very truly yours,

ALBERT C. BUNN, Rector of the Church Charity Foundation.

No. 1620.

BROOKLYN CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY,
No. 61 POPLAR STREET (BRANCH No. 139 VAN BRUNT STREET),
OFFICE OF THE GENERAL SECRETARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, City Hall, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I am directed by the Board of Trustees of the Brooklyn Children's Aid Society to send you inclosed estimate for the year 1901, and ask your favorable consideration of the same.

Sincerely yours,

FRANCIS H. WHITE, General Secretary.

ESTIMATE FOR CITY APPROPRIATION, 1901.

The Brooklyn Children's Aid Society.

For the care and maintenance of inmates accepted by the Department of Public Charities as proper charges against the City Treasury, to wit: Shelter Department—For infants under two years of age, at the rate of 38 cents per day; for dependent children (other than infants under two years of age), at the rate of \$2 per week; for children under the age of 13 years, "placed out" with families, at the rate of \$20 each. Seaside Home—For infants under two years of age, at the rate of 38 cents per day; for children (other than infants under two years of age), at the rate of \$2 per week; for mothers accompanying and caring for children, at the rate of \$12 per month. Workingboys' Home—For homeless boys cared for in the Workingboys' Home, at the rate of \$50 per annum—\$27,816.

NOTES ON THE ESTIMATE OF BROOKLYN CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY FOR THE YEAR 1901.

Shelter Department.

1st. The larger part of the children placed in our care are boarded with private families, instead of being kept in an institution. This method is strongly commended by many persons experienced in caring for dependent children and has justified itself by results.

2d. Children are willingly received for short commitments, and parents and relatives are encouraged to take children home as soon as possible.

3d. When the children's own homes cannot be re-established, we endeavor to find free homes or adoptive homes for them, if parents will consent, thus relieving City of burden of support and giving children a better-chance in life.

Estimated number—

100 52½ weeks' board for each child, \$2 per week.....	\$10,428 00
50 "placed out" in free or adoptive homes, \$20 each.....	1,000 00

Total.....\$11,428 00

Seaside Home.

Children under seven, ill with diseases incident to summer, are sent, after medical examination, to the Seaside Home at Coney Island. Mothers accompany and care for the children. Sometimes only one of the family has an acute attack, but usually all are in need of constitutional or other treatment. Families are sent when unable to pay their way at a seaside resort.

City aid is asked only for those approved by the Department of Charities. Other families will be sent as heretofore. Private subscriptions will be relied on to supplement public aid.

This is the only Brooklyn seaside hospital or home and believed to be the oldest in the country. No rejections are made on account of religion or nationality. Illness and need are the only tests.

The home can care for about 500 inmates at a time and is well equipped for the treatment of summer diseases. The medical staff is composed of eminent specialists in children's diseases, a resident physician and trained nurses.

Estimated number—

1,800 children under two years of age, one week each, at 38 cents per day.....	\$4,788 00
2,700 children over two years, one week each, at \$2 per week.....	5,400 00
1,500 mothers accompanying and caring for children, at the rate of 40 cents per day or \$12 per month.....	4,200 00

Total.....\$14,388 00

Workingboys' Home (formerly called Newsboys' Home).

This is situated at No. 61 Poplar street, Brooklyn, and is intended for the care of homeless boys. When they are able to pay, 10 cents per day is charged, which entitles them to lodging, two meals, plain laundering, privileges of baths, gymnasium, reading room, evening school and entertainments.

Country homes are found for a number of the boys who seek refuge at this place, and situations in stores and factories are obtained for others. As soon as they become self-supporting, the boys are urged and encouraged to secure board in private families.

Estimated number—40, at \$50 per annum.....\$2,000 00

No. 1621.

NEW YORK MOTHERS' HOME OF THE SISTERS OF MISERICORDE,
No. 531 EAST EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, August 30, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

HONORABLE GENTLEMEN—The "New York Mothers' Home of the Sisters of Misericorde," a corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of New York and located in this city, the objects of which are to provide and maintain maternity hospitals and asylums for children, respectfully submit their estimate for the coming year 1901.

The daily average of needy mothers during the year has been about sixty (60), of which twenty to twenty-five are nursing mothers. The average of children, about fifty (50); of those, twenty (20) so far have been approved by the Department of Public Charities.

In receiving patients no discrimination is made in regard to color, nationality or religion.

To provide for twenty-five nursing mothers for one year, at \$12 per month, will require \$3,600; for the same number of children under two years, at 38 cents per day, \$3,467.50, making a total of \$7,067.50, which we respectfully submit to your kind consideration.

Trusting that you will present our application for an allowance of the above-mentioned amount (\$7,067.50) from the City, and that it may go before the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment with your indorsement, and with sincere thanks for past attention, we are, honorable gentlemen,

Respectfully yours,

SISTERS OF MISERICORDE,
Sr. ST. HELENE, Supr. and Directress.

No. 1622.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS,
ROOMS 104, 105, 114, 115, 117 AND 119,
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, August 28, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—In conformity with the Comptroller's circular, dated July 2, 1900, we transmit herewith our Departmental Estimate for the year 1901:

We respectfully ask that the amount to be appropriated for the year 1901 be the same as was appropriated for the years 1898 and 1899, which was \$160,000, instead of \$156,000, as was appropriated for the year 1900.

This amount of \$160,000 for the year 1901 is asked for in order to enable us, as requested by your Honor, to carry a surplus sufficient to meet the "Incidental Expenses" of any "Special Examinations" (such as the Board of Education Examinations recently made by us), and as may hereafter be directed to be made by your Honor by virtue of section 119 of the Charter.

The amount which will probably be unexpended from the appropriation of 1900 at the end of this year will be about \$3,000.

The unexpended balance for the year 1899 is \$3,167.28.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. HERTLE,
EDWARD OWEN,
Commissioners of Accounts.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE, COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Statement Showing the Salaries now Paid to Officers and Employees for the Year 1900 and the Salaries Proposed to be Paid during 1901.

NAME.	OFFICIAL TITLE.	SALARY, 1900.	PROPOSED SALARY, 1901.
John C. Hertle.....	Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Edward Owen.....	".....	5,000 00	5,000 00
John L. M. Allen.....	Chief Clerk.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
Otto H. Klein.....	Engineer.....	3,600 00	3,600 00
Wood D. Loudoun.....	Examiner.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
Frank P. White.....	".....	2,600 00	2,600 00
John W. Booth.....	".....	2,600 00	2,600 00

NAME.	OFFICIAL TITLE.	SALARY, 1900.	PROPOSED SALARY, 1901.
Walter L. Dusenberry.....	Engineer.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00
Wm. A. Brown.....	Examiner.....	2,200 00	2,200 00
James Shankland.....	".....	2,200 00	2,200 00
Steph F. Peckham.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Mathew H. Murray.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Wm. J. Bell.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Felix Warley.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Lewis B. Hubbard.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Edward F. Boyle.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Thomas B. Carpenter.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Henry C. Albert.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
John B. Kavanagh.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Thomas J. Nugent.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Thomas W. Duane.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Edward H. Hayes.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
John C. Fitzgerald.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Eugene Shepard.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Henry F. Shields.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
John N. Cutwater, Jr.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
John F. Muldoon.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Rudolph Holde.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Charles Welde, Jr.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Thomas J. McFall.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Emanuel Rosenberger.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
William H. Clapp.....	Stenographer.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Charisian M. Seibert.....	Examiner.....	1,700 00	1,700 00
Theodore A. Drake.....	".....	1,640 00	1,640 00
Frederick A. Davis.....	".....	1,640 00	1,640 00
William D. Kaufman.....	".....	1,640 00	1,640 00
Charles D. Schenck.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John A. J. Maass.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Peter J. McGowan.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Edward S. Connell.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Charles H. Galway.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John W. Kennedy.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Phillip Lindeman.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Arthur J. Tracy.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
James T. Curtin.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John J. Daly.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Garrick A. Boyle.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John T. McCaffery.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
James McGinley.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Charles H. Rice.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Phillip Markey.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
James N. Morris.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
James A. Smith.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
James Owens.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
James A. McClosky.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Morris Manheimer.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
James J. Kettle.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Robert M. Dore.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Jos. A. Fitzpatrick.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Harry Gordon Lynn.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Kenyon Fortescue.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Walter B. Gormley.....	Engineer.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Jas. Fitzsimmons.....	Examiner.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Jer. D. McCarthy.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
George B. Wheeler.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
George W. Waters.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Samuel Maas.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Francis X. McQuade.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John P. Schussler.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Bernard Galligan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
George C. Raines.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Wm. A. Walls.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Albert Ebner Walker.....	Stenographer.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Simeon H. Brown.....	Sounder.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Henry H. Meyborg.....	Examiner.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Richard H. Treacy.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Richard J. Coyne.....	Laborer.....	720 00	720 00
Abia B. Thorn.....	Temporary Act.....	2,200 00	2,200 00
Jos. S. Weeks.....	".....	1,640 00	1,640 00
Wm. E. McFadden.....	Assistant Examiner.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
Total.....		\$143,580 00	\$143,580 00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Office of the Commissioners of Accounts.

	APPROPRIA- TION 1900.	TRANSFERS.		FINAL AMOUNT FOR 1900.	DEPART- MENTAL ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
		Additions.	Deductions.		
Salaries of two (2) Commissioners, at \$5,000 each.....	\$10,000 00				
Salaries of employees and contingencies.....	146,000 00				
Total.....	\$156,000 00			\$156,000 00	\$160,000 00

No. 1623.

NEW YORK FREE CIRCULATING LIBRARY.

ESTIMATE FOR 1901.

NEW YORK, September 1, 1900.

To Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President, Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

Of the appropriation of \$61,500 for the year there have been expended during the eight months ending August 31 amounts as shown in the following table, which gives also an estimate of the expenses for the remaining four months:

	ACTUAL EXPENSES, JANUARY TO AUGUST.	ESTIMATED EXPENSES, SEPTEMBER TO DECEMBER.	TOTAL FOR YEAR 1900.
Books, papers and periodicals.....	\$7,797 11	\$6,000 00	\$13,797 11
Bindery.....	2,795 00	1,500 00	4,295 00
Repairs and furnishing.....	1,647 39	500 00	2,147 39
Heat.....	547 14	700 00	1,247 14
Light.....	1,170 00	1,500 00	2,670 00
Water.....	92 84	25 00	117 84
Rent.....	4,321 33	3,000 00	7,321 33
Telephones.....	295 21	180 00	475 21
Insurance.....	20 42	350 00	370 42

	ACTUAL EXPENSES, JANUARY TO AUGUST.	ESTIMATED EXPENSES, SEPTEMBER TO DECEMBER.	TOTAL FOR YEAR 1900.
Salaries.....	\$31,030 68	\$15,893 32	\$46,924 00
Supplies and administration.....	5,294 17	3,500 00	8,794 17
Cataloguing.....	1,260 19	1,500 00	2,760 19
Total.....	\$56,271 48	\$34,648 32	\$90,919 80

* Including salaries of six employees, see Pay-roll.
† Including salaries of four employees, see Pay-roll.

The total, it will be noticed, exceeds the appropriation by \$29,419.80.

This excess will be fully made up from the income of the society, amounting this year to about \$14,000, derived from interest on invested funds, voluntary annual contributions, State appropriation and fines; also from a legacy of \$11,250 received from the Proudfoot estate, without restrictions, and from \$5,500 realized in response to a special appeal made to friends of the society for funds to meet the year's deficiency, making a total of \$30,750.

It should be noted that the annual income of the society from the above-named sources, excepting bequests and donations, has not exceeded \$15,500 for any one year during the past three years.

The estimated expenses for the year 1901, including the cost of establishing and maintaining at least five delivery stations (in lieu of fully equipped branches), the greatly increased expense incident to the increase of circulation and to contemplated improvement in methods and plant are as follows:

	Estimate Expenses for 1901.
Books, papers, periodicals.....	\$25,000 00
Bindery.....	5,000 00
Repairs and furnishing.....	5,000 00
Heat.....	1,500 00
Light.....	3,000 00
Water.....	125 00
Rent.....	8,500 00
Telephones.....	500 00
Insurance.....	500 00
Salaries.....	50,440 00
Supplies and administration.....	10,000 00
Cataloguing.....	4,000 00
Total.....	\$113,565 00

Of this sum we ask from the City \$100,000, instead of \$160,000, the amount allowed by law on our certified circulation of 1,600,700 volumes as per certificates issued by the Regents, and forwarded to the Mayor as Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900.

Respectfully yours,

J. FRED. MCKERNOCHAN,
President of the New York Free Circulating Library.

PAY-ROLL.

NAME.	POSITION.	1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
<i>General.</i>			
J. N. Wing.....	Chief Librarian.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00
A. A. Ives.....	Assistant Secretary.....	840 00	840 00
L. H. Freckman.....	General Assistant.....	600 00	600 00
M. Eichenauer.....	Stenographer.....	396 00	396 00
J. McManus.....	Office Boy.....	360 00	360 00
<i>Cataloguing Department.</i>			
E. F. Cragin.....	Cataloguer.....	840 00	840 00
H. Hillebrand.....	Assistant Cataloguer.....	540 00	540 00
A. Bunting.....	".....	396 00	420 00
E. Perkins.....	".....	360 00	396 00
<i>Bindery.</i>			
F. Schroeder.....	Binder.....	780 00	780 00
J. Kraiss.....	Assistant Binder.....	540 00	540 00
A. Haas.....	".....	420 00	420 00
S. Speyer.....	".....	420 00	420 00
E. Speyer.....	".....	300 00	300 00
J. Kaiser.....	".....	240 00	240 00
<i>Bond Street Branch.</i>			
M. C. Saxer.....	Librarian.....	720 00	720 00
A. Slater.....	Assistant Librarian.....	540 00	540 00
E. L. F. Snyder.....	".....	480 00	516 00
N. Winsor.....	".....	396 00	420 00
M. A. Benjis.....	".....	348 00	360 00
J. Carroll.....	".....	180 00	180 00
M. A. Saliski.....	Substitute, 3 months.....	60 00	60 00
M. A. Grannis.....	".....	60 00	60 00
G. J. Roessler.....	R. R. Assistant.....	360 00	360 00
S. Bowler.....	Janitor.....	480 00	480 00
<i>Ottendorfer Branch.</i>			
H. M. Goeks.....	Librarian.....	660 00	720 00
K. M. Meyer.....	Assistant Librarian.....	540 00	540 00
F. Overton.....	".....	480 00	516 00
M. R. Hessler.....	".....	420 00	420 00
A. Steidler.....	".....	420 00	420 00
J. F. Schoonmaker.....	".....	480 00	516 00
G. Tietze.....	".....	360 00	396 00
K. L. Roberts.....	".....	360 00	396 00
M. J. Gibson.....	".....	348 00	360 00
R. Keller.....	".....	216 00	216 00
A. E. Lighthipe.....	Substitute, 3 months.....	60 00	60 00
O. Byrne.....	".....	60 00	60 00
S. H. Kemp.....	R. R. Assistant.....	360 00	360 00
G. Wagner.....	Janitor.....	480 00	480 00
<i>George Bruce Branch.</i>			
I. de Treville.....	Librarian.....	720 00	720 00
A. Danckwerth.....	Assistant Librarian.....	540 00	540 00
L. Goldthwaite.....	".....	480 00	516 00
C. Meade.....	".....	480 00	516 00
N. Hunt.....	".....	480 00	516 00
M. Conrad.....	".....	480 00	516 00
J. B. Hunter.....	".....	420 00	420 00
M. McKeon.....	".....	420 00	420 00
J. J. Chasse.....	Janitor.....	480 00	480 00
<i>Jackson Square Branch.</i>			
E. C. Thayer.....	Librarian.....	660 00	720 00
J. C. Leonard.....	Assistant Librarian.....	540 00	540 00
H. F. MacGuire.....	".....	480 00	516 00
M. Boggan.....	".....	480 00	516 00

NAME.	POSITION.	1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
A. Martin	Assistant Librarian	\$480 00	\$516 00
A. M. Bauer	"	348 00	396 00
G. E. Seabury	Substitute, 3 months	60 00	60 00
M. Lynde	R. R. Assistant	420 00	420 00
A. Smith	Janitor	480 00	480 00
<i>Harlem Branch.</i>			
A. H. Brown	Librarian	720 00	720 00
L. Q. Tobey	Assistant Librarian	480 00	516 00
J. L. McIvers	"	420 00	420 00
F. F. Edmondson	"	360 00	396 00
C. E. Whitney	"	348 00	360 00
W. W. Geety	"	180 00	180 00
G. Reynolds	Substitute, 3 months	60 00	60 00
H. M. Palmer	"	60 00	60 00
J. Deninger	Janitor	480 00	480 00
<i>Muhlenberg Branch.</i>			
E. R. Andrews	Librarian	660 00	720 00
F. Foote	Assistant Librarian	516 00	540 00
N. E. Plummer	"	480 00	516 00
M. Wegman	"	420 00	420 00
C. Luther	"	396 00	420 00
W. Lowe	R. R. Assistant	360 00	360 00
E. W. Page	Substitute, 3 months	60 00	60 00
L. Loghry	"	60 00	60 00
<i>Bloomington Branch.</i>			
E. Krauss	Librarian	720 00	720 00
E. H. Tobey	Assistant Librarian	540 00	540 00
I. B. Lowther	"	480 00	516 00
E. Gallaher	"	480 00	516 00
L. L. Blazier	"	420 00	420 00
R. K. Lindsay	"	420 00	420 00
L. L. Jennings	"	360 00	396 00
B. Fyles	"	360 00	396 00
N. Kramer	R. R. Assistant	180 00	180 00
L. Rolleston	Janitor	480 00	480 00
<i>Riverside Branch.</i>			
K. Kaufman	Librarian	840 00	840 00
M. D. Pretlow	Assistant Librarian	516 00	540 00
F. N. Ritch	"	300 00	300 00
M. Herbert	Substitute, 3 months	60 00	60 00
A. Bilderssee	"	60 00	60 00
<i>Traveling Department.</i>			
A. E. Brown	Librarian	720 00	720 00
C. L. Low	Assistant Librarian	540 00	540 00
L. Bogardus	"	360 00	396 00
E. Roede	"	216 00	216 00
<i>Yorkville Branch.</i>			
E. M. Sauer	Librarian	720 00	720 00
M. E. Grimm	Assistant Librarian	540 00	540 00
M. E. Mills	"	540 00	540 00
F. Herrman	"	480 00	516 00
E. M. Browning	"	420 00	420 00
O. Anderson	"	396 00	420 00
T. Diemer	"	348 00	360 00
E. Tibbs	"	348 00	360 00
A. R. Johnston	"	120 00	120 00
<i>Thirty-fourth Street Branch.</i>			
L. B. Bohmert	Librarian	660 00	720 00
F. Taylor	Assistant Librarian	540 00	540 00
M. Leonard	"	480 00	516 00
G. Thompson	"	348 00	360 00
J. M. White	Substitute, 3 months	60 00	60 00
E. C. Lyons	"	60 00	60 00
A. R. Johnston	Janitor	480 00	480 00
<i>Chatham Square Branch.</i>			
H. M. Steinberger	Librarian	720 00	720 00
E. Grunenthal	Assistant Librarian	540 00	540 00
L. Jude	"	420 00	420 00
L. Krahe	"	396 00	420 00
G. Anderson	"	360 00	396 00
E. Greaves	"	360 00	396 00
G. Kilbourne	"	348 00	360 00
C. D. Ward	"	360 00	396 00
M. E. McGregor	Substitute 3 months	60 00	60 00
M. Sherrin	"	60 00	60 00
D. Heyl	Assistant	156 00	156 00
G. Wagner	Janitor	480 00	480 00
		\$51,820 00	\$53,296 00
5 new Assistants, at \$420, to be employed in connection with the establishment of Delivery Stations.			2,100 00
Total			\$55,396 00

No. 1624.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
September 4, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I am directed by the Mayor to transmit to you herewith inclosed copy of annual estimate and report of the Mount Sinai Hospital addressed to the Municipal Assembly, which was received at this office, together with a similar communication and report addressed to the Mayor.

Very respectfully yours,

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Secretary to the Mayor.

THE MOUNT SINAI HOSPITAL,
LEXINGTON AVENUE AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly, New York City:

DEAR SIR—We beg to send herein inclosed a statement of the work done by the Mount Sinai Hospital for the year ending August 31, 1900, in connection with the treatment of the needy and charity patients who have occupied beds in this institution.

This communication is sent to you pursuant to a request of the Department of Finance, dated July 2, and in conformity with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Thanking you for your courtesy, and appreciating your past kind acts in our behalf, we beg to remain

Very truly yours,

DAVID WILE, Acting President.

THE MOUNT SINAI HOSPITAL,
LEXINGTON AVENUE AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The Mount Sinai Hospital respectfully makes the following statement to your Honorable Board:

That the Mount Sinai Hospital is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New York, and maintains in The City of New York the Mount Sinai Hospital, and that by chapter 719 of the Laws of 1897, entitled "An Act to amend chapter 410 of the Laws of 1892, entitled 'An Act to consolidate into one act, and to declare special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York,' and the acts amendatory thereof in relation to Mount Sinai Hospital," and chapter 196 of the Laws of 1899, the said Mount Sinai Hospital is entitled to receive an allotment for part of the cost of board, nursing, medical and surgical treatment and attendance, sixty cents per diem for each medical case and eighty cents per diem for each surgical case, for each needy and charity patient who occupied a bed in the Mount Sinai Hospital, and who receives such care, support and maintenance.

That for the year ending August 31, 1900, the said Mount Sinai Hospital has given 63,024 days of free hospital treatment, that upon such basis the number of days of free hospital treatment for the year ending December 31, 1901, would be 65,000, more or less, and that under the provisions of said acts the said Mount Sinai Hospital will be entitled to receive, at an average of seventy cents per diem, an allotment of your Honorable Board of the sum of \$35,000, or more; that the number of days of free hospital treatment as herein stated is made up from the accounts which are kept in the said Mount Sinai Hospital.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH L. SCHERER,
Assistant Secretary of the Mount Sinai Hospital.

City and County of New York:

Joseph L. Scherer, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is the Assistant Secretary of the Mount Sinai Hospital, the corporation mentioned herein, that he has read the foregoing statement and has affixed his name thereto as the Assistant Secretary of the said Mount Sinai Hospital, and that he knows the facts herein stated to be true, that the number of free days of hospital treatment mentioned herein is made up from the accounts which are kept in the said Mount Sinai Hospital.

JOSEPH L. SCHERER.

Sworn to before me this 1st day of September, 1900.

JAMES J. McLARNEY,
Notary Public 35, New York County.

No. 1625.

SECOND SIGNAL CORPS, N. G., N. Y. }
ARMORY, No. 801 DEAN STREET,
BROOKLYN, August 31, 1900.

The Municipal Assembly, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor, in accordance with the letter of the Comptroller dated July 2, 1900, to transmit to you herewith—

1. Estimate of expenses for salaries of armory employees for 1901.
2. Copy of requisition addressed to the Armory Board for supplies and repairs for the year 1901.

Respectfully,

P. ANTHONY BROCK, First Lieutenant, Commanding.

Estimate of Expenses for Salaries of Armory Employees for the Year ending December 31, 1901.

NAME.	TITLE.	TIME.	RATE PER DIEM.	TOTAL.	AMOUNT PAID IN 1900.
		Days.			
A. H. Davison	Armorer	365	\$4 00	\$1,460 00	\$1,460 00
J. R. Smith	Janitor	365	4 00	1,460 00	1,460 00
E. Cooley	Engineer	365	4 00	1,460 00	1,460 00
Jacob Renz	Assistant Engineer	365	3 00	1,095 00	1,095 00
Jacob Hoffman	Laborer	365	2 00	730 00	730 00
Total				\$6,205 00	\$6,205 00

Laws of 1896, chapter 412, section 10.
Laws of 1899, chapter 360, section 64.
Laws of 1899, chapter 59.
Laws of 1896, chapters 360, 688 and 853.
Laws of 1897, chapter 378.
Laws of 1898, chapters 212 and 601.

P. ANTHONY BROCK, First Lieutenant, Commanding.

No. 1626.

ST. PETER'S HOME, CONGRESS AND HICKS STREETS,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
September 4, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—St. Peter's Home for the protection of friendless girls in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, respectfully petitions your Honorable Board for aid, aggregating in amount the sum of \$2,500.

For the year 1899 the allowance was \$1,512.69.

In the year 1900, through some inadvertence, no allowance was made.

During the year 1899 3,711 persons were admitted and lodged, 1,700 of whom we obtained positions for; some of those were convalescent, and we cared for them until they were able to take positions. Out of this number 1,503 paid, some for a day, some for a week and some for a month. Also among this number we had some old people; some paid a little and others were free.

During the year 1900 we have not received as many free on account of lack of means.

Our work is to protect and find employment for girls who are unable to find employment for themselves in stores, shops and factories and also some domestics.

There are none committed, as usually the girls are out of employment only for a short time and would not go before a judge to be committed, as they are thoroughly respectable and would think it a disgrace.

Trusting that your Honorable Board will grant this petition we respectfully remain,

Yours,

SR. M. RAPHAEL, Superior and Treasurer.

No. 1627.

BROOKLYN DISCIPLINARY TRAINING SCHOOL FOR BOYS,
EIGHTEENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FIFTY-SIXTH AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREETS,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
CITY OF NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to chapter 235 of the Laws of New York, 1896, and amendment thereto, and title 5, chapter 378, Laws of New York, 1897, we beg respectfully to submit herewith the estimate of the several amounts which in our judgment will be necessary for the suitable conduct of the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys for the year 1901.

At the present time (August 31, 1900) there are on our roll and under our care one hundred and eighty-two children. The estimate herewith submitted provides for an average attendance of two hundred and fifty, although a larger number may reasonably be expected. Our present quarters, however, are much cramped and congestion is threatened. In our communication to your honorable Board under date of August 28, 1900, asking for a special appropriation of \$175,000 for the renovation of the present buildings and the erection of a suitable new building, we pointed out the defective condition of the present buildings and showed the necessity for larger and better facilities. In anticipation of the completion of these alterations and additions to our buildings, we have based this annual estimate on the proper care of only two hundred and fifty boys for the coming year, and have included in this estimate only such temporary improvements as are absolutely needed in the meantime.

Since the fire in our building on March 16, 1899, nothing has been done except the erection of a temporary roof to protect the building from the weather. We have no water-closet in our yard. The law and a decent sense of propriety require that there be erected in the yard suitable closets

and urinals, so manifestly needed for the use of the boys, and that a detention ward be built for the accommodation of new inmates. For the safe-keeping of the garden utensils and the storage of the garden supplies we need a new barn. We have tried for the past two years to obtain these and other necessary conveniences, and our inability to get them has suggested the propriety of appealing to your honorable Board by including them in our estimate for the ensuing year.

Names, Official Titles and Salaries of all the Officers, Clerks and Subordinates Employed in the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys according to the Pay-roll of August, 1900:

Charles H. Sunwalt, Superintendent.....	\$2,400 00
Katherine M. Gillan, House Mother.....	600 00
William B. Jones, Instructor of Manual Training.....	720 00
Dr. Mark Mantley, Physician.....	600 00
Isaac Wood, Clerk.....	740 00
Margaret Healy, Laundress.....	420 00
Patrick F. McNamara, Gardener.....	600 00
Gunda Gunston, Cook.....	300 00
Pius J. Roth, Day Caretaker.....	600 00
Timothy Driscoll, Night Caretaker.....	720 00
Mary Flood, Cook.....	300 00
Harry E. Tice, Day Caretaker.....	600 00
Theophilus S. Bigelow, Placing-out Agent.....	730 00
Martha Levy, Cleaner.....	300 00
Frederick A. Mills, Teacher.....	900 00
Thomas Kerwin, Teacher.....	900 00
William Bourgeois, Teacher.....	900 00
Mary T. Taylor, Seamstress.....	300 00
William R. MacDaniel, Foreman Printer.....	720 00
John Fraser, Foreman Shoemaker.....	900 00
Amelia Nelson, Laundress.....	300 00
George Wiegand, Teacher Brass Band Music.....	720 00
John B. Remsen, Dynamo Engineer.....	1,080 00
Edward Doyle, Foreman Tailor.....	720 00
Carl Ludwig, Knitter.....	720 00
James T. Fitzwilliam, Stenographer.....	900 00
William S. Denmark, Watchman.....	600 00
Matilda Nelson, Waitress.....	180 00
William E. Molitor, Night Caretaker.....	600 00
John Keegan, Engineman.....	720 00
George Boyce, Military Instructor.....	480 00

\$21,270 00

For the proper care of 100 more boys we shall require, during 1901, the following additional employees:

1 Assistant Superintendent.....	\$1,600 00
2 Teachers.....	1,440 00
2 Day Caretakers.....	1,200 00
1 Night Caretaker.....	600 00
1 Cook.....	300 00
1 Baker.....	600 00
2 Cleaners.....	600 00
1 Assistant Gardener.....	480 00
1 Janitor and Plumber.....	750 00
1 Laundress.....	420 00
1 Fireman.....	400 00

8,390 00

\$29,660 00

Proposed salary for present employees during 1901.....	\$21,270 00
Proposed salary for additional employees during 1901.....	8,390 00

\$29,660 00

Salaries and wages.....	\$29,660 00
Food and clothing for 250 boys.....	\$20,000 00
Medical supplies, stationery and printing, amusement and instruction, household expenses, tools and machinery, garden expenses, freight and transportation, industrial training.....	10,000 00
School supplies.....	5,000 00
Sewing machines.....	300 00
Furniture and equipments for school-rooms.....	2,500 00
Chapel furnishings.....	500 00
Hospital furnishings.....	300 00
Furniture and additional equipment for 100 more boys.....	2,000 00
Library.....	500 00

41,100 00

\$70,760 00

Macadamizing drives and walks, grading, etc.....	\$2,500 00
New barn.....	1,000 00
Isolated detention ward.....	500 00
Frame workshop.....	500 00
Storage batteries.....	1,000 00
Gymnasium and recreation hall for stormy weather.....	1,000 00
Urinal and closets for yard.....	500 00
Lockers.....	300 00

7,300 00

Total.....\$78,060 00

Respectfully submitted,
MORRIS ADLER, President.

J. H. Luis, Secretary.

No. 1628.

ST. MARY'S MATERNITY AND INFANTS' HOME,
No. 153 DEAN STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
NEW YORK CITY, September 4, 1900.

Honorable Municipal Assembly:

In answer to your communication of July 2, 1900, I respectfully submit the following estimate of the expenses of caring for the charity patients at this institution for the year 1901:

150 obstetrical cases, at \$18 each.....	\$2,700 00
150 children maintained by the City, at \$2 per week, per capita.....	13,520 00
144 months for destitute mothers, at \$12 per month.....	1,728 00
4,389 days' care of infants, at 38 cents per day, per capita.....	1,664 40

Total.....\$19,612 40

SISTER M. DOLOROSA, Treasurer.

No. 1629.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE—RICHMOND COUNTY,
RICHMOND, N. Y., September 1, 1900.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Agreeably to your request, and as provided for in chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I herewith respectfully submit for your consideration and approval the following itemized statement of the moneys necessary for the proper conduct of the public business of the Office of the County Clerk in the County of Richmond for the year 1901:

	1900.	1901.
1. Salary of County Clerk.....	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00
2. Rebinding books.....	500 00	500 00
3. Repairing damage and replacing missing maps.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
4. Recopying records and indices of office.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
5. Contingencies.....	250 00	250 00
Total.....	\$4,500 00	\$8,750 00

Item No. 1—Salary of County Clerk to remain as for the year 1900.

Item No. 2—Rebinding books to remain as for the year 1900.

Item No. 3 indicates the necessity for setting aside by your Board the sum of \$1,500 to be expended during the year 1901 in repairing mutilated and damaged maps and replacing missing maps filed in this office. The present condition of a large number of the filed maps in this office, by reason of age, use, and neglect, is a deplorable one, and unless prompt steps are taken to remedy their defects and check their further disintegration they will be unworthy of consideration as intelligible and binding records of property in the County of Richmond.

Item No. 4—As set forth in this item, \$2,500 is asked to be set aside by your Board to be expended during the year 1901 for recopying records and indices, the present dilapidated, indistinct and altogether unintelligible condition of which demands from your Board prompt consideration and the needful appropriation for remedy. I have been earnestly urged by the professional and lay patrons of the office to carefully present these matters for the consideration of your Board, in order that the work of the searcher may be facilitated, all elements of uncertainty removed and a clear and accurate record of individual holdings secured. I would further respectfully call your attention to the fact that Supreme Court Justices sitting in the County of Richmond have in the past directed the County Clerks to have records which were in bad shape recopied, and the Board of Supervisors at times set aside sums of money for this purpose in order that the records might be preserved.

Item No. 5—The amount of \$250 is asked for expenditure to meet incidental expenses during the year 1901, such as express charges, postage, etc., for which no provision is made.

Taking this opportunity to assure the members of your Honorable Board that I have not asked for a single item which I could conscientiously avoid, and that in each instance where appropriation has been asked the least possible necessary amount has been named.

Yours respectfully,

ED. M. MULLER, County Clerk.

No. 1630.

CORONERS' OFFICE, ROOM 17, BOROUGH HALL,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—Herewith find copy of Departmental Estimate of Coroners' Office, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1901.

Respectfully,

ANTHONY J. BURGER, M. D., } Coroners.
GEO. W. DELAP, M. D., }

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE, 1901, CORONERS' OFFICE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Anthony J. Burger, M. D., Coroner.....	\$6,000 00
George W. Delap, M. D., Coroner.....	6,000 00
Emil F. Haring, M. D., Coroner's Physician.....	3,000 00
Charles Wuest, M. D., Coroner's Physician.....	3,000 00
Daniel M. Kelly, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.....	3,000 00
Andrew E. Colvin, Stenographer.....	2,000 00
William Kearney, Assistant Clerk.....	1,500 00
Thomas Gamble, Assistant Clerk.....	1,500 00
Vacancy (awaiting action of Civil Service Commission), Assistant Clerk.....	1,500 00
Max Dannhauser, Assistant Clerk (night service).....	1,200 00
John H. Donnelly, Replevin Clerk.....	1,200 00
Post-mortem Examinations, Chemical Analyses.....	1,500 00
Contingent Expenses of two (2) Coroners, \$750 each.....	1,500 00

Total.....\$32,900 00

Coroners' Clerk, Assistant Clerks—Laws of 1897, chapter 378, section 1571.

Coroners' Physician—Laws of 1882, chapter 410, section 1709.

Post-mortem Examinations, Chemical Analyses—Laws of 1897, chapter 378, section 230, subdivision 3.

Contingent Expenses—Laws of 1882, chapter 410, section 1767.

Comparative Statement.

	1900.	1901.
Salaries for two (2) Coroners, at \$6,000 each.....	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00
Salaries for two (2) Physicians, at \$3,000 each.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coroners.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Contingent Expenses of two (2) Coroners, including Clerk and office hire, at \$3,000 each.....	6,000 00	1,500 00
Post-mortem Examinations, Chemical Analyses.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Salary of Stenographer.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Salary of two Assistant Clerks for night service, at \$1,200 each (one acts as Replevin Clerk).....	2,400 00	2,400 00
Salaries of three (3) Assistant Clerks, at \$1,500 each, (this amount was included in Contingent Expenses, 1900, and does not increase our estimate).....	4,500 00	4,500 00
Total.....	\$32,900 00	\$32,900 00

No. 1631.

COLUMBUS HOSPITAL,
No. 226 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 3, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—We hereby make our annual application to receive from the City the money for the support of free city patients.

During last year we had surgical cases aggregating 7,044 days, and medical cases aggregating 4,116 days, for which we request an allowance of \$8,105.

Trusting you will grant us this request, we are,

Very respectfully yours,

MISSIONARY SISTERS OF THE SACRED HEART.

MOTHER AGOSTINA CHIODINI, President.

No. 1632.

BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR,
No. 119 NASSAU STREET, ROOM 1025,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith submit, as requested, an estimate of the expenses of my Bureau for the year 1901, namely:

	1901	1900
<i>Salaries.</i>		
William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.....	\$10,000 00	\$10,000 00
Frank W. Arnold, Assistant Public Administrator.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Robert D. Bronson, Chief Clerk.....	2,200 00	2,200 00
James F. Buck, Second Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Edward G. Sheldon, Agent.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Charles C. Halpine, Law Assistant.....	1,800 00	1,200 00
Mary E. Finn, Stenographer.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Henry E. Sholl, Office Boy.....	600 00	208 00
Total.....	\$23,600 00	\$22,608 00
<i>Contingencies.</i>		
Extra help, telephone, etc.....	682 00	682 00

The sum asked for this Bureau for the year 1901 is an increase of \$992 over the amount asked for and appropriated last year by your Board. The Law Assistant, Mr. Charles C. Halpine,

has been connected with this office for many years; his services have been faithfully and competently rendered, and I desire his salary to be raised from \$1,200 to \$1,800. He is a member of the Bar, and his salary is much less than he should receive, and quite disproportionate to the services he renders.

The present office boy, Henry E. Sholl, has been here since 1896, and is thoroughly competent to fill the position of Junior Clerk; he will be eighteen years old in the early part of next year. His salary, I think, should be raised from \$208 to \$600, and I so request.

At the end of the year 1900 there will not remain any unexpended balance of the appropriations made for this Bureau.

Yours very respectfully,

WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator of the County of New York.

No. 1633.

AGUILAR FREE LIBRARY,
No. 113 EAST FIFTY-NINTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—The Aguilar Free Library Society hereby applies for an appropriation of sixty-one thousand seven hundred dollars, pursuant to chapter 378, paragraph 37, of the Laws of 1892.

The Aguilar Free Library Society is duly incorporated under the laws of this State, and owns real estate in The City of New York, the value of which is far in excess of fifty thousand dollars. It also owns over seventy-five thousand volumes, and maintains four (4) libraries; namely, at No. 197 East Broadway, No. 113 East Fifty-ninth street, No. 616 Fifth street and No. 174 East One Hundred and Tenth street, and a Traveling Library Department at No. 113 East Fifty-ninth street. These libraries are open daily for the free circulation of books among the inhabitants of the City of New York.

During the year ending June 30, 1900, the number of volumes actually withdrawn from the Aguilar Free Library by the inhabitants of the City of New York for use at their homes was over six hundred and seventeen thousand volumes.

The Aguilar Free Library is subject to the inspection of the Regents of the University of the State of New York, and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard.

The Regents have executed certificates of approved circulation, copies of which are hereto attached—the originals being attached to five separate branches, submitted by this Society to your Honorable Board simultaneously herewith, covering the five libraries maintained by this Society; namely, at No. 197 East Broadway, No. 113 East Fifty-ninth street, No. 616 Fifth street and No. 174 East One Hundred and Tenth street, and a Traveling Library Department at No. 113 East Fifty-ninth street—showing that the circulation of books upon which your Honorable Board is entitled to appropriate money under the Laws of 1892, chapter 378, paragraph 37, is six hundred and seventeen thousand.

The appropriation to which under such certificate the Aguilar Free Library is entitled is sixty-one thousand seven hundred dollars.

The Aguilar Free Library is in great need of the full amount of the appropriation asked for, for the reason that during the past year at No. 113 East Fifty-ninth street, the open shelf system has been introduced and a special children's room has been opened. The Library at No. 174 East One Hundred and Tenth street is situated in the midst of a very densely populated section of the city and shows an average circulation of every volume over twelve times during the year. The books were used by many of the adult working classes living in the vicinity of the Library. The attendance in the reference room was greatly increased at No. 197 East Broadway and a special children's room has been added.

It was the intention of the Directors to secure new and larger quarters for the Library now situated at No. 616 Fifth street, as the circulation showed a marked increase, but the change was postponed owing to the very limited means received during the past year. The work in the public schools has been greatly crippled for lack of means to supply the demand for books. The object of the Directors has been to co-operate with the public schools and other institutions.

This enlargement of the Society's work necessitates the outlay of a large amount of money for new quarters, for the purchase of books and the employment of an increased force of librarians.

We append herewith estimate of expenses for the year 1900 and the present salary list.
On behalf of the Aguilar Free Library Society.

SAM'L GREENBAUM, President.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES, 1901.

Salaries.....	\$25,700 00
Books.....	18,500 00
Newspapers and magazines.....	3,500 00
Printing and stationery (including catalogue).....	6,000 00
Binding.....	4,300 00
Rent and interest.....	6,500 00
Lighting and insurance.....	2,500 00
Furniture, fixtures and repairs.....	6,000 00
Sundry expenses, including telephone.....	1,500 00

Total.....\$74,500 00

NAMES OF EMPLOYEES, WITH MONTHLY SALARIES, JULY 31, 1900.

Leipzig, Pauline, Librarian.....	\$112 50
East Broadway—	
Nathan, Madeline, Assistant-in-charge.....	65 00
Blumberg, Rebecca, Assistant.....	45 00
Simpson, Ida, Assistant.....	45 00
Blumberg, Theresa, Assistant.....	43 00
Binion, Rebecca, Assistant.....	35 00
Doughty, Corinne, Assistant.....	35 00
Eisenberg, Lillie, Assistant.....	35 00
Perry, Rachel C., Assistant.....	30 00
Rubinstein, Bella, Assistant.....	25 00
Josephson, Anna, Assistant.....	25 00
Gassen, Abner, Collector.....	28 00
Toner, Mrs. A., Janitress.....	18 00
Substitutes:	
Wilner, Dora.....	18 00
Yudelson, Sophie.....	18 00
Marks, Dora.....	18 00
Rosner, David.....	18 00
Reading Room:	
Bernstein, Jacob, Custodian.....	35 00
Jacobs, Simon, Assistant Custodian.....	30 00
Substitute:	
Weeks, Charles.....	18 00
Fifty-ninth street—	
O'Meara, Ellen M., Assistant-in-charge.....	65 00
Foot, Clara W., Assistant.....	35 00
Norman, Mabel, Assistant.....	35 00
Silver, Lena, Assistant.....	30 00
Savage, Lillie J., Assistant.....	30 00
Dumont, Edna, Assistant.....	22 00
Alter, Maurice, Assistant, Reading Room.....	20 00
Cunningham, William, Janitor.....	35 00
Substitutes:	
Silvestri, Constance M.....	18 00
Eliass, Harriet.....	18 00
Moses, Fannie.....	18 00
One Hundred and Tenth street—	
O'Meara, Mary C., Assistant-in-charge.....	55 00
Lewinson, Leah, Assistant.....	45 00
Sternglanz, Julia, Assistant.....	35 00
Levy, Evangeline, Assistant.....	35 00
Sheppard, Harriet N., Assistant.....	30 00
Kahn, Josephine, Assistant.....	25 00
Massie, Julia, Assistant.....	25 00
Ogden, Constance, Assistant.....	25 00
Urban, William, Janitor.....	42 00
Substitutes:	
Barit, Lillian.....	18 00
Silver, Amelia.....	18 00
Willinsky, Harold.....	18 00

Fifth street—	
Leipzig, Sophie, Assistant-in-charge.....	\$55 00
Siff, Rebecca, Assistant.....	35 00
Markowitz, Augusta, Assistant.....	28 00
Abromovitch, Jeannette L., Assistant.....	25 00
Osetinsky, Rose, Assistant.....	22 14
Schnitzer, Martha, Assistant.....	22 00
Slezak, Frances, Janitress.....	10 00
Substitute:	
Liplich, Ethel.....	18 00
Traveling Library Department—	
Cohn, Gertrude, Assistant-in-charge.....	43 00
Clohesy, Alice, Assistant.....	4 00
Durnett, Mrs. J. E., Cataloguer.....	65 00
Hunt, Edith E., Assistant.....	50 00
Lloyd, Grace, Clerk and Accountant.....	40 00
Total monthly salary.....	\$1,810 64
Total yearly salary.....	21,727 68

UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK—PUBLIC LIBRARIES DEPARTMENT.

Certificate of Approved Circulation.

This certifies that Aguilar Free Library, Fifty-ninth street Branch, New York, is subject to the inspection of the Regents and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard; that its system of recording the circulation of books and the character of the books so circulated have been officially inspected by an officer of the University; that its Trustees have reported under oath the number issued for home use during the year ending July 1, 1900, and that in the judgment of the Regents this Library has circulated for the free use of the public during the said year 138,000 volumes of such a character as to merit a grant of public money.

In Witness Whereof, the Regents grant, under seal of the University, this Certificate, recorded as No. 687 in the University Register, July 27, 1900.

(Signed) CHAS. F. WHELOCK, Deputy Secretary.
(Signed) MELVIL DEWEY, Director.
(Signed) W. R. EASTMAN, Library Inspector.

UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK—PUBLIC LIBRARIES DEPARTMENT.

Certificate of Approved Circulation.

This certifies that Aguilar Free Library, East Broadway Branch, New York, is subject to the inspection of the Regents and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard; that its system of recording the circulation of books and the character of the books so circulated have been officially inspected by an officer of the University; that its Trustees have reported under oath the number issued for home use during the year ending July 1, 1900, and that in the judgment of the Regents this Library has circulated for the free use of the public during the said year 176,000 volumes of such a character as to merit a grant of public money.

In Witness Whereof, the Regents grant, under seal of the University, this Certificate, recorded as No. 688 in the University Register, July 27, 1900.

(Signed) CHAS. F. WHELOCK, Deputy Secretary.
(Signed) MELVIL DEWEY, Director.
(Signed) W. R. EASTMAN, Library Inspector.

UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK—PUBLIC LIBRARIES DEPARTMENT.

Certificate of Approved Circulation.

This certifies that Aguilar Free Library, New York (Public Schools), is subject to the inspection of the Regents and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard; that its system of recording the circulation of books, and the character of the books so circulated have been officially inspected by an officer of the University; that its Trustees have reported under oath the number issued for home use during the year ending July 1, 1900, and that, in the judgment of the Regents, this library has circulated for free use through the public schools during the said year 15,000 volumes of such a character as to merit a grant of public money.

In Witness Whereof, the Regents grant, under seal of the University, this Certificate, recorded as No. 689 in the University Register, July 27, 1900.

(Signed) CHAS. F. WHELOCK, Deputy Secretary.
(Signed) MELVIL DEWEY, Director.
(Signed) W. R. EASTMAN, Library Inspector.

UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK—PUBLIC LIBRARIES DEPARTMENT.

Certificate of Approved Circulation.

This certifies that Aguilar Free Library, One Hundred and Tenth Street Branch, New York, is subject to the inspection of the Regents and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard; that its system of recording the circulation of books, and the character of the books so circulated have been officially inspected by an officer of the University; that its Trustees have reported under oath the number issued for home use during the year ending July 1, 1900, and that, in the judgment of the Regents, this library has circulated for the free use of the public during the said year 176,000 volumes of such a character as to merit a grant of public money.

In Witness Whereof, the Regents grant, under seal of the University, this Certificate, recorded as No. 686 in the University Register, July 27, 1900.

(Signed) CHAS. F. WHELOCK, Deputy Secretary.
(Signed) MELVIL DEWEY, Director.
(Signed) W. R. EASTMAN, Library Inspector.

UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK—PUBLIC LIBRARIES DEPARTMENT.

Certificate of Approved Circulation.

This certifies that Aguilar Free Library, Fifth Street Branch, New York, is subject to the inspection of the Regents and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard; that its system of recording the circulation of books, and the character of the books so circulated have been officially inspected by an officer of the University; that its Trustees have reported under oath the number issued for home use during the year ending July 1, 1900, and that, in the judgment of the Regents, this library has circulated for the free use of the public during the said year 112,000 volumes of such a character as to merit a grant of public money.

In Witness Whereof, the Regents grant, under seal of the University, this Certificate, recorded as No. 685 in the University Register, July 27, 1900.

(Signed) CHAS. F. WHELOCK, Deputy Secretary.
(Signed) MELVIL DEWEY, Director.
(Signed) W. R. EASTMAN, Library Inspector.

AGUILAR FREE LIBRARY,
No. 197 EAST BROADWAY, NEW YORK,
September, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—The Aguilar Free Library Society herewith applies for an appropriation of seventeen thousand six hundred dollars, pursuant to chapter 378, paragraph 37, of the Laws of 1892.

The Aguilar Free Library Society is duly incorporated under the laws of this State, and owns real estate in The City of New York, the value of which is far in excess of fifty thousand dollars. It owns over twenty-eight thousand volumes and maintains a library at No. 197 East Broadway, and this library is open daily for the free circulation of books among the inhabitants of the City of New York.

During the year ending June 30, 1900, the number of volumes actually withdrawn by the inhabitants of The City of New York from said library, for use at their homes, was over one hundred and seventy-six thousand volumes.

The Aguilar Free Library is subject to the inspection of the Regents of the University of the State of New York and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard.

The Regents have executed a certificate of approved circulation, which is hereto attached, showing that the circulation of books upon which your Honorable Board is entitled to appropriate money, under the Laws of 1892, chapter 378, paragraph 37, is one hundred and seventy-six thousand.

The appropriation to which, under such certificate, the Aguilar Free Library is entitled is seventeen thousand six hundred dollars.

A special children's room has been opened during the past year in this library and the attendance in the reference room has greatly increased, necessitating an additional amount of money to carry on the work of these departments.

We append herewith estimate of expenses for the year 1901, and the present salary list.
On behalf of the Aguilar Free Library Society,

SAM'L GREENBAUM, President.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES, 1901.

Salaries.....	\$9,000 00
Books.....	4,000 00
Newspapers and magazines.....	2,000 00
Printing and stationery.....	1,000 00
Binding.....	1,500 00
Rent and interest.....	1,650 00
Lighting and insurance.....	60 00
Furniture, fixtures and repairs.....	500 00
Sundry expenses, including telephone.....	300 00
Total.....	\$20,010 00

NAMES OF EMPLOYEES WITH MONTHLY SALARIES, JULY 31, 1900.

Leipziger, Pauline, Librarian.....	\$112 50
Nathan, Madeline, Assistant-in-charge.....	65 00
Blumberg, Rebecca, Assistant.....	45 00
Simpson, Ida, Assistant.....	45 00
Blumberg, Theresa, Assistant.....	43 00
Binion, Rebecca, Assistant.....	35 00
Doughty, Corinne, Assistant.....	35 00
Eisenberg, Lillie, Assistant.....	35 00
Perry, Rachel C., Assistant.....	30 00
Rubinstein, Bella, Assistant.....	25 00
Josephson, Anna, Assistant.....	25 00
Cassen, Abner, Collector.....	28 00
Toner, Mrs. A., Janitress.....	18 00
Substitutes—	
Wilner, Dora.....	18 00
Yudelson, Sophie.....	18 00
Marks, Dora.....	18 00
Rosner, David.....	18 00
Reading-room—	
Bernstein, Jacob, Custodian.....	35 00
Jacobs, Simon, Assistant Custodian.....	30 00
Substitute—	
Wecklin, Charles.....	18 00
Total monthly salary.....	\$696 50
Total yearly salary.....	8,358 00

AGUILAR FREE LIBRARY,
No. 113 EAST FIFTY-NINTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—The Aguilar Free Library Society hereby applies for an appropriation of thirteen thousand eight hundred dollars, pursuant to chapter 378, paragraph 37, of the Laws of 1892.

The Aguilar Free Library Society is duly incorporated under the laws of this State, and owns real estate in the City of New York, the value of which is far in excess of fifty thousand dollars. It owns over twenty-two thousand volumes, and maintains a library at No. 113 East Fifty-ninth street, and this library is open daily for the free circulation of books among the inhabitants of the City of New York.

During the year, ending June 30, 1900, the number of volumes actually withdrawn by the inhabitants of the City of New York from said library, for use at their homes, was over one hundred and thirty-eight thousand volumes.

The Aguilar Free Library is subject to the inspection of the Regents of the University of the State of New York and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard.

The Regents have executed a certificate of approved circulation, which is hereto attached, showing that the circulation of books upon which your Honorable Board is entitled to appropriate money, under the Laws of 1892, chapter 378, paragraph 37, is one hundred and thirty-eight thousand.

The appropriation to which, under the certificate, the Aguilar Free Library is entitled, is thirteen thousand eight hundred dollars.

The Aguilar Free Library requires for its efficiency the full amount asked for, for the reason that during the past year the open shelf system has been introduced into this library and a special children's room has been opened. The circulation has thereby very materially increased, and has necessarily caused an additional outlay for salaries, books and other requisites. The work can be still further enlarged if proper means are afforded.

We append herewith estimate of expenses for the year 1901, and the present salary list.

On behalf of the Aguilar Free Library Society,

SAML. GREENBAUM, President.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES, 1901.

Salaries.....	\$6,000 00
Books.....	4,000 00
Newspapers and magazines.....	500 00
Printing and stationery (including catalogue).....	3,000 00
Binding.....	1,000 00
Rent.....	2,500 00
Lighting and insurance.....	540 00
Furniture, fixtures and repairs.....	1,500 00
Sundry expenses, including telephone.....	350 00
Total.....	\$19,390 00

NAMES OF EMPLOYEES WITH MONTHLY SALARIES, JULY 31, 1900.

O'Meara, Ellen M., Assistant-in-charge.....	\$65 00
Foot, Clara W., Assistant.....	35 00
Norman, Mabel, Assistant.....	35 00
Silver, Lena, Assistant.....	30 00
Savage, Lillie J., Assistant.....	30 00
Dumont, Edna, Assistant.....	22 00
Aler, Maurice, Assistant Reading-room.....	20 00
Cunningham, William, Janitor.....	35 00
Substitutes—	
Silvestri, Constance M.....	18 00
Eliass, Harriet.....	18 00
Moses, Fannie.....	18 00
Burnett, Mrs. J. E., Cataloguer.....	65 00
Hunt, Edith E., Assistant Cataloguer.....	50 00
Lloyd, Grace, Clerk and Accountant.....	40 00
Total monthly salary.....	\$481 00
Total yearly salary.....	\$5,772 00

AGUILAR FREE LIBRARY,
No. 113 EAST FIFTY-NINTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—The Aguilar Free Library Society hereby applies for an appropriation of one thousand five hundred dollars, pursuant to chapter 378, paragraph 37, of the Laws of 1892.

The Aguilar Free Library Society is duly incorporated under the laws of this State, and owns real estate in The City of New York, the value of which is far in excess of fifty thousand dollars. It owns over two thousand volumes and has circulated for free use through the public schools during the year ending June 30, 1900, fifteen thousand volumes.

The Aguilar Free Library is subject to the inspection of the Regents of the University of the State of New York and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard.

The Regents have executed a certificate of approved circulation, which is hereto attached, showing that the circulation of books upon which your Honorable Board is entitled to appropriate money under the Laws of 1892, chapter 378, paragraph 37, is fifteen thousand.

The appropriation to which, under such certificate the Aguilar Free Library is entitled is one thousand five hundred dollars.

This work in the public schools has been greatly crippled during the past year for lack of means to supply the demand for books. The object of the Directors has been to co-operate with the public schools and other institutions. To do this necessitates the outlay of a large amount of money for the purchase of books and for additional assistants.

We append herewith estimate of expenses for the year 1901 and the present salary list.

On behalf of the Aguilar Free Library Society.

SAML. GREENBAUM, President.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES, 1901.

Salaries.....	\$1,200 00
Books.....	1,500 00
Printing and stationery.....	300 00
Binding.....	300 00
Sundry expenses.....	50 00
Total.....	\$3,350 00

NAMES OF EMPLOYEES, WITH MONTHLY SALARIES, JULY 31, 1900.

Cohen, Gertrude, Assistant-in-charge.....	\$43 00
Clohesy, Alice, Assistant.....	4 00
Total monthly salary.....	\$47 00
Total yearly salary.....	564 00

AGUILAR FREE LIBRARY,
No. 174 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—The Aguilar Free Library Society hereby applies for an appropriation of seventeen thousand six hundred dollars, pursuant to chapter 378, paragraph 37, of the Laws of 1892.

The Aguilar Free Library Society is duly incorporated under the laws of this State, and owns real estate in The City of New York, the value of which is far in excess of fifty thousand dollars. It owns over fourteen thousand volumes and maintains a library at No. 174 East One Hundred and Tenth street, and this library is open daily for the free circulation of books among the inhabitants of The City of New York.

During the year ending June 30, 1900, the number of volumes actually withdrawn by the inhabitants of The City of New York from said library, for use at their homes, was over one hundred and seventy-six thousand volumes.

The Aguilar Free Library is subject to the inspection of the Regents of the University of the State of New York and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard.

The Regents have executed a certificate of approved circulation, which is hereto attached, showing that the circulation of books upon which your Honorable Board is entitled to appropriate money under the Laws of 1892, chapter 378, paragraph 37, is one hundred and seventy-six thousand.

The appropriation to which under such certificate the Aguilar Free Library is entitled is seventeen thousand six hundred dollars.

The full amount of the appropriation is needed in order to maintain the efficiency of the library in this densely populated section of the city. This library shows an average circulation of every volume over twelve times during the year and the books were used by many of the adult working classes living in the vicinity of the library.

We append herewith estimate of expenses for the year 1901 and the present salary list.

On behalf of the Aguilar Free Library Society.

SAML. GREENBAUM, President.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES, 1901.

Salaries.....	\$6,000 00
Books.....	5,000 00
Newspapers and magazines.....	500 00
Printing and stationery.....	1,000 00
Binding.....	800 00
Interest.....	480 00
Lighting and insurance.....	1,400 00
Furniture, fixtures and repairs.....	1,500 00
Sundry expenses, including telephone.....	500 00
Total.....	\$17,180 00

NAMES OF EMPLOYEES, WITH MONTHLY SALARIES, JULY 31, 1900.

O'Meara, Mary C., Assistant-in-charge.....	\$55 00
Lewinson, Leah, Assistant.....	45 00
Sternglanz, Julia, Assistant.....	35 00
Levy, Evangeline, Assistant.....	35 00
Sheppard, Harriet N., Assistant.....	30 00
Kahn, Josephine, Assistant.....	25 00
Massie, Julia, Assistant.....	25 00
Ogden, Constance, Assistant.....	25 00
Urban, William, Janitor.....	42 00
Substitutes—	
Barit, Lillian.....	18 00
Silver, Amelia.....	18 00
Willinsky, Harold.....	18 00
Total monthly salary.....	\$371 00
Total yearly salary.....	4,452 00

AGUILAR FREE LIBRARY,
No. 616 FIFTH STREET, NEW YORK,
September, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—The Aguilar Free Library Society hereby applies for an appropriation of eleven thousand two hundred dollars, pursuant to chapter 378, paragraph 37, of the Laws of 1892.

The Aguilar Free Library Society is duly incorporated under the laws of this State, and owns real estate in The City of New York, the value of which is far in excess of fifty thousand dollars. It owns over nine thousand volumes and maintains a library at No. 616 Fifth street, and this library is open daily for the free circulation of books among the inhabitants of The City of New York.

During the year ending June 30, 1900, the number of volumes actually withdrawn by the inhabitants of The City of New York from said library, for use at their homes, was over one hundred and twelve thousand volumes.

The Aguilar Free Library is subject to the inspection of the Regents of the University of the State of New York and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard.

The Regents have executed a certificate of approved circulation, which is hereto attached, showing that the circulation of books upon which your Honorable Board is entitled to appropriate money under the Laws of 1892, chapter 378, paragraph 37, is one hundred and twelve thousand.

The appropriation to which under such certificate the Aguilar Free Library is entitled is eleven thousand two hundred dollars.

It was the intention of the Directors to secure new and larger quarters for this library, as the circulation showed a marked increase during the past two years, but the change was postponed owing to the very limited means received during the past year. This enlargement of the Society's work necessitates the outlay of a large amount of money for new quarters, for the purchase of books and the employment of an increased force of librarians.

We append herewith estimate of expense for the year 1901 and the present salary list.

On behalf of the Aguilar Free Library Society.

SAML. GREENBAUM, President.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES, 1901.

Salaries.....	\$3,500 00
Books.....	4,000 00
Newspapers and magazines.....	500 00
Printing and Stationery.....	700 00
Binding.....	700 00
Rent.....	1,870 00
Lighting and insurance.....	500 00

Furniture, fixtures and repairs.....	\$2,500 00
Sundry expenses including telephone.....	300 00
Total.....	\$14,570 00

NAMES OF EMPLOYEES, WITH MONTHLY SALARIES, JULY 31, 1900.

Leipziger, Sophie, Assistant-in-charge.....	\$55 00
Siff, Rebecca, Assistant.....	35 00
Markowitz, Augusta, Assistant.....	28 00
Abramovitch, J. L., Assistant.....	25 00
Schnitzer, Martha, Assistant.....	22 00
Osetinsky, Rose, Assistant.....	22 14
Slezak, Frances, Janitress.....	10 00
Substitute—Liplich, Ethel.....	18 00
Total monthly salary.....	\$215 14
Total yearly salary.....	2,581 68

No. 1634.

CORONERS' OFFICE, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,
No. 761 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 6, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Coroners of the Borough of The Bronx submit for your consideration the annexed statement of salaries and expenses required for the Coroners' Office for the year 1900.

There is an increase in the amount required for the year 1901 over the amount appropriated for the year 1900.

This increase in the salaries of the Assistant Clerks is not unreasonable; they do the special work of the Coroners day and night on investigations and ante-mortem statements, summon jurors, subpoena witnesses and take testimony in simple cases, and we consider that \$2,000 is small enough salary for the amount of work and kind of work it is their duty to do.

The Assistant Clerks were paid last year out of the Contingent Expenses, and according to the opinion of the Corporation Counsel the Clerks paid out of said appropriation will be included hereafter in the Classified Salaries, and the salaries will be fixed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

There is a decrease in the Contingent Expenses of each Coroner by appropriating a classified salary for the Assistant Clerks.

Respectfully yours,

ANTHONY MCOWEN, } Coroners.
THOMAS M. LYNCH, }

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE OF SALARIES AND ESTIMATES.

Required for conducting the business of the Coroners' Office of the Borough of The Bronx for the year 1901, "including the salaries paid to all officers, clerks and subordinates employed, according to the last pay-roll of the office, giving the names and official titles of the several persons receiving such salaries," etc., and showing the salaries proposed to be paid during the ensuing year, 1901:

Salaries and Expenses as per Pay-roll, 1900.	Salaries and Expenses for ensuing Year, 1901.
Anthony McOwen, Coroner of the Borough of The Bronx.....	Anthony McOwen, Coroner of the Borough of The Bronx.....
Thomas M. Lynch, Coroner of the Borough of The Bronx.....	Thomas M. Lynch, Coroner of the Borough of The Bronx.....
Thomas H. Curtin, Physician to Coroner McOwen.....	Thomas H. Curtin, Physician to Coroner McOwen.....
John Riegelman, Physician to Coroner Lynch.....	John Riegelman, Physician to Coroner Lynch.....
Andrew J. Hall, Clerk to the Board of Coroners.....	Andrew J. Hall, Clerk to the Board of Coroners.....
Charles F. Tinkham, Stenographer to Board of Coroners.....	Charles F. Tinkham, Stenographer to Board of Coroners.....
Francis O'Ryan, Replevin Clerk, Assistant Clerk for Night Service.....	Francis O'Ryan, Replevin Clerk, Assistant Clerk for Night Service.....
Contingent Expenses for each Coroner (section 1769 N. Y. Con. Act) for the payment of Clerk Hire, Rent, and for the preservation of the Records of the Coroners and the Board of Coroners and other incidental expenses, to wit: *	Contingent Expenses for each Coroner (section 1769 N. Y. Con. Act) for the payment of Clerk Hire, Rent, and for the preservation of the Records of the Coroners, and the Board of Coroners, and other incidental expenses, to wit: *
Anthony McOwen.....	Anthony McOwen.....
Thomas M. Lynch.....	Thomas M. Lynch.....
Post-mortem examinations, chemical analyses, etc. (section 1771, Con. Act).....	Post-mortem examinations, chemical analyses, etc. (section 1771, Con. Act).....
Total.....	Total.....

* Note—Transfer of payment of Clerk Hire from Contingent Expenses to Classified Salaries.

ANTHONY MCOWEN,
THOMAS M. LYNCH.

No. 1635.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
NEW YORK, September 8, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the request of the Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller of The City of New York, made July 2, 1900, the undersigned herewith submits his estimate of the funds required for carrying on the business of the County Clerk's Office of Kings County for the year 1901.

Respectfully,

PETER P. HUBERTY, County Clerk, Kings County, N. Y.

ESTIMATE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, KINGS COUNTY, 1900.

Salary for expert (fixed by statute).....	\$3,000 00
For compliance with Election Law, under chapter 909, Laws of 1896, and acts amendatory thereof.....	10,000 00
For current indexing of liens, notices of pendency of actions, and the lexicographical indexing thereof, from January 1, 1895, to January 1, 1900.....	7,500 00
For current filing of records of convictions, and registering and indexing the same; for entering returned executions from Sheriff's office; for preparing statements of convictions to Secretary of State, and for work in compliance with section 36, chapter 112, Laws of 1896, in reference to Excise Law.....	1,750 00
For recopying and certifying Clerk's minutes and indexing the same.....	5,000 00
For recopying, certifying and repairing maps heretofore filed in the Clerk's office.....	10,000 00
For recopying and certifying judgment-rolls, dockets and other miscellaneous records and indexes.....	25,000 00
Total.....	\$62,250 00

PETER P. HUBERTY, County Clerk, Kings County, N. Y.

Comparative Statement of Appropriations Allowed for 1900, as Compared with the foregoing Estimate for 1901.

	1900.	1901.
Salary for Expert.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
For compliance with Election Laws.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
For recopying, etc., of Notices of Pendency of Actions.....	16,000 00	.....
For recopying, etc., of Judgment Notices, Judgment Rolls, Dockets, and other miscellaneous papers, records and indexes.....	4,000 00	25,000 00
For current indexing, etc.....	2,500 00	7,500 00
For current filing of records of convictions, etc.....	.....	1,750 00
For continuing the recopying and certifying of Clerk's Minutes, etc.....	.....	5,000 00
For recopying, etc., of Maps.....	.....	10,000 00
Total.....	\$35,500 00	\$62,250 00

PETER P. HUBERTY, County Clerk, Kings County, N. Y.

Furthermore, complying with the Comptroller's circular letter of July 2, 1900, as to increases and decreases, I beg leave to state as follows:

1. The recopying of Notices of Pendency of Actions will be completed with the appropriation made for 1900, wherefore nothing is asked under that head.

2. For current indexing \$7,500 is asked, as against \$2,500 allowed for 1900. This increase is due to the fact that the Lexicographical Indices of Lis Pendens have not been continued by my predecessors since 1895. This must be done, and while I am perfectly willing to continue these indices during my term without extra compensation, I have to delay it until the intervening years, from 1895 to 1900, have been indexed; and if the means to do that are denied I shall be unable to fully comply with the law and properly perform my own duties in this respect during my term of office.

3. The item of \$1,750, for current filing of convictions, etc., is new, but the compensation therefor is fixed by statute, and I am now paid therefor, as I believe, from a general sundry fund set aside for Kings County sundry expenses. As a matter of business, it would seem better and more appropriate to charge this matter to the account of the County Clerk's office.

4. The sum of \$5,000, for continuing the recopying and certifying of Clerk's Minutes, and indexing the same, is absolutely necessary. This work was commenced by my predecessor, and had to be discontinued by me for want of an appropriation. *If this item be refused, the money expended heretofore is wasted, and said books remain in a condition to be useless to the public.

5. The sum of \$10,000, asked for recopying of maps, heretofore filed in the Clerk's Office, would seem trifling when the importance of preserving those maps for the public is concerned. Some of them were made on poor paper, have gone to pieces and cannot be used at all. Experts have to be employed to renew them.

6. The sum of \$25,000, to be expended for re-copying of Judgment Rolls, Dockets, and other miscellaneous papers, records and indexes, is no less necessary. Among these records to be recopied, indexed and rebound, under this head, are a large number of Judgment Rolls in actions concerning the titles of large family estates. These papers are constantly handled by searchers, and it is indispensable that the same should be preserved in a useful condition. There is a collection of other and miscellaneous records to be recopied under this heading, which are all of the utmost importance to the public, the details whereof will be furnished upon request.

Respectfully,

PETER P. HUBERTY, County Clerk, Kings County.

No. 1636.

ST. MARTHA'S SANITARIUM AND DISPENSARY,
No. 1453 PACIFIC STREET,
BROOKLYN, N. Y., September 6, 1900.

Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with your request of July 2, 1900, for the estimate of expenses to be incurred by St. Martha's Sanitarium for the year 1901, we hereby respectfully make application for the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000).

EMILIE W. COOMBS, Treasurer.

No. 1637.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, QUEENS COUNTY,
LONG ISLAND CITY, September 4, 1900.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to submit the following estimate of expenditures for the office of the District Attorney of Queens County for the year ending December 31, 1901:

Salary Account.

	1901.	ALLOWED 1900.	INCREASE.
District Attorney.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00	None
Assistant District Attorney.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	"
Clerk.....	2,500 00	1,000 00	\$1,500 00
County Detective.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	None
Stenographer, Grand Jury.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	"

The foregoing salaries are fixed by statute except the Assistant District Attorney and the Clerk:

Contingencies.

	1900.	1901.	INCREASE.
Expenses of County Detective.....	\$500 00	\$500 00	.....
Five hundred dollars is fixed by statute as the maximum expenses of the County Detective.			
Contingencies outside of County Detective's allowance by statute.....	5,000 00	3,000 00	2,000 00

There has been paid out by the Comptroller since January 1, 1900, \$2,855.

There are unpaid accounts amounting to \$550.

There are now pending in this office seven (7) cases which will involve an expenditure of at least \$1,000 for medical examinations and expert testimony.

The average monthly expense of the office, outside of medical examinations and expert testimony, and unusual expenditures, has been about \$225 per month, with the strictest economy.

Last year's requisition was prepared by my predecessor.

The percentage of convictions of cases tried during the former administration was less than 40 per cent. in both the County Court and Court of Special Sessions. I have found that this was mainly due to the fact that this office practically took no part in the examinations before Magistrates or Coroners, and that evidence in cases was not carefully prepared. During the present year the percentage of convictions has been

In County Court..... 85 per cent.
Special Sessions..... 86 "

This is attributable to the fact that all criminal cases have been thoroughly investigated by this office and have been carefully prepared, at the same time a studious regard has been paid to a most economical expenditure.

The largest item of expense which has afflicted this office has been that of medical testimony in manslaughter, rape and felonious assault, and in all these cases the medical evidence controlled the verdict. Nine hundred (\$900) dollars has been actually expended for this class of evidence, and a larger sum will be needed before the year 1900 closes.

There is no stenographer attached to the office and I have had the work done at an average cost of about \$45 per month.

A new item during the coming year will be \$85 for telephone service. I have been compelled since May 1st to pay the telephone service out of my expense account, and which was not contemplated by my predecessor. The reason for this has been that when the Board of Supervisors went out of office the Comptroller held that I must provide for telephone service out of my budget, I therefore entered into a contract for \$85 per year.

The items for County Detective and Stenographer for the Grand Jury I have included in my estimate for the reason that I understand the County Judge, although the appointing power, holds that I should provide for their salaries and expenses in the District Attorney's budget. These were so provided for last year and I am required by the Comptroller to certify to their accounts.

With reference to the increase of salary for the Clerk. I beg to urge an appropriate increase of salary. The office of Clerk is a most important one. Three Magistrates' Courts are daily in session; the Court of Sessions sits weekly; there are five terms of the County Court each involving an actual month of daily trials. It will thus be seen that during the session of the County Court it is actually impossible for this office to be properly represented in the minor courts, and which attendance is positively essential to a proper preparation of criminal cases, for unless seizing the work at its inception it has only to be reviewed at extra expense and more than double trouble and effort. The present Clerk is Clarence A. Drew, a capable criminal lawyer of about twenty-five years' practice. In addition to his duties as Clerk he conducts cases in the minor courts and in the County Court to the extent of at least one-fourth of all the cases considered. During the present year more than one hundred indictments have been found by the Grand Jury and, as an example of the work to be handled, there are fifty cases now awaiting presentation to the Grand Jury at the term beginning on the 17th instant.

I request the opportunity of appearing before your Board to make plain any item herein which may, in your judgment, call for further explanation.

I realize the fact that expenditures are to be kept as low as possible, and I assure your Board that I have avoided any exaggeration in this communication.

I am, respectfully, your obedient servant,

JNO. B. MERRILL, District Attorney of Queens County.

POSTSCRIPT—I append (Schedule A) a statement showing the grouping of the expenditures during the current year. The second page of this schedule shows the probable expenses which yet have to be met. It will be observed that the appropriation is not only exhausted but the deficiency will be high to \$2,500.

The contingent expenses this year will reach \$6,000. I have asked for a total of but \$5,500 for next year, thinking that the medical testimony will not equal that of 1900.

SCHEDULE "A."

QUEENS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,
LONG ISLAND CITY, September 9, 1900.

The expenses of 1900 have been made in the following groups:

County Detective (two items, expenses to Rochester and to Woodstock, Ill., alone cost \$201).....	\$481 87
Physicians, for examinations and expert testimony (manslaughter, rape and assault cases).....	900 00
Expenses to Court of Special Sessions, car-fare and poor witnesses.....	100 98
Expenses of Police Detective Butler.....	29 55
Surveyors, surveys and attendance.....	60 00
Special services in obtaining evidence and suppression of gambling and disorderly houses.....	536 66
Stenographers and typewriters.....	324 10
Copies of trial minutes for appeals and retrials or trials of accessories.....	352 50
Books and repairs (emergencies).....	69 25
Total.....	\$2,854 91

Estimated Expenses for which Accounts have not yet been Submitted to the Comptroller.

Miscellaneous disbursements by John B. Merrill.....	\$375 00
County Detective, July and August.....	75 00
Service in obtaining evidence of gambling, disorderly houses and excise violations.....	100 00
Total.....	\$550 00

The appropriation for 1900 was only \$3,500, and is virtually exhausted.

The medical examination and expert testimony in People vs. Crooks and McNally (accessories to manslaughter) pending, will cost not less than.....

Same in People vs. Pfister (rape).....	\$300 00
Same in People vs. Thompson (rape).....	100 00
Same in People vs. Paulmann (rape).....	100 00
Same in People vs. Von Till (rape).....	100 00
Same in People vs. Weidinger (rape).....	100 00
Same in People vs. Pfister et al. (assault).....	50 00
Total.....	\$850 00

The average monthly expenses for County Detective, office expenses, Stenographers and Typewriters, Special Sessions, special services in obtaining evidence has been \$225.

Estimated for September, October, November and December.....	1,000 00
Estimated cost of physicians and expert testimony (new cases).....	500 00

Estimated deficiency for 1900.....	\$2,350 00
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No. 1638.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—In reply to circular letter received from Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, on July 2, 1900, requesting me to transmit to your Honorable Body an estimate of the amount of the expenditures of the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office for the year 1901, I have the honor to forward you the following estimate:

NAME.	POSITION.	1900.	1901.
Municipal Assembly.			
.....	City Contingencies.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,000 00
.....	Contingencies—City Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,500 00
Council.			
.....	President of the Council.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
.....	28 Councilmen, at \$1,500 per annum.....	42,000 00	42,000 00
Jocelyn Johnstone.....	Private Secretary to President.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Maurice Ahern.....	Confidential Stenographer to President.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John P. Corrigan.....	Chief Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
W. L. D. O'Grady.....	Document Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
William E. Kurz.....	Assistant Document Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Albert E. Null.....	Stenographer to the Council.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Michael C. Padden.....	Sergeant-at-Arms.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Henry C. Eichenberger.....	Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
John J. Shaughnessy.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
William L. Wright.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Patrick J. Murray.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
John J. Hughes.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
John Corbett.....	Attendant.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
James Owens.....	Page.....	600 00	900 00
B. J. Reilly.....	".....	600 00	900 00
D. J. Woelper.....	Journal Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Lawrence F. Collins.....	Ordinance Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
August Pingank.....	Auctioneer's Process Server.....	.....	900 00
City Clerk's Office.			
P. J. Scully.....	City Clerk.....	7,000 00	7,000 00
Nicholas J. Hayes.....	First Deputy.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Thomas B. Jones.....	Cashier.....	1,500 00	1,500 00

NAME.	POSITION.	1900.	1901.
Edmund V. Greene.....	Custodian.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00
David J. Connell.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
George H. Ott.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Charles B. Morton.....	Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
James H. Cross.....	".....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Jeanette Appelboom.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	520 00	520 00
Adolphus E. Karslen.....	Clerk.....	2,080 00	2,080 00
Borough of Brooklyn.			
Joseph V. Sculley.....	Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
James E. Renne.....	Custodian.....	1,252 00	1,252 00
Francis W. Weeks.....	Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Borough of The Bronx.			
Thomas J. McCabe.....	Deputy City Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Borough of Queens.			
Thomas J. McGraw.....	Deputy City Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Borough of Richmond.			
Michael J. Collins.....	Deputy City Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Board of Aldermen.			
60 Aldermen, at \$1,000 per annum.....		60,000 00	60,000 00
M. F. Blake.....	Clerk, Board of Aldermen.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
D. W. F. McCoy.....	Deputy Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
F. J. Martin.....	Document Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
C. A. Glaser.....	Ordinance Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Patrick McCormack.....	Commissioner of Deeds Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
M. M. Sheridan.....	Journal Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
T. C. Wasserman.....	Assistant Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
C. R. Shopland.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
James Cooney.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
C. P. Osborne.....	Engrossing Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Stuart Harris.....	".....	1,000 00	1,200 00
P. Baer.....	Librarian.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Charles J. Doran.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Thomas A. Coakley.....	Sergeant-at-arms.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John Maguire.....	Assistant Sergeant-at-arms.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
William V. Elliot.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Thomas B. Kennedy.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Peter F. Betsch.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
George H. Brennan.....	".....	1,000 00	1,200 00
William F. O'Connor.....	".....	1,000 00	1,200 00
John Mooney.....	".....	1,000 00	1,200 00
William S. Low.....	".....	1,000 00	1,200 00
		\$199,052 00	\$201,552 00
Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.			
10 Inspectors, at \$1,200 per annum.....		12,000 00	12,000 00
10 Sealers, at \$1,500 per annum.....		15,000 00	15,000 00
		\$226,052 00	\$228,552 00

The increase of \$2,500 in the above estimate is caused by the advance in salary of \$300 each of two Pages of the Council and of \$200 each of four Assistant Sergeants-at-Arms of the Board of Aldermen, as recommended by the members of the respective bodies, as shown by certified copies of resolutions forwarded herewith, and the advance of \$200 of one Engrossing Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, less \$100, which is the difference in salary between the amount of \$1,000, allowed for 1900 for the services of an Engrossing Clerk in the City Clerk's Office and \$900 at which stipend an Auctioneer's Process Server was appointed.

Respectfully,

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

No. 1639.

BLACK, OLCOTT, GRUBER & DONYNGE,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW, NO. 149 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 8, 1900.

Honorable P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, City Hall, N. Y.:

SIR—Herewith I have the honor of handing you a duplicate Departmental Estimate of 1901 of St. Agnes' Free Library and Reading Room, the original of which was filed with the Comptroller of this city on the fourth instant.

Very faithfully and respectfully yours,

W. M. K. OLCOTT, Treasurer.

NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Herewith we have the honor of submitting to you, pursuant to the requirements of section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, an estimate in writing, being a "Departmental Estimate," of the St. Agnes' Free Library and Reading Room, showing the appropriation for 1900 and the requested appropriation for 1901, containing in parallel column the detailed estimates required by your Honorable Body. Duplicate copies are herewith sent you, pursuant to your recent circular order, and a duplicate has also been sent to the Municipal Assembly.

We also hand you herewith the Regents' certificate, showing a certified circulation of 125,000 volumes, upon which we respectfully ask that you make us an appropriation of \$12,500 for the year 1901.

We believe that the efficiency of the library for promoting public education and welfare has increased very largely indeed—far more largely even than the increase in its circulation. The population of the locality in which the library is has rapidly increased and is still increasing, and the Trustees of this library are more than rewarded for their efforts by their belief that this library is one of the City's public institutions for good.

Very respectfully,

ST. AGNES' FREE LIBRARY AND READING ROOM.

Bird S. Coler, Robert Appleton, W. W. Appleton, F. H. Hitchcock, W. M. K. Olcott,
Directors.

By W. M. K. OLCOTT, Treasurer of the Board.

ST. AGNES' FREE LIBRARY AND READING ROOM, NO. 2279 BROADWAY.

Appropriation, 1900.		Appropriation Asked for 1901.	
From the City.....	\$6,750 00	From the City.....	\$12,500 00
From the State.....	200 00	From the State.....	200 00
From Gifts, etc.....	155 91	From Fines, etc. (estimated).....	1,050 00
From Fines, etc. (estimated).....	845 00		
Total.....	\$7,950 91	Total.....	\$13,750 00

As explained on the first sheet hereof, the above requested increase of appropriation is based upon the increase of certified circulation of 125,000 volumes.

As explained upon the following sheets hereof, the increase of appropriation can be conservatively, wisely and effectually expended in the furtherance of the work to which the library is devoted.

Detailed Expenditures for 1900.

Rent from January 1, 1900. . . . \$1,640 35
The library was moved from No 520 Amsterdam avenue February 22, 1900, to larger and in every way more desirable quarters at No. 2279 Broadway.

Salaries:

Librarian, Miss A. L. Gibson, at \$70. . . . \$840 00
First Assistant, Miss E. M. Simmonds, at \$45. . . . 540 00
Second Assistant, Miss S. C. Willson, at \$40. . . . 480 00
Third Assistant, Mrs. C. W. Rhein, for three months, at \$40. . . . 120 00
Third Assistant, Miss J. T. Bogert, for nine months, at \$35. . . . 315 00
Fourth Assistant, Mrs. F. P. Jones, at \$30. . . . 360 00
Fifth Assistant, Miss Reade, for January. . . . 20 00
Fifth Assistant, Miss E. H. Bradner, one month, \$20; ten months, \$30. . . . 320 00

Salaries 2,995 00

The Librarian and each Assistant has a vacation of one month in the year.

Salaries for Substitutes. 56 50
Bindery, stationery and library supplies of all kinds (six months estimated). 822 15

Cleaning (six months estimated). . . . 146 00

Insurance. 30 00

Lighting. 82 23

Magazines. 67 93

Messenger (six months estimated). . . . 20 00

Unusual expenses, moving, carpenter's work, electric and gas combination fixtures, additional chairs and tables, awnings. . . . 468 58
Books. 1,500 00

Total. \$7,828 74

Proposed Expenditures for 1901.

Rent. \$2,400 00
\$1,800 for present accommodations and \$600 for additional space, which can be secured by renting the adjoining store.

If additional space is not secured the adults Reading Room will have to be given up and the space used for shelves and books.

Salaries:

Librarian, Miss A. L. Gibson, at \$80. . . . \$960 00
First Assistant, Miss E. M. Simmonds, at \$50. . . . 600 00
Second Assistant, Miss S. C. Willson, at \$45. . . . 540 00
Third Assistant, Miss J. T. Bogert, at \$35. . . . 420 00
Fourth Assistant, Mrs. F. P. Jones, at \$35. . . . 420 00
Fifth Assistant, Miss E. H. Bradner, at \$35. . . . 420 00
Sixth Assistant, New Assistant, at \$30. . . . 360 00

Salaries 3,720 00

The Trustees hope to be financially able to secure another assistant and to increase the salaries of the trained workers, who have done so much good work, and to whom a great deal of the success of the library is due.

Salaries for Substitutes. 100 00
Bindery, stationery and library supplies of all kinds (six months estimated). 1,750 00

The increased use of the library will require this increase for binding, stationery and supplies of all kinds.

Cleaning. 250 00

Increase owing to the renting of adjoining store, etc.

Insurance. 50 00

Increase due to increased value of library.

Lighting. 150 00

Magazines. 125 00

Messenger. 75 00

Salary for a boy. 180 00

Unusual expenses, viz.: Shelving, awning, electric and gas combination fixtures, linoleum on floor. 300 00
Books. 4,500 00

Total. \$13,600 00

W. M. K. OLCOTT, Treasurer.

Copy of original circular certificate attached to Departmental Estimate and filed with Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK—PUBLIC LIBRARIES DEPARTMENT.

Certificate of Approved Circulation.

This certifies that St. Agnes' Free Library, New York, is subject to the inspection of the regents and registered by them as maintaining a proper standard; that its system of recording the circulation of books, and the character of the books so circulated, have been officially inspected by an officer of the University; that its Trustees have reported under oath the number issued for home use during the year ending, June 30, 1900, and that in the judgment of the Regents this library has circulated for the free use of the public during the year 125,000 volumes of such a character as to merit a grant of public money.

In Witness Whereof, the Regents grant, under seal of the University, this certificate, recorded as No. 691 in the University Register, July 27, 1901.

CHAS. F. WHEELLOCK, Deputy Secretary.

[SEAL] MELVIL DEWEY, Director.
W. R. EASTMAN, Library Inspector.

No. 1640.

NEW YORK, August 31, 1900.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York; To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York; To his Honor ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The Home for Incurables of The City of New York, respectfully applies for an appropriation by your Honorable Board in its behalf of eight thousand dollars for the ensuing year, reference being had to section 24 of subdivision 22 of section 230 of the Charter of The City of New York, being chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, and begs to submit the following statement:

The institution was established over thirty years ago and is well and favorably known throughout the country-at-large. The objects of the institution are the care, support and maintenance of incurables. The antecedents of these incurables are carefully inquired into by the institution, for the purpose of ascertaining whether they are destitute and proper objects of charity.

Any appropriation which may be made to the Home for Incurables by your Honorable Body may be made subject to such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The thirty-third annual report of the Home for Incurables for the year ending June 10, 1899 (the report for 1900 is not yet from the printer), is filed herewith and attention is respectfully drawn to page 22 of that report, from which it will appear that of the three hundred and seventy-three patients in the Home during the year seventy-three were free patients. The patients of the Home for Incurables have been drawn principally, if not entirely, from The City of New York, and their maladies are of such a character that, in a majority of instances, they would otherwise become a charge upon the City. No Trustee or officer of the institution receives any compensation for his services.

We respectfully request, therefore, that your Honorable Body shall make an appropriation to the Home for Incurables of eight thousand dollars for the coming year.

HOME FOR INCURABLES.

By ROOSEVELT & KOEBE, Counsel.
No. 44 Wall Street, N. Y. City.

No. 1641.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR THE SURROGATE'S COURT AND OFFICE OF THE COUNTY OF QUEENS FOR THE YEAR 1901.

Names of Persons Employed in the Surrogate's Court and Office of the County of Queens.

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES PAID PER ANNUM, ACCORDING TO LAST PAY-ROLL OF OFFICE.	SALARIES PROPOSED TO BE PAID DURING THE YEAR 1901.	REASONS FOR PROPOSED INCREASE OR DECREASE.
Daniel Noble.	Surrogate.	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00	None.
George L. Glaser.	Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.	3,000 00	3,000 00	"
William F. Hendrickson.	Clerk and Stenographer.	1,800 00	1,800 00	"
Robert Anderson, Jr.	Copyist.	1,000 00	1,000 00	"
John S. Noble.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00	"
Edward H. Moran.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00	"
George R. Creed.	Index Clerk.	1,200 00	1,200 00	"
Joseph Fiesel.	Court Attendant and Messenger.	1,000 00	1,000 00	"

Amount Required for Printing and General Supplies.

Record books and indices.	\$300 00
Printed forms.	400 00
Stationery, etc.	400 00
Allowance for traveling expenses of Messenger.	\$100 00

DANIEL NOBLE, Surrogate.

Comparative Tabulated Statement of all Appropriations made to the Surrogate's Office of the County of Queens for the Year 1900, and of Appropriations asked for in the Departmental Estimate for the Year 1901:

NAME.	POSITION.	1900.	1901.
Daniel Noble.	Surrogate.	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
George L. Glaser.	Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.	3,000 00	3,000 00
William F. Hendrickson.	Clerk and Stenographer.	1,800 00	1,800 00
Robert Anderson, Jr.	Copyist.	1,000 00	1,000 00
John S. Noble.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
Edward H. Moran.	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
George R. Creed.	Index Clerk.	1,200 00	1,200 00
Joseph Fiesel.	Court Attendant and Messenger.	1,000 00	1,000 00
	Record Books and Indices.		300 00
	Printed Forms.		400 00
	Stationery, etc.		400 00
	Allowance for Traveling Expenses of Messenger.	100 00	100 00
	Total.	\$15,100 00	\$16,200 00

DANIEL NOBLE, Surrogate.

No. 1642.

NEW YORK FOUNDLING HOSPITAL,
No. 175 EAST SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET,
September 6, 1900.

To the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—We presume to send in our estimate for the year 1901 in two ways—one according to the allowance made by your Honorable Body for 1900, the other according to the Laws of 1872 and 1874, for children only, for the following reasons:

The excess of expenditures over the receipts of this year amount to about \$20,000, in spite of the most rigid economy and watchfulness over every expense. If the present basis of allowance be continued, it will be impossible to carry on the institution on the same lines as heretofore and which proved so satisfactory.

The present allowance for children over two (2) years of age is insufficient and much less than the actual cost. Under these circumstances we respectfully request that the allowance for children over two (2) years of age be restored to the rate provided by chapter 635 of 1872 and chapter 644 of 1874, viz., 38 cents per day, or that, by some other means acceptable to you, honored gentlemen, provision be made to meet the inevitable deficiency.

Yours very respectfully,

SISTER TERESA VINCENT, Directress.

ESTIMATE FOR 1901 ON THE SAME BASIS AS FOR 1901.

Average number of children, at \$0.38 per day, 1,200.	\$166,440 00
Average number of children, at \$2 per week, 825.	85,804 00
Children placed in homes, at \$20 each, 500.	10,000 00
Maternity cases, at \$18 each, 8.	144 00
Total.	\$274,628 00

ESTIMATE FOR 1901.

Children on Basis of Laws of 1872 and 1874.

Average number of children, at \$0.38 per day, 2,025 (chapter 635 of 1872 and chapter 644 of 1874).	\$280,867 50
Average number of needy and homeless mothers, at \$12 per month each, 85.	12,240 00
Maternity cases, at \$18 each, 8.	144 00
Total.	\$293,251 50

SISTER TERESA VINCENT, Directress.

SPECIAL FEATURES OF THE NEW YORK FOUNDLING HOSPITAL.

1st. There is no other institution in this city similar in character to the Foundling Hospital, in which neither the father nor the mother of the child is known, and in which there are no friends to whom it may look for support or aid; neither is there any other in which similar traveling expenses for the purpose of finding permanent homes for its inmates and of relieving the City of their support are incurred. For one outlay of a few dollars a saving of over \$100 a year is made on each child, or upward of \$50,000 in one year, or of \$500,000 in ten years, etc. Calculating 500 children for each succeeding year, the tremendous work accomplished for the good of the City may be realized. Upward of 500 children were placed during 1899, at an average age of 3 3/4 years.

2d. There is no other institution in which out of 800 children over 2 years of age there are less than 50 over 6 years of age.

3d. There is no other that disburses upward of one-half of the amount received from the City in boarding out the little ones. Our honored Comptroller, who was an eye-witness on the pay-day of May, 1900, was convinced that this money keeps many an honest family together, and thereby prevents them and their children from becoming a burden upon New York.

No. 1643.

OFFICE OF SHERIFF OF QUEENS COUNTY,
QUEENS COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, LONG ISLAND CITY,
NEW YORK, August 29, 1900.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Below please find Departmental Estimate for Office of Sheriff of Queens County for year 1901.

1. Feeding and maintenance of prisoners, turnkey fees, transportation of prisoners to and from Court-house to Municipal Courts.	\$25,000 00
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2. Services of Sheriff in serving subpoenas for District Attorney, bench warrants, drawing and summoning Grand and Petit Jurors, attendance of Sheriff and Under Sheriff at Court..... \$8,000 00
3. Pens, pencils, penholders, ink, muckage, legal cap paper and blotters for Supreme and County Courts and Sheriff's office, blank subpoenas and notices for Sheriff's office..... 750 00

NAME.	POSITION.	SALARY 1900.	
4. Clarence N. Platt.....	Jail Physician.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,500 00
5. Pay-roll of Sheriff:			
Warren B. Ashmead.....	Warden.....	900 00	1,800 00
James O'Brien.....	Keeper.....	730 00	900 00
John Leonard.....	".....	730 00	900 00
Henry Schleth.....	".....	730 00	900 00
William McGowan.....	".....	730 00	900 00
Otto Linberg.....	".....	730 00	900 00
Joseph Smith.....	".....	730 00	900 00
Susan I. Wells.....	Matron.....	600 00	1,000 00
Marretta McLoughlin.....	Assistant Matron.....	400 00	500 00
Jacob H. Rott.....	Orderly.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Total amount of estimate....			\$45,150 00

Comparative Statement for years 1900 and 1901.

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
1. Feeding and maintenance, etc.....	\$30,000 00	\$25,000 00
2. Services of Sheriff, etc.....	8,000 00	8,000 00
3. Stationery, etc.....		750 00
4. Jail Physician.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
5. Pay-roll.....	7,670 00	9,900 00
Total.....	\$46,870 00	\$45,150 00

The increases over estimate for 1900 are requested for following reasons:
During the present year (1900) the stationery for courts and Sheriff's office was supplied by the Board of Supervisors. The cost, \$750, was included in the Budget of that Board. No Budget will be made by the Board of Supervisors for 1901.

The increase of \$300 for Jail Physician, \$900 for Warden, \$170 for each Keeper, \$400 for Matron and \$100 for Assistant Matron for the following reasons:

1. So that each of said persons shall receive the same amount of money that is paid to same office in other boroughs of the City for like service.

A statement of amounts paid in other boroughs is hereto annexed.

2. The labor of each of said persons has increased each year and the present pay is not sufficient for labor performed.

3. In the cases of Matron and Assistant Matron, each of them acts as a nurse to the sick prisoners, no nurses being provided in this borough.

In the appropriation for feeding and maintenance of prisoners for 1900 there will probably be an unexpended balance of \$5,000 at end of this year.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. CAS BAKER, Sheriff.

Statement of Amounts paid in Counties of New York and Kings for following positions.

OFFICE.	NEW YORK COUNTY.	KINGS COUNTY.
Warden.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Keeper.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Physician.....	1,000 00	2,000 00
Matron, Police Precincts.....		\$1,000 00

No. 1644.

SYRACUSE STATE INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN, {
SYRACUSE, N. Y., September 4, 1900. }

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of New York:

By the existing provisions of law, the Supervisors of any county from which State pupils are admitted into the Syracuse State Institution for Feeble-minded Children, are required to raise the sum of thirty dollars (\$30) a year in advance for each pupil so admitted. (See chap. 546 of the Laws of the State of New York for 1896.)

As the Trustees of the Institution have no disposition to charge the counties for clothing State pupils anything more than the actual cost of the clothing furnished, they have decided to reduce the charge to twenty dollars each for male pupils and twenty dollars for females. They are enabled to do this only by purchasing the supplies at wholesale and by making a portion of the garments with the labor of the inmates.

The following pupils have been received into the institution from your county upon the proper legal certificates as required by the law relating to the admission of pupils:

55 pupils as per list attached, \$20..... \$1,100 00

Burial of Robert Smith..... 17 00

Total..... \$1,117 00

It will therefore be your duty, under the act aforesaid, at your next annual meeting to raise the sum of \$1,117 for clothing said pupils for the year ending December 31, 1901.

I will thank your Clerk for a copy of the resolution of your Board on the subject. The Treasurer of the Institution will draw on your County Treasurer for the amount so raised, if not previously remitted, on or before the first day of April next.

J. C. CARSON, Superintendent.

New York.

Albert Abel.	Harry Kraustler.	Catherine Daly.
John A. Williams.	William Alexander.	Sarah Gilbert.
Horace Van Ranst.	Raymond Kenly.	Lena Koch.
James Thomas.	Frank Glasson.	Minnie Kalt.
Andre Moses.	Moses Deutchmeister.	Armenia Robinson.
David Gerhardt.	Henry Mohler.	Florence Watts.
Frederick Halkenhauer.	Samuel Kanapel.	Celia Abrams.
Francis Ward.	Minarsh Handelsman.	Elsa Heyman.
Richard Reid.	George Lang.	Katie Blum.
Henry McNeal.	Rudolph Hartmen.	Alberta White.
Ernest Sauna.	Frank Unstetter.	Florence Becker.
John Hummel.	Maggie Pettigrew.	Erna Biel.
James K. Renwick.	Matilda Miller.	Olga Gunderson.
Joseph Zalucka.	Elnora Risch.	Ella Barker.
William Perlowitz.	Mary Ruddock.	Jennie Church.
William Hummel.	Carrie M. Noll.	Paula Herschkowitz.
Bradford Williams.	Caroline C. Rollison.	Rachel Jaffe.
Maurice Newman.	Rebecca Rosenberg.	Clara Blaze.
	Rachel Berrie.	

55 X \$20..... \$1,100 00

Burial of Robert Smith..... 17 00

Total..... \$1,117 00

SYRACUSE STATE INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN, {
SYRACUSE, N. Y., September 4, 1900. }

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kings:

By the existing provisions of law, the Supervisors of any county from which State pupils are admitted into the Syracuse State Institution for Feeble-minded Children, are required to raise the sum of thirty dollars (\$30) a year in advance for each pupil so admitted. (See chap. 546, of the Laws of the State of New York, for 1896.)

As the Trustees of the Institution have no disposition to charge the counties for clothing State pupils anything more than the actual cost of the clothing furnished, they have decided to reduce the charge to \$20 each for male pupils and \$20 for females. They are enabled to do this only by purchasing the supplies at wholesale and by making a portion of the garments with the labor of the inmates.

The following pupils have been received into the Institution from your county upon the proper legal certificates as required by the law relating to the admission of pupils.

31 pupils, as per list attached, \$20..... \$620 00

It will therefore be your duty, under the act aforesaid, at your next annual meeting to raise the sum of \$620 for clothing said pupils for the year ending December 31, 1901.

I will thank your Clerk for a copy of the resolution of your Board on the subject. The Treasurer of the Institution will draw on your County Treasurer for the amount so raised, if not previously remitted, on or before the first day of April next.

J. C. CARSON, Superintendent.

Kings.

George Askwith.	Frederick Ellinger.	Elizabeth Whiteside.
Clarence Hoagland.	Samuel Levy.	Mary Rostenbaden.
Gregory Reickert.	Albert Farjeon.	Martha L. Young.
Jacob Selzer.	Arthur Von Eschenbach.	Fannie Sturmwald.
Benjamin Skinner.	Mary Hammel.	Josephine Jauch.
Arthur Daniels.	Bertha Wurst.	Louise Bleyman.
Frank Kneeland.	Freida Backman.	Isabelle Bowell.
William Donohue.	Julia Sachs.	Mary Gale.
Charles Lindgren.	Celia Nathan.	Bergalot Aarvold.
Samuel Greenberg.	Laura Combs.	Ellen Curley.
Peter Gruber.		

31 X \$20..... \$620 00

SYRACUSE STATE INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN, {
SYRACUSE, N. Y., September 4, 1900. }

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of Queens:

By the existing provisions of law, the Supervisors of any county from which State pupils are admitted into the Syracuse State Institution for Feeble-minded Children are required to raise the sum of thirty dollars (\$30) a year in advance for each pupil so admitted. (See chap. 546 of the Laws of the State of New York for 1896.)

As the Trustees of the Institution have no disposition to charge the counties for clothing State pupils anything more than the actual cost of clothing furnished, they have decided to reduce the charge to twenty dollars each for male pupils and twenty dollars for females. They are enabled to do this only by purchasing the supplies at wholesale and by making a portion of the garments with the labor of the inmates.

The following pupils have been received into the Institution from your county upon the proper legal certificate as required by law relating to the admission of pupils:

4 pupils, as per list attached, \$20..... \$80 00

It will therefore be your duty, under the act aforesaid, at your next annual meeting to raise the sum of \$80 for clothing said pupils for the year ending December 31, 1901.

I will thank your Clerk for a copy of the resolution of your Board on the subject. The Treasurer of the Institution will draw on your County Treasurer for the amount so raised, if not previously remitted, on or before the first day of April next.

J. C. CARSON, Superintendent.

Queens.

Smith Golden.	George S. Nivers.
Frederick Fritz.	Anna Grady.

4 X \$20..... \$80 00

SYRACUSE STATE INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN, {
SYRACUSE, N. Y., September 4, 1900. }

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of Richmond:

By the existing provisions of law, the Supervisors of any county from which State pupils are admitted into the Syracuse State Institute for Feeble-minded Children, are required to raise the sum of thirty dollars (\$30) a year in advance for each pupil so admitted. (See chap. 546 of the Laws of the State of New York, for 1896.)

As the Trustees of the Institution have no disposition to charge the counties for clothing State pupils anything more than the actual cost of the clothing furnished, they have decided to reduce the charge to twenty dollars each for male pupils and twenty dollars for females. They are enabled to do this only by purchasing the supplies at wholesale and by making a portion of the garments with the labor of the inmates.

The following pupils have been received into the Institution for your county upon the proper legal certificates as required by the law relating to the admission of pupils.

3 pupils, as per list attached, \$20..... \$60 00

It will therefore be your duty, under the act aforesaid, at your next annual meeting to raise the sum of \$60 for clothing said pupils for the year ending December 31, 1901.

I will thank your Clerk for a copy of the resolution of your Board on the subject. The Treasurer of the Institution will draw on your County Treasurer for the amount so raised, if not previously remitted, on or before the first day of April next.

J. C. CARSON, Superintendent.

Richmond.

Edwin M. Boyce.	George Johnson.	Walter Schell.
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3 X \$20..... \$60 00

No. 1645.

OFFICE OF THE KINGS COUNTY REGISTER.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

DEAR SIRS—I hereby make application for appropriation for the ensuing year 1901, and beg to state that every item herein applied for is absolutely necessary for conducting public business of the Register's office of Kings County, and preserving the records thereof, and I am herewith applying for the lowest possible amount consistent with efficient service, and in order to secure the utmost economy in the administration of the affairs of my office as requested in the communication sent me asking for this appropriation for the Register's office of Kings County for the year 1901.

	AMOUNT ASKED FOR 1901.	AMOUNT ALLOWED, 1900.
Item No. 1.		
Salary of Expert (three thousand dollars).....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Item No. 2.		
For current indexing in said Register's office (thirty-five thousand dollars).....	35,000 00	20,000 00
Item No. 3.		
For recopying and certifying libers of conveyances in office of Register, 250 libers, and for recopying lexicographical indexes of libers of conveyances (seventy-seven thousand five hundred dollars).....	77,500 00	25,000 00
Item No. 4.		
For recopying and certifying filed maps, 400 maps (fifteen thousand dollars).....	15,000 00	5,000 00
Item No. 5.		
Contingent fund for supplies necessary to conducting of the office (three thousand dollars).....	3,000 00	
Total.....	\$133,500 00	\$53,000 00

STATEMENT.

I beg to state to your Honorable Board that Item No. 1 is for salary of the Expert provided by law and indorsed by the Civil Service Board.

In reference to Item No. 2, the appropriation of last year is not sufficient to properly carry on the work of indexing, which is one of the most important mandatory duties the Register has to perform, the amount appropriated to my predecessor is not sufficient to carry on his work, and there will be a deficit this year in this appropriation and to this the Comptroller's office can certify.

In reference to Item No. 3, the recopying and certifying of libers of conveyances, the condition of a large number of libers of conveyances in this office is such that for their preservation it is most urgent that they should be recopied and rebound immediately, if not, valuable and important records will be delapidated beyond recognition, and for recopying lexicographical indexes of libers of conveyances, continual daily uses by the public have put them in a mutilated condition and they should be recopied immediately, or they will be in such a shape as not to be comprehensible. They are the series of the years 1877 to 1895.

In reference to Item No. 4, for recopying and certifying maps, I beg to state that they are among the most important records in my office, being the maps of the original farm lands of the old County of Kings; they are in such a condition as to be almost beyond recognition. The recopying of these maps requires experts of high reputation who have made the matter a life study and the expense attached to this recopying is very costly, but of final remuneration to the public who are constantly utilizing them.

In regard to the amount asked for as a contingent fund, I beg to state that this office expended a considerable sum of money for which there should be an appropriation, because it was for incidentals in conjunction with work under those appropriations which the City department had not fund to supply from.

In conclusion, I beg to state that the sums applied for and the various increases over the appropriation of last year are absolutely required because of the enormous business of the Register's office and its growing needs.

To serve the public properly the old records need immediate attention and preservation or they will be entirely obliterated.

I would like an opportunity to appear before your Honorable Board to explain in more detail the matters herein contained.

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES R. HOWE, Register, Kings County.

No. 1646.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 320 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 10, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—The accompanying statement, showing in detail the estimated expenditures of the Board of Assessors for the year 1901, is herewith respectfully submitted.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

	AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 1901.	AMOUNT ALLOWED FOR 1900.
Salaries, 5 Assessors, at \$3,000 each (section 943 of the Charter).....	\$15,000 00	\$15,000 00
Salaries, Secretary, Clerks, etc	26,200 00	26,200 00
Contingencies	1,500 00	1,500 00
Total.....	\$42,700 00	\$42,700 00

Detail of Estimated Expenses for the Year 1901.

NAME.	OFFICIAL TITLE.	SALARIES, 1901.	SALARIES, 1900.
Edward McCue.....	*Assessor.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Edward Cahill.....	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
Thomas A. Wilson.....	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
P. M. Haverty.....	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
John B. Meyenborg.....	"	3,000 00	3,000 00
William H. Jasper.....	Secretary	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Thomas J. Shelley.....	Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
George E. Hindmarsh.....	Stenographer.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
M. J. Mallahan.....	Accountant.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
W. M. Bostwick.....	"	1,600 00	1,600 00
1 Accountant (vacancy)	"	1,400 00	1,400 00
John L. Kiernan.....	Clerk	1,500 00	1,500 00
James M. Clancy.....	"	1,800 00	1,800 00
Hiram A. Faron.....	"	1,800 00	1,800 00
E. H. Cahill.....	"	1,500 00	1,500 00
Thomas J. Higgins.....	"	1,500 00	1,500 00
James C. Doty.....	"	1,200 00	1,200 00
George C. Sutton.....	"	1,500 00	1,500 00
E. J. Dowling.....	"	1,000 00	1,000 00
John McAdams.....	Messenger	1,000 00	1,000 00
		26,200 00	26,200 00
	Contingencies.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
	Total.....	\$42,700 00	\$42,700 00

* Under section 943 of the Charter.

Very respectfully,
EDWARD McCUE, President.

No. 1647.

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
STEWART BUILDING, ROOM 127,
NEW YORK, September 6, 1900.

The Honorable the Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the instructions contained in circular letter of the Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, I have the honor to submit an estimate in detail of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the business of this office in and for the year 1901.

I have the honor to remain,

Very respectfully,

CHAS. WELDE,
Commissioner of Jurors for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Departmental Estimate for the Year 1901, Office of Commissioner of Jurors, County of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

For salaries as follows:

NAME.	POSITION.	
Charles Welde.....	Commissioner	\$5,000 00
James E. Conner.....	Deputy Commissioner.....	2,400 00

NAME.

POSITION.

Frederick O'Byrne.....	Assistant Deputy Commissioner.....	\$2,000 00
Andrew Doyle.....	Liabie Register.....	1,500 00
Harry W. Baldwin.....	Fines Register.....	1,500 00
John T. Carmody.....	Enrollment Clerk.....	1,400 00
Edward Goldsmith.....	Chief Clerk.....	1,200 00
George B. Loud.....	Exempt Clerk.....	1,200 00
James W. Elliott.....	Clerk.....	1,000 00
Daniel F. Crowley.....	"	1,000 00
James Mallon.....	"	1,000 00
Michael Maharin.....	"	1,000 00
Daniel Jerman.....	"	1,000 00
Clarence J. Irving.....	"	1,000 00
Daniel Sullivan.....	"	900 00
Augustus G. Moyer.....	"	900 00
Peter M. Ledwith.....	"	900 00
John A. Reilly.....	"	900 00
Lawrence Keenan.....	"	900 00
William Patten.....	"	900 00
William B. Gonsalves.....	"	900 00
Alfred S. Bugbee.....	"	900 00
John J. Haughton.....	"	900 00
Vacant.....	"	900 00
Thomas Crowley.....	"	900 00
Alfred E. Smith.....	"	900 00
John T. Fryer.....	"	900 00
James Denholm.....	"	900 00
	Contingent expenses.....	2,300 00
	Fund for serving jury notices.....	6,000 00
	Total.....	\$43,100 00

There are no changes in this estimate from the amounts allowed for the year 1900.

Very respectfully,

CHAS. WELDE,

Commissioner of Jurors for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Nos. 1648 and 1649.

REGISTER'S OFFICE—HALL OF RECORDS,
COUNTY OF NEW YORK.
September 5, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President, Municipal Assembly:

DEAR SIR—I herewith inclose an estimate of the amount of expenditures required for the Register's Office for the year 1901.

Very respectfully,

ISAAC FROMME, Register.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

Register	\$12,000 00
Deputy Register.....	5,000 00
Assistant Deputy Register.....	3,400 00
Chief Clerk.....	3,400 00
Satisfaction Clerk.....	3,400 00
Chattel Mortgage Clerk.....	2,512 00
Chief Searcher and Examiner.....	2,200 00
3 Searchers, \$2,000 each.....	6,000 00
Assistant Satisfaction Clerk.....	2,100 00
Chief Block Index Clerk.....	3,000 00
Tickler Clerk.....	2,500 00
Daily Index Clerk.....	1,500 00
Verification Clerk.....	1,720 00
Chief Record Clerk.....	2,012 00
Chief Index Clerk.....	1,500 00
Chief Delivery Clerk.....	1,500 00
Examiner.....	1,680 00
"	1,200 00
"	1,000 00
5 Clerks, at \$1,400 each.....	7,000 00
1 Clerk	1,460 00
"	1,360 00
"	1,320 00
"	1,240 00
16 Clerks, at \$1,200.....	19,200 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,300.....	2,600 00
1 General Clerk	2,700 00
1 Reader.....	1,360 00
1 Clerk	1,540 00
1 Draughtsman	1,320 00
1 Special Messenger.....	1,500 00
1 Supervisor of Indexes.....	1,800 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,012 each.....	2,024 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,100 each.....	2,200 00
14 Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	14,000 00
1 Custodian	1,200 00
"	1,160 00
"	1,012 00
7 Custodians, at \$1,000 each.....	7,000 00
1 Custodian	1,360 00
2 Custodians, at \$1,100 each	2,200 00
1 Messenger	1,000 00
1 Clerk	900 00
1 Custodian	1,500 00
1 Messenger.....	1,260 00
"	1,100 00
1 Clerk	1,172 00
"	720 00
Recording Clerks.....	40,000 00
Total	\$181,832 00

For salaries

Contingencies

Total.....

Preservation of Public Records for the Year 1901.

Salaries of Clerks	\$24,300 00
Libers, index books	1,000 00
Draughtsmen's materials.....	500 00
Total.....	\$25,800 00

Statement Showing the Estimate for the Year 1901 as Compared with the Pay-roll for the Year 1900.

	1900.	1901.
Register	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00
Deputy Register.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Assistant Deputy Register.....	3,400 00	3,400 00
Chief Clerk.....	3,400 00	3,400 00
Satisfaction Clerk.....	3,400 00	3,400 00

	1900.	1901.
Chattel Mortgage Clerk.....	\$2,512 00	\$2,512 00
Chief Searcher and Examiner.....	2,200 00	2,200 00
3 Searchers, at \$2,000 each.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Assistant Satisfaction Clerk.....	2,100 00	2,100 00
Chief Block Index Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Tickler Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Daily Index Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Verification Clerk.....	1,720 00	1,720 00
Chief Record Clerk.....	2,012 00	2,012 00
Chief Index Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Chief Delivery Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Examiner.....	1,680 00	1,680 00
".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	1,000 00	1,000 00
5 Clerks, at \$1,400 each.....	7,000 00	7,000 00
1 Clerk.....	1,460 00	1,460 00
".....	1,360 00	1,360 00
".....	1,320 00	1,320 00
".....	1,240 00	1,240 00
16 Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....	19,200 00	19,200 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,300 each.....	2,600 00	2,600 00
1 General Clerk.....	2,700 00	2,700 00
1 Reader.....	1,360 00	1,360 00
1 Clerk.....	1,540 00	1,540 00
1 Draughtsman.....	1,320 00	1,320 00
1 Special Messenger.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
1 Supervisor of Indexes.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,012 each.....	2,024 00	2,024 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,100 each.....	2,200 00	2,200 00
14 Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	14,000 00	14,000 00
1 Custodian.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
".....	1,160 00	1,160 00
".....	1,012 00	1,012 00
7 Custodians, at \$1,000.....	7,000 00	7,000 00
1 Custodian.....	1,360 00	1,360 00
2 Custodians, at \$1,100.....	2,200 00	2,200 00
1 Messenger.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
1 Clerk.....	900 00	900 00
1 Custodian.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
1 Messenger.....	1,260 00	1,260 00
".....	1,100 00	1,100 00
1 Clerk.....	1,172 00	1,172 00
".....	720 00	720 00
Preservation of Public Records.....	20,800 00	25,800 00

Statement Showing the Amount of all Appropriations made to this Office for the Year 1900, as Compared with the Amounts of Appropriations Asked for in the Estimate for the Year 1901.

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Salaries.....	\$159,840 00	\$181,832 00
Contingencies.....	500 00	1,000 00
Preservation of Public Records.....	20,800 00	25,800 00

The reasons for the increase, as appears by the foregoing estimate compared with the present pay-roll of this office, are as follows:

The increased item of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for Recording Clerks is absolutely necessary to meet the expected increase in the number of deeds, mortgages, powers of attorneys and other instruments entitled to be recorded by law, and for the further reason that since June 16, 1900, this office is now under the State Civil Service Law, which does not permit of any Clerk in this office to do any work other than that for which he has been appointed, so that where heretofore Custodians and other Clerks have done work without regard to their appointment, and which added to the efficiency and economy of the office, the Clerks are disabled from helping out this department, which entails the necessary and additional amount asked for in this appropriation.

The item for contingencies has been increased by five hundred (\$500) dollars, because a number of items which were heretofore supplied by the CITY RECORD and by the Commissioner of Public Works, which, since the new Charter is now transferred to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, have been found cannot be thus furnished, and the amount must therefore be taken from the item of contingencies in the Register's Office.

The item of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars for increase in the Department of Preservation of Records is comparatively small when compared with the enormous amount that is required in the same department in the adjoining county, namely Kings County. The large number of books that are condemned by order of the Court, and which are not as yet recopied, entails additional work not only on the Clerks, but also on the Draughtsmen appointed in this office, who, in addition to recopying old and mutilated maps, are required to copy such maps and diagrams as are contained in the old records. The other increases are for the reason before assigned, to wit, the placing of this office under State Civil Service Laws since June 16, 1900.

This office returns to the City from \$110,000 to \$120,000 per year, and the public gets the benefit of having their papers recorded at a nominal cost. In other words, the public having business with this office receive the direct benefit.

It is the desire of this office to continue its efficiency, and there is a disposition, from the head of the Department down to the humblest Clerk, to transact the business of this office with accuracy, efficiency and dispatch. In this desire this office can be materially aided by the co-operation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with the assurance that the utmost economy will be preserved in the disbursement of the amount appropriated, and whatever difference there may be will, of course, under the law, be returned to the Treasury of this county, so that in allowing the proposed estimate no possible injury or loss can come to the County.

No. 1650.

OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF KINGS COUNTY,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY,
September 8, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Please find herein my estimate of the requirements of the County Treasurer's Office, in the County of Kings, for the calendar year of 1901, amounting to the sum of one hundred thousand and eighteen dollars (\$118,000), as follows:

POSITION.	NAME.	1901.	1900.
Salary Account—			
County Treasurer.....	John W. Kimball.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Deputy County Treasurer.....	Thomas F. Farrell.....	3,600 00	3,600 00
General Bookkeeper.....	Elwood T. Baker.....	2,800 00	2,800 00
Assistant Bookkeeper.....	Charles W. Dickerson.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Chief Clerk.....	Leonard I. Neeson.....	2,100 00	2,100 00
Jury Clerk.....	William J. Carroll.....	1,800 00	1,600 00
Contingent expenses.....		700 00	900 00
	Total.....	\$18,000 00	\$18,000 00
Jurors' fees.....		100,000 00	100,000 00
	Grand total.....	\$118,000 00	\$118,000 00

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN W. KIMBALL, Treasurer of Kings County.

No. 1651.

THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN,
No. 297 FOURTH AVENUE, CORNER EAST TWENTY-THIRD STREET,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children intends to present, at the proper time, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, its application for the annual appropriation to it of the sum of thirty thousand dollars for the uses and purposes of the said society during the ensuing year, 1901, as provided by Greater New York Charter, section 230, paragraph 22, subdivision 2, being a re-enactment of Laws of 1894, chapters 25 and 336.

I have the honor to remain,

With great respect,

ELBRIDGE T. GERRY, President, etc.

No. 1652.

QUEENS BOROUGH LIBRARY,
No. 26 JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY,
September 4, 1900.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Trustees of the Queens Borough Library would respectfully submit the following estimate of expenses for conducting said Library for the year 1901:

In accordance with the plans as outlined in the application of the Long Island City Public Library to your Honorable Board in September, 1899, by which it was desired and intended to consolidate all the public libraries, or as many as possible, in the Borough of Queens, under one Board of fifteen trustees, to be appointed by the Mayor, the Charter of said Long Island City Public Library was so amended by the Board of Regents of the State of New York in December, 1899, and the name of the library changed to the Queens Borough Library.

The Ozone Park Free Library, the Richmond Hill Public Library and the Hollis Public Library have already consolidated with and become branches of the Queens Borough Library, and at the urgent petition of residents in Jamaica, Elmhurst and Far Rockaway, it is the desire and intention of this Board to open branch libraries in those sections and delivery stations in several of the smaller settlements after January 1, 1901, provided sufficient appropriation for the Queens Borough Library is made by your Board.

The increase of the circulation of this library has been enormous, far exceeding the expectations of the trustees, although hampered by small appropriation for 1900. The salaries paid to the employees have been small in comparison with the salaries paid by the New York Free and the Brooklyn libraries, but the working force has continued on, feeling confident that your Board would grant sufficient appropriation for the year 1901 and future years, so that they could be put on the same salaries and standards as similar employees in the other boroughs.

The Nelson Branch, Long Island City, has outgrown its present quarters, and this Board of Trustees would earnestly petition that a special appropriation be made for the purchase of a site and the erection of a suitable building, so that this branch can be properly and permanently housed by May 1, 1901, at which time the lease of the present quarters will terminate. The site owned by the City at Jackson and Nott avenues, heretofore known as the "City Hall Site," would be an excellent location if same could be used for this purpose.

The extending of the library privileges and benefits throughout the borough to meet the petitions and demands of the residents will necessitate the opening of new branches and delivery stations from time to time, and the first expenditures for books and furniture form always items of considerable expense in organization. The newly established branches at Ozone Park, Richmond Hill and Hollis have carried their own expenses for 1900, as the appropriation for 1900 was far too small to allow the Board to use any part of the Long Island City Public Library's money for purposes of extension, although books from the three former branches have been sent to new sections as loans.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERIC W. MAR, Vice-President.

Estimate of Expenses of Queens Borough Library for 1901.

	RENTS.	FUEL, ETC.	FURNITURE.	BOOKS.	PERIODICALS.
Nelson Branch, No. 26 Jackson avenue.....	\$1,200 00	\$300 00	\$1,000 00	\$3,030 00	\$500 00
Steinway Branch, No. 876 Albert street.....	300 00	150 00	250 00	750 00	150 00
Astoria Branch, No. 112 Fulton avenue.....	300 00	150 00	250 00	1,500 00	150 00
Ozone Park Branch.....	200 00	150 00	250 00	500 00	100 00
Richmond Hill Branch.....	500 00	250 00	500 00	2,500 00	200 00
Hollis Branch.....	200 00	150 00	250 00	500 00	100 00
Jamaica Branch.....	500 00	200 00	500 00	2,500 00	250 00
Far Rockaway Branch.....	400 00	150 00	300 00	1,000 00	150 00
Elmhurst Branch.....	400 00	150 00	300 00	1,000 00	150 00
Woodside, Delivery Station.....	150 00	.....	100 00	.....	.....
College Point, Delivery Station.....	150 00	.....	100 00	.....	.....
Bayside, Delivery Station.....	150 00	.....	100 00	.....	.....
Springfield, Delivery Station.....	150 00	.....	100 00	.....	.....
Broadway and Steinway avenue, Delivery Station.....	250 00	.....	150 00	.....	.....
Total.....	\$4,850 00	\$1,650 00	\$1,150 00	\$13,250 00	\$1,750 00

SUMMARY.

Rents.....	\$4,850 00
Fuel and lights.....	1,650 00
Furniture and fixtures.....	4,150 00
Books.....	13,250 00
Periodicals.....	1,750 00
Stationery and printing.....	2,500 00
Rebinding and repairs.....	2,500 00
Transportation of books.....	1,500 00
Insurance.....	200 00
	\$32,550 00

Salary Schedule for 1901.

By reason of the new branches organized and to be organized, and the more extensive work to be performed, it is considered necessary that the entire working force should be permanently organized on an established schedule of position and salary, retaining the present employees in corresponding positions, but with appropriate salaries. A comparative schedule in parallel columns could not be arranged, so the salaries as paid in 1900 is given in a schedule below that proposed for 1901.

OFFICIAL TITLES.	SALARIES 1901.
1 Librarian (or Manager).....	\$2,000 00
1 Assistant Librarian.....	1,200 00
4 Librarians in charge of branch libraries (Nelson, Astoria, Richmond Hill and Jamaica), at \$900.....	3,600 00
9 Assistant Librarians in charge of branch libraries subject to transfer between branches, at \$600.....	5,400 00
8 Junior Assistant Librarians in charge of branch libraries subject to transfer between branches, at \$480.....	3,840 00
8 Junior Assistant Librarians in charge of branch libraries subject to transfer between branches, at \$360.....	2,880 00
4 Janitors, larger branches, at \$300.....	1,200 00
5 Janitors, smaller branches, at \$200.....	1,000 00
1 Clerk and Stenographer.....	900 00
	\$22,020 00
Total estimate for 1901.....	\$54,570 00

Salary Schedule of 1900.

POSITION.	NAME.	SALARY.
Librarian	Jessie R. Hume	\$750 00
First Assistant Librarian	Lizzie May Bragaw	480 00
Second Assistant Librarian	Katharine C. Finan	360 00
Third Assistant Librarian	Martha C. Kelly	360 00
Janitor	Elizabeth Dobbins	300 00
"	Annie Sweed	150 00
"	Mary Bene	120 00
"	Mrs. Reis	120 00

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERIC W. MAR, Vice-President.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Appropriation by City for Long Island City Public Library for year 1900	\$5,000 00
State money for purchase of books only, Long Island City Public Library	200 00
State money for Steinway Branch	200 00
State money for Astoria Branch	200 00
Total for 1900	\$5,600 00

The appropriation asked for, according to schedules herewith submitted for Queens Borough Library

\$54,570 00

The certificates of approved circulation of the Nelson Branch, the Steinway Branch and the Astoria Branch are hereunto annexed.

The certificates of approved circulation for the Hollis Public Library and the Richmond Hill Public Library have been submitted by the trustees of said libraries and the special reports of said libraries have not been considered in this application, as the moneys appropriated by the City for the uses of said libraries do not pass through the Board of Trustees of the Queens Borough Library, as all the three new branches are required to pay their own expenses up to January 1, 1901, but books are supplied from the shelves of former Long Island City Library. There was no special appropriation that could be used for general purposes for 1900.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERIC W. MAR, Vice-President.

No. 1653.

DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE.

TENEMENT-HOUSE CHAPTER LIBRARY,
No. 48 HENRY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

To the Municipal Assembly of New York City:

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1901 OF THE TENEMENT-HOUSE CHAPTER LIBRARY, NO. 48 HENRY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Rate of Expenses, 1900.		Estimate of Expenses, 1901.	
Rent, light, fuel, janitor:		Rent:	
6 months, \$10 00	\$60 00	\$25 per month	\$300 00
6 " 25 00	150 00		
Two rooms instead of one	\$210 00		
Salary:		Salary:	
Librarian—		Librarian, \$50 per month	600 00
2 months, \$38 00			
3 " 40 00			
7 " 50 00			
	\$546 00		
Assistant, required during moving of rooms and for cataloguing, shelf-listing and recovering lost books, 3½ months, \$30	105 00		
New Books:		New Books:	
Money from State	\$120 00	To be purchased with City money	85 00
Private subscriptions	120 00		
Purchased with City money	140 36		
Binding:		Binding	40 00
6 months	\$32 00		
6 " approximately	20 00		
Cards and Sundries:		Cards and Sundries	60 00
About \$5 per month	60 00		
Improvements:		Improvements	50 00
Expenses for moving and furnishing new rooms—			
Painting	\$11 00		
Shelves	40 00		
Furniture	51 29		
Mimeograph	16 00		
	118 29		
Total	\$1,471 65	Total requested for 1901	\$1,135 00
SUMMARY.		SUMMARY.	
Rent	\$210 00	Rent	\$300 00
Salaries	651 00	Salary	600 00
New Books	380 36	New Books	85 00
Binding	52 00	Binding	40 00
Sundries	60 00	Sundries	60 00
Improvements	118 29	Improvements	50 00
Total	\$1,471 65	Total	\$1,135 00

Receipts, 1900.

Balance from 1899	\$254 90
Received from State for books	120 00
Received from private subscriptions for books	120 00
Fines, about \$1.27 per month	15 24
From City	1,135 00

Total \$1,645 14

Receipts \$1,645 14

Expenses 1,471 65

Balance (approximately) on hand January 1, 1901 \$173 49

Respectfully submitted,

M. H. CHILDS, Chairman.

No. 1654.

BROOKLYN HOWARD COLORED ORPHAN ASYLUM,
DEAN STREET, TROY AVENUE AND BERGEN STREET,
BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, September 7, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

MESSRS—As we are confident that the appropriation for 1900 for this Institution will not pay for the care and maintenance of County Wards for the entire year, would ask of your most Honorable Body an appropriation of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000) for the year 1900.

We have cared for 180 children during this portion of 1900; 68 children of this number have been cared for by the City.

All of which we submit for your consideration and action.

On behalf of Brooklyn Howard Colored Orphan Asylum,
M. AUGUSTA JOHNSON, Treasurer.

E. O. MILES, Corresponding Secretary.

No. 1655.

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

GENTLEMEN—We the undersigned, officers of the Board of Trustees of the Twenty-eighth Ward Homoeopathic Dispensary, located in the Twenty-eighth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, at No. 460 Central avenue, hereby petition your Honorable Body to appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) from the public funds of The City of New York for the use of this Dispensary for the purpose of giving medical and surgical aid to the sick poor of this City. We would draw the attention of your Honorable Body to the fact that this is the only dispensary located in the Twenty-eighth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn—the largest tenement-house Ward in the Borough, and containing about 80,000 population. That so far this year this dispensary has made 2,832 prescriptions, performed 208 surgical operations, has vaccinated 94 children, and has made 262 calls at the house, mostly in cases of contagious diseases.

In order that this work may be continued and more efficiently performed, we solicit this sum, as the only means of support we have hitherto had has been by voluntary subscriptions from charitably-disposed people, and this has been far below the needs of the Dispensary.

(Signed)

REV. N. PEARSE, President,
No. 743 Riverdale avenue, Brooklyn.
W. B. ROBINSON, M. D., Secretary,
No. 245 Euclid avenue, Brooklyn.
E. C. PEARSE, M. D., Treasurer,
No. 1112 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn.

No. 1656.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, August 27, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of City Magistrates of the Second Division of The City of New York, the following estimate of expenses for the year 1901 was adopted and is respectfully submitted for your approval.

JARED J. CHAMBERS, Secretary.

CHAS. E. TEALE, President.

	AMOUNT ALLOWED FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.		
First District (No. 318 Adams street).		
1 Magistrate	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
2 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,000	3,000 00	4,000 00
Second District (Court and Butler streets).		
1 Magistrate	6,000 00	6,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
2 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,000	3,000 00	4,000 00
Third District (Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues).		
1 Magistrate	6,000 00	6,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
2 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,000	3,000 00	4,000 00
1 Interpreter	1,200 00	1,200 00
Fourth District (Lee avenue and Clymer street).		
1 Magistrate	6,000 00	6,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
2 Assistant Clerks, at \$1,500	3,000 00	4,000 00
1 Interpreter	1,200 00	1,200 00
Fifth District (Ewen and Powers streets).		
1 Magistrate	6,000 00	6,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
2 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,000	3,000 00	4,000 00
1 Interpreter	1,200 00	1,200 00
Sixth District (Gates and Reid avenues).		
1 Magistrate	6,000 00	6,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
2 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,000	3,000 00	4,000 00
Seventh District (Flatbush).		
1 Magistrate	6,000 00	6,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
2 Assistant Clerks, at \$2,000	3,000 00	4,000 00
Eighth District (Coney Island).		
1 Magistrate	6,000 00	6,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
1 Assistant Clerk	1,500 00	2,000 00
1 Interpreter	1,200 00	2,000 00
1 Interpreter (Italian)	1,200 00	1,200 00
BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.		
First District (Stapleton).		
1 Magistrate	5,000 00	5,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
1 Assistant Clerk	1,500 00	2,000 00
1 Interpreter (German)	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 Interpreter (Italian)	1,200 00	1,200 00
Second District (New Brighton).		
1 Magistrate	5,000 00	5,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
1 Assistant Clerk	1,500 00	2,000 00

	AMOUNT ALLOWED FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
BOROUGH OF QUEENS.		
<i>First District (Long Island City).</i>		
1 Magistrate	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
1 Assistant Clerk	1,500 00	2,000 00
1 Interpreter	1,200 00	1,200 00
<i>Second District (Flushing).</i>		
1 Magistrate	5,000 00	5,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
1 Assistant Clerk	1,500 00	2,000 00
<i>Third District (Far Rockaway).</i>		
1 Magistrate	5,000 00	5,000 00
1 Police Clerk	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Stenographer	1,800 00	2,000 00
1 Assistant Clerk	1,500 00	2,000 00
1 Interpreter	1,200 00	1,200 00
Secretary to the Board	1,000 00	1,000 00
Attendant to the Board	1,000 00	1,000 00
	\$169,300 00	\$185,100 00
Contingencies	500 00	500 00
Total	\$169,800 00	\$185,600 00
Total amount allowed for 1900	\$169,800 00	
Estimate for the year 1901		\$185,600 00

Note.

"A"—Additional Assistant Clerk, appointed for Eighth District Court (Coney Island), June 7, 1900, not included in amount allowed for 1900. The salary of this Clerk has been paid from balance arising by reason of death and resignations.

"B"—At a meeting of the Board of City Magistrates of the Second Division, it was on motion ordered that an Italian Interpreter be appointed to officiate in both courts in the Borough of Richmond, and the salary of said Interpreter fixed at \$1,200 per annum. At this time there is no official Italian Interpreter in said Borough connected with the City Magistrates' Courts, and no such Interpreter was asked for in the estimate for 1900. The volume of business in which Italians are defendants, etc., necessitates the presence of an Italian Interpreter in said Borough of Richmond.

The probable unexpended balance at the end of the year 1900 will be \$3,021.06.

JOHN CROAK,	HENRY BRISTOW,	} City Magistrates.
CHAS. E. TEALE,	ANDREW LEMON,	
WM. KRAMER,	JACOB BRENNER,	
A. V. B. VOORHEES, JR.,	ALFRED E. STEERS,	
EDMUND J. HEALY,	MATTHEW J. SMITH,	
LUKE J. CONNORTON,	LEWIS R. WORTH,	

No. 1657.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—In compliance with chapter 13, section 374, Greater New York Charter, and a circular letter of the Honorable Comptroller, under date of July 2, 1900, I transmit herewith estimate in detail of the amount necessary for the proper conduct of the business of the Department of Public Charities for this year 1901.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) JOHN W. KELLER,
Commissioner for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Results in the Department of Public Charities for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx have been gratifying in the past year. From a mud-hole the Bellevue Hospital grounds have been transformed into stretches of asphalt and grass that not only make the place absolutely clean but, combined with the flowers and newly planted trees, produce the effect of a small but perfectly kept park. Influence of the change has been felt not alone among the sick people who are cared for in Bellevue Hospital but among the people that are employed there. A higher tone pervades the hospital throughout. In a less degree the City Hospital on Blackwell's Island shows the same kind of improvement. It has new floors and metal ceilings and improved grounds. The same statement is true of the Almshouse, while the Metropolitan Hospital on Blackwell's Island will have been changed in a little while into one of the most attractive sanitariums in the Greater New York. Randall's Island is in fine shape, and the Fordham Hospital reaches in excellence the limitations of the construction of the building. The new Gouverneur Hospital is nearly completed, although I cannot say when it will be occupied by the Department of Charities, as its equipment is in the hands of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies. The Municipal Lodging-house for Homeless Men serves adequately the purpose for which it was conceived, and the new pavilion for the insane affords ample and comfortable room for that class of unfortunates pending judicial decision as to their sanity.

A NEW HOSPITAL FOR HARLEM.

The one blot on the Department is the Harlem Hospital. It is not only a discredit but a disgrace to The City of New York. The building is unfit for hospital use, and there is no way of repairing it to make it fit for such use. The only remedy is a new hospital.

All the people who are interested in the charities of New York City, from the State Board of Charities in its power of supervision to the humblest and poorest person in the great territory drained by the Harlem Hospital have agreed to this. The citizens of Harlem have held mass meetings to demand better accommodation for the sick poor of that district, and there is no dissenting voice anywhere to the proposition to build a new hospital in Harlem.

It has been estimated that for the sum of \$150,000 a hospital could be erected to accommodate 100 beds. Such a hospital would meet the exigencies of the present situation. But a site must be had before a building can be erected. From advices that I have received I am led to believe that such a site can be obtained for another \$150,000. At an outside cost of \$300,000 the City could erect in Harlem a hospital that would meet the emergency demands of that section and that would complete the chain of serviceable institutions that make New York second to no other city in the world in the excellence of its means of distributing public charity.

As the head of this Department I feel so keenly the need of a new hospital in Harlem that I would gladly forego for the time being all other contemplated improvements in order to obtain it. I cannot urge too earnestly upon your Honorable Board the necessity of this improvement.

SUPPLIES.

The appended estimate of the departmental expenditure for supplies for the year 1901 is clearer in figures than I can make it in words. My appropriation for supplies for 1900 was \$784,123.97. My estimated expenditure for 1900, based on the first seven months of the year, is \$637,447.13, leaving a difference in excess of the appropriation of \$53,323.16. On January 1, 1900, I had in stock \$154,265.56 on which to draw in the event of my expenditures for supplies exceeding my appropriation. Therefore on January 1, 1901, I should have in stock \$100,962.42 or \$53,323.16 less than I had in stock on the 1st of January, 1900. If supplies were to cost the same in 1901 that they have in 1900, my estimate for 1901 would amount to \$793,702.49 or \$43,744.64 less than the estimated cost of running the Department for 1900. But it is not likely that the cost of supplies will be the same in 1901 as they have been in 1900. From the investigation that I have made of the subject, I am convinced that the cost of supplies will be greater

next year than this. Therefore, in order to be on the safe side, I have added 10 per cent. to meet the probable raise in cost.

It is an interesting fact that in spite of the natural tendency of the new condition of making the Department of Public Charities the supervisor of public moneys expended by private charities, there has been a decrease in the census of more than half the institutions in this Department. The City has not paid so much money to private institutions as it did formerly and yet its own institutions in the year 1900 have not been as crowded as they were in 1899.

This fact is due to three causes.

The first is a reform in the method of taking census in the institutions. I am satisfied from my experience in instituting this reform, that former carelessness in this particular made the census show a greater number of people than were really in the institutions.

The second cause has been the exercise of a greater care in admitting people to the institutions and a greater firmness in making them leave the institution after they had been cured of the ills that brought them there.

The third cause is the elimination of prison and pauper labor from the Department which has tended to decrease the census.

And yet, with all the decrease in census, I have taken care of more sick people this year than last. In Bellevue Hospital alone, I have taken care of 1,702 patients more in the first eight months of 1900 than in the corresponding time in 1899.

INCREASED CENSUS FOR 1901.

I have no doubt that the census of the Department for the year 1901 will be materially in excess of the census of 1900. In the first place, I shall have in the new Gouverneur Hospital 110 beds as against 39 in the old hospital. This means not only 71 more patients, but an increase of the staff to wait on the additional patients. In the second place, the Manhattan State Hospital is due to vacate three buildings on Blackwell's Island in February, 1901. These three buildings will revert to the Department of Public Charities and it is my purpose to use them as hospitals. The total accommodation of these three buildings is about 500 beds. In the third place, if the present arrangement of having the Department of Public Charities supervise the use of City money in private institutions shall be continued, and I presume it will be, the accommodations of this Department will always be taxed to their utmost, because the theory and the practice under this arrangement is to refuse to pay City money for care of patients in private institutions when there is room in public institutions to give them needful attention.

In view of all these facts it seems to me that the proposed estimate of \$673,072.73 for "Supplies" is not excessive.

ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS AND REPAIRS.

With the exception of the deplorable Harlem Hospital, the Department of Public Charities for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx is in such excellent condition that I have only five repair items to ask for, outside of the current wear and tear of the machinery.

The first of these items is for \$28,400, to change the building formerly occupied by Cornell College in the Bellevue Hospital grounds into a maternity ward and waiting-room, and into dormitories for female help. The present Emergency Hospital for maternity is located in an old fire-house on Twenty-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues. It is unfit for the purpose for which it is used. The college building is a splendid structure for maternity purposes. It is well lighted and well ventilated and thoroughly commodious. The first floor can be made into a fine maternity ward, and half of the second floor can be made into a comfortable waiting-room for pregnant women pending delivery.

But a far greater service can be rendered the Department by reconstructing this building. For years the great cry against Bellevue Hospital has been its lack of accommodation for its paid help. They have been herded together in cellars and wherever they could find a place to sleep, and every agency investigating the charities of the City has condemned the practice. Nor was this all. Self-respecting working people would not sleep in the quarters furnished for help in Bellevue Hospital. This fact is one of the most potent in keeping the standard of help so low.

The opportunity now presents itself to remedy all that. Half of the second story of the college building and the whole of the third story can be made into dormitories for the female help in Bellevue Hospital, while the old Emergency Hospital can be used without additional cost as a dormitory for the male help in Bellevue Hospital.

This change will work untold benefit both to the poor women who must be delivered of their children in public hospitals and to the people that have to earn a living by working in Bellevue Hospital.

I would ask \$8,000 for the purpose of changing the old Gouverneur Hospital Building into a stable and sleeping quarters for male help. The City is now paying \$1,200 a year for the present stable occupied by Gouverneur Hospital. All this would be saved, a better stable would be had and the problem of housing the help for the new Gouverneur Hospital would be met satisfactorily.

The next three items are for Randall's Island. In the change from prison to paid help one of the greatest obstacles to be overcome was the lack of sleeping accommodations for the paid help. Prison labor was lodged either in the prisons on Blackwell's Island or in prison houses built elsewhere for their occupation. On Randall's Island the only quarters for paid male help are those that were formerly occupied by the prisoners.

It lowers the tone of the service to make honest men sleep in cells formerly occupied by prisoners.

Therefore I would ask \$8,000 with which to change the old prison building into a comfortable and healthy dormitory for paid men.

A CENTRAL MANUFACTURING PLANT.

I would ask \$8,000 with which to build a brick extension, 75 by 25 feet, to the Industrial School on Randall's Island. Since the Department of Correction ceased to make the hospital clothing for the Department of Charities I have had to do it myself. I find that it is not satisfactory either from an economical standpoint in the actual expenditure of money or from an expeditious standpoint in obtaining clothing, to undertake to attach to each institution a manufacturing bureau.

What I need is a central manufacturing plant for my whole Department where the hospital clothing can be cut with intelligence, and made with care and delivered on time.

It is not fair to poor people who are sick to bring them into a hospital and then either not give them clothing or give them such clothing as to make them grotesquely ridiculous in wearing it.

I have already a good Industrial School well housed on Randall's Island, but there is not room enough to do all the work of the Department. This plant not only would centralize the manufacturing efforts of the Department, but it would relieve each of the several institutions from the responsibility of trying to make clothes, and from the overcrowding resulting from the injection of a manufacturing force into quarters already inadequate.

The roads on Randall's Island are very bad. They are so bad that I am afraid that when the winter comes I shall have great difficulty in hauling coal and other supplies. It seems to me that all the sea walls of Blackwell's Island and all the roads on Blackwell's Island and Randall's Island should be placed entirely under the Department of Correction because that Department has abundant labor at hand always and controls the stone quarry on Blackwell's Island. I cannot wait, however, for so remote a possibility. I must therefore ask for \$5,000 with which to repair these roads.

SALARIES.

For the first time in the history of the Department of Public Charities prison labor has been replaced this year by paid labor. The result has been gratifying in the extreme. The tone of the service of all the institutions has been raised, and the patients and inmates have received better care. I have been able to effect this change without exceeding the salary appropriation for the year 1900.

Therefore I would ask for the same amount of money—\$459,316—to do the same work in 1901.

The July pay-roll of this year shows a monthly rate of salary that would exceed the annual appropriation by \$8,524. I don't believe, however, that the expenditure of so much money for salaries is necessary. The people on the pay-rolls of this Department must do more work. A comparison of the July pay-roll of this year with my estimate of next year will show a decrease of \$8,524.

The only increases in salary that I need for the year 1901 are to meet conditions that did not exist in 1900.

I ask for an increase of \$5,876 for salaries at Gouverneur Hospital. This is due to the necessity of taking proper care of the new hospital, which has a capacity of three times the old hospital.

I ask for \$9,667 for the purpose of manning the new bakery, built to replace the one burned down last winter.

APPLICATION OF THE LABOR LAW.

The application of the Labor Law to the Department of Public Charities is a hard problem to solve. Many judgments have been confessed during the last year against the City in suits under the Labor Law brought by employees in this Department. There have been also numerous judicial decisions affecting this matter. For my own part, without assuming to know anything about the intricacies of the legal aspects of the case, I am certain that there is one class of employees in this Department that are entitled to the prevailing rate of wage and only eight hours a day service. This class embraces the Engineers and Firemen of the Department. These men have to work as hard for the City as they would for any other employer, and therefore it seems

to me that they are entitled to as much compensation from the City as they would have from any other employer. To show the additional cost to the City by conforming to the Labor Law, as far as Engineers and Firemen are concerned, I have prepared the following table:

METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL.

Present.

1 Engineer, \$900 per annum, with board and lodging.....	\$900 00
1 Fireman, \$420 per annum, with board and lodging.....	420 00
2 Firemen, \$360 per annum, with board and lodging.....	720 00
Total.....	\$2,040 00

Proposed.

1 Engineer, \$1,200 per annum.....	\$1,200 00
2 Assistant Engineers, \$3.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	2,555 00
4 Firemen, \$2.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	3,650 00
Total.....	\$7,405 00

RANDALL'S ISLAND ASYLUM AND SCHOOLS AND INFANTS' HOSPITAL.

Present.

1 Engineer, \$900 per annum, with board and lodging.....	\$900 00
1 Fireman, \$600 per annum, with board and lodging.....	600 00
1 Fireman, \$500 per annum, with board and lodging.....	500 00
12 Firemen, \$360 per annum, with board and lodging.....	4,320 00
Total.....	\$6,320 00

Proposed.

1 Chief Engineer, \$1,200 per annum.....	\$1,200 00
3 Assistant Engineers, \$3.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	3,832 50
15 Firemen, \$2.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	13,687 50
Total.....	\$18,920 00

GOUVERNEUR HOSPITAL.

Present.

1 Chief Engineer, \$1,200 per annum.....	\$1,200 00
2 Assistant Engineers, \$3.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	2,555 00
3 Firemen, \$2.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	2,737 50
Total.....	\$6,592 50

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

Present.

1 Engineer, \$900 per annum, with board and lodging.....	\$900 00
1 Assistant Engineer, \$900 per annum, with board and lodging.....	900 00
1 Fireman, \$720 per annum, with board and lodging.....	720 00
4 Firemen, \$360 per annum, with board and lodging.....	1,520 00
Total.....	\$4,040 00

Proposed.

1 Chief Engineer, \$1,200 per annum.....	\$1,200 00
2 Assistant Engineers, \$3.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	2,555 00
6 Firemen, \$2.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	5,475 00
Total.....	\$9,230 00

CITY HOSPITAL.

Present.

1 Engineer, \$900 per annum, with board and lodging.....	\$900 00
2 Assistant Engineers, \$900 per annum, with board and lodging.....	1,800 00
3 Firemen, \$360 per annum, with board and lodging.....	1,080 00
Total.....	\$3,780 00

Proposed.

1 Chief Engineer, \$1,200 per annum.....	\$1,200 00
2 Assistant Engineers, \$3.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	2,555 00
6 Firemen, \$2.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	5,475 00
Total.....	\$9,230 00

ALMSHOUSE.

Present.

1 Engineer, \$900 per annum, with board and lodging.....	\$900 00
1 Assistant Engineer, \$900 per annum, with board and lodging.....	900 00
10 Firemen, \$360 per annum, with board and lodging.....	3,600 00
Total.....	\$5,400 00

Proposed.

1 Chief Engineer, \$1,200 per annum.....	\$1,200 00
2 Assistant Engineers, \$3.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	2,555 00
9 Firemen, \$2.50 per diem each, 365 days.....	8,212 50
Total.....	\$11,967 50

RECAPITULATION.

6 Chief Engineers, at \$1,200.....	\$7,200 00
13 Assistant Engineers, at \$3.50 per diem.....	16,607 50
43 Firemen, at \$2.50 per diem.....	39,237 50

Proposed..... \$63,045 00

5 Engineers, at \$900.....	\$4,500 00
4 Assistant Engineers, at \$900.....	3,600 00
1 Fireman.....	720 00
1 Fireman.....	600 00
1 Fireman.....	500 00
1 Fireman.....	420 00
31 Firemen, at \$360.....	11,160 00

Present..... \$21,500 00

Proposed..... \$63,045 00

Present..... 21,500 00

Difference..... \$41,545 00

From this it will be seen that it will cost the City an increase of \$41,545 to change the existing system to one to conform to the Labor Law. By making this change the City will be the gainer, in that it will not have to board and lodge these men and also in the improvement of the service. First-class firemen will not work for the wages that we are paying now. The result is that through negligence and carelessness the machinery of the various institutions of the Department suffers materially and there is a greater cost for repairs than would be if more competent and conscientious men were employed.

I would therefore ask for this increase in order not merely to conform to the law, if it does apply to the Department of Public Charities, but to get first-class service to handle the various mechanical plants in this Department.

MORE WORK TO BE DONE.

It is the opinion of the head of every institution in the Department of Public Charities for the boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx that my estimate for salaries for the year 1901 is at least twenty per cent. lower than it should be. They protest that they cannot do the work on any such basis. I hold that they not only can do it but must do it. I feel, however, that I have cut the estimate for salaries to the very lowest possible point. You will observe that I have asked for no increase except for an additional service to care for 110 beds in the new Gouverneur Hospital instead of 39 beds in the old hospital, for the equipment of new bakery, which did not exist last year, and for a change to meet the requirements of the Labor Law as applied to the Engineers and Firemen. All the work that was done in 1900 will have to be done in 1901 for the same amount of money that was expended in 1900. In addition to that work I shall have next year an increased maternity service in Bellevue Hospital, and in all probability a materially increased service for the patients cared for in the buildings now occupied by the insane on Blackwell's Island.

These buildings, by the way, will be a valuable addition to the Department of Public Charities. Two of them are so situated that they can be used for phthisis patients without endangering other patients by contact with tuberculosis. Here is the solution of one of the hard problems of the Department, viz.: a proper place for the isolation of phthisis. The third of these three buildings is practically an addition to the Metropolitan Hospital.

For a long time I have realized that the people in the Almshouse hospitals were not properly treated. In the first place they are housed in buildings that were built for dormitories and not hospitals, and in the second place they are cared for by people who are not trained nurses. By the use of the buildings that will come to this Department when the insane quit Blackwell's Island I shall be able to take care of the sick in the Almshouse in properly equipped hospitals and with trained nurses.

The operation of the existing arrangement whereby the Department of Public Charities supervises the expenditure of public moneys in private institutions will fill up all the hospital room at my command. Therefore it will be readily seen that there is no possibility of reducing the force of employees in this Department, and consequently no chance of running the service at less cost than is here estimated.

LODGING-HOUSE FOR HOMELESS WOMEN.

The need of a lodging-house for homeless women becomes more and more apparent every year. At the present time homeless women and children are lodged in the Municipal Lodging-house for Men—not only at the expense of room for accommodation, but under conditions for ventilation, bathing, sleeping and eating that are not desirable. The present Lodging-house for Homeless Men was arranged and equipped for men. No account was taken of the possible necessity of having to lodge homeless women and children.

That necessity has arisen, however, and it should be met.

It is not necessary that there should be a large independent lodging-house for homeless women and children with its own equipment, but it is necessary that there should be an annex to the Lodging-house for Homeless Men that could accommodate the homeless women and children without bringing them into contact with the men. The lease for the present quarters occupied by the Municipal Lodging-house for Homeless Men will expire on November 1. In my judgment that lease should not be renewed because of its limited accommodation. A larger building should be leased and so arranged that the homeless women and children could be cared for without bringing them into contact with the men. I believe that I can accomplish this change out of the appropriation for the Lodging-house as it now stands. Therefore I shall not ask for an increase. It will be observed that there is an apparent decrease in the estimate for the Lodging-house from \$20,000 to \$13,013.24. This is not a real decrease, for the reason that the estimate for supplies for the Lodging-house for the year 1901 are included in the general estimate for supplies for the Department. This estimate amounts to \$6,956.76, which is the difference between the appropriation for the Lodging-house for 1900 and the estimate for 1901.

In considering the general estimate for supplies for the Department in 1901, I would ask that your Honorable Board will remember that the supplies for the Lodging-house are included, whereas heretofore they have stood within an independent estimate for the Lodging-house.

THE BLIND AND BURIAL OF VETERANS.

I would ask for an increase of \$5,000 to the appropriation for the Adult Blind. The sum of \$30,000, which was appropriated for the year 1900 has been found to be insufficient. There are sixty-five blind people found to be acceptable by this Department who got nothing of the appropriation this year because the entire \$30,000 was exhausted before they were reached. The Charter permits this Department to ask for \$75,000 per annum to be expended for the relief of the poor adult blind and to be distributed in sums not to exceed \$100 to any one person. This year the appropriation was \$30,000, and it was distributed in sums of \$50 to each person, and yet sixty-five persons received nothing. In order to give each poor adult blind person acceptable to this Department \$50 in the year 1901 the appropriation will have to be increased from \$30,000 to \$35,000.

The appropriation of \$7,000 for the year 1900 for the burial of G. A. R. Veterans was exhausted in July of this year. The law makes it mandatory upon the Commissioners of Public Charities to ask for money sufficient to bury G. A. R. veterans. The records of this office show that if this Department has to bury as many G. A. R. veterans in 1901 as in 1900, \$10,000 will not be an excessive appropriation for this purpose. Therefore I would ask that the appropriation for the Burial of G. A. R. Veterans be increased from \$7,000 in 1900 to \$10,000 in 1901.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN W. KELLER, Commissioner.

SALARIES.

	1900.	1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
1 Commissioner.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00	.....	.....
1 Deputy Commissioner.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	.....	.....
Total.....	\$12,500 00	\$12,500 00	.....	.....
CENTRAL OFFICE.				
1 Private Secretary.....	\$2,036 00	\$2,036 00	.....	.....
1 Secretary.....	3,500 00	3,500 00	.....	.....
1 Purchasing Agent.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	.....
1 Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	.....	.....
1 Purchasing Agent.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....
1 Contract Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
1 Bookkeeper.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
1 Clerk.....	900 00	900 00	.....	.....
3 Clerks, at \$800.....	2,400 00	2,400 00	.....	.....
1 General Bookkeeper and Auditor.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....	.....
1 General Medical Inspector.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....	.....
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	780 00	780 00	.....	.....
1 Office Boy.....	300 00	300 00	.....	.....
1 Requisition Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Total.....	\$25,216 00	\$25,216 00	.....	.....
OUT-DOOR POOR DEPARTMENT.				
1 Superintendent.....	\$2,400 00	\$2,400 00	.....	.....
1 Assistant Superintendent.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....
1 Visitor-at-Large.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
1 Fireman.....	600 00	600 00	.....	.....
1 Junior Clerk.....	500 00	500 00	.....	.....
1 Driver.....	720 00	720 00	.....	.....
1 Driver.....	950 00	950 00	.....	.....
1 Mail Carrier.....	120 00	120 00	.....	.....
1 Driver.....	850 00	850 00	.....	.....
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	780 00	780 00	.....	.....
1 Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
1 Examining Oculist.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
1 Visitor.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
1 Clerk.....	800 00	800 00	.....	.....
1 Junior Clerk.....	400 00	400 00	.....	.....
1 Hospital Helper.....	150 00	150 00	.....	.....
1 Driver.....	950 00	950 00	.....	.....

	1900.	1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.		1900.	1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
1 Clerk.....	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00			1 Cook.....	\$600 00	\$600 00		
1 Hospital Helper.....	1,100 00	1,100 00			1 Butcher.....	360 00	360 00		
1 Junior Clerk.....	720 00	720 00			1 Registrar.....	240 00	240 00		
1 Issuer of Permits.....	600 00	600 00			1 Butcher.....	600 00	600 00		
1 Visitor.....	1,200 00	1,200 00			2 Plumbers, at \$600.....	600 00	600 00		
	800 00	800 00			1 Stableman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Total.....	\$20,640 00	\$20,640 00			1 Assistant Morgue Keeper.....	600 00	600 00		
BELLEVUE DISPENSARY.					2 Gate Keepers, at \$500.....	500 00	500 00		
1 Examining Physician.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00			1 Foreman of Drivers.....	1,000 00	1,000 00		
1 Apothecary.....	500 00	500 00			8 Drivers, at \$500.....	800 00	800 00		
1 Assistant Apothecary.....	460 00	460 00			2 Skilled Helpers, at \$480.....	4,000 00	3,500 00		500 00
2 Nurses, at \$720.....	1,440 00	1,440 00			1 Skilled Helper.....	960 00	960 00		
1 Matron.....	450 00	450 00			1 Blacksmith's Helper.....	390 00	390 00		
1 Hospital Orderly.....	300 00	300 00			2 Medical Bath Attendants, at \$480.....	480 00	480 00		
2 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	300 00	300 00			1 Machinist's Apprentice.....	960 00	960 00		
2 Hospital Helpers, at \$120.....	240 00	240 00			1 Fireman.....	360 00	360 00		
Total.....	\$5,490 00	\$5,490 00			4 Stokers, at \$360.....	720 00	720 00		
EXAMINERS AND CLERKS—					1 Inspector.....	1,440 00	1,440 00		
DEPENDENT CHILDREN.					3 Inspectors, at \$480.....	600 00	600 00		
1 Clerk, at \$1,000.....	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00			6 Hospital Orderlies, at \$480.....	540 00	540 00		
1 Clerk, at \$600.....	600 00	600 00			1 Hospital Orderly.....	1,440 00	1,440 00		
1 Record Clerk, at \$825.....	825 00	825 00			8 Hospital Orderlies, at \$360.....	2,880 00	2,880 00		
26 Examiners, at \$1,000.....	26,000 00	26,000 00			3 Hospital Orderlies, at \$300.....	420 00	420 00		
Total.....	\$28,425 00	\$28,425 00			1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	390 00	390 00		
STOREHOUSE.					1 Seamstress.....	900 00	900 00		
5 Junior Clerks, at \$600.....	\$3,000 00	\$1,200 00		\$1,800 00	3 Seamstresses, at \$300.....	240 00	240 00		
1 Lumber Inspector.....	1,000 00	1,000 00			1 Seamstress.....	300 00	300 00		
1 General Storekeeper.....	2,180 00	2,180 00			1 Laundry.....	360 00	360 00		
1 Baker (temporary).....	775 00	775 00			2 Waitresses, at \$240.....	480 00	480 00		
1 Baker.....	700 00	700 00			1 Waitress.....	120 00	120 00		
1 Night Watchman.....	500 00	500 00			1 Assistant Waitress.....	180 00	180 00		
1 Clerk.....	120 00	120 00			1 Hospital Helper.....	420 00	420 00		
1 Hospital Helper.....	150 00	150 00			5 Hospital Helpers, at \$240.....	300 00	300 00		
2 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	300 00	300 00			1 Hospital Helper.....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
1 Hospital Helper.....	300 00	300 00			55 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	216 00	216 00		
1 Laborer.....	240 00	240 00			6 Hospital Helpers, at \$144.....	180 00	180 00		
2 Laborers, at \$60.....	120 00	120 00			123 Hospital Helpers, at \$120.....	8,250 00	7,650 00		600 00
1 Laborer.....	120 00	120 00			2 Pupil Nurses, at \$360.....	864 00	864 00		
Total.....	\$10,465 00	\$8,665 00		\$1,800 00	31 Pupil Nurses, at \$180.....	14,760 00	12,360 00		2,400 00
GENERAL DRUG DEPARTMENT.					1 Pupil Nurse.....	60 00	60 00		
1 Chemist, at \$2,500.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00			44 Pupil Nurses, at \$120.....	720 00	720 00		
1 Assistant Chemist, at \$1,200.....	1,200 00	1,200 00			Total.....	5,580 00	5,580 00		
1 Laboratory Attendant, at \$900.....	900 00	900 00				144 00	144 00		
1 Apothecary, at \$700.....	700 00	700 00				5,280 00	5,280 00		
1 Drug Clerk, at \$500.....	500 00	500 00							
1 Hospital Helper, at \$360.....	360 00	360 00							
1 Laborer, at \$300.....	300 00	300 00							
2 Laborers, at \$180.....	360 00	360 00							
2 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	300 00	300 00							
Total.....	\$7,120 00	\$7,120 00							
STEAMBOATS.									
1 Supervising Engineer.....	\$1,800 00	\$1,800 00							
1 Pilot.....	1,350 00	1,350 00							
1 Engineer.....	1,200 00	1,200 00							
2 Engineers, at \$900.....	1,800 00	1,800 00							
1 Dock Master.....	1,000 00	1,000 00							
1 Meat Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00							
1 Inspector.....	600 00	600 00							
1 Stenographer.....	600 00	600 00							
1 Mate.....	900 00	900 00							
1 Cook.....	720 00	720 00							
1 Nurse.....	540 00	540 00							
1 Watchman.....	300 00	300 00							
1 Fireman.....	500 00	500 00							
7 Stokers, at \$400.....	2,800 00	2,800 00							
2 Boatmen, at \$360.....	720 00	720 00							
20 Deckhands, at \$360.....	7,200 00	7,200 00							
1 Hospital Helper.....	180 00	180 00							
3 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	450 00	450 00							
1 Hospital Orderly.....	480 00	480 00							
1 Hospital Helper.....	300 00	300 00							
Total.....	\$30,124 00	\$30,124 00							
BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.									
1 Superintendent.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00							
1 Deputy Superintendent.....	1,200 00	1,200 00							
1 Steward.....	900 00	900 00							
1 Engineer.....	900 00	900 00							
1 Engineman.....	900 00	900 00							
1 Gardener.....	900 00	900 00							
1 Matron and Superintendent.....	750 00	750 00							
1 Examiner in Lunacy.....	1,800 00	1,800 00							
2 Chaplains, at \$450.....	900 00	900 00							
1 Apothecary.....	1,100 00	1,100 00							
1 Laundryman.....	600 00	600 00							
1 Chief Cook.....	720 00	720 00							
	720 00	720 00							
MALE TRAINING SCHOOL, BELLE-									
VUE HOSPITAL.									
1 Superintendent.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00							
1 Instructing Nurse.....	800 00	800 00							
1 Nurse.....	720 00	720 00							
1 Matron.....	420 00	420 00							
30 Pupil Nurses, at \$144.....	4,320 00	4,320 00							
41 Pupil Nurses, at \$120.....	4,920 00	4,920 00							
1 Fireman.....	360 00	360 00							
1 Male Servant.....	240 00	240 00							
1 Night Orderly.....	300 00	300 00							
1 Cook.....	240 00	240 00							
1 Laundry.....	240 00	240 00							
1 Waitress.....	240 00	240 00							
3 Waitresses, at \$180.....	540 00	540 00							
1 Chambermaid.....	180 00	180 00							
2 Chambermaids, at \$180.....	360 00	360 00							
1 Cleaner.....	180 00	180 00							
1 Kitchen Girl.....	144 00	144 00							
4 Hospital Helpers, at \$120.....	480 00	480 00							
Total.....	\$15,884 00	\$15,404 00		\$480 00					
GOUVERNEUR HOSPITAL.									
1 Supervising Nurse.....	\$800 00	\$800 00							
1 Inspector (Property Clerk).....	600 00	600 00							
1 Apothecary.....	480 00	480 00							
1 Driver.....	560 00	560 00							
3 Drivers, at \$500.....	1,500 00	1,500 00							
1 Cook.....	360 00	360 00							
2 Assistant Cooks, at \$192.....	384 00	384 00							
1 Waitress.....	216 00	216 00							
1 Laundry.....	240 00	240 00							
2 Assistant Laundresses, at \$180.....	360 00	360 00							
1 Hospital Helper (Operating Room).....	300 00	300 00							
13 Hospital Helpers, at \$144.....	1,872 00	1,872 00							
1 Day Clerk.....	700 00	700 00							
3 Engineers, at \$720.....	2,160 00	2,160 00							
3 Firemen, at \$360.....	1,080 00	1,080 00							
2 Hospital Helpers, at \$240.....	480 00	480 00							
1 Doorman.....	240 00	240 00							
1 Cook.....	400 00	400 00							
1 Assistant Laundress.....	180 00	180 00							
1 Waitress.....	216 00	216 00							
1 Night Watchman.....	420 00	420 00							
Total.....	\$7,912 00	\$13,788 00		\$5,876 00					
HARLEM HOSPITAL.									
1 Trained Nurse.....	\$800 00	\$800 00							
1 Druggist.....	500 00	500 00							
3 Drivers, at \$500.....	1,500 00	1,500 00							
2 Hospital Orderlies, at \$300.....	600 00	600 00							
1 Laundry.....	300 00	300 00							
1 Waitress.....	192 00	192 00							
1 Cook.....	360 00	360 00							
1 Assistant Cook.....	180 00	180 00							
4 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	600 00	600 00							
18 Hospital Helpers, at \$144.....	2,592 00	2,592 00							
2 Hospital Helpers, at \$120.....	240 00	240 00							
Total.....	\$7,864 00	\$7,864 00							

	1900.	1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.		1900.	1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
FORDHAM HOSPITAL.					1 Seamstress.....	\$180 00	\$180 00		
1 Supervising Nurse and Matron.....	\$800 00	\$800 00			1 Waitress.....	192 00	192 00		
1 Assistant Apothecary.....	600 00	600 00			2 Laundresses, at \$180.....	360 00	360 00		
1 Skilled Helper.....	600 00	600 00			10 Stokers, at \$360.....	3,600 00	3,600 00		
3 Drivers, at \$500.....	1,500 00	1,500 00			1 Hospital Helper.....	300 00	300 00		
1 Cook.....	360 00	360 00			".....	216 00	216 00		
1 Laundress.....	240 00	240 00			38 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	5,700 00	5,100 00		\$600 00
1 Waitress.....	216 00	216 00			36 Hospital Helpers, at \$144.....	5,184 00	5,184 00		
1 Assistant Waitress.....	192 00	192 00			43 Hospital Helpers, at \$120.....	5,160 00	5,160 00		
2 Assistant Waitresses, at \$180.....	360 00	360 00			4 Nurses, at \$180.....	720 00	720 00		
1 Assistant Laundress.....	216 00	216 00			2 Hospital Helpers, at \$96.....	192 00	192 00		
10 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	1,500 00	1,500 00			6 Hospital Helpers, at \$72.....	432 00	432 00		
6 Hospital Helpers, at \$144.....	864 00	864 00			5 Hospital Helpers, at \$60.....	300 00	300 00		
1 Hospital Helper.....	60 00	60 00			Total.....	\$33,638 00	\$33,038 00		\$600 00
Total.....	\$7,508 00	\$7,508 00			INCURABLE HOSPITAL, BLACK-				
CITY HOSPITAL.					WELL'S ISLAND.				
1 Superintendent.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00			3 Nurses, at \$180.....	\$540 00	\$540 00		
1 Engineer.....	900 00	900 00			3 Hospital Helpers, at \$120.....	360 00	360 00		
1 Apothecary.....	900 00	900 00			1 Hospital Helper.....	150 00	150 00		
2 Chaplains, at \$450.....	900 00	900 00			".....	72 00	72 00		
1 Steward.....	500 00	500 00			".....	60 00	60 00		
1 Matron.....	450 00	450 00			Total.....	\$1,182 00	\$1,182 00		
1 Butcher.....	360 00	360 00			METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL.				
1 Nurse.....	240 00	240 00			1 Chief of Staff and Superintendent.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00		
1 Skilled Laborer.....	480 00	480 00			1 Engineer.....	900 00	900 00		
1 Seamstress.....	240 00	240 00			1 Storekeeper.....	900 00	900 00		
".....	192 00	192 00			1 Inspector.....	720 00	720 00		
1 Skilled Helper.....	360 00	360 00			1 Druggist.....	480 00	480 00		
1 Fireman.....	360 00	360 00			1 Matron.....	420 00	420 00		
1 Assistant Engineer.....	900 00	900 00			1 Cook.....	480 00	480 00		
14 Hospital Helpers, at \$60.....	840 00	780 00		\$60 00	2 Assistant Cooks, at \$240.....	480 00	480 00		
4 Hospital Helpers, at \$72.....	288 00	288 00			1 Fireman.....	420 00	420 00		
76 Hospital Helpers, at \$144.....	10,944 00	9,360 00		1,584 00	".....	360 00	360 00		
22 Hospital Helpers, at \$120.....	2,640 00	2,640 00			1 Stoker.....	360 00	360 00		
4 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	600 00	600 00			4 Nurses, at \$300.....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
1 Superintendent's Cook.....	240 00	240 00			3 Nurses, at \$240.....	720 00	720 00		
1 Hospital Helper.....	240 00	240 00			1 Nurse.....	150 00	150 00		
".....	300 00	300 00			2 Laundresses, at \$300.....	600 00	600 00		
".....	360 00	360 00			1 Laundress.....	120 00	120 00		
2 Hospital Orderlies, at \$60.....	120 00	120 00			1 Hospital Orderly.....	300 00	300 00		
1 Hospital Orderly.....	360 00	360 00			".....	180 00	180 00		
2 Hospital Orderlies, at \$120.....	240 00	240 00			".....	150 00	150 00		
1 Laundress.....	240 00	240 00			".....	90 00	90 00		
1 Assistant Apothecary.....	400 00	400 00			1 Domestic.....	240 00	240 00		
1 Stoker.....	360 00	360 00			1 Waitress.....	240 00	240 00		
1 Inspector.....	600 00	600 00			1 Seamstress.....	216 00	216 00		
1 Laundress.....	240 00	240 00			2 Seamstresses, at \$192.....	384 00	384 00		
1 Carpenter.....	780 00	780 00			30 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	4,500 00	4,500 00		
1 Chief Cook.....	600 00	600 00			2 Hospital Helpers, at \$120.....	240 00	240 00		
1 Fireman.....	360 00	360 00			1 Hospital Helper.....	144 00	144 00		
1 Assistant Cook.....	400 00	400 00			1 Skilled Helper.....	120 00	120 00		
1 Cook.....	360 00	360 00			3 Hospital Helpers, at \$90.....	270 00	270 00		
1 Engineer.....	900 00	900 00			3 Skilled Helpers, at \$60.....	180 00	180 00		
1 Orderly.....	300 00	300 00			20 Hospital Helpers, at \$60.....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
1 Maternity Helper.....	72 00	72 00			Total.....	\$18,764 00	\$18,764 00		
1 Orderly.....	480 00	480 00			METROPOLITAN TRAINING				
Total.....	\$32,238 00	\$30,594 00		\$1,644 00	SCHOOL.				
NEW YORK CITY TRAINING					1 Deputy Superintendent.....	\$800 00	\$800 00		
SCHOOL (NURSES' HOME).					1 Head Nurse.....	480 00	480 00		
1 Superintendent.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00			3 Head Pupil Nurses, at \$300.....	900 00	900 00		
1 Assistant Superintendent.....	800 00	800 00			1 Trained Nurse.....	300 00	300 00		
1 Supervising Nurse, Maternity.....	600 00	600 00			16 Pupil Nurses, at \$180.....	2,880 00	2,880 00		
8 Head Nurses, at \$360.....	2,880 00	2,880 00			22 Pupil Nurses, at \$120.....	2,640 00	2,640 00		
34 Senior Pupil Nurses, at \$180.....	6,120 00	6,120 00			1 Hospital Helper.....	240 00	240 00		
39 Junior Pupil Nurses, at \$120.....	4,680 00	4,680 00			1 Waitress.....	240 00	240 00		
1 Matron.....	420 00	420 00			4 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	600 00	600 00		
1 Cook.....	300 00	300 00			1 Hospital Helper.....	144 00	144 00		
2 Waitresses, at \$240.....	480 00	480 00			".....	120 00	120 00		
5 Female Helpers, at \$144.....	720 00	720 00			".....	90 00	90 00		
2 Female Helpers, at \$72.....	144 00	144 00			".....	60 00	60 00		
1 Male Helper.....	150 00	150 00			Total.....	\$9,494 00	\$9,494 00		
".....	120 00	120 00			RANDALL'S ISLAND ASYLUMS				
".....	60 00	60 00			AND SCHOOLS.				
Total.....	\$18,674 00	\$18,674 00			1 Superintendent.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00		
MALE TRAINING SCHOOL, CITY					1 Teacher.....	780 00	780 00		
HOSPITAL.					2 Teachers, at \$750.....	1,500 00	1,500 00		
1 Superintendent.....	\$500 00	\$500 00			4 Teachers, at \$500.....	2,000 00	2,000 00		
3 Head Nurses, at \$360.....	1,080 00	1,080 00			1 Steward.....	900 00	900 00		
8 Pupil Nurses, at \$180.....	1,440 00	1,440 00			1 Chaplain.....	450 00	450 00		
7 Pupil Nurses, at \$144.....	1,008 00	1,008 00			".....	360 00	360 00		
12 Pupil Nurses, at \$120.....	1,440 00	1,440 00			1 Physician.....	500 00	500 00		
Total.....	\$5,868 00	\$5,868 00			2 Inspectors, at \$600.....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
ALMSHOUSE.					1 Trained Nurse.....	360 00	360 00		
1 Superintendent.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00			2 Trained Nurses, at \$300.....	600 00	600 00		
1 Steward.....	900 00	900 00			1 Nurse.....	360 00	360 00		
1 Engineer.....	500 00	500 00			".....	300 00	300 00		
1 Engineman.....	500 00	500 00			10 Nurses, at \$240.....	2,400 00	2,400 00		
1 Apothecary.....	500 00	500 00			3 Nurses, at \$192.....	576 00	576 00		
1 Inspector.....	600 00	600 00			2 Hospital Orderlies, at \$480.....	960 00	960 00		
1 Head Nurse.....	500 00	500 00			2 Hospital Orderlies, at \$360.....	720 00	720 00		
1 Night Watchman.....	500 00	500 00			21 Hospital Orderlies, at \$300.....	6,300 00	6,300 00		
1 Hospital Orderly.....	480 00	480 00			15 Hospital Orderlies, at \$240.....	3,600 00	3,600 00		
1 Matron.....	400 00	400 00			4 Hospital Orderlies, at \$216.....	864 00	864 00		
1 Hospital Matron.....	400 00	400 00			2 Hospital Helpers, at \$240.....	480 00	480 00		
1 Laundress.....	450 00	450 00			1 Hospital Helper.....	216 00	216 00		
1 Hospital Orderly.....	300 00	360 00			8 Hospital Helpers, at \$150.....	1,200 00	1,200 00		
".....	300 00	300 00			3 Hospital Helpers, at \$144.....	432 00	432 00		
1 Tailor.....	240 00	240 00			138 Hospital Helpers, at \$120.....	16,560 00	16,560 00		
1 Cook.....	240 00	240 00			2 Hospital Helpers, at \$60.....	120 00	120 00		
".....	312 00	312 00			1 Seamstress.....	240 00	240 00		
1 Seamstress.....	240 00	240 00			".....	216 00	216 00		
1 Superintendent's Cook.....	240 00	240 00			5 Seamstresses, at \$192.....	960 00	960 00		
1 Foreman.....	240 00	240 00			1 Laundress.....	400 00	400 00		
					".....	192 00	192 00		
					1 Fireman.....	500 00	500 00		

	1900.	1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
2 Firemen, at \$360	\$720 00	\$720 00		
5 Stokers, at \$360	1,800 00	1,800 00		
1 Tailor	420 00	420 00		
1 Cook	600 00	600 00		
1 Assistant Cook	480 00	480 00		
1 Basket Maker	300 00	300 00		
1 Shoemaker	300 00	300 00		
1 Tinsmith	300 00	300 00		
1 Gardener	300 00	300 00		
1 Laborer	480 00	480 00		
1 Janitor	144 00	144 00		
Total	\$54,590 00	\$54,590 00		

INFANTS' HOSPITAL, RANDALL'S ISLAND.

1 Superintendent				
1 Supervising Nurse	\$850 00	\$850 00		
1 Apothecary	500 00	500 00		
1 Assistant Apothecary	400 00	400 00		
2 Inspectors, at \$600	1,200 00	1,200 00		
1 Inspector	480 00	480 00		
2 Trained Nurses, at \$360	720 00	720 00		
1 Trained Nurse	300 00	300 00		
1 Nurse	300 00	300 00		
8 Nurses, at \$240	1,920 00	1,920 00		
1 Nurse	192 00	192 00		
2 Nurses, at \$180	360 00	360 00		
1 Hospital Orderly	420 00	420 00		
2 Hospital Orderlies, at \$300	600 00	600 00		
4 Hospital Orderlies, at \$240	960 00	960 00		
8 Hospital Orderlies, at \$240	1,920 00	1,920 00		
13 Hospital Orderlies, at \$150	1,950 00	1,950 00		
1 Hospital Helper	144 00	144 00		
63 Hospital Helpers, at \$120	7,560 00	7,560 00		
4 Hospital Helpers, at \$60	240 00	240 00		
32 Wet-nurses, at \$120	3,840 00	3,840 00		
1 Seamstress	192 00	192 00		
1 Laundress	192 00	192 00		
1 Waitress	120 00	120 00		
1 Engineer	600 00	600 00		
1 Fireman	600 00	600 00		
5 Stokers, at \$360	1,800 00	1,800 00		
1 Steam-fitter	360 00	360 00		
1 Cockswain	600 00	600 00		
1 Cook	480 00	480 00		
1 Truck Farmer	480 00	480 00		
1 Cow Stableman	180 00	180 00		
Total	\$31,180 00	\$31,180 00		

BLACKWELL'S ISLAND BAKERY.

1 Baker		\$775 00		
2 Second Hands, at \$728		1,456 00		
11 Benchmen, at \$676		7,436 00	\$9,667 00	
Total		\$9,667 00	\$9,667 00	

RECAPITULATION—SALARIES.

	1900.	1901.	DECREASE.	INCREASE.
Commissioners	\$12,500 00	\$12,500 00		
Central Office	25,216 00	25,216 00		
Out-door Poor	20,640 00	20,640 00		
Bellevue Dispensary	5,490 00	5,490 00		
Examiners and Clerks—Dependent				
Children	28,425 00	28,425 00		
Storehouse	10,405 00	8,665 00	\$1,800 00	
General Drug Department	7,120 00	7,120 00		
Steamboats	30,124 00	30,124 00		
Bellevue Hospital	83,004 00	79,004 00	4,000 00	
Male Training School (Bellevue Hospital)	15,884 00	15,404 00	480 00	
Gouverneur Hospital	7,912 00	13,788 00		\$5,876 00
Harlem Hospital	7,854 00	7,864 00		
Fordham Hospital	7,508 00	7,508 00		
City Hospital	32,238 00	30,594 00	1,644 00	
New York City Training School for Nurses (N. H.)	18,674 00	18,674 00		
City Hospital Training School for Male Nurses	5,868 00	5,868 00		
Almshouse	33,638 00	33,038 00	600 00	
Incurable Hospital	1,182 00	1,182 00		
Metropolitan Hospital	18,764 00	18,764 00		
Metropolitan Hospital Training School	9,494 00	9,494 00		
Randall's Island Asylum and Schools	54,590 00	54,590 00		
Infants' Hospital	31,180 00	31,180 00		
Blackwell's Island Bakery		9,667 00		9,667 00
Total	\$467,840 00	\$474,859 00	\$8,524 00	\$15,543 00

RECAPITULATION

of Stock on hand at the Storehouse and the various Institutions of the Department of Public Charities for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, July 31, 1900, showing the Total Stock in each on said date.

Storehouse	\$45,631 91
General Drug Department	17,747 72
Bellevue Hospital	13,568 23
Harlem Hospital	1,078 39
Gouverneur Hospital	1,825 70
Fordham Hospital	942 92
Emergency Hospital	000 00
Male Training School	360 31
City Hospital	5,819 10
Nurses' Home	199 18
Metropolitan Hospital	5,496 42
Almshouse	26,712 42
Incurable Hospital	1,337 03
Randall's Island Asylum and Schools	14,255 17

Randall's Island Infants' Hospital	\$6,973 15
Lodging-house for Homeless Men	4,542 27
Total	\$146,487 92

ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS AND REPAIRS, 1901.

Steamer "Thomas S. Brennan."	
Painting	\$2,500 00
Engineer's and deck supplies	3,000 00
	\$5,500 00
Steamer "Fidelity."	
Painting	\$750 00
Repairs to engine	650 00
New pump	250 00
Engineer's and deck supplies	1,000 00
	2,650 00

Steamer "Wickham."	
Engineer's and deck supplies	1,000 00

City Hospital.	
Repairs to apparatus	\$1,000 00
Engineer's and plumbing supplies	1,000 00
	2,000 00

Almshouse.	
Engineer's and plumbing supplies	3,000 00

Metropolitan Hospital.	
Engineer's and plumber's supplies	2,000 00

Infants' Hospital.	
Repairs to gas works	\$600 00
Engineer's and plumber's supplies	2,000 00
	2,600 00

Randall's Island Asylum and Schools.	
Engineer's and plumber's supplies	3,000 00

Bellevue Hospital.	
Engineer's and plumber's supplies	3,500 00

Pier Shed Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street.	
Painting and repairs	3,000 00

Bellevue Hospital.	
To change Cornell College building into Maternity Ward and Waiting Room and Dormitories for help	28,400 00

Randall's Island.	
Repairs to roads	5,000 00
To alter old Prison building into Dormitory for help	8,000 00
To build a brick extension, 75 by 25 feet, to the Industrial School	8,000 00

Gouverneur Hospital.	
To change old Hospital building into Stable and sleeping quarters for male help	8,000 00
Total	\$85,650 00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Showing the Amount of Each Appropriation as Allowed for 1900, and as Asked for 1901.

	1900.	1901.	DECREASE.	INCREASE.
Salaries (under existing system of payment)	\$459,316 00	\$474,859 00		\$15,543 00
Supplies	784,123 97	873,072 74		88,948 77
Transportation of Paupers, Medicines, Coffins, etc.	10,000 00	10,000 00		
Poor Adult Blind	30,000 00	35,000 00		5,000 00
Rent for Harlem Hospital	6,000 00	6,000 00		
Rent for Fordham Hospital	5,100 00	5,100 00		
Rent for Gouverneur Hospital Stables	1,200 00	1,200 00		
Lodging-house for Homeless Men	20,000 00	13,043 24	\$6,956 76	
Clothing for Insane Patients	5,000 00	5,000 00		
Clothing for Epileptics sent to Craig Colony	1,000 00	1,000 00		
Donation to G. A. R. Veterans	10,000 00	10,000 00		
New Ambulances, Horses, Harness and Repairs	5,000 00	5,000 00		
Burial of Veterans, and Headstones	7,000 00	10,000 00		3,000 00
Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus	133,500 00	85,650 00	47,850 00	

Total	\$1,477,239 97	\$1,536,924 98	\$54,806 76	\$114,491 77
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Net increase for 1901				\$59,685 01
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Salaries at prevailing rate of wage for Engineers and Firemen, at eight hours per day		\$516,404 00		\$57,088 00
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES FOR THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.
STATEMENT SHOWING THE DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR SUPPLIES FOR THE YEAR 1901.

NAME OF INSTITUTION.	Average Daily Census, First Seven Months, 1899.	Average Daily Census, First Seven Months, 1900.	Increase (per cent.) in Average Daily Census, 1900 over 1899.	Decrease (per cent.) in Average Daily Census, 1900 less than 1899.	Supplies on Hand, as per Inventory, January 1, 1900.	Supplies Received from January 1, 1900, to July 31, 1900.	Total Supplies to Meet Requisitions from January 1, 1900, to July 31, 1900.	Deduct Supplies on Hand, as per Inventory, July 31, 1900.	Total Expense of Institution, from January 1, 1900, to July 31, 1900.	Add "Pro Rata" Expense for Remaining Five Months of 1900.	Total Expense of Institution for the Year 1900.	Add Increase (per cent.) in Census to Meet Requisitions for 1901.	Deduct Decrease (per cent.) in Census to Meet Requisitions for 1901.	Departmental Estimate for 1901.
Bellevue Hospital.....	1,333	1,299	.....	.0255	\$12,986 13	\$131,320 02	\$144,306 15	\$13,568 23	\$130,737 92	\$93,384 23	\$224,122 15	.....	\$5,715 11	\$218,407 04
Harlem Hospital.....	87	81	.....	.0690	434 21	11,313 86	11,743 07	1,078 39	10,664 68	7,621 20	18,286 88	.....	1,262 07	17,024 81
Gouverneur Hospital.....	75	76	.0133	.....	1,181 28	10,574 87	11,756 15	1,825 70	9,930 45	7,093 18	17,023 63	\$226 41	.....	17,250 04
Fordham Hospital.....	77	77	.....	.....	493 29	11,795 01	12,203 13	940 92	11,352 18	8,108 70	19,460 88	.....	.....	19,460 88
Emergency Hospital.....	13	14	.0769	.....	.....	1,445 59	1,445 59	.....	1,445 59	1,032 56	2,478 15	190 57	.....	2,668 72
Male Training School.....	101	103	.0396	.....	.....	8,228 78	8,228 78	360 31	7,868 47	5,600 34	13,468 81	534 16	.....	14,002 97
City Hospital.....	934	976	.0450	.....	8,503 18	63,996 92	72,500 10	5,495 83	67,004 27	47,260 19	114,864 46	5,168 90	.....	120,695 56
Nurses' Home.....	95	100	.0526	.....	318 34	7,059 57	7,377 91	199 18	7,178 73	5,127 66	12,306 39	647 32	.....	12,953 71
Metropolitan Hospital.....	640	533	.....	.1672	5,851 79	47,382 56	48,234 35	5,496 42	42,737 93	30,527 09	73,265 02	.....	12,249 91	61,015 11
Alms-house.....	2,451	2,207	.....	.0995	22,715 87	75,208 91	97,924 78	26,712 42	71,212 36	50,865 97	122,078 33	.....	12,159 00	109,919 33
Incurable Hospital.....	127	122	.....	.0394	2,404 67	4,612 31	7,077 58	1,337 03	5,680 55	4,057 54	9,738 09	.....	383 68	9,354 41
Randall's Island Asylum and Schools.....	1,225	1,128	.....	.0792	10,045 10	58,217 47	68,262 57	12,405 87	55,856 70	39,896 93	95,753 63	.....	7,583 61	88,169 02
Randall's Island Infants' Hospital.....	427	329	.....	.2295	3,977 11	25,061 42	32,038 53	6,973 15	25,065 38	17,923 84	42,989 22	.....	9,861 44	33,127 78
Lodging-house for Homeless Men.....	235	195	.....	.1702	4,406 36	4,581 79	8,988 15	4,542 27	4,445 88	3,175 63	7,621 51	.....	1,797 18	6,324 33
	7,820	7,242	.....	.....	\$73,322 13	\$453,799 68	\$532,121 81	\$80,936 72	\$451,185 09	\$322,275 06	\$773,460 15	\$6,767 36	\$50,512 00	\$722,948 15
Add for expenses of subdivision of this Department, other than those stated above, from January 1 to July 31, 1900; also for goods advertised for alterations, additions and repairs, instead of as supplies, and for catables consumed, gas and electric light supplied, telephone service, etc., bills for which were not received from contractors in time to be included in above.														
Central Office.....									\$5,906 02	\$4,218 59	\$10,124 61			
Storehouse Employees.....									1,349 67	964 05	2,313 72			
Steamboats.....									7,568 11	5,495 79	12,973 90			
General Drug Department.....									950 02	678 59	1,628 61			
Out-Door Poor.....									3,630 40	2,593 14	6,223 54			
Fire Department, Engine 49.....									677 31	483 79	1,161 10			
Blackwell's Island Stables.....									1,123 23	82 31	1,205 54			
Photographic Department at Bellevue Hospital.....									56 97	40 69	97 66			
Blackwell's Island Bakery.....									(1 mo.) 15 47	× 12 for year =	185 64			
Goods advertised as Alterations, Additions and Repairs, instead of as Supplies—Approximated.....											5,000 00			
Contractors' bills not at hand in time to be included in above.....									13,939 05	9,313 61	23,252 66			63,986 98
Add for advance in market value of material for supplies for the year 1901 over that of 1900—10 per cent.....														
														79,370 25
Total.....														\$873,072 74

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
Nos. 126 AND 128 LIVINGSTON STREET,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, N. Y., September 7, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—I submit herewith a statement of the expenditures required by the Department of Public Charities for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for the year 1901.

Respectfully,

A. H. GOETTING,

Commissioner of Public Charities for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

ESTIMATE FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, 1901.

Hon. ADOLPH GOETTING, Commissioner of Public Charities, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Brooklyn, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—Herewith is submitted the estimate of the moneys required for the conduct of the institutions in this Department for the year of 1901:

SALARIES.

1900.	1901.
DESIGNATION.	SALARY.
1 General Medical Superintendent.....	\$4,000 00
1 Deputy Superintendent.....	1,200 00
1 Steward.....	1,800 00
1 Clerk.....	1,000 00
1 Apothecary.....	1,200 00
1 Assistant Apothecary.....	780 00
1 ".....	600 00
3 Engineers, at \$1,200.....	3,600 00
3 Stokers, at \$720.....	2,160 00
1 Laundryman.....	720 00
1 Assistant Laundryman.....	600 00
1 Watchman.....	480 00
1 ".....	420 00
1 Cook.....	600 00
2 Cooks, at \$420.....	840 00
1 Cook.....	240 00
1 ".....	360 00
1 Morgue Keeper.....	480 00
1 Telephone Operator.....	360 00
1 Gardener.....	420 00
1 Elevator Attendant.....	300 00
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	500 00
1 Doorman.....	300 00
1 Attendant.....	240 00
1 ".....	264 00
4 Nurses, \$300.....	1,200 00
8 Nurses, \$360.....	2,880 00
1 Supervising Nurse.....	600 00
1 ".....	420 00

1900.	1901.
DESIGNATION.	SALARY.
2 Nurses, \$216.....	\$432 00
2 Nurses, \$240.....	480 00
2 Orderlies, \$360.....	720 00
3 Orderlies, \$300.....	900 00
3 Orderlies, \$288.....	864 00
1 Orderly.....	264 00
4 Hospital Helpers, \$216.....	864 00
3 Hospital Helpers, \$264.....	792 00
3 Hospital Helpers, \$300.....	900 00
1 Hospital Helper.....	276 00
4 Hospital Helpers, \$240.....	960 00
6 Hospital Helpers, \$192.....	1,152 00
3 Hospital Helpers, \$180.....	540 00
11 Hospital Helpers, \$144.....	1,584 00
1 Matron.....	540 00
1 ".....	420 00
1 Chambermaid.....	240 00
1 Seamstress.....	216 00
3 Waitresses, \$240.....	720 00
3 Waitresses, \$216.....	648 00
1 Waitress.....	192 00
1 ".....	168 00
1 Landress.....	216 00
1 ".....	180 00
1 ".....	168 00
1 Superintendent Training School.....	1,200 00
1 Operating-room Nurse.....	420 00
2 Senior Nurses, \$420.....	840 00
11 Pupil Nurses, \$144.....	1,584 00
52 Pupil Nurses, \$120.....	6,240 00
1 Teacher, \$720.....	720 00
Total.....	\$54,004 00
Total.....	\$4,320 00

ALMSHOUSE ROLL.

1900.	1901.
DESIGNATION.	SALARY.
1 Superintendent.....	\$1,800 00
1 Steward.....	1,500 00
1 Clerk.....	1,000 00
2 Clerks.....	2,400 00

1900.		1901.	
DESIGNATION.	SALARY.	ADDITIONAL HELP.	SALARY INCREASE.
3 Engineers, \$1,200.....	\$3,600 00		
2 Stokers, \$720.....	1,440 00		
1 Stoker.....	720 00		
1 Watchman.....	420 00		
2 Chaplains, \$450.....	900 00		
1 Cook.....	600 00		
".....	360 00		
2 Hospital Helpers, \$300.....	600 00		
4 Hospital Helpers, \$216.....	864 00		
1 Hospital Helper.....	180 00		
".....	144 00		
".....	192 00		
".....	240 00		
2 Matrons, \$540.....	1,080 00		
1 Nurse.....	264 00		
2 Nurses, \$240.....	480 00		
1 Waitress.....	192 00		
1 Baker.....	720 00		
".....	600 00		
1 Driver.....	900 00		
9 Drivers, \$720.....	6,480 00		
1 Mason.....	1,800 00		
6 Carpenters, \$3.60 per day, 300 days.....	6,480 00		
2 Plumbers, \$3.50 per day, 300 days.....	2,100 00		
1 Plasterer, \$4 per day, 300 days.....	1,200 00		
1 Steam Fitter, \$3.75 per day, 300 days.....	1,125 00		
1 Bricklayer, \$4 per day.....	1,200 00		
1 Painter, \$3 per day.....	900 00		
1 Cabinet Maker, \$3.60 per day.....	1,080 00		
Total.....	\$41,221 00	Total.....	\$3,160 00

CENTRAL OFFICE.

1900.		1901.	
DESIGNATION.	SALARY.	ADDITIONAL HELP.	SALARY INCREASE.
1 Commissioner.....	\$7,500 00		
1 Deputy Commissioner.....	5,000 00		
1 Chief Clerk.....	2,500 00		
1 Bookkeeper.....	2,000 00		
1 Private Secretary.....	1,500 00		
1 Clerk.....	1,000 00		
".....	1,200 00		
".....	2,500 00		
2 Clerks, at \$1,800.....	3,600 00		
1 Clerk.....	1,500 00		
1 Superintendent of Out-door Poor.....	1,800 00		
1 Warrant Officer.....	1,200 00		
1 Investigator.....	1,200 00		
3 Investigators, at \$1,000.....	3,000 00		
1 Messenger.....	1,000 00		
2 Examiners in Lunacy, at \$1,800.....	3,600 00		
1 Stenographer.....	1,200 00		
1 Janitress.....	720 00		
3 Physicians, at \$1,000.....	3,000 00		
7 Examiners of Charitable Institutions, at \$1,000.....	7,000 00		
1 Examiner of Charitable Institutions.....	1,200 00		
Total.....	\$53,220 00	\$2,400 00	\$2,600 00

MORGUE.

1900.		1901.	
DESIGNATION.	SALARY.	ADDITIONAL HELP.	SALARY INCREASE.
1 Keeper.....	\$1,500 00		

RECAPITULATION.

Salaries, Hospital.....	\$54,004 00
Increases, 1901.....	720 00
Additional Help, 1901.....	3,600 00
Salaries, Almshouse, 1900.....	41,221 00
Increases, 1901.....	760 00
Additional Help, 1901.....	2,400 00
Salaries, Central Office, 1900.....	53,220 00
Increases, 1901.....	2,600 00
Additional Help, 1901.....	2,400 00
Morgue, 1901.....	1,500 00
Total.....	\$162,425 00

The estimate for supplies is based upon the per capita plan as directed by the Honorable Board of Estimate.

Total amount inventories December 31, 1899..... \$11,153 37

Total amount goods since received..... 116,260 87

Total..... \$127,414 24

Total amount inventories July 31, 1900..... \$16,340 07

Total amount distributions, 7 months..... 111,074 17

Total..... \$127,414 24

Average number inmates per day..... 2,022.518

Per capita cost per diem for supplies for 7 months..... \$0.25905

Estimated cost for supplies for 2,022.518 inmates for 365 days at \$0.25905 per day.. \$191,236 19

The above estimate, being based upon actual cost for the first seven months, does not show the actual per capita cost for the year, as it includes all the months in which no heat is required; and as contracts for supplies are made from January 1 to June 30, and July 1 to December 31, it sometimes happens that the prices are higher for the last half of the year than for the first six months. This condition obtains in this Department this year, and there is no doubt but that the apparent balance in our supply account of \$8,763.81 will be entirely used as a result. In addition to this estimated cost, at least 5 per cent. is required for emergencies, such as proportionate increase of surgical work, increase in cost of supplies, changes in dietary, etc.

Emergency allowance, 5 per cent..... \$9,561 80

Estimated normal increase of inmates, 10 per cent..... 19,123 61

The Nurses' Home, now being constructed to accommodate 80 nurses, will be finished about January, 1901, as will also the pavilion for the feeble-minded (accommodate 40) and the addition to the Consumptive Building. We will require for furnishing:

Nurses' Home..... \$3,000 00

Pavilion..... 1,000 00

Consumptives..... 1,000 00

Total..... \$5,000 00

The completion of the new buildings and other improvements now being constructed will afford opportunity for caring for 125 additional hospital cases, at an estimated cost per diem for supplies of \$0.34603. This will lessen the number of cases now paid for by the City in the private hospitals throughout Brooklyn and Queens \$15,790.63.

There is an absolute need of a small emergency hospital at Coney Island during the summer months. Accidents of a serious nature are of daily occurrence there, and the round trip for our emergency ambulance is from twelve to fifteen miles. Valuable time is lost and great discomfort and danger caused the injured, who, still suffering from shock, are carried seven or eight miles in an ambulance. A suitable building can be rented for \$3,000 per season, the necessary hospital furniture and help can be transferred from Kings County Hospital, and the additional supplies will probably not cost more than \$2,500.

RECAPITULATION.

Supplies, as per capita estimate.....	\$191,236 19
Emergency allowance, 5 per cent.....	9,561 80
Furnishing new buildings.....	5,000 00
Estimated normal increase inmates.....	19,123 61
Maintenance, 125 additional hospital cases.....	15,790 63
Supplies for Emergency Hospital, Coney Island, 6 months.....	2,500 00

Total supplies for 1891..... \$243,212 23

Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings..... \$10,000 00

Clothing for Insane Patients..... 4,000 00

Rent for Emergency Hospital at Coney Island..... 3,000 00

New Ambulances, Horses, Harness and Repairs..... 5,000 00

CENTRAL OFFICE.

SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.

Poor Adult Blind.....	\$15,000 00
Transportation of Paupers.....	1,000 00
Burial Pauper Dead.....	2,500 00
Rents.....	2,000 00
Donations to Grand Army Veterans.....	10,000 00
Burial of Veterans.....	7,000 00

NEW BUILDINGS AND ADDITIONS.

LAUNDRY.

The laundry at hospital was burned out in April last, and application was made to the Honorable Board of Estimate for funds for its reconstruction and refitting. By patching up some of the machinery in the lower floor it has been possible to do the rough washing in an indifferent manner, but all of the collars, cuffs and shirts are sent out to be laundered, at an average expense of \$75 per month.

The laundry building was very old and dilapidated, and I would urgently recommend that an entire new building be constructed at a safe distance from any of the other buildings, and thus lessen the danger of fire to the buildings containing inmates.

This building should be made large enough to do the laundry work for the other institutions of the group, affording an opportunity to abolish the smaller laundries, thus reducing the expense of maintenance and increasing the facilities and efficiency of this important branch of the work. Such a building can be built for about the same amount as it would cost to repair the old one, which should be torn down as soon as possible, as it is, in its present condition, a constant menace to those working in it and a favorable place for another fire—\$15,000.

MORGUE.

The present Morgue was constructed about thirty years ago. Two years ago a second story was added to it for use as a clinical laboratory, this work being done by convalescent patients and material purchased from Repairs to Building Account.

The present refrigerator, which is the largest that can be put in the Morgue, provides for nine bodies. There are frequently fifteen bodies to be cared for, and I would recommend that an extension be added and a new refrigerator system be introduced, to cost \$12,000.

IDIOT HOSPITAL.

The \$9,300 allowed by the Honorable Board of Estimate for a one-story frame addition to the Idiot Hospital will, in a great measure, relieve the overcrowding, but does not provide day-rooms, work-rooms or dining-rooms for these most unfortunate patients. It would be of great advantage to them and to the institutions if they could be provided with work-rooms, and instructed in such occupations as mat and basket making, and with a building to provide work-rooms, dining-rooms and sitting-rooms, so that they will not be confined to their sleeping quarters year after year. I would recommend that application be made for \$15,000.

PAVILIONS.

All that was said last year in favor of the two pavilions for the Almshouse Department can be emphasized this year. The need is greater than ever and was well recognized last year. The cost of these pavilions was estimated at \$50,000 each—\$100,000.

HEATING PLANT.

Last year our budget contained an item of \$75,000 for a central heating plant and the reasons were indicated at that time:

I.—The dilapidated condition of the present plants.

II.—The danger from fire through their close proximity to the main buildings.

III.—The lack of capacity of the present plant at hospital to do the work; and

IV.—The economy of operating one plant instead of two.

The Board of Estimate allowed \$25,000 for this purpose, plans were drawn, and the lowest estimate was \$96,000. We have been working on the old plants all summer, trying to get them in condition to do the work that will be required of them this winter, and at the hospital we are adding a locomotive boiler as a temporary adjunct, but all this extemporizing is a decided expense and an ultimate loss to the City, and as it will probably require two years to complete such a plant after the appropriation is made, I cannot urge too strongly that the necessary funds be provided this year—\$96,000.

ROOFS.

The roofs of the Male and Female Almshouses and the Infants' Hospital are all in a very leaky condition, and have been repaired and painted until they have passed the point of repair. About \$12,000 will be required for this purpose, and the work should not be delayed, because the woodwork under the tin roof is decaying—\$12,000.

STAIRS.

The wooden stairs in the General Hospital are out of repair and must be reconstructed, and should be built of iron instead of wood. Another fire-escape is required for the central and rear of the same building. These items can be introduced for \$5,000.

ELEVATORS.

The Male and Female Almshouse each requires an elevator. They are three-story buildings, and there are many aged and decrepit people who have to be carried up the stairs, and it is a difficult and somewhat dangerous undertaking to get them all out doors when the weather permits, and this is the only change they have from rooms in which they sleep, eat and sit. All supplies, laundry returns, food, etc., have to be carried, and the elevator would minimize the labor and greatly improve the service in these buildings. Being a great convenience to the old people. The estimated cost is \$6,000 for each—\$12,000.

GENERAL STOREHOUSE.

The item of \$24,000 for a general storehouse, which appeared in the estimate last year and was not allowed, is of such importance that we reiterate it here. The difficulty of keeping track of supplies, scattered about in a number of small storerooms, which are in charge of "Helpers," is evident, and the inconvenience of being obliged to order goods in comparatively small quantities is very great. The increased labor of passing upon and handling small deliveries, together with the passing of so many small bills, increases the labor (and consequently the cost) beyond this Department, and the establishment of this general storehouse would greatly improve the system and reduce the cost at the institutions—\$24,000.

RECAPITULATION.

Laundry.....	\$15,000 00
Morgue.....	12,000 00
Idiot Hospital.....	15,000 00
Pavilions.....	100,000 00
Heating plant.....	95,000 00
Roofs.....	12,000 00
Stairs.....	5,000 00
Elevators.....	12,000 00
Storehouse.....	24,000 00
Total.....	\$291,000 00

HOMŒOPATHIC HOSPITAL.

This hospital has been closed for some months awaiting funds for necessary alterations and repairs and maintenance. These alterations increase the capacity for patients from 125 to 236, thus making it a more economical hospital for the City to operate.

The per capita cost for maintaining 125 patients in this hospital would be about 60 per cent. more than the per capita cost of maintaining 236.

The opening of this hospital should be hastened as much as possible, because it is needed in that section of the City, and its maintenance will not be an additional cost to the City, because it will take care of 236 patients now being paid for at other hospitals.

The estimate for this hospital has been submitted before, and is as follows:

SALARY LIST.

1 Superintendent.....	\$1,800 00
1 Steward.....	1,200 00
1 Superintendent Training School.....	900 00
1 Matron.....	600 00
1 Clerk.....	720 00
1 Apothecary.....	720 00
1 Watchman (Night).....	600 00
1 Telephone Operator.....	420 00
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	600 00
1 Chef.....	600 00
1 Cook, male.....	420 00
1 Cook, female.....	240 00
1 Laundryman.....	600 00
4 Laundresses, at \$240.....	960 00
4 Waitresses, at \$240.....	960 00
1 Driver.....	600 00
3 Engineers, at \$1,200.....	3,600 00
3 Stokers, at \$720.....	2,160 00
2 Supervising Nurses, at \$40.....	960 00
8 Trained Nurses, at \$30.....	2,880 00
25 Pupil Nurses, at \$10.....	3,000 00
6 Hospital Orderlies, at \$25.....	1,800 00
10 Hospital Orderlies.....	2,160 00
69 Total.....	\$28,500 00

ESTIMATED COST OF MAINTAINING HOMŒOPATHIC HOSPITAL PER ANNUM, 235 PATIENTS AND 69 EMPLOYEES.

Supply account—	
Provisions.....	\$18,000 00
Light.....	2,500 00
Fuel.....	2,000 00
Telephone service.....	500 00
Drugs and sundries.....	2,500 00
Clothing.....	2,000 00
Incidentals.....	2,000 00
Salary Account—Salaries.....	\$28,500 00
Ambulance Account—	
Ambulance, horses, harness.....	\$2,500 00
Repairs and maintenance.....	60,500 00

235 patients, 365 days, 85,775 days at \$60.500, 70.53 cents per day. This estimate is based upon the conclusion that $\frac{2}{3}$ of the cases will be surgical and $\frac{1}{3}$ medical, which, at the rate now paid by the City, 60 and 80 cents per day, would be \$63,818.34, or 74.17 cents per day.

ESTIMATED COST OF REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS AND NEW FURNISHINGS FOR THE HOMŒOPATHIC HOSPITAL.

Repairs and alterations.....	\$76,000 00
Refurnishing—Beds, bedding, mattresses, etc.....	8,000 00
Operating-room—Furniture, instruments, etc.....	3,000 00
Stationery—Stationery, books, etc.....	1,500 00
Cost of maintenance—\$5.041.66 $\frac{2}{3}$ per month, or, per year.....	60,500 00
Total.....	\$149,000 00

GENERAL RECAPITULATION.

Salaries.....	\$162,425 00
Supplies.....	243,212 23
Alterations, additions and repairs.....	10,000 00
Clothing for insane patients.....	4,000 00
Rent for Emergency Hospital, Coney Island.....	3,000 00
New ambulances, horses, harness, repairs, etc.....	5,000 00
New buildings.....	291,000 00
Homœopathic Hospital.....	149,000 00
Poor adult blind.....	15,000 00
Transportation of paupers.....	1,000 00
Burial of pauper dead.....	2,500 00
Rents.....	2,000 00
Donations to G. A. R. veterans.....	10,000 00
Burial of veterans.....	7,000 00
Total.....	\$905,137 23

No. 1658.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES FOR 1901, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—In compliance with your circular letter of July 2, 1900, and in accordance with resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment of June 27, 1900, I beg to transmit herewith estimate of the amounts necessary for properly conducting the work of the Department of Correction for the year 1901.

Very respectfully,
FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

NEW YORK, September 4, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—In transmitting estimate of expenses for the year 1901, I beg to call your attention to the following:

No changes have been made in "Supplies," "Repairs of Buildings and Apparatus," "Repairs of Steamboats," "Donations to Discharged Prisoners," "Transportation, etc., of Insane Criminals," nor "Improvements—Riker's Island."

In "Salaries," I have asked for an extra Matron, an Orderly for the baths at the Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, and a Flagger and Curber at the Penitentiary. This will increase the salary roll \$2,470 over the amount allowed for 1900.

In order to carry on the business of the Department properly, as well as to accommodate visitors, transport prisoners, carry freight and tow the Department barge almost daily, it will be absolutely necessary to have a new steamboat, the cost of which will be \$75,000. The boats now in use are totally inadequate to do the work above specified; they need constant repairing, they have outlived their usefulness in most cases and even after being repaired they run for a short time then must be laid up again for other and further repairs. I would respectfully ask that your Honorable Board will pass favorably upon this request.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

STATEMENT.

As per resolution of Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 27, 1900.....	
Stock on hand, as per inventory, January 1, 1900.....	\$52,747 48
Amount of supplies received to July 31, 1900, and as per vouchers transmitted to Finance Department.....	160,073 49
	\$212,820 49
Stock on hand July 31, 1900.....	64,314 50
Cost for 7 months (212 days).....	\$148,506 47

Census for 7 months—

City Prison.....	434
District Prisons.....	298
Penitentiary.....	768
Workhouse.....	1,389
Steamboats.....	27
Total.....	2,916

Or, \$0.2404 per diem.

It is fair to assume that the census from August 1 to December 31, 1900, will average 3,000. 3,000 inmates will cost (for 153 days) \$110,260.98. This would bring the total cost for 1900 up to \$258,767.45.

Your Honorable Board should, however, take into consideration the fact that, while the estimated cost for the remainder of the year is based on the same per capita cost per diem as for the first seven months, allowance should be made for winter clothing, bedding, blankets, etc., which always need renewing, and which will, no doubt, bring the actual cost for supplies for 1900 up to \$271,000, or very close to it.

For 1901 I have asked \$271,000, the same amount as was allowed for 1900. 3,000 inmates would bring the per capita cost per diem up to \$0.2475.

The appropriations for the Borough of Brooklyn are as follows:

	1901.	1900.
Salaries.....	\$64,690 00	\$64,890 00
Supplies.....	55,000 00	70,000 00
Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus.....	10,000 00	15,000 00
Donations to Discharged Prisoners.....	2,000 00	4,000 00
Transportation, Maintenance, etc., Insane Criminals.....	1,500 00	1,800 00

My reason for reducing the above appropriations is that the census has been going down ever since 1898, and I feel confident that unless an extraordinary increase takes place, the above amounts will be sufficient.

Supplies for Manufacturing Purposes (formerly called "Supplies Needed in Kings County Penitentiary")—I have asked for \$100,000, owing to the increased volume of work now being done for almost all the departments of the Greater New York. Last year's appropriation was \$50,000, and there was an extra appropriation of \$25,000, making a total of \$75,000. I feel confident that if the above amount (\$100,000) is allowed, there will be no necessity for asking for an extra appropriation for this branch of the Department during the coming year.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Stock on hand January 1, 1900.....	\$6,389 18
Amount of supplies received, as per vouchers transmitted to Finance Department.....	28,808 80
	\$35,197 98
Stock on hand July 31, 1900.....	9,971 64
Cost for 7 months (212 days).....	\$28,226 34

Census 433, or \$0.3074 per capita, per diem.

Five months, or 153 days for remainder of the year, at same ratio, would bring total for 1900 to \$48,597.00.

It has been reported to me that the increase for 1901 will be 25 per cent. of a census of about 540. I have asked for \$55,000 for "Supplies," which would bring the per capita cost per diem to \$0.2790.

The total reductions, which amount to \$22,500 for Brooklyn, will be within \$2,500 of the increase asked for for "Supplies for Manufacturing Purposes" in Kings County Penitentiary, viz., \$25,000.

The total increases are as follows:

Salaries (Manhattan).....	\$2,470 00
New steamboat.....	75,000 00
Supplies for Manufacturing Purposes (Brooklyn).....	25,000 00
Total.....	\$102,470 00
Decreases from Brooklyn Appropriation—	
Salaries.....	\$200 00
Supplies.....	15,000 00
Repairs of Buildings and Apparatus.....	5,000 00
Donations, Discharged Prisoners.....	2,000 00
Transportation, etc., Insane Criminals.....	300 00
	22,500 00
Net increase for Manhattan and Brooklyn.....	\$79,970 00

SALARIES.

	1900.	INCREASES.	ADDITIONAL FORCE.	SALARY.
Commissioner.....	\$7,500 00			
Deputy Commissioner.....	5,000 00			
Total.....	\$12,500 00			
CENTRAL OFFICE.				
Secretary.....	\$3,000 00			
General Bookkeeper and Auditor.....	3,600 00			
Private Secretary.....	1,500 00			
Purchasing Agent.....	2,000 00			
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00			
Clerk.....	1,500 00			
".....	1,200 00			

	1900.	INCREASES.	ADDITIONAL FORCE.	SALARY.		1900.	INCREASES.	ADDITIONAL FORCE.	SALARY.	
Clerk.....	\$800 00				Rockman and Blaster, 300 days, at \$2 per diem.....	\$600 00				
Cleaner.....	300 00				4 Keepers, \$800 each, from September 1, 1900.....	3,200 00		Flagger and Curber	\$1,200 00	
Attendant.....	500 00				Total.....	\$69,835 00			\$1,200 00	
Junior Clerk.....	600 00									
Total.....	\$16,260 00									
CENTRAL OFFICE STABLES.					WORKHOUSE.					
Hostler.....	\$1,000 00				Warden.....	\$2,500 00				
".....	800 00				3 Chaplains, \$450 each.....	1,350 00				
5 Drivers, \$840 each.....	4,200 00				Engineer.....	800 00				
Total.....	\$6,040 00				Assistant Engineer.....	600 00				
STOREHOUSE.					3 Keepers, \$1,000 each.....	3,000 00				
Storekeeper.....	\$2,000 00				5 Keepers, \$900 each.....	4,500 00				
Clerk.....	800 00				4 Keepers, \$800 each.....	3,200 00				
4 Clerks, \$150 each.....	600 00				Deputy Keeper.....	900 00				
Clerk.....	120 00				Gardener.....	900 00				
2 Helpers, \$150 each.....	300 00				Cook.....	420 00				
Total.....	\$3,820 00				Coxswain.....	700 00				
STEAMBOATS.					Druggist.....	600 00				
Pilot.....	\$1,200 00				Driver.....	600 00				
".....	1,000 00				9 Orderlies, \$300 each.....	2,700 00				
".....	1,000 00				5 Orderlies, \$480 each.....	2,400 00				
".....	900 00				2 Orderlies, \$400 each.....	800 00				
Engineer.....	1,000 00				Butcher.....	360 00				
".....	600 00				Tailor.....	300 00				
".....	600 00				5 Laborers, \$150 each.....	750 00				
".....	800 00				3 Nurses, \$300 each.....	900 00				
Butcher.....	1,200 00				Attendant.....	120 00				
Keeper.....	900 00				".....	300 00				
Fireman.....	400 00				".....	360 00				
Clerk.....	150 00				2 Helpers, \$60 each.....	120 00				
".....	120 00				3 Helpers, \$120 each.....	360 00				
2 Boatmen, \$600 each.....	1,200 00				Attendant.....	150 00				
Stoker.....	480 00				Librarian.....	120 00				
2 Stokers, \$360 each.....	720 00				Baker.....	700 00				
2 Cooks, \$360 each.....	720 00				Hallkeeper.....	450 00				
9 Deck-hands, \$360 each.....	3,240 00				2 Hallkeepers, \$300 each.....	600 00				
Total.....	\$16,830 00				Matron.....	450 00				
CITY PRISON.					Assistant Matron.....	300 00				
Warden.....	\$2,500 00				Clerk.....	800 00				
Night Warden.....	2,250 00				Shoemaker, 300 days, \$3.50 per diem.....	1,050 00				
Head Keeper.....	1,000 00				Carpenter, 300 days, \$4 per diem.....	1,200 00				
11 Keepers, \$1,000 each.....	11,000 00				Painter, 300 days, \$3.50 per diem.....	1,050 00				
10 Keepers, \$900 each.....	9,000 00				Gardener.....	900 00		1	Orderly in Charge of Baths.....	
10 Keepers, \$800 each.....	8,000 00				Total.....	\$38,420 00			\$720 00	
Physician.....	1,500 00								\$720 00	
Cook.....	600 00				BRANCH WORKHOUSE, HART'S ISLAND.					
Matron.....	500 00				Warden.....	\$1,200 00				
2 Assistant Matrons, \$450 each.....	900 00				Keeper.....	1,000 00				
Orderly.....	450 00				2 Keepers, \$900 each.....	1,800 00				
".....	300 00				2 Keepers, \$800 each.....	1,600 00				
Fireman.....	300 00				Engineer.....	900 00				
Laborer.....	120 00				Fireman.....	360 00				
2 Helpers, \$120 each.....	240 00				2 Helpers, \$150 each.....	300 00				
Helper.....	60 00				Helper.....	120 00				
Total.....	\$38,720 00				".....	60 00				
DISTRICT PRISONS.					Total.....	\$7,340 00				
Warden.....	\$2,500 00				BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.					
Physician.....	1,500 00				RECAPITULATION OF SALARIES.					
15 Keepers, \$1,000 each.....	15,000 00						SEPTEMBER ROLL, 1900.	1901.		
13 Keepers, \$900 each.....	11,700 00				Commissioner and Deputy.....	\$12,500 00	\$12,500 00	\$12,500 00		
Keeper.....	800 00				Central Office.....	16,260 00	16,260 00	16,260 00		
3 Matrons, \$450 each.....	1,350 00				Central Office Stables.....	6,040 00	6,040 00	6,040 00		
3 Assistant Matrons, \$450 each.....	1,350 00				Steamboats.....	16,830 00	16,830 00	16,830 00		
Head Orderly.....	480 00				Storehouse.....	3,820 00	3,820 00	3,820 00		
Orderly, \$450; Orderly, \$400.....	850 00				City Prison.....	38,720 00	38,720 00	38,720 00		
Attendant.....	150 00				District Prisons.....	36,920 00	37,370 00	37,370 00		
Fireman.....	400 00				Penitentiary.....	69,835 00	71,035 00	71,035 00		
Driver.....	840 00				Workhouse.....	38,420 00	39,140 00	39,140 00		
Total.....	\$36,920 00				Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island.....	7,340 00	7,340 00	7,340 00		
PENITENTIARY.					Total.....	\$246,685 00	\$249,055 00			
Warden.....	\$3,000 00				Increase for 1901, as per September Roll.....					\$2,370 00
Deputy Warden.....	2,000 00				Increase from 1900 to 1901.....					\$2,470 00
Head Keeper.....	1,200 00				Number of Employees.					
Chief, Bertillon System.....	1,000 00						1900.	1901.		
10 Keepers, \$1,000 each.....	10,000 00				Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner.....	2	2			
20 Keepers, \$900 each.....	18,000 00				Central Office.....	11	11			
12 Keepers, \$800 each.....	9,600 00				Central Office Stables.....	7	7			
Clerk.....	900 00				Steamboats.....	29	29			
Butcher.....	900 00				Storehouse.....	9	9			
Engineman.....	900 00				City Prison.....	46	46			
Assistant Engineman.....	800 00				District Prison.....	42	43			
Foreman Shoemaker.....	800 00				Penitentiary.....	79	80			
Physician.....	600 00				Workhouse.....	72	73			
Hose Repairer's Helper.....	600 00				Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island.....	12	12			
Cook.....	600 00				Total.....	309	312			
3 Matrons—1 at \$375, 2 at \$300.....	975 00				Pay-roll from September 1, 1900, shows a yearly expenditure of \$246,685, as against \$246,585, as received.					
3 Orderlies—1 at \$360, 2 at \$300.....	960 00				Amount asked for 1901 is \$249,055, an increase of \$2,370 over 1900 (September Roll).					
Nurse.....	300 00				Additional Force.					
Domestic.....	240 00				District Prisons—Assistant Matron.....	\$450 00				
Laborer.....	240 00				Penitentiary—Flagger and Curber.....	1,200 00				
Mason, 300 days, at \$4.40 per diem.....	1,320 00				Workhouse—Orderly in charge of baths.....	720 00				
Painter and Decorator, 300 days, at \$3.50 per diem.....	1,050 00				Increase, as above.....	2,370 00				
Stonecutter, 300 days, at \$4 per diem.....	1,200 00				From September 1, 1900.....	100 00				
Two Tool Sharpeners, 300 days, at \$4 per diem.....	2,400 00				Total increase for 1901.....	2,470 00				
Painter, 300 days, at \$3.50 per diem.....	1,050 00									
Cutter, 300 days, at \$3.50 per diem.....	1,050 00									
Two Tinsmiths, 600 days, at \$3.50 per diem.....	2,100 00									
Wheelwright, 300 days, at \$3.50 per diem.....	1,050 00									
Carpenter, 300 days, at \$4 per diem.....	1,200 00									

	ALLOWED IN 1900.	ASKED FOR IN 1901.
Salaries.....	\$246,585 00	\$249,055 00
Supplies.....	271,000 00	271,000 00
Repairs of Buildings and Apparatus.....	12,000 00	12,000 00
Repairs of Steamboats.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Donations to Discharged Prisoners.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Transportation and Maintenance Insane Criminals.....	500 00	500 00
Improvement of Riker's Island.....	15,000 00	15,000 00
New Steamboat.....		75,000 00
Total.....	\$557,085 00	\$634,555 00

Increases.

Salaries.....	\$2,470 00
New Steamboat.....	75,000 00
Total.....	\$77,470 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Salaries.

	1900.	INCREASES.	ADDITIONAL FORCE.	SALARY.
Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00			
Private Secretary.....	1,500 00			
Cleaner, 300 days, \$2.50 per diem.	750 00			
KINGS COUNTY PENITEN- TIARY.				
Warden.....	\$3,500 00			
Deputy Warden.....	1,800 00			
Clerk.....	1,500 00			
General Foreman.....	1,200 00			
Chief, Bertillon Service.....	1,000 00			
3 Engineers, \$1,100 each.....	3,300 00			
Physician.....	900 00			
29 Keepers, \$1,000 each.....	29,000 00			
10 Keepers, \$900 each.....	9,000 00			
2 Keepers, \$800 each.....	1,600 00			
2 Chaplains, \$450 each.....	900 00			
Driver.....	800 00			
3 Matrons, \$480 each.....	1,440 00			
Total.....	\$55,940 00			\$1,500 00

RECAPITULATION.

Salaries.

	SEPTEMBER ROLL, 1900.	1901.
Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Private Secretary.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Cleaner.....	750 00	750 00
Kings County Penitentiary.....	55,940 00	57,440 00
Total.....	\$63,190 00	\$64,690 00

Amount asked for 1901.....	\$64,690 00
Amount allowed for 1900.....	\$64,890 00
Decrease.....	\$200 00

SUMMARY.

MANHATTAN.				BROOKLYN.				TOTAL INCREASE.
	ALLOWED IN 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.	INCREASE.	ALLOWED IN 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.	INCREASE.		
Salaries.....	\$246,585 00	\$249,055 00		\$64,890 00	\$64,690 00	\$200 00		\$2,270 00
Supplies.....	271,000 00	271,000 00		70,000 00	55,000 00	\$15,000 00		\$15,000 00
Repairs of Buildings and Apparatus.....	12,000 00	12,000 00		15,000 00	10,000 00	\$5,000 00		\$5,000 00
Repairs of Steamboats.....	10,000 00	10,000 00						
Donations to Dis- charged Prisoners.....	2,000 00	2,000 00		4,000 00	2,000 00	\$2,000 00		\$2,000 00
Transportation, etc., Insane Criminals.....	500 00	500 00		1,800 00	1,500 00	\$300 00		\$300 00
*Supplies for Manufac- turing Purposes.....				75,000 00	100,000 00	\$25,000 00		\$25,000 00
Improvement, Riker's Island.....	15,000 00	15,000 00						
New Steamboat.....		75,000 00	75,000 00					75,000 00
Total.....	\$557,085 00	\$634,555 00	\$77,470 00	\$230,690 00	\$233,190 00	\$2,500 00		\$79,970 00

* Called in 1900 "Purchase of Supplies needed in Kings County Penitentiary."

Increases.

Salaries.....	\$2,470 00
Steamboat.....	75,000 00
Increase for Manhattan.....	\$77,470 00

Increases.

Supplies for Manufacturing Purposes..... \$25,000 00

Decreases.

Salaries.....	\$200 00
Supplies.....	15,000 00
Repairs.....	5,000 00
Donations.....	2,000 00
Transportation.....	300 00
Net Increase for Brooklyn.....	\$2,500 00

Total Increase for Manhattan and Brooklyn..... \$79,970 00

No. 1659.

MUNICIPAL COURT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN—THIRD DISTRICT,
NOS. 6 AND 8 LEE AVENUE,
BROOKLYN, September 4, 1900.

DEAR SIR—In compliance with your communication of July 2, relative to the amount of money necessary for the transaction of the business of this Court for the year 1901, I beg to submit the following estimate of expenditures for the ensuing year:

		YEARLY.	MONTHLY.
Justice.....	William J. Lynch.....	\$6,000 00	\$500 00
Clerk.....	Julius P. Wieman.....	3,000 00	250 00
Assistant Clerk.....	Arthur J. Higgins.....	250 00	250 00
Stenographer.....	John W. Richards.....	2,000 00	166 66
German Interpreter.....	Emil Klebauer.....	1,200 00	100 00
Hebrew Interpreter.....	(needed badly).....	1,200 00	100 00
Attendant.....	Walter P. Casey.....	1,000 00	83 33
".....	Charles T. Garland.....	1,000 00	83 33
".....	Edward S. Wilson.....	1,000 00	83 33
Contingencies.....		150 00	
Total.....		\$19,550 00	\$1,616 65

This estimate is the same as allowed last year, with the exception of the Hebrew Interpreter, who has not yet been appointed; the reasons for this addition to my list of attaches are, that an interpreter of the Hebrew language is absolutely necessary in this Court; seventy per cent. of the litigants are Hebrews with very imperfect knowledge of English, and in many cases cannot speak the language at all. The services of an interpreter of the Hebrew language in attendance at this Court continuously is imperatively needed.

Respectfully yours,
WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice.

No. 1660.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 8, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, and with the resolution of your Board, as communicated in the circular letter of July 2, ult., from the Comptroller, I respectfully present the following estimate of the amounts required to conduct the public business of the Department of Water Supply for the year 1901.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR WAGES, MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES.

AQUEDUCT REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$300,530 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	270,530 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	300,530 00
Increase over Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$30,000 00

The title of this appropriation does not express its full purport. From it are to be paid the expenditures for the care, maintenance and repairs of sixty-one miles of old and new aqueduct; of storage reservoirs in the Croton Watershed, having an aggregate water surface of nearly 6,000 acres; of the distributing reservoirs in Central Park; the cost of maintaining a constant patrol, in conjunction with the force employed by the Croton Aqueduct Commissioners, of the shores of reservoirs and streams in the Watershed to prevent pollution of the water; the care and repairs of dams and sluices at the outlets of natural lakes and ponds which are tributary to the City's water supply, and the cost of operating three high service pumping stations for delivery of the water in houses on high grounds in the Borough of Manhattan to the amount of 55,000,000 gallons per day.

My Departmental Estimate for 1900 showed an increase of \$35,272.50 over the Final Estimate for 1899, accounted for in the following items:

Increase in number and wages of Laborers, Watchmen, etc., in consequence of the operation of the amended Labor Law.....	\$11,272 50
Asphalting the walks around Central Park Reservoir.....	15,000 00
1,000 tons additional coal for high-service pumping stations.....	4,000 00
Increase in other materials required.....	5,000 00

In the Final Estimate for 1900 the appropriation was reduced by \$24,000. In this estimate for 1901 I again present these items of necessary increase.

Under the amended Labor Law hundreds of City employees, a large number of them employees of this Department, have recovered judgments in the Courts for differences between the rates of wages paid them and the rates claimed by them as prevailing rates under the law. The estimate of \$11,272, additional appropriation on this account, is therefore very moderate.

The call for an allowance of \$15,000 for asphalting the walks around Central Park Reservoir is also renewed, as a necessity for this improvement increases in course of time with the gradual wear and tear of the gravel walks. The increase of \$6,000 over my Departmental Estimate for 1900 is for repairs to engines and boilers in the three high-service pumping stations, it being a self-understood fact that with age and increase of operation, the cost of repairs to pumping machinery inevitably increases.

The following are the items which make up the present Departmental Estimate:

1 Foreman, at \$1,800.00 per annum.....	\$1,800 00
4 Foremen, at \$5.00 per day, 365 days each.....	7,300 00
1 Foreman, at \$4.00 per day, 365 days.....	1,460 00
5 Assistant Foremen, at \$2.50 per day, 320 days each.....	4,000 00
20 Watchmen, at \$2.50 per day, 365 days each.....	18,250 00
3 Calkers, 320 days each, at \$3.00 per day.....	2,880 00
8 Rockmen, 320 days each, at \$3.00 per day.....	7,680 00
4 Carpenters, 320 days each, at \$3.50 per day.....	4,480 00
3 Machinists, 320 days each, at \$3.50 per day.....	3,360 00
6 Masons, 320 days each, at \$4.00 per day.....	7,680 00
3 Painters, 320 days each, at \$3.50 per day.....	3,360 00
4 Axemen, at \$900.00 per annum.....	3,600 00
24 Firemen, 365 days each, at \$2.50 per day.....	21,900 00
120 Laborers, 320 days each, at \$2.00 per day.....	76,800 00
10 Teams, 300 days each, at \$4.00 per day.....	12,000 00
8 Horses and Wagons, 365 days each, at \$2.50 per day.....	7,300 00
8 Horses and Carts, 320 days each, at \$3.00 per day.....	7,680 00
Expenses, office at High Bridge.....	1,500 00
Repairs of roads and fences, etc., Middle Branch Reservoir.....	2,000 00
Repairs to engines and boilers.....	12,000 00
Taxes.....	15,000 00
Asphalting walks around Central Park Reservoir.....	15,000 00
Total.....	\$237,030 00

Materials.

10,000 tons of coal, at \$4.00 per ton.....	\$40,000 00
6,000 gallons of oil, at 75c. per gallon.....	4,500 00
Packing, waste, fence material, brick, stone, cement, etc.....	25,000 00
Total.....	\$69,500 00
Total.....	\$306,530 00

BRONX RIVER WORKS—MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$35,025 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	35,025 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	35,025 00

This appropriation is required for the labor and materials to maintain in proper condition the Bronx and Byram river conduits, the three storage reservoirs and the various structures and

property acquired by The City for the operation of this system of water supply. The present estimate is composed of the following items:

3 teams, 320 days each, at \$4 per day.....	\$3,840 00
2 horses and wagons, 365 days each, at \$2.50 per day.....	1,825 00
2 Calkers, 365 days each, at \$3 per day.....	2,190 00
1 Mason, 320 days, at \$4 per day.....	1,280 00
1 Carpenter, 320 days, at \$4 per day.....	1,280 00
4 Watchmen, 365 days each, at \$2.50 per day.....	3,650 00
20 Laborers, 300 days each, at \$2 per day.....	12,000 00
1 horse and cart, 320 days, at \$3 per day.....	960 00
Material, tools, etc.....	5,000 00
Taxes.....	3,000 00

Total \$35,025 00

CONTINGENCIES—DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$5,000 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	5,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	2,000 00

The Departmental and Final Estimates for 1900 included \$3,000 for postage for the Bureau of Water Register, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, which it is desirable to have set apart in a separate appropriation for the ensuing year, it being for the specific purpose of giving timely notices to water consumers of violations of rules concerning the water service, of bills due or to become due, of mailing bills and other notices, thus contributing to the convenience of taxpayers and stimulating timely payments of water rents for the benefit of The City.

The estimate of \$2,000 for 1901 is for—

Traveling expenses of officers and employees in the general office.....	\$1,200 00
Postage, telegraphing, telephone service, expressage, etc.....	800 00

CONTINGENCIES—BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Departmental Estimate for 1901, as above explained.....	\$3,000 00
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LAYING CROTON PIPES.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$226,830 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$226,830 00
Less transfer to "Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks," etc.....	40,000 00

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	228,820 00
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Increase..... \$41,990 00

The estimate for 1901 is for the contract work for furnishing and laying water-mains, and with the amount given in the estimate for "Salaries of Engineers, Assistants and Inspectors" in charge of this work, which follows below, makes up the total of \$250,000, to which the appropriation for Laying Croton Pipes has been limited since the year 1873. There has never been any question, either on the part of this Department or the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in all those years, that the entire limit of appropriation is needed each successive year to provide for additional water-mains to extend the water service into new streets and to improve the distributing system in the older parts of the city to suit the constant changes in the character and occupancy of buildings. The only reason that a transfer of \$40,000 from the appropriation for 1900 could be spared is the tardiness of action on the part of the Municipal Assembly, on resolutions of the Board of Public Improvements, passed on the recommendation of this Department, to authorize the laying of additional mains. It is, therefore, confidently expected that your Board will appropriate the full amount of this present estimate.

FOR ADDITIONAL HYDRANTS, ON REQUISITIONS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$50,000 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	25,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	50,000 00

Increase..... \$25,000 00

As explained in my Departmental Estimates for 1899 and 1900, the legislative authority for the annual issue of Fire Hydrant Stock to the amount of \$50,000, under chapter 410 of the Laws of 1894, expired in 1898. On my estimates of \$50,000 for each of the years 1899 and 1900, your Board reduced the amounts allowed in the Final Estimates for these years to \$25,000 each. These amounts have not been sufficient to place one-half of the additional hydrants called for by the Fire Department, and if the demands of that Department are not to be met, even approximately, the total amount of \$50,000 should be allowed in the Final Estimate for 1901.

PUBLIC DRINKING HYDRANTS.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$5,000 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	5,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	5,000 00

This estimate includes:

For repairs and maintenance of 362 hydrants or fountains, which will be in use next year.....	\$2,500 00
For purchase, placing and connecting 12 new hydrants or fountains.....	2,500 00

Total..... \$5,000 00

REPAIRING AND RENEWAL OF PIPES, STOP-COCKS, ETC.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$284,105 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$237,400 00
Transfer from "Laying Croton Pipes".....	40,000 00

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$277,400 00
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Increase..... \$14,245 00

By the close of this year the system for distributing the entire water supply in the boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx will include 864 miles of water-mains; 9,100 stop-cocks and 11,900 fire-hydrants, and in the course of the year 1901 there will be added about 18 miles of water-mains, 150 stop-cocks and 500 fire-hydrants. All of these mains, stop-cocks and hydrants have to be maintained in good condition from this appropriation, and the Board will readily recognize the necessity of making adequate provision for this purpose, in order to preserve the safety of the water supply. As will be seen above, and has been explained under the head of "Laying Croton Pipes," a transfer of \$40,000 to the appropriation made in the Final Estimate of 1900 had to be made to enable the Department to efficiently continue the work of maintenance and repairs. Of late years the appropriation has been burdened, in addition to the ordinary work of maintenance and repairs, with the expense of relaying miles upon miles of water-mains, principally in the Borough of The Bronx, in consequence of numerous changes in the grades of the streets. The amount of this work is constantly growing.

The following are the items which make up the estimate for 1901:

Wages of Repair Force.

8 Foremen, at \$1,800 per annum.....	\$14,400 00
8 Horses and Wagons, 365 days each, at \$2.50 per day.....	7,300 00
16 Horses and Carts, 320 days each, at \$3 per day.....	15,360 00
8 Assistant Foremen, 365 days each, at \$2.50 per day.....	7,300 00
24 Calkers, 320 days each, at \$3 per day.....	23,040 00
150 Laborers, 320 days each, at \$2 per day.....	96,000 00
1 Tapper, at \$1,320 per annum.....	1,320 00
3 Horses and Wagons, 320 days each, at \$3 per day.....	2,880 00
3 Assistant Tappers, 320 days each, at \$3 per day.....	2,880 00
3 Helpers, 320 days each, at \$2 per day.....	1,920 00
1 Gatekeeper, Pipe Yard, 365 days, at \$3 per day.....	1,095 00
2 Watchmen, Pipe Yard, 365 days, at \$3 per day.....	2,190 00
1 Blacksmith, Pipe Yard, 320 days, at \$3.50 per day.....	1,120 00
1 Helper, Pipe Yard, 320 days, at \$2.50 per day.....	800 00

1 Team, 320 days, at \$7 per day.....	\$2,240 00
2 Single Horse Trucks, 320 days each, at \$3.75 per day.....	2,400 00

\$182,245 00

MATERIALS AND INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Rent of offices, telephones, etc.....	\$4,000 00
Repairs to asphalt and concrete pavements over openings.....	20,000 00
500 tons 20-inch, 12-inch, 6-inch and 4-inch pipe and special castings, at \$40 per ton.....	20,000 00
200 36-inch, 30-inch, 24-inch, 20-inch, 12-inch, 6-inch and 4-inch stop-cocks, at \$40 each.....	8,000 00
800 stop-cock boxes and covers, \$15 each.....	12,000 00
4,000 tappings, cocks and boxes, at 75 cents each.....	3,000 00
500 hydrants and boxes, at \$40.....	20,000 00
600 hydrants and stop-cocks repaired, at \$9 each.....	5,400 00
1,500 each, hydrant caps, bolts, etc., etc., at \$5.....	7,500 00
Lead, yarn, coke, wood, tools, etc.....	9,500 00

109,400 00

Total..... \$291,645 00

RENTALS FOR FIRE-HYDRANTS.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$19,600 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	19,600 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	19,600 00

This amount is required to pay the rentals for hydrants service for 490 hydrants furnished by the New York and Westchester Water Company, at \$40 per hydrant, under an existing and unexpired contract.

WATER SUPPLY—TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$10,400 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	10,400 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	15,600 00

Increase..... \$5,200 00

Under section 474 of the Greater New York Charter the Commissioner of Water Supply is authorized, with the consent of the Board of Public Improvements and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to contract from time to time with the City of Yonkers, or the Board of Water Commissioners of that City, for an adequate supply of water for high grounds in the Twenty-fourth Ward and other parts of the Borough of The Bronx, on grounds which are above the elevation at which water can be delivered from the Croton, Bronx and Byram river water supply. The demand upon this auxiliary water supply has lately increased very much, and it is estimated that for the year 1901 a total supply of 12,000,000 cubic feet of water will be needed, to be paid for at the present contract price of 13 cents per hundred cubic feet, amounting to the sum of the above estimate—\$15,600.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR SALARIES.

SALARIES—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$17,000 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	17,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	17,000 00

The salaries to be paid from this appropriation are:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Commissioner of Water Supply.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00
Chief Engineer of Water Supply.....	7,000 00	7,000 00
Secretary to the Commissioner.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Total.....	\$17,000 00	\$17,000 00

As this estimate for 1901 proposes no change or increase from the Final Estimate and Appropriation for 1900, no explanation of it appears to be necessary.

SALARIES—CENTRAL OFFICE.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$26,880 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	26,880 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	28,080 00

Increase..... \$1,200 00

The following is a statement of the individual salaries now paid from this appropriation and those which are included in the above estimate for 1901:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Deputy Commissioner (Manhattan).....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Deputy Commissioner (Bronx).....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Chief Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
General Bookkeeper.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Corresponding Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Appointment Clerk.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
2 Stenographers, at \$20 per week each.....	2,080 00	2,080 00
1 Record Clerk (now on Water Registrar's pay-roll).....	1,200 00	1,200 00
2 Messengers, at \$1,000 each (vacancies).....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Total.....	\$24,880 00	\$28,080 00

From the apparent increase should be deducted the salary of the Record Clerk, \$1,200, as he is to be transferred from the Water Registrar's pay-roll to the Central Office pay-roll.

SALARIES—BUREAU OF CHIEF ENGINEER.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$23,300 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	18,300 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	18,340 00

Increase..... \$40 00

The following salaries make up the present pay-roll and this estimate for 1901:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
1 Assistant Engineer, \$4,800, half time.....	\$2,400 00	\$2,400 00
1 Transmittan, to be promoted to Assistant Engineer.....	1,500 00	1,800 00
1 Rodman, to be promoted to Leveler.....	1,400 00	1,500 00
1 Chainman, to be promoted to Rodman.....	1,200 00	1,320 00
1 Draughtsman.....	1,500 00	1,500 00

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
1 Topographical Draughtsman.....	\$1,400 00	\$1,400 00
1 Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
1 ".....	1,200 00	1,320 00
1 ".....	1,000 00	1,200 00
1 Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 Inspector of Complaints, etc.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
1 Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Total.....	\$17,500 00	\$18,340 00

From the foregoing it will be seen that my Departmental Estimate for 1900 was reduced by \$5,000 in the Final Estimate, and I am now asking only \$40 more than was granted me for 1900 in order to make a few merited promotions and slight increases of salaries.

SALARIES—BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$106,610 50
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$95,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	112,592 00
Increase.....	\$17,592 00

The salaries, according to the present pay-roll and those which are provided for in the estimate for 1901, are as follows:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Water Registrar.....	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00
1 Cashier.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Assistant Cashier.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
2 Assistant Cashiers, at \$1,200 each.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
1 Clerk.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,800 each.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
1 Clerk, at \$1,300.....	3,600 00	3,600 00
3 Clerks, at \$1,500 each.....	1,300 00	1,300 00
6 Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....	4,500 00	4,500 00
16 Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	7,200 00	7,200 00
8 Clerks, now \$800 each, to be increased to \$1,000.....	16,000 00	16,000 00
9 additional Clerks required, \$1,000 each.....	6,400 00	8,000 00
5 Junior Clerks, \$600 each.....	9,000 00	9,000 00
2 General Inspectors of Meters, at \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
2 Inspectors of Meters, at \$3.50 per day.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
15 Inspectors of Meters, now \$3.00 per day, to be \$1,000 per annum each.....	2,184 00	2,184 00
3 additional Inspectors of Meters required, at \$1,000 each.....	14,040 00	15,000 00
3 Measurers, at \$1,000 each per annum.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
2 additional Measurers required, at \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
8 Inspectors of Water Supply to Shipping, now \$3.00 per day each, to be \$1,000.....	7,488 00	8,000 00
1 Inspector of Waste, \$4.00 per day.....	1,248 00	1,248 00
4 Inspectors of Waste, now \$3.00 per day, to be \$1,000 per annum each.....	3,744 00	4,000 00
1 Stenographer, at \$20 per week.....	1,040 00	1,040 00
1 Stenographer, at \$15 per week.....	780 00	780 00
3 Skilled Laborers, at \$2.50 per day each.....	2,340 00	2,340 00
Total.....	\$95,264 00	\$112,592 00

SALARIES—AQUEDUCT REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$37,100 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$37,100 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	36,900 00
Decrease.....	\$200 00

The salaries on the present pay-roll and those provided for in the estimate for 1901 are:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
First Assistant Engineer.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
1 Transitman, to be promoted to Assistant Engineer.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
1 Leveler.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
2 Aqueduct Keepers, \$1,400 each.....	2,800 00	2,800 00
6 Aqueduct Keepers, \$1,000 each (at present 1 vacancy).....	5,000 00	6,000 00
1 First Engineman.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
1 Second Engineman, to be promoted to First Engineman.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
8 Second Enginemen, \$1,200 each.....	9,600 00	9,600 00
1 additional Second Engineman required.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 Mechanical Engineer.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 Additional Mechanical Engineer required.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
2 Axemen, \$900 each (at present vacant).....	1,800 00	1,800 00
1 Third Engineman, to be promoted to Second Engineman, or additional, as above.....	900 00	.....
Total.....	\$31,900 00	\$36,900 00

As the present estimate is \$200 less than the Final Estimate for 1900, no special explanation of it appears to be required.

SALARIES—BRONX RIVER WORKS, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$3,900 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	3,900 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	3,900 00

This appropriation and pay-roll have remained unchanged for many years. The amount is required for the salaries of—

1 Assistant Engineer, at \$3,000, half time.....	\$1,500 00
2 Keepers of Reservoirs, at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00
Total.....	\$3,900 00

SALARIES—LAYING CROTON PIPES.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$23,170 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$19,560 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	21,180 00
Increase.....	\$1,620 00

The salaries on the present pay-roll and those included in the estimate for 1901 are:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
1 Assistant Engineer, at \$4,800, half time.....	\$2,400 00	\$2,400 00
1 Transitman, to be promoted to Assistant Engineer.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
1 Leveler.....	1,400 00	1,500 00
1 Foreman of Laborers in Pipe Yard.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
2 Inspectors on Manufacture of Pipe, 320 days, at \$5 each.....	3,200 00	3,200 00
1 Additional Inspector required.....	.....	1,600 00
6 Inspectors of Laying Pipes, 320 days, at \$4 per day each, present force 7 Inspectors, \$3.50 per day each.....	7,840 00	7,680 00
1 Draughtsman.....	1,440 00	1,500 00
Total.....	\$19,580 00	\$21,180 00

The increase of \$1,600 in this estimate over the Final Estimate for 1900 is for the services of one additional Inspector on Manufacture of Pipe. Heretofore these services were obtained on orders issued by the Department from time to time and paid for on vouchers of the ordinary form, to which the Comptroller and the Municipal Civil Service Commissioners have recently made objections. The Inspectors on Manufacture of Pipe perform their duties at the various foundries and machine shops where cast-iron water-pipes, special castings, stop-cocks and hydrants are manufactured for the Department on contracts made by public letting.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SALARIES—OFFICE OF DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$15,700
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$15,700
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	15,350
Decrease.....	\$350 00

The individual salaries included in this estimate for 1901 are:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Deputy Commissioner.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Secretary.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,250 00
General Clerk.....	2,200 00	2,200 00
Private Secretary.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Stenographer.....	1,100 00	1,100 00
Messenger.....	1,100 00	1,100 00
Total.....	\$15,100 00	\$15,350 00

The only increase is \$250 in the salary of the Chief Clerk, which restores it to the rate at which he was formerly paid.

SALARIES—OFFICE OF CHIEF ENGINEER.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$9,200 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$8,350 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	8,750 00
Increase.....	\$400 00

The following salaries are included in this estimate:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
2 Clerks, at \$1,500 each.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
1 Clerk.....	1,250 00	1,250 00
1 ".....	1,200 00	1,200 00
2 Stenographers at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
1 Messenger.....	900 00	900 00
Total.....	\$8,750 00	\$8,750 00

SALARIES—OFFICE OF WATER REGISTRAR.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$80,625 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$80,075 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	84,600 00
Increase.....	\$4,525 00

The estimate of 1901 includes the following individual salaries:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Water Registrar.....	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00
Cashier.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
1 Assistant Cashier.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
".....	1,750 00	1,750 00
".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
1 Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,400 each.....	2,800 00	2,800 00
7 Clerks, at \$1,250 each.....	8,750 00	8,750 00
13 Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....	15,600 00	15,600 00
1 Meter Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
7 Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	7,000 00	7,000 00
1 Factory Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
2 Inspectors of Meters, etc., \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
4 Inspectors of Meters, etc., \$1,100 each.....	4,400 00	4,400 00
4 Inspectors of Meters, at \$1,000 each.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
18 Inspectors of Meters, at \$900 each.....	16,200 00	16,200 00
1 Messenger.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
4 additional Clerks required, at \$1,000 each.....	4,000 00	4,000 00
Total.....	\$80,300 00	\$84,600 00

From the foregoing it will be seen that the increase of \$4,300 is accounted for by increasing the salary of the Meter Clerk from \$1,200 to \$1,500, and by the call for 4 additional clerks at \$1,000 each, whose services are necessary.

SALARIES—LABORATORY.

Departmental Estimate for 1900	\$5,400 00
Final Estimate for 1900	5,400 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901	5,400 00

This includes the following salaries:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Biologist in charge of Laboratory	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00
Chemist	1,900 00	1,900 00
Assistant Chemist	1,000 00	1,000 00
Office Boy	300 00	500 00
Total	\$5,200 00	\$5,400 00

The allowance of \$500 for salary of the Office Boy was made in the Final Estimate for 1900, and it is now proposed to fix the salary at that amount instead of \$300, as heretofore.

CONTINGENCIES.

Departmental Estimate for 1900	\$6,000 00
Final Estimate for 1900	6,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901	7,000 00
Increase	\$1,000 00

The items of this estimate are:

Deputy Commissioner's office	\$1,000 00
Chief Engineer's office	2,000 00
Water Registrar's office	1,500 00
Laboratory	2,500 00
Total	\$7,000 00

The increase of \$1,000 is made in the allowance for the Water Registrar's office from \$500 for 1900 to \$1,500 in 1901. This is almost exclusively for postage for mailing notices and bills to water consumers, and the amount asked for is necessary for the efficient performance of the business of that Bureau and to insure prompt payments of water rents.

HYDRANT RENTALS.

Departmental Estimate for 1900	\$30,000 00
Final Estimate for 1900	30,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901	30,000 00

This is a fixed sum which the City has to pay annually for hydrant service to the Flatbush Water Works Company, under a contract made by the former City of Brooklyn and still in force. If the City should acquire the plant and property of this company the appropriation for hydrant rental will not be needed, but there is no certainty of such acquisition, and in any event, the money should be appropriated to provide for the contingency of a continuance of the contract.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

SALARIES—OFFICE OF DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.

Departmental Estimate for 1900	\$20,100 00
Final Estimate for 1900	16,020 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901	23,900 00
Increase	\$7,880 00

The following are the salaries included in the present Departmental Estimate for 1901:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Deputy Commissioner	\$3,500 00	\$4,000 00
Engineer in Charge	2,400 00	3,000 00
Cashier	1,500 00	1,500 00
1 Clerk	1,100 00	1,200 00
1 Stenographer	1,000 00	1,200 00
6 Meter Inspectors, at \$900 each	5,400 00	5,400 00
<i>Proposed additions.</i>		
4 Additional Clerks, at \$1,000 each		4,000 00
1 Messenger		900 00
2 Meter Inspectors, at \$900 each		1,800 00
Total	\$15,700 00	\$23,900 00

From the foregoing it will be seen that the increase in the present estimate over the appropriation for 1900 and the present pay-roll is made up of the following items:

Restoration of salary of Deputy Commissioner to \$4,000	\$500 00
Increase of salary of Engineer in Charge from \$2,400 to \$3,000	600 00
Increase of salary of 1 Clerk from \$1,100 to \$1,200	100 00
Increase of salary of 1 Clerk from 1,000 to 1,200	200 00
Increase of salary of Stenographer from \$800 to \$900	100 00
4 Additional Clerks, at \$1,000 each	4,000 00
1 Messenger (not before employed)	900 00
2 Additional Meter Inspectors, at \$900 each	1,800 00
Total	\$8,200 00

SALARIES—PUMPING STATIONS.

Departmental Estimate for 1900	\$22,950 00
Final Estimate for 1900	22,950 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901	28,687 50
Increase	\$5,737 50

The following are the individual salaries, according to the present pay-roll, and those included in the present estimate for 1901:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
13 Enginemen, at \$900 each, to be increased to \$1,000	\$11,700 00	\$13,000 00
9 Firemen, at \$750 each, to be increased to \$2.50 per day = \$912.50 per annum	6,750 00	8,212 50
6 Stokers (actually Firemen) to be increased from \$720 per annum to \$2.50 per day = \$912.50 per annum	4,320 00	5,475 00
2 additional Enginemen required, at \$1,000 each		2,000 00
Total	\$22,770 00	\$28,687 50

There are several good reasons for making the increases in the wages or salaries of Enginemen and Firemen, and in calling for 2 additional Enginemen. The lowest rates paid to Enginemen in the service of the Department in the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn is \$1,000 per annum, and the Enginemen in the Borough of Queens should at least receive this lowest rate. The rate of wages for Firemen in the Borough of Manhattan has been \$2.50 per day for the working day of eight hours for years past, and the Fireman in the Borough of Queens are entitled to the same rate. The present force of 13 Enginemen for operating night and day the pumping machinery at five pumping stations is inadequate. To make an equitable division of labor among them so that each shall be required to work eight hours on each day of the year, it is necessary to employ 2 additional Enginemen, making 3 men for each pumping station.

PUMPING STATIONS—FUEL AND SUPPLIES.

Departmental Estimate for 1900	\$27,750 00
Final Estimate for 1900	\$25,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901	26,000 00
Increase	\$1,000 00

The present estimate is made up of the following items:

4,000 tons of coal, at \$4.	\$16,000 00
5,000 gallons machinery oil, at 60 cents.	3,000 00
Repairs to engines, boilers and buildings.	5,000 00
Repairs to wells, etc.	2,000 00
Total	\$26,000 00

MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS OF WATER-PIPES.

Departmental Estimate for 1900	\$24,219 00
Final Estimate for 1900	\$22,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901	29,804 00
Increase	\$7,804 00

There are 145 miles of water-mains, with about 490 stop-cocks and 480 fire-hydrants to be maintained in proper condition and repair under this appropriation. This distributing system was in very poor condition when it came under the control of this Department in 1898, and the appropriations for 1898, 1899 and 1900 have not been sufficient to make such improvement in its condition as is desirable and would be advantageous to the City as well as to the water consumers. In consequence of this, necessary repairs and improvements have had to be deferred, but it is hoped that the entire amount of the estimate for 1901 will be granted in the Final Estimate.

The items included in the estimate for 1901 are—

1 Engineer in Charge	\$1,200 00
2 Tappers, at \$1,000 each	2,000 00
2 Foremen, 312 days, at \$3 per day each	1,872 00
2 Calkers, 312 days, at \$3 per day each	1,872 00
1 Pipe Fitter, 312 days, at \$2.50 per day	780 00
1 Stableman, at \$50 per month	600 00
5 Horses and Wagons, 312 days, at \$2 per day each	3,120 00
15 Laborers, 312 days, at \$2 per day each	9,360 00
New water-pipes, hydrants, stop-cocks and other materials and supplies	9,000 00
Total	\$29,804 00

CONTINGENCIES.

Departmental Estimate for 1900	\$4,000 00
Final Estimate 1900	\$1,800 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901	3,500 00
Increase	\$1,650 00

The estimate for 1901 includes the following necessary expenditures:

For telephone service	\$1,500 00
For postage, telegraphing, car-fares of employees on duty, and other incidentals	1,000 00
For maps required in the proper apportionment and collection of water rates	1,000 00
Total	\$3,500 00

The present maps do not correspond with those in the Assessor's office, which leads to complications and confusion. Duplicates of the Assessor's maps are necessary for the proper conduct of the business of apportioning and collecting water rates.

SUPPLYING WATER TO LONG ISLAND CITY.

Departmental Estimate for 1900	\$71,175 00
Final Estimate for 1900	\$71,175 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901	94,900 00
Increase	\$23,725 00

The amount of water supply furnished under the contract with the Citizens' Water Supply Company has been growing at a rapid rate and it is the only source of supply for former Long Island City, now the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, which is capable of any considerable expansion to meet the increased demands. The present estimate is on the basis of a supply of four million gallons of water per day, at the contract price of \$65.00 per million gallons.

RENTALS OF FIRE-HYDRANTS.

Departmental Estimate for 1900	\$37,350 00
Final Estimate for 1900	\$35,000 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901	42,018 00
Increase	\$7,018 00

The following are the items of the estimate, including the necessary increase in number of hydrants for the ensuing year:

Queens County Water Supply Company, 302 hydrants, at \$20.	\$6,020 00
Necessary increase, 40 hydrants, at \$20.	800 00
Jamaica Water Supply Company, 81 hydrants, at \$18.	1,458 00
542 hydrants, at \$20.	10,840 00
Necessary increase, 60 hydrants, at \$20.	1,200 00
Citizens' Water Supply Company, 100 hydrants, at \$18.	1,800 00
100 hydrants, at \$25.	2,500 00
300 hydrants, at \$20.	6,000 00
Necessary increase, 100 hydrants, at \$20.	2,000 00
Woodhaven Water Company, 410 hydrants, at \$20.	8,200 00
Necessary increase, 60 hydrants, at \$20.	1,200 00
Total	\$42,018 00

FOR ADDITIONAL WATER-MAINS, WELLS, ETC.

Departmental Estimate for 1901	\$240,000 00
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No estimate for an appropriation to be included in the tax levy has been made in preceding years, for the reason that it was assumed that these works were to be provided for by bond issues. The Department has, however, been unsuccessful in its efforts to obtain the authorization of bond issues for this purpose. The City's water plants in the former Long Island City and at College Point and Flushing are capable of considerable development and increase of yield of water supply, and the system of distributing mains not only needs large extensions into new streets and territory where house-owners and residents are constantly petitioning for water service, but it also needs the laying of mains at various points to interconnect the distributing system from the six several pumping stations. I deem it proper, therefore, to present the above estimate, and ask the Board to include it in the Final Estimate for 1901.

The items of the estimate are as follows:

For additional water-mains and proportionate number of hydrants, and for hydrants asked for by the Fire Department on present mains.....	\$200,000 00
For additional wells and connections at Pumping Station No. 3, Long Island City..	20,000 00
For additional wells and connections at the pumping stations at College Point and Flushing.....	20,000 00
Total.....	\$240,000 00

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**SALARIES—OFFICE OF DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS.**

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$6,766 67
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$6,766 67
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	7,366 67
Increase.....	\$600 00

The individual salaries included in this estimate are:

	PRESENT PAY-ROLL FOR 1900.	PRESENT ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Deputy Commissioner, one-third of \$5,000.....	\$1,666 67	\$1,666 67
2 Inspectors, at \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Cashier.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
1 Leveler.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
1 Senior Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Total.....	\$6,366 67	\$7,366 67

The only increase over the present pay-roll, \$1,000, is for the services of a Clerk, which are much needed.

PUMPING STATIONS—SALARIES AND SUPPLIES.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$6,950 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$6,950 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	8,190 00
Increase.....	\$1,240 00

The present estimate includes the following items:

1 Engineman.....	\$1,000 00
1 Assistant Engineman.....	900 00
3 Firemen or Stokers, at \$730 each, per annum.....	2,190 00
1 Laborer, 300 days, at \$2 per day.....	600 00
Fuel, oil, packing, etc.....	1,500 00
Repairs to wells, pumps, engines and boilers.....	2,000 00
Total.....	\$8,190 00

The items of increase over the estimate for 1900 are:

Increase of salary of Assistant Engineman from \$750 to \$900.....	\$150 00
Services of 3 Firemen or Stokers and 1 Laborer.....	\$2,790 00
In place of 2 Laborers, 300 days, \$2 per day each.....	1,200 00
Total.....	\$1,740 00

The estimate for repairs to wells, pumps, etc., is reduced from \$2,500 to \$2,000.....

Net increase..... \$1,240 00

CONTINGENCIES.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$500 00
Final Estimate for 1900.....	500 00
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	500 00

This appropriation is required for telephone service, postage, telegraphing, car-fares of employees on duty and other incidental expenses.

RENTALS OF FIRE-HYDRANTS.

Departmental Estimate for 1900.....	\$30,652 50
Final Estimate for 1900.....	\$30,652 50
Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	30,052 50
Decrease.....	\$600 00

The hydrant rentals to be paid from this appropriation are:

Staten Island Water Company, 606 hydrants, at \$25 and \$27.50.....	\$14,932 50
Crystal Water Company, 504 hydrants, at \$30.....	15,120 00
Total.....	\$30,052 50

RELAYING WATER-MAINS.

Departmental Estimate for 1901.....	\$1,000 00
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This is a new estimate, and a new appropriation. Under the contracts or agreements between the two private water companies in the Borough of Richmond and the former town and village authorities, which contracts have not yet expired, the City is obliged to bear one-half the cost of relaying water-mains of those companies where such relaying is made necessary by changes in the grades of streets, avenues and roads. From recent demands made by the companies on this account and from reports of the Chief Engineer of this Department and the Deputy Commissioner and Engineer in Charge of Water Supply in the Borough of Richmond I find it necessary that the sum of \$1,000 be appropriated for this purpose for the year 1901.

In presenting this estimate, I desire to call the attention of the members of your Board to the fact that during the present year the salaries and wages of City employees had to be increased in many instances, in order to fully comply with the provisions of the Labor Act, concerning the payment of the prevailing rates of wages, and that the provisions of this Act extend not only to the persons in the immediate employment of the City, but to all City contracts for work and materials. The increase in the cost of labor and services rendered to this Department, and in the cost of materials and supplies, whether obtained in open market or by contracts at public letting, is undoubtedly much greater than the moderate increases in appropriations which I present for the approval of the Board in the foregoing estimate.

In addition to this, it must be borne in mind that the work and business of this Department naturally increases from year to year in the proportion in which the water service is extended into new streets and districts, the number of water consumers and water-rate payers, and the aggregate consumption of water increases, and the problems of meeting the increased demands on the water service, without large additions to the water supply, become constantly more difficult.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

SUMMARY.

Statement of Departmental Estimate for 1901, Final Estimate for 1900, and Amounts of Increase or Decrease.

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	FINAL ESTIMATES AND TRANSFERS FOR 1900.	DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATES FOR 1901.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
<i>Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.</i>				
Aqueduct Repairs and Maintenance.....	\$276,530 00	\$306,530 00	\$30,000 00	
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	35,025 00	35,025 00		
Contingencies—Department of Water Supply.....	5,000 00	2,000 00		\$3,000 00
Contingencies—Bureau of Water Register.....		3,000 00	3,000 00	
Laying Croton Pipes.....	186,830 00	228,820 00	41,990 00	
For Additional Fire-hydrants.....	25,000 00	50,000 00	25,000 00	
Public Drinking-hydrants.....	5,000 00	5,000 00		
Repairing and Removal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	277,400 00	291,645 00	14,245 00	
Rental of Fire-hydrants.....	19,600 00	19,600 00		
Water Supply for the Twenty-fourth Ward.....	10,400 00	15,600 00	5,200 00	
Salaries—General Administration.....	17,000 00	17,000 00		
Salaries—Central Office.....	\$6,880 00	28,080 00	21,200 00	
Salaries—Bureau of Chief Engineer.....	18,300 00	18,340 00	40 00	
Salaries—Bureau of Water Register.....	95,000 00	112,592 00	17,592 00	
Salaries—Aqueduct Repairs and Maintenance.....	37,100 00	36,900 00		200 00
Salaries—Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	3,900 00	3,900 00		
Salaries—Laying Croton Pipes.....	19,560 00	21,180 00	1,620 00	
Total—General Accounts.....	\$840,785 00	\$957,220 00	\$116,435 00	\$3,000 00
Total—Salary Accounts.....	\$217,740 00	\$237,092 00	\$20,352 00	\$200 00
<i>Borough of Brooklyn.</i>				
Salaries—Office of Deputy Commissioner.....	\$15,700 00	\$15,330 00		\$350 00
Salaries—Office of Chief Engineer.....	8,350 00	8,750 00	400 00	
Salaries—Office of Water Register.....	80,075 00	84,600 00	4,525 00	
Salaries—Laboratory.....	5,400 00	5,400 00		
Contingencies.....	6,000 00	7,000 00	1,000 00	
Rentals of Fire-hydrants.....	30,000 00	30,000 00		
Total—General Accounts.....	\$160,000 00	\$170,000 00	\$10,000 00	
Total—Salary Accounts.....	\$109,525 00	\$114,100 00	\$4,575 00	\$350 00
<i>Borough of Queens.</i>				
Salaries—Office of Deputy Commissioner.....	\$16,620 00	\$23,900 00	\$7,280 00	
Salaries—Pumping Stations.....	22,950 00	25,687 50	2,737 50	
Pumping Stations—Fuel and Supplies.....	25,000 00	26,000 00	1,000 00	
Maintenance and Repairs of Water-pipes, etc.....	22,000 00	29,804 00	7,804 00	
Supplying Water to Long Island City.....	74,175 00	94,900 00	20,725 00	
Rentals of Fire-hydrants.....	35,000 00	42,018 00	7,018 00	
Contingencies.....	1,800 00	3,500 00	1,700 00	
For Additional Water-mains, Wells, etc.....		240,000 00	240,000 00	
Total—General Accounts.....	\$155,025 00	\$436,222 00	\$281,197 00	
Total—Salary Accounts.....	\$38,970 00	\$52,587 50	\$13,617 50	
<i>Borough of Richmond.</i>				
Salaries—Office of Deputy Commissioner.....	\$6,766 67	\$7,366 67	\$600 00	
Pumping Stations—Salaries and Supplies.....	\$6,950 00	\$8,190 00	\$1,240 00	
Contingencies.....	500 00	500 00		
Rentals of Fire-hydrants.....	30,652 50	30,052 50		\$600 00
Relaying Water-mains.....		1,000 00	1,000 00	
Total.....	\$38,102 50	\$39,742 50	\$1,640 00	\$600 00
RECAPITULATION.				
Total—General Accounts.....	\$1,069,912 50	\$1,470,184 50	\$400,272 00	\$3,600 00
Total—Salary Accounts.....	373,001 67	412,046 17	39,044 50	550 00
Grand Total.....	\$1,442,914 17	\$1,882,230 67	\$440,466 50	\$4,150 00

No. 1661.

HEADQUARTERS FIRST BRIGADE, N. G., N. Y.
FIFTY-NINTH STREET, WEST (DURLANDS),
NEW YORK, August 28, 1900.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with circular letter from the City Comptroller, under date of July 2, I have the honor to state that I have this date appointed Lawrence V. Meehan, Armorer at these headquarters for the ensuing year, at a salary of \$4 per diem (\$1,460 per year), and that no further appropriation for supplies will be required for these headquarters for the year 1900-1901, as the amount appropriated for these headquarters last year was \$729, of which sum \$186.36 has been expended, leaving amount \$542.64 still to our credit.

Respectfully,

HENRY F. CLARK,
Assistant Adjutant-General in the temporary absence of the commanding officer.

No. 1662.

RICHMOND, NEW YORK,
September 1, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the direction of circular letter of City Comptroller, under date of July 2, 1900, I herewith submit an estimate of the expenditures necessary for the year 1901, in the maintenance of the office of the Sheriff of the County of Richmond, viz:

Salary of Sheriff (under chapter 392, Laws of 1896).....	\$6,000 00
Salary of Jailer (under chapter 392, Laws of 1896).....	900 00

Servant hire (including Cook) (under chapter 392, Laws of 1896).....	\$500 00
Disbursements (under chapter 392, Laws of 1896).....	6,350 00
Guard (under chapter 392, Laws of 1896).....	3,285 00
Court Officers (under chapter 392, Laws of 1896).....	400 00
Total.....	\$17,435 00

The amount requested for salaries for the ensuing year is on the basis of the pay-roll submitted by me to your Honorable Board, with my Departmental Estimate of date of September 1, 1899, which existed under appropriations duly made by your Board and under chapter 392 of the Laws of 1896.

The following is a comparative statement of the amounts appropriated for the year 1900 and the amount estimated as necessary for the year 1901:

	APPROPRIATION, 1900.	ESTIMATION, 1901.
Sheriff's salary.....	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00
Salary of Jailor.....	900 00	900 00
Salary of Cook.....	500 00	500 00
Groceries.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Meats and poultry.....	700 00	700 00
Bread.....	700 00	700 00
Ice.....	100 00	100 00
Clothing, dry goods and blankets.....	500 00	500 00
Boots and shoes.....	150 00	150 00
Coal.....	800 00	800 00
Tin and hardware.....	200 00	200 00
Miscellaneous supplies.....	500 00	500 00
Telephone service.....	300 00	300 00
Transporting prisoners.....	400 00	400 00
Guards.....	3,285 00	3,285 00
Court officers.....	400 00	400 00
Total.....	\$17,435 00	\$17,435 00

The sums estimated above for 1901 will, in my opinion, be necessary for the proper performance of the duties of the office of Sheriff.

I have the honor to be,

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

AUGUSTUS ACKER, Sheriff of Richmond County.

No. 1663.

To the Board of Trustees of the College of The City of New York:

The Executive Committee respectfully reports that there will be required for the support and maintenance of the College during the year 1901 the sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), being the same amount that was appropriated for the support and maintenance of said College during the year 1900. The Committee further reports that in addition to the said sum of two hundred thousand dollars there will be required an additional sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000). A tabulated statement of the sums required and the purposes for which they are to be used accompanies this report.

The Committee therefore recommends the following report and resolution to be submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and to the Municipal Assembly:

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Municipal Assembly:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 1131 of the Greater New York Charter, the trustees of the College of The City of New York hereby report that there will be required for the payment of the salaries of the professors and officers of said College, for the obtaining and furnishing of scientific apparatus, books for the students and all other necessary supplies, for the repairing and altering the College buildings, and for the support, maintenance, and general expenses of the said College during the year 1901, the sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), in accordance with the accompanying schedule.

That in view of the large number of students attending the College—they numbering at the present time 1,984, which number will probably be increased during September to 2,000—an additional appropriation of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) will enable the College to perform more efficient work. The present college buildings are inadequate for the accommodation of the students and the premises No. 41 East Twenty-third street, at the annual rental of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) makes it very difficult to meet the requirements within the limited appropriation of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000). Furthermore, the College requires a large amount of text-books, the condition of the text-books now in use being extremely poor. It will be impossible to purchase said text-books if only \$200,000 is allowed for 1900.

This Board of Trustees therefore respectfully recommends that the additional sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) be allowed by your Honorable Bodies.

Resolved, That the foregoing estimate, duly authenticated by the signatures of the Chairman and the Secretary of the Board of Trustees, be transmitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and to the Municipal Assembly.

The foregoing is a true copy of the report and resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the College of The City of New York on September 10, 1900.

MILES M. O'BRIEN,

Chairman, Board of Trustees of the College of The City of New York.

CHAS. PUTZEL, Secretary, Board of Trustees of the College of The City of New York.

Appropriations Required for the Support of the College of The City of New York for 1901.

	APPROPRIATED FOR 1900.	ASKED FOR 1901.	ASKED FOR 1901 IF \$225,000 BE GRANTED.
Salaries.....	\$170,000 00	\$170,000 00	\$181,000 00
Fuel.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Gas.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Printing.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	1,600 00
Emergency Fund.....	600 00	600 00	600 00
Incidental Funds—			
President's.....	450 00	450 00	450 00
Department of Chemistry.....	600 00	600 00	600 00
Department of Applied Mathematics.....	300 00	300 00	300 00
Department of Natural History.....	300 00	300 00	300 00
Repairs to scientific apparatus.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00
Text-books.....	3,500 00	3,500 00	5,000 00
Binding text and library books.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,200 00
Stationery.....	900 00	900 00	900 00
Grounds.....	100 00	100 00	100 00
Examinations and exhibitions.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	1,600 00
Supplies for Janitor and Engineer.....	350 00	350 00	350 00
Vacation and ordinary repairs, including petty repairs to buildings and steam apparatus.....	600 00	600 00	600 00
Insurance.....	275 00	275 00	275 00
Furniture and repairs to.....	225 00	225 00	225 00
New apparatus and supplies.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	4,000 00
Supplies for office and repository.....	200 00	200 00	200 00
Three extra Cleaners.....	1,300 00	1,300 00	1,300 00
Hire of rooms, repairs and allowances.....	10,000 00	10,000 00	20,500 00
Total.....	\$200,000 00	\$200,000 00	\$225,000 00

No. 1664.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, No. 2, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, September 12, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of City Record, held this day, the following resolution was adopted by the concurrent action of all the members of the Board:

Resolved, That the Departmental Estimate of the amounts required to pay the expenses of the Board of City Record for the year 1901, as submitted by the Supervisor of the City Record and approved by this Board, be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and copies of the same to the Mayor, Comptroller and Municipal Assembly.

Pursuant to the direction of the Board and in response to circular letter received from the Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, on July 2, 1900, requesting me to transmit to your Honorable Body an estimate of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the office of the CITY RECORD during the year 1901, I have the honor to forward you herewith the inclosed Departmental Estimate.

Very respectfully yours,

WM. A. BUTLER, Secretary, Board of City Record.

NEW YORK, September 10, 1900.

To the Honorable the Mayor, Comptroller and Corporation Counsel, composing the Board of City Record, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—The following estimate of the sums necessary for the conduct of this office for the year beginning January 1, 1901, is submitted herewith for the approval of your Honorable Body, and order to transmit to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Board of City Record.

Publication of the CITY RECORD, and for any arrearages.....	\$190,000 00
Printing, stationery, blank books for City Departments and offices, including arrearages.....	428,000 00
City Record—Salaries.....	19,000 00
City Record—Contingencies, including arrearages.....	1,200 00

Board of City Record, New York County.

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
For County offices and courts, other than Supreme Court, including arrearages.....	\$40,300 00
For Supreme Court, First Department, including arrearages.....	15,000 00

Board of City Record, Kings County.

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
For County offices and courts, other than Supreme Court, including arrearages.....	\$20,000 00
For Supreme Court, Second Department, including arrearages.....	5,500 00

Board of City Record, Queens County.

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
For courts and County offices, including arrearages.....	\$6,000 00

Board of City Record—Richmond County.

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
For courts and County offices, including arrearages.....	\$3,500 00

The salaries of the following are chargeable to the Salary Account (section 1526, chapter 378, Laws of 1897):

	Per annum.
William A. Butler, Supervisor.....	\$5,000 00
Solon Berrick, Deputy Supervisor.....	2,500 00
Thomas C. Cowell, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.....	1,800 00
Carolyn McKemie, Private Secretary.....	1,800 00
Henry McMillen, Examiner.....	1,800 00
Samuel J. Brown, Examiner.....	1,200 00
Harriet M. Metcalfe, Examiner.....	650 00
Richard J. Burke, Examiner.....	900 00
James Kiernan, Laborer (per month).....	60 00

The salaries of the following are chargeable to the appropriation for "Printing, Stationery, Blank Books and for any Arrearages" (section 1526, chapter 378, Laws of 1897).

	Per annum.
Washington H. Hettler, Storekeeper.....	\$1,500 00
John Haney, Expressman.....	1,800 00
Henry J. Goggins, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
John F. Morris, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
Joseph Fehr, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
Alexander J. Cameron, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
James Shannessy, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
Peter Leatham, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
Johan A. Thuge, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
John McMahon, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
William H. Levitt, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
Robert McManus, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
James H. Ross, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
Frank L. Gilon, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00
John J. Strube, Bookbinder.....	1,200 00

The appropriations asked for the year 1900 were based upon the most conservative estimates; these estimates were reduced by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and, although the strictest economy has been observed, the expenses of this office have been heavily augmented by the large numbers of contracts and specifications and the engraving of bonds necessitated by the work of public improvements now under way. The increased cost of all materials, together with the shortening of hours of labor caused by the enforcement of the eight-hour Labor Law (section 3, chapter 567, Laws of 1899) have caused an advance in the price of emergency work.

The reorganization of certain offices affected by the consolidation of municipalities has necessitated requisition upon the Board of City Record for the appointment of an additional force of bookbinders, whose salaries are chargeable to the appropriation for Printing, Stationery and Blank Books (section 1526, chapter 378, Laws of 1897).

The number of books called for has also been greatly increased by new legislation and by a revision of the system of bookkeeping in many of the departments.

It gives me pleasure to state that, for the first time in many years, through the co-operation of the heads of departments, the quarterly reports have been published promptly in the CITY RECORD and are now fully up to date. I desire to refer particularly to the reports of the Auditor of Accounts of the Department of Finance. The cost of the publication of the CITY RECORD has been enormously increased by recent legislation, requiring many supplementary issues. The supplement published August 31, 1900, pursuant to the provisions of section 1, chapter 615, Laws of 1900, alone amounted to an issue of 382 pages. The small appropriation for the publication of the CITY RECORD during the year 1900 was depleted by the cost (amounting to about \$27,000) of the printing of the primary enrollment list (section 7, chapter 473, Laws of 1899), which was received too late at this office for publication during the month of December, 1899. The additional number of workmen required by operation of the Labor Law, which forbids working overtime on public work, has also caused an advance in the cost of contract work.

In conclusion, I would say that the estimates above given are based upon the best information I could obtain, and after a close inspection of the requisitions received for the ensuing year, and in view of my experience this past year in attempting to meet the demands made upon the resources of this office by legislation that cannot be anticipated, I believe the usefulness of this office would be seriously impaired by any material reduction in the estimated amounts asked for the year 1901.

Appended hereto is a comparative statement of the appropriations allowed for the year 1900 and those asked for the year 1901.

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	AMOUNT ASKED FOR 1901.
Board of City Record.		
Publication of the CITY RECORD and for any arrearages.....	\$190,000 00	\$190,000 00
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for City Departments and Offices, including arrearages.....	340,000 00	428,000 00
City Record—Salaries.....	19,000 00	19,000 00
City Record—Contingencies, including arrearages.....	1,200 00	1,200 00

DESIGNATION OF TITLE.	SALARY 1900.	ESTIMATE 1901.	INCREASE.		1900.	1901.
1 Clerk	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00	.....	22. Charles H. Requa, a Stenographer of Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	23. Timothy Bigelow, a Stenographer of Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	24. John E. Norcross, a Stenographer of Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	25. George L. Betts, a Stenographer of Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
1 Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	.....	26. William P. Cherry, a Stenographer of Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
"	600 00	600 00	.....	27. Herbert A. Briggs, a Stenographer of Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00	1,500 00	\$300 00	28. Thomas Shevlin, Chief Court Attendant, salary until July 1, 1900, \$1,800. Promoted June 29, 1900, at a salary of \$2,400.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	29. Alexander A. Cabre, Special Court Attendant, Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	30. William P. Dillon, Special Court Attendant, Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	31. William Fullam, an Attendant in the Supreme Court of Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
1 Office Attendant.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	32. John Furman, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
1 Messenger.....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	33. Hugh B. O'Connor, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	34. Edward Brel, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....	35. Joel Skidmore, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
1 Surveyor.....	4,500 00	4,500 00	.....	36. Frederick Brink, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
1 Assistant to Surveyor.....	2,250 00	2,250 00	.....	37. John Spaulding, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
1 Draughtsman.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	38. Edward W. Grant, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,600 00	1,600 00	.....	39. Nicholas Doyle, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,400 00	1,400 00	.....	40. James Donovan, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
1 Topographical Draughtsman.....	1,300 00	1,300 00	.....	41. James Flaherty, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,300 00	1,300 00	.....	42. Patrick Nolan, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,300 00	1,300 00	.....	43. Andrew Breck, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	44. James Shannon, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	45. John J. O'Connell, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	46. Arthur E. Cabbie, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	47. Edward M. Parker, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
1 Searcher.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	48. Timothy S. Casey, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	49. George C. Manning, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	50. Frederick H. Barre, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	51. James McMullen, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	52. Frank M. Rooney, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	53. Richard E. Jackson, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	54. Frank L. Chadwick, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	55. John J. McQuade, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	56. Charles G. Hall, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	57. Vacancy, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	58. Vacancy, an Attendant in the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
"	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	59. Frank Mann, German Interpreter of Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Total, salaries.....	\$329,450 00	\$337,900 00	\$8,450 00	60. Baruch Miller, Hebrew Jargon Interpreter, salary.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Contingencies.....	5,000 00	7,000 00	2,000 00	61. John Jacobson, Scandinavian Interpreter, salary.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Gross total.....	\$334,450 00	\$344,900 00	\$10,450 00	62. Vincent d'Agrosa, Italian Interpreter, salary.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
				63. Frank R. Dickey, Clerk to Justice Dickey, salary.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
				64. William E. Stevens, Clerk to Justice Maddox, salary.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
				65. James P. Kohler, Clerk to Justice Gaynor, salary.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
				66. Mary F. Wisner, Clerk to Justice Marean, salary.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
				Total.....	\$157,800 00	\$166,200 00

No. 1666.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, September 14, 1900.

Honorable P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York I send you herewith an estimate of the appropriation required to conduct the business of this office during the year 1901:

President.....	\$5,000 00
Secretary, Stenographer, etc.....	6,800 00
Contingencies.....	300 00
Total.....	\$12,000 00

To be distributed as follows:

President.....	\$5,000 00
Secretary.....	3,500 00
Private Secretary.....	1,200 00
Stenographer.....	1,500 00
Messenger.....	600 00
Contingencies.....	\$11,800 00
Total.....	\$12,100 00

The above account is the same as that granted by the Board for the year 1900, and is absolutely necessary for the proper transaction of the business of the office.
All of which is respectfully submitted.

Yours very truly,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1667.

SUPREME COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

Departmental Estimates for the Year 1901 of the amounts required to conduct the business of the Supreme Court in Kings County.

	1900.	1901.
1. William W. Goodrich, as Justice of the Supreme Court, annual compensation from Kings County.....	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00
2. Edgar M. Cullen, a Justice of the Supreme Court, annual compensation from Kings County.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
3. Willard Bartlett, a Justice of the Supreme Court, annual compensation from Kings County.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
4. William J. Gaynor, a Justice of the Supreme Court, annual compensation from Kings County.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
5. William D. Dickey, a Justice of the Supreme Court, annual compensation from Kings County.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
6. Samuel T. Maddox, a Justice of the Supreme Court, annual compensation from Kings County.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
7. Josiah T. Marean, a Justice of the Supreme Court, annual compensation from Kings County.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
8. Almet T. Jenks, a Justice of the Supreme Court, annual compensation from Kings County.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
9. Gerard M. Stevens, General Clerk of the Supreme Court in Kings County, salary.....	4,500 00	4,500 00
10. John P. Hudson, Calendar and Jury Clerk of same Court, salary.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
11. James F. McGee, Clerk at Special Term for Motions, salary.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
12. Robert Merchant, Clerk at Special Term for Issues, salary.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
13. William H. Riley, Clerk at Trial Term, Part II., salary.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
14. Andrew McDonald, Clerk at Trial Term, Part I., salary.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
15. William P. Leggett, Clerk at Trial Term, Part IV., salary.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
16. Lorenzo J. Farrell, Clerk at Trial Term, Part III., salary.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
17. E. Stillman Doubleday, Clerk at Trial Term, Part V., salary.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
18. Charles H. Farrell, Miscellaneous Clerk, promoted June 29, 1900, salary to July 1, 1900, was \$1,800, by last pay-roll \$2,500.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
19. Walter L. Ormsby, a Stenographer of the Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
20. Senter H. Ormsby, a Stenographer of Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
21. John B. Carey, a Stenographer of Supreme Court, Kings County, salary.....	3,000 00	3,000 00

On the 29th day of June, 1900, seven Justices of the Supreme Court, residing in Kings County, unanimously adopted a resolution that the salaries of all the Court Attendants be increased from \$1,200 to \$1,500 per annum each, commencing January 1, 1901. That the duties of the Attendants have largely increased with the business of the Courts, that night service is a common occurrence, and that while the number of Attendants might be increased it was in the opinion of the Justices that the Attendants should have their salaries increased because of their devotion to public service.

Compensation of Justices from other counties assigned to Kings County for 1901... \$18,000 00

The Justices of the Supreme Court residing in Kings County regard the sum of eighteen thousand dollars as necessary for compensation to Justices to be assigned to Kings County during the year 1901. There are now but seven Justices presiding in the Second Department to do all the business of ten counties. While litigation is continually increasing, the judicial force for trial business is decreasing, and the recent assignments of Judges Hirshbergh and Jenks to the Appellate Court destroys eighteen court assignments for the year 1901. These courts must be provided for, in addition to the other and many necessities for judicial service under the Laws of 1892 and 1898.

Additions to Law Library—Chambers of the Justices of the Supreme Court residing in Kings County..... \$1,000 00

The contingencies, viz.—Expressage, postage, typewritten copies for Court, etc. For printing—For the October Term of 1901, a new calendar of from four to five thousand cases will be required. The cost of that alone will be \$3,500. In addition, there will be required the monthly calendars for the other trial terms and for all the equity terms. Five thousand dollars for their purposes will be absolutely necessary.

For stationery, eight Courts, Justices, etc..... 5,000 00

For stationery, eight Courts, Justices, etc..... 2,000 00

RECAPITULATION.

Departmental estimates, salaries, etc.....	\$166,200 00
Compensation of Justice assigned to Kings County.....	18,000 00
Additions to Law Library, Chamber, etc.....	1,000 00
Contingencies.....	100 00
Printing.....	5,000 00
Stationery, etc.....	2,000 00

Whole amount required..... \$192,300 00

Dated SEPTEMBER 10, 1900.

Respectfully,
GERARD M. STEVENS,
General Clerk of the Supreme Court in Kings County.

No. 1667½.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK,
SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, September 13, 1900.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk, City of New York:

SIR—Inclosed herewith please find Departmental Estimate of the Department of Health of The City of New York for the year 1901.

Very respectfully,

C. GOLDERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

Departmental Estimate of Expenditures Required by the Department of Health of The City of New York, including a Statement of each of the Salaries of the Officers, Clerks and Employees of said Department, in Compliance with Section 226, Chapter 378, Laws of 1897.

BOARD OF HEALTH AND SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
1. Michael C. Murphy.....	Commissioner and President.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00	.....
2. William T. Jenkins, M. D.,	Commissioner.....	6,000 00	6,000 00	.....
3. John B. Cosby, M. D.....	".....	6,000 00	6,000 00	.....
4. Alexander L. Kinkaid.....	Private Secretary.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....
5. Wilhelmina Markley.....	Confidential Stenographer to President.	900 00	900 00	.....
6. Susie T. Craig.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
7. Emmons Clark.....	Secretary.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	.....
8. Caspar Golderman.....	Chief and Auditing Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....
9. William L. Craig.....	Clerk (Accounts and Supplies).....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....
10. Frederic D. Bell.....	Clerk.....	1,300 00	1,300 00	.....
11. William E. Simmons.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
12. Paul Sigel.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
13. Henry A. Schieckling.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....
14. George A. Roberts.....	".....	720 00	720 00	.....
15. Frank J. Reynolds.....	Bookkeeper.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
16. Mamie C. Carroll.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	540 00	540 00	.....
17. Sarah V. Malloy.....	Telephone Operator.....	720 00	720 00	.....
18. Jennie I. Willis.....	".....	720 00	720 00	.....
19. James Ryan.....	".....	720 00	720 00	.....
20. George P. Anderson.....	Office Boy.....	300 00	300 00	.....
21. Dominick Rottkamp.....	Porter.....	900 00	1,000 00	.....
22. Casimir Leibel.....	Foreman (Laborers).....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
23. Jacob Russe.....	Elevator Attendant.....	708 00	708 00	.....
24. Michael J. Londrigan.....	".....	708 00	708 00	.....
25. Thomas J. Curran.....	Steam Engineer.....	1,008 00	1,008 00	.....
26. William T. McGinnis.....	Fireman.....	912 00	912 00	.....
27. James Garry.....	Stoker.....	912 00	912 00	.....
28. Thomas Maloney.....	".....	912 00	912 00	.....
29. James W. Farmer.....	Laborer.....	732 00	732 00	.....
30. Benjamin Geraty.....	".....	732 00	732 00	.....
31. James Traynor.....	".....	612 00	612 00	.....
32. John McGowan.....	".....	612 00	612 00	.....
33. Patrick Gateley.....	Cleaner.....	732 00	732 00	.....
34. Dennis Harrigan.....	".....	612 00	612 00	.....
35. Margaret Emerson.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
36. Mary Purdy.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
37. Margaret Coughter.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
38. Mary A. Rodden.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
39. Hannah Gordon.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
40. Emma Miller.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
41. Ada Shay.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
42. Mary C. Kehoe.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
.....	2 Clerks, at \$1,200.....	.....	.....	\$2,400 00

RECAPITULATION.

42. Salary roll.....	Amount.
Increase (salary).....	\$58,392 00
2. New positions.....	100 00
.....	2,400 00
44.....	\$60,892 00
Estimate, 1901.....	\$60,892 00
Allowed, 1900.....	\$42,880 00

MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE SANITARY SUPERINTENDENT.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226).

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
43. Charles F. Roberts, M. D.,	Sanitary Superintendent.....	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00	.....
44. William B. Fernhead.....	Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
45. William F. Young.....	Junior Clerk.....	480 00	480 00	.....
46. Maud H. Macauley.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
47. Joseph P. O'Reilly.....	Office Boy.....	300 00	300 00	.....

OFFICE OF THE PATHOLOGIST AND DIRECTOR OF THE BACTERIOLOGICAL LABORATORY.
(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226).

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
48. Hermann M. Biggs, M. D.	Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratories.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	.....
49. William H. Park, M. D.,	Assistant Director of the Hospital Bacteriological Laboratories.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
50. John S. Billings, M. D.,	Assistant Director of the Diagnostic Bacteriological Laboratories.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
51. John H. Huddleston, M.D.,	Assistant Director of the Vaccine Laboratories.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF RECORDS.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226).

52. Roger S. Tracy, M. D.....	Registrar of Records.....	\$4,000 00	\$4,000 00
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OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

53. George P. Foulk.....	Law Clerk.....	\$1,400 00	\$1,400 00	.....
54. Thomas F. Fay.....	Clerk.....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....
55. Theodore Clarkson.....	Law Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
56. Herman Graef.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	.....
57. Joseph H. Gibbons.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
58. Eugene J. Tully.....	Office Boy.....	300 00	300 00	.....

SANITARY BUREAU.

First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
59. Fred'k H. Dillingham, M. D.	Assistant Sanitary Superintendent.....	\$3,500 00	\$3,500 00	.....
60. Eugene W. Scheffer.....	Assistant Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
61. Nicholas L. Campbell, M. D.	Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
62. James J. Connolly.....	Clerk (Orders).....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
63. Thomas Hanley.....	Clerk.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
64. Willis R. Hill.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....
65. Louis Miller.....	".....	750 00	750 00	.....
66. Harry G. Doran.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	.....
67. George E. A. Smith.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
68. Dennis J. Conroy.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
69. Benjamin A. Martin.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
70. John J. Gough.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
71. Annie M. McDermott.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
72. Maurice Borowsky.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
73. Bernard P. Sexton.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
74. Joseph Gilmartin.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
75. Louis Levy.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
76. Lucie Spannert.....	Typewriter.....	480 00	480 00	.....
77. Ella L. Grannatt.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
78. Nellie Cronin.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....
79. Cornelius J. Tyson.....	Office Boy.....	300 00	300 00	.....
80. Patrick J. Sherry.....	".....	300 00	300 00	.....
81. Michael B. Feeney, M. D.,	Chief Sanitary Inspector.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....
82. Samuel McCallum, M. D.,	Sanitary Inspector (Medical).....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
83. Harmon A. Vedder, M. D.,	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
84. Edward J. Lorenze, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
85. Charles Ver Noey, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
86. Alfred K. Smith, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
87. Walter B. Brouner, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
88. Daniel F. Linehan, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
89. William H. Vermilye, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
90. Walter G. Hudson, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
91. George M. Price, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
92. Joseph A. Shears, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
93. William H. Stewart, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
94. Walter A. Dunkel, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
95. Douglas Brown, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
96. John M. Williams, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
97. Moses Mintz, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
98. William Adler, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
99. Thomas J. Larkin, M. D.,	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
100. Vice Drain, deceased.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
101. Frederick Sprenger.....	Sanitary Inspector (Lay).....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
102. John T. Turner.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
103. Harry E. Bramley.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
104. David L. Johnston.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
105. James Bryan.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
106. Daniel T. Kenney.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
107. John J. Sullivan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
108. Andrew J. Brennan.....	Sanitary Inspector (Lay).....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00	.....
109. John E. McGill.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
110. James W. Naughton.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
111. Watts D. Gardner.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
112. DeWitt C. Wheeler.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
113. John S. Cuff.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
114. Richard P. Walsh.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
115. Walter L. Miller.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
116. Julius E. Carlin.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
117. John H. Oberle.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....

Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		New POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
118. Alonzo Blauvelt, M. D.....	Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	.....
119. James McC. Miller.....	Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
120. Rudolph Knoepfle.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
121. Charles Munck.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	.....
122. Alvina Mand.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	600 00	600 00	.....
123. Wilfred A. Breen.....	Office Boy.....	300 00	300 00	.....
124. John Schnell.....	Messenger.....	900 00	900 00	.....
125. Samuel K. Johnson.....	Veterinarian.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
126. Edward L. Sander.....	Assistant Veterinarian.....	900 00	900 00	.....
127. John Parsons, M. D.....	Sanitary Inspector (Medical).....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....
128. Herbert W. Wootton, M. D.....	Medical Inspector (Diagnostician).....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....
129. Charles S. Benedict, M. D.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....
130. S. Dana Hubbard, M. D.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
131. Sigmund Pollitzer, M. D.....	Diagnostician.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
132. Theodore H. Newland, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
133. Moreau Morris, M. D.....	Medical Inspector.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....
134. William L. Somerset, M. D.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....
135. Joseph G. Irons, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
136. Gessner Harrison, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
137. George S. Lynde, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
138. Samuel P. Cropper, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
139. Joseph Anderson, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
140. Harry D. Goetchius, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
141. Robert C. Davis, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
142. John F. Whitmyer, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
143. George W. Bogart, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
144. William E. Woodend, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
145. Charles E. Denison, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
146. Edward J. Graff, Jr., M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
147. Cornelius F. Orben, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
148. Morell B. Beals, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
149. Franklin C. Smith, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
150. Arnot Spence, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
151. George F. Morris, M. D.....	Vaccinator.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....
152. Chas. H. G. Steinsieck, M. D.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
153. Alfred V. Brailly, M. D.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
154. Thaddeus M. B. Cross, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
155. Richard R. Lytle, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
156. Antranig Ayzavian, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
157. Emil Finkelstein, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
158. Edwin L. Rose, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
159. Arthur R. Braunlich, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
160. M. Claudius Warsaw, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
161. Lachlan Tyler, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
162. Thomas Peddie, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
163. Patrick Duffy.....	Assistant Disinfecter.....	780 00	780 00	.....
164. Michael A. McEvoy.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
165. John J. Wilson.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
166. Joseph S. Clark.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
167. Hiram Le Barnes.....	Driver.....	840 00	840 00	.....
168. Henry Berbenich.....	".....	840 00	840 00	.....
169. Thomas F. Horan.....	".....	840 00	840 00	.....
170. Michael Cunningham.....	".....	840 00	840 00	.....
171. James J. Behan.....	Stableman.....	780 00	780 00	.....
172. Thomas Queenin.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
173. Richard Toole.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
174. Matthew Smith.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
175. John Kirby.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
50 Summer Corps Inspectors, 2 months, \$100 per month.....		10,000 00	10,000 00	.....

Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.
(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
176. Vice Martin, deceased.....	Chief Inspector.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	.....
177. Peter M. W. Verhoeven.....	Clerk.....	720 00	720 00	.....
178. James J. Clark.....	Junior Clerk.....	480 00	480 00	.....
179. Lillie H. Watson.....	Typewriter.....	600 00	600 00	.....
180. Ernst J. Lederle.....	Chemist.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
181. Joseph A. Deghue.....	Assistant Chemist.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
182. Edmund Clark.....	Assistant Chemist and Milk Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
183. Russell Raynor.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
184. Halsey Durand.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
185. Herman Betz, M. D.....	Milk Inspector.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
186. John E. Allen, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
187. Charles F. Walter, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
188. Charles H. Kilbourne.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
189. Emil F. Johnson.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
190. Hugh Hall.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
191. William T. Brady.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
192. Bayard C. Fuller.....	Fruit Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
193. Thomas S. Callender.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
194. Wilson G. Fox.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
195. Isaac Gruber.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
196. Walter Buckley.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
197. Edward Byrne.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
198. John E. Higgins.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
199. Philip Heist.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
200. Washington T. Romaine.....	Meat Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
201. Peter Goodheart.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
202. Bryce Mars.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
203. George A. Woods.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
204. Mortimer L. Sullivan.....	Fish Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
205. Hugh H. Masterson.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
206. Alfred A. Birck.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
207. Joseph S. Callahan.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
208. George F. Shady, Jr.....	Inspector of Offensive Trades.....	1,440 00	1,440 00	.....
209. Meyer Joffe.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
210. John Jones.....	Skilled Laborer.....	480 00	480 00	.....

Sixth Division—Division of Marine Inspection.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITION.
		1900.	1901.	
211. Andrew T. Talmadge, M. D.....	Chief Marine Inspector.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	.....

BUREAU OF RECORDS.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

212. Thomas C. Taylor, M. D.....	Assistant Registrar of Records.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00	.....
213. William H. Guilfoyle, M. D.....	Compiling Clerk.....	1,700 00	1,700 00	.....
214. Garrett N. Ford.....	".....	1,700 00	1,700 00	.....
215. Robert Campbell, M. D.....	Clerk (Burial Permits).....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
216. John H. Bazin.....	" (Searches).....	1,300 00	1,300 00	.....
217. Vice Smith, transferred to Brooklyn.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
218. James A. O'Connor.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
219. Samuel W. McAneny.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....
220. John J. Barry.....	".....	660 00	660 00	.....
221. John C. Voorhees.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	.....
222. Henry M. Cox.....	Inspector of Burial Permits.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
223. John F. Kenny.....	Bookbinder.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
224. Jeremiah Kenefick.....	Custodian of Records.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....

RECEPTION HOSPITAL.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

225. Kate B. Holden.....	Matron.....	\$720 00	\$720 00	.....
226. Mary O'Connor.....	Nurse.....	480 00	480 00	.....
227. Joanna M. Cody.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
228. John Henrich, Jr.....	Orderly.....	780 00	780 00	.....
229. Hannah Clarke.....	Helper.....	168 00	168 00	.....
230. Bridget Dunn.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
231. Lizzie Barrie.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
232. Nora Desmond.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
233. Katie Sweeney.....	Domestic.....	204 00	204 00	.....
234. Peter McCabe.....	Fireman.....	480 00	480 00	.....
235. Charles Woods.....	".....	480 00	480 00	.....

WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL.

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
236. Edward G. Bryant, M. D.	Resident Physician.....	\$1,800 00	\$1,800 00	
237. Julia M. Murphy.....	Assistant Resident Physician.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
238. Julia M. Murphy.....	Matron.....	720 00	720 00	
239. Julia Farrell.....	Nurse.....	540 00	540 00	
240. Margaret Donovan.....	".....	480 00	480 00	
241. Margaret Gallagher.....	".....	420 00	420 00	
242. Mary Dunwoody.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
243. Hanne Anderson.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
244. M. J. Peltier.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
245. Hannah Gallagher.....	".....	360 00	350 00	
246. Anna J. Hutchinson.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
247. Elizabeth G. Shotts.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
248. Maria Davidson.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
249. Kate Galvin.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
250. Arthur Simonson.....	Orderly.....	720 00	720 00	
251. Cornelius J. Hurley.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
252. John Hemp.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
253. John McGarry.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
254. James Flynn.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
255. Hiram Seeley.....	".....	240 00	240 00	
256. Maggie McLaughlin.....	Domestic.....	360 00	360 00	
257. Mary Tyrrell.....	".....	252 00	252 00	
258. Annie Shannon.....	".....	240 00	240 00	
259. Ida Masterson.....	".....	240 00	240 00	
260. Mary Leonard.....	".....	180 00	180 00	
261. Annie McCann.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
262. Jane Leavy.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
263. Maggie Healey.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
264. Mary J. Divine.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
265. Susan Cotter.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
266. Mary Gorry.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
267. Jennie Kenny.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
268. Nellie Martin.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
269. Lottie Crawford.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
270. Maggie Daly.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
271. Theresa Carey.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
272. Mary Martin.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
273. Maggie Fay.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
274. Nellie Cooney.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
275. Maggie McGlory.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
276. Annie Williams.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
277. Lizzie Moore.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
278. Maggie Johnson.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
279. Tina Laub.....	".....	168 00	168 00	
280. J. W. Barker.....	Helper.....	900 00	900 00	
281. Samuel G. Burns.....	".....	900 00	900 00	
282. William E. Mulrooney.....	".....	780 00	780 00	
283. Joseph H. Grayson.....	".....	780 00	780 00	
284. Herbert Small.....	".....	780 00	780 00	
285. John Colfax.....	".....	780 00	780 00	
286. Joseph Murray, Jr.....	".....	780 00	780 00	
287. Adam Biffar.....	".....	780 00	780 00	
288. John W. Blake.....	".....	780 00	780 00	
289. Thomas Hanley.....	".....	780 00	780 00	
290. Margaret Berrigan.....	".....	720 00	720 00	
291. John Rowantray.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
292. John D. Lane.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
293. William Erath.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
294. Edward Nicholson.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
295. James McCauley.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
296. Henry A. Cunningham.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
297. Anthony Palumbo.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
298. Joseph Cunningham.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
299. Margaret Connell.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
300. Kate Hall.....	".....	600 00	600 00	
301. Arthur Berrigan.....	".....	420 00	420 00	
302. Margaret Myers.....	".....	420 00	420 00	
303. John Finnegan.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
304. William Hanover.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
305. John Conmy.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
306. Mary Dougherty.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
307. Mary Leary.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
308. Bridget McNamara.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
309. James Lenihan.....	".....	360 00	360 00	
310. Frank H. Rodman.....	".....	300 00	300 00	
311. Joseph I. Fennelly.....	Engineer.....	1,080 00	1,080 00	
312. Thomas Murray.....	Fireman.....	420 00	420 00	
313. Charles H. Towle.....	".....	420 00	420 00	

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
314. Dennis O'Keefe.....	Night Watchman.....	\$480 00	\$480 00	
315. William Brophy.....	Elevator Man.....	480 00	480 00	
316. Joseph Johnson.....	Driver.....	780 00	780 00	
317. Joseph McCormack.....	".....	720 00	720 00	
318. Thomas D. Hawkins.....	Driver.....	600 00	600 00	
	1 Clerk.....			\$1,500 00
	".....			1,000 00
	1 Office Boy.....			300 00
	1 Milk Inspector.....			1,200 00
	1 Sanitary Inspector.....			1,200 00
	3 Medical Inspectors to perform tele- phone duty in connection with con- tagious diseases; service contin- uous (8 hours' duty) night and day, \$1,200.....			3,600 00

RECAPITULATION.

DESIGNATION.	SALARY.
5. Office of the Sanitary Superintendent.....	\$9,280 00
4. Office of the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratories.....	7,500 00
1. Office of the Registrar of Records.....	4,000 00
6. Office of the Corporation Counsel.....	4,880 00
59. First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.....	65,430 00
58. Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.....	77,660 00
35. Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.....	41,520 00
1. Sixth Division—Division of Marine Inspection.....	2,000 00
13. Bureau of Records.....	17,160 00
11. Reception Hospital.....	4,236 00
83. Willard Parker Hospital.....	38,544 00
276. Total, Manhattan.....	\$272,210 00
8. New positions.....	8,800 00
284. Total.....	\$281,010 00

Estimate for 1901..... \$281,010 00
 Allowed for 1900..... 236,968 00

THE BRONX.

SANITARY BUREAU.

First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185,
 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
319. Eugene Monaghan, M. D.....	Assistant Sanitary Superintendent.....	\$3,500 00	\$3,500 00	
320. Henry W. Meyer.....	Junior Clerk.....	612 00	612 00	
321. William A. Rooney.....	Clerk.....	612 00	612 00	
322. William H. Dobbs.....	Chief Sanitary Inspector.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	
323. Charles F. Spencer, M. D.....	Sanitary Inspector (Medical).....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
324. Charles A. Clinton, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
325. William C. Deming, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
326. T. LeWitt Pinckney, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
327. Henry B. Boyle, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	

Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185,
 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
328. Adolph Kessler, M. D.....	Chief Inspector.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	
329. Henry Johnson, M. D.....	Junior Clerk.....	480 00	480 00	
330. W. Warren Talley, M. D.....	Medical Inspector (Diagnostician).....	1,500 00	1,500 00	
331. Wilfred P. Byrne, M. D.....	Medical Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
332. Charlton Wallace, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
333. Sarkis H. Abkarian, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
334. Lewis C. Potter, M. D.....	Vaccinator.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	
335. Alphonse J. Dodin.....	Veterinarian.....	780 00	1,000 00	
336. William F. Braisted.....	".....	750 00	1,000 00	
337. Patrick Conway.....	Disinfectant.....	900 00	900 00	
338. Henry T. Ritter.....	Assistant Disinfectant.....	780 00	780 00	

Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.
(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
339. Ambrose Lee, Jr.....	Junior Clerk.....	\$600 00	\$600 00	.....
340. Samuel W. Clason, M. D....	Milk Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
341. John J. D. Sullivan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
342. Edward A. Weiss.....	Fruit Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
343. Thomas O'Connell.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
344. Joseph A. Carey.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
345. Charles M. Hickey, M. D....	Fish Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
346. Mary A. Chancellor.....	Laboratory Attendant.....	600 00	600 00	.....

BUREAU OF RECORDS.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

347. Arthur J. O'Leary, M. D....	Assistant Registrar of Records.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00	.....
348. Charles J. Burke, M. D....	Clerk (Burial Permits).....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
349. Alfred C. Voute.....	Office Boy.....	300 00	300 00	.....

RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

350.	Resident Physician.....	\$1,800 00	\$1,800 00	.....
351.	Assistant Resident.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
352. Mary J. Reynolds.....	Matron.....	900 00	900 00	.....
353. M. Louise Watkins.....	Nurse.....	462 00	462 00	.....
354. Kate I. Sheridan.....	".....	462 00	462 00	.....
355. Clara A. Lay.....	".....	462 00	462 00	.....
356. Annie Foy.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
357. Annie C. Feeney.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
358. Catherine N. Blaney.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
359. May Church.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
360. Birdie Timlin.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
361. Catherine Faulkner.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
362. Mary E. Fenton.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
363. Alice A. O'Connor.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
364. Anna Carlin.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
365. Elizabeth Eagan.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
366. Bertha Shuart.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
367. John J. Cogan.....	Orderly (office).....	720 00	720 00	.....
368. Franklin Robinson.....	Orderly and Morgue Keeper.....	480 00	480 00	.....
369. Edwin Booth.....	Orderly.....	360 00	360 00	.....
370. Solomon Slavisky.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
371. Charles Kaighin.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
372. James Giddings.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
373. Donald Hart.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
374. Leonard Berrigan.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
375. Luke Murphy.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
376. Henry Decker.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
377. Lulu F. McKibbin.....	Domestic.....	420 00	420 00	.....
378. Bridget Kennedy.....	".....	252 00	252 00	.....
379. Catherine Hanley.....	".....	240 00	240 00	.....
380. Hannah Cahill.....	".....	180 00	180 00	.....
381. Sarah Sullivan.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
382. Maggie Kaighin.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
383. Maggie O'Donnell.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
384. Susie Patterson.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
385. Jane Normeind.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
386. Norah Gardiner.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
387. Annie Hennegan.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
388. Tillie O'Brien.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
389. Hattie Waldorf.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
390. Mary Madden.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
391. Mary Brennan.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
392. Celia McHugh.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
393. Mary Taylor.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
394. Annie Doyne.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
395. Henrietta Roth.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
396. Maria Dolan.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
397. Ellie O'Donnell.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
398. Maggie Carroll.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
399. Mary Rogers.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
400. Annie Joyce.....	".....	168 00	168 00	.....
401. Michael Costa.....	Helper.....	780 00	780 00	.....
402. William Rosebrook.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
403. Wyeth E. Ray.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
404. John Horgan.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
405. James Nolan.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
406. Joseph Gaffney.....	Engineer.....	\$1,100 00	\$1,100 00	.....
407. John Galantic.....	Fireman.....	480 00	480 00	.....
408. Robert Hixon.....	".....	420 00	420 00	.....
409. David J. Gitto.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
410. Hilmer Anderson.....	Night Watchman.....	360 00	360 00	.....
411. John McCabe.....	Gardener.....	720 00	720 00	.....
412. John T. Murphy.....	Carpenter.....	420 00	420 00	.....
413. James Cobey.....	Assistant Carpenter.....	360 00	360 00	.....
414. August Swanberg.....	Boatman.....	360 00	360 00	.....

STEAMBOAT "FRANKLIN EDSON."

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

415. Henry Rick.....	Captain.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00	.....
416. George A. Palmer.....	Engineer.....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....
417. Samuel J. Mills.....	Fireman.....	384 00	384 00	.....
418. Charles Johnson.....	Deckhand.....	504 00	504 00	.....
419. Raffaello Legato.....	".....	384 00	384 00	.....

RECAPITULATION.

DESIGNATION.	SALARY.
9. First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.....	\$13,024 00
11. Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.....	12,490 00
8. Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.....	8,400 00
3. Bureau of Records—Office of the Assistant Registrar.....	4,300 00
65. Riverside Hospital.....	25,958 00
5. Steamboat "Franklin Edson" and Launch "Duchess".....	3,572 00
101. Total, Bronx.....	\$67,744 00
Increase in salary.....	470 00
Total.....	\$68,214 00

Estimate for 1901..... \$68,214 00
Allowed in 1900..... 58,848 00

BROOKLYN.

SANITARY BUREAU.

First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
420. Robert A. Black, M. D.....	Assistant Sanitary Superintendent.....	\$3,500 00	\$5,000 00	.....
421. John A. Jennings.....	Assistant Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
422. Alfred T. Metcalfe.....	Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
423. Frank S. McLaughlin.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
424. James T. Duffy.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
425. John S. Hutchinson.....	".....	1,050 00	1,050 00	.....
426. Harry S. Sullivan.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	.....
427. Daniel Williams.....	Messenger.....	900 00	900 00	.....
428. Frank J. Brennan.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,050 00	1,050 00	.....
429. Ada A. Powers.....	Typewriter.....	780 00	780 00	.....
430. Haviland D. Dusenberry.....	Boy.....	572 00	572 00	.....
431. Charles G. Purdy, M. D....	Sanitary Inspector (Medical).....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
432. Henry P. de Forest, M. D....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
433. George V. Convery, M. D....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
434. George R. Hill, M. D....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
435. Hugh A. Newman, M. D....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
436. Charles W. Berry, M. D....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
437. Charles B. Curran, M. D....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
438. Erskine H. Dickey.....	Sanitary Inspector (Lay).....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
439. Martin F. Dolan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
440. Daniel Melody.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
441. Charles S. Tighe.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
442. John Todd.....	Sanitary Inspector (Plumbing).....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
443. Francis J. Hall.....	Shore Inspector.....	750 00	750 00	.....
444. John H. Hart.....	Janitor.....	600 00	600 00	.....
445. William H. Wallace.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
446. Nellie Conkling.....	".....	300 00	300 00	.....
447. Mary Clements.....	".....	300 00	300 00	.....

Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
448. Frederic A. Jewett, M.D. }	Chief Inspector Contagious Disease }	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	.....
449. Andrew E. O'Shea.....	Bureau Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
450. Edward C. Goodwin.....	Junior Clerk.....	\$480 00	\$480 00	.....
451. Edwin B. Ackerman.....	Veterinarian.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
452. Thomas E. Finnegan.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
453. Peter G. Hughes, M.D.....	Diagnostician.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....
454. John E. Walsh, M. D.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....
455. Robert H. Herkimer, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
456. Henry C. Murphy, M.D.....	".....	1,500 00	1,200 00	.....
457. Havens B. Bayles, M.D.....	Medical Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
458. John M. Peacocke, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
459. Henry T. Hotchkiss, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
460. Susan R. Pray, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
461. Joseph M. Raub, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
462. John A. Cochran, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
463. John W. Van Dusen, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
464. William C. Schirmer, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
465. James T. Gallagher, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
466. Eugene J. Kenny, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
467. James I. H. Blakeney, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
468. Leon M. Fleming, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
469. Henry W. Burnard, M.D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
470. Thomas A. York, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
471. James P. Warbasse, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
472. Thomas F. Mylod, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	2,200 00	.....
473. Paul F. Tyburn, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
474. William J. Callan, M. D.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
475. Samuel F. King, M. D.....	Vaccinator.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
476. Stanley G. Clarke, M. D.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
477. Henry A. Higley, M. D.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
478. Louis C. Ager, M. D.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
479. George Flaherty.....	Disinfecter.....	900 00	900 00	.....
480. John T. Maguire.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....
481. James J. Fagan.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....
482. James J. Maloney.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....
483. Andrew J. Murtha.....	Boatman.....	732 00	732 00	.....
484. James McCooley.....	".....	730 00	730 00	.....
485. William J. Jennings.....	".....	730 00	730 00	.....
486. James F. Kiely.....	".....	730 00	730 00	.....
487. Stephen H. Butler.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
488. James Keegan.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
489. George Kehoe.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
490. George W. Gifford.....	Laborer.....	900 00	900 00	.....
491. Daniel J. Carey.....	".....	624 00	624 00	.....
492. Charles Prast.....	".....	624 00	624 00	.....
493. John Gunyan.....	".....	548 00	548 00	.....
494. James Thompson.....	Driver.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
495. James Moran.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
25 Summer Corps Inspectors for 2 months, \$100 per month.....		5,000 00	5,000 00	.....

Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1184, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITION.
		1900.	1901.	
496. Henry V. Walker, M. D.....	Chief Inspector.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00	.....
497. Charles P. O'Connor.....	Assistant Chemist.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
498. Louis C. d'Homergue.....	Clerk.....	1,350 00	1,350 00	.....
499. Joseph P. Gormley.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
500. C. Garstin Smith.....	".....	1,050 00	1,050 00	.....
501. George C. Cochran, M. D.....	Food Inspector.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
502. Elias Robinson.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
503. Russell Sturgis, Jr.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
504. Bryer H. Pendry.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
505. Henry Molter.....	Meat Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
506. Russell Hoag.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
507. Alfred May.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
508. James Moore.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
509. Francis E. Morgan.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
510. Charles A. Lester.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....

BUREAU OF RECORDS.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
511. Sylvester J. Byrne, M. D.....	Assistant Registrar of Records.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00	.....
512. Joseph A. Devin.....	Clerk.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
513. Peter R. Welch.....	Clerk (Vital Statistics).....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
514. Frederick P. Auwell.....	".....	1,350 00	1,350 00	.....
515. James E. Mallon.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
516. Peter J. Smith.....	".....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
517. Michael Madigan.....	".....	1,050 00	1,050 00	.....
518. John Tynan, M. D.....	Clerk (Burial Permits).....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....

KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
519. Patrick J. Murray, M. D.....	Resident Physician.....	\$1,800 00	\$1,800 00	.....
520.....	Assistant Resident Physician.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
521. Anna C. Cary.....	Matron.....	600 00	600 00	.....
522. Mary Dooling.....	Assistant Matron.....	500 00	500 00	.....
523. Robert Cade.....	Nurse.....	420 00	420 00	.....
524. Charles Thompson.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
525. Tillie Engles.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
526. Emma Aumond.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
527. Pauline Oakland.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
528. Emma L. Smith.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
529. Mary F. Sheil.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
530. Margaret McGuigan.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
531. Julia Armstrong.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
532. Amy I. Macdonell.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
533. Bertha H. Kern.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
534. Jennie I. Rourke.....	".....	360 00	360 00	.....
535. Anna M. Hands.....	Orderly.....	600 00	600 00	.....
536. William Trussman.....	".....	300 00	300 00	.....
537. Minerva Robinson.....	".....	240 00	240 00	.....
538. Thomas Marron.....	Domestic.....	480 00	480 00	.....
539. John Meagher.....	".....	300 00	300 00	.....
540. Hilma Carlson.....	".....	264 00	264 00	.....
541. Christina Anderson.....	".....	240 00	240 00	.....
542. Annie Kelly.....	".....	240 00	240 00	.....
543. Mary Mead.....	".....	240 00	240 00	.....
544. Millie Sherwood.....	".....	240 00	240 00	.....
545. Matilda Anderson.....	".....	216 00	216 00	.....
546. Malley Gunderson.....	".....	216 00	216 00	.....
547. Anna Lindeblad.....	".....	216 00	216 00	.....
548. Mary F. Roberts.....	".....	216 00	216 00	.....
549. Mary A. Banks.....	".....	216 00	216 00	.....
550. Mary Stack.....	".....	192 00	192 00	.....
551. Pauline Arenta.....	".....	192 00	192 00	.....
552. Margaret Donohue.....	".....	144 00	144 00	.....
553. Thomas M. Carey.....	Helper.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
554. Peter J. Riley.....	".....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
555. William J. Black.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
556. John H. Heslin.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
557. Alexander Long.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
558. Robert Shea.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
559. Richard Shannon.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....
560. Henry Benner.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
561. Joseph Brennan.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
562. James Callahan.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
563. John Connaughton.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
564. James Hayes.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
565. Henry McDonough.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
566. Charles Keller.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
567. John F. Dunn.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
568. John J. Foley.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
569. Phebe Angevine.....	".....	520 00	520 00	.....
570. Margaret O'Brien.....	".....	240 00	240 00	.....
571. Julia Heyman.....	".....	216 00	216 00	.....
572. John F. Farley.....	Engineer.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....
573. Walter Thompson.....	".....	1,300 00	1,300 00	.....
574. Dennis J. Graham.....	Fireman.....	730 00	730 00	.....
575. Daniel J. Keegan.....	".....	730 00	730 00	.....
576. Michael Millmore.....	".....	730 00	730 00	.....
577. Nathan S. K. Miles.....	Carpenter.....	936 00	936 00	.....
578. Richard Victory.....	Meat Inspector.....	540 00	540 00	.....
579. John T. White.....	Driver.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
580. John Thompson.....	Laborer.....	660 00	660 00	.....
581. George Britt.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
582. James Kennedy.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
583. John Bahan.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
584. Edward Byrnes.....	".....	600 00	600 00	.....
585. Charles R. Smith.....	".....	540 00	540 00	.....
586. Theodore Schwartz.....	Boy.....	360 00	360 00	.....
4 Clerks, at \$1,000.....		.....	.....	\$4,000 00
4 Junior Clerks, at \$600.....		.....	.....	2,400 00
4 Milk Inspectors, at \$1,200.....		.....	.....	4,800 00
1 Chief Sanitary Inspector.....		.....	.....	2,500 00
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....		.....	.....	900 00
3 Orderlies, at \$780.....		.....	.....	2,340 00
4 Nurses, at \$420.....		.....	.....	1,680 00

RECAPITULATION.

DESIGNATION.	SALARY.
28. First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.....	\$31,902 00
48. Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.....	56,098 00
15. Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.....	18,000 00
8. Bureau of Records—Office of Assistant Registrar.....	11,800 00
68. Kingston Avenue Hospital.....	36,934 00
167. Total, Brooklyn.....	\$154,734 00
Increase (Salary).....	1,500 00
21. New Positions.....	18,620 00
188. Total.....	\$174,854 00
Estimate for 1901.....	\$174,854 00
Allowed for 1900.....	145,000 00

QUEENS.

SANITARY BUREAU.

First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
587. Obed L. Lusk, M. D.....	Assistant Sanitary Superintendent.....	\$3,500 00	\$3,500 00	.....
588. George R. Crowley.....	Assistant Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
589. Gerda S. Bergstrom.....	Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	.....
590. John J. Doyle.....	Telephone Operator.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....
591. Foster J. Maynard, M. D.....	Sanitary Inspector.....	800 00	900 00	.....

Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, Sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
592. Harry M. Bradley, M. D.....	Assistant Resident Physician.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00	.....
593. Charles B. Storey, M. D.....	Medical Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
594. Franklin Booth, M. D.....	".....	800 00	900 00	.....
595. Menzo W. Herriman, M. D.....	".....	800 00	900 00	.....
596. Archer W. Jagger, M. D.....	".....	800 00	900 00	.....
597. John H. Barry, M. D.....	".....	800 00	900 00	.....
598. John J. Colton.....	Sanitary Inspector (Lay).....	800 00	900 00	.....
599. Henry C. Gessner.....	Disinfecter.....	900 00	900 00	.....
600. Frank Halpin.....	Foreman.....	900 00	900 00	.....
601. Herman Wellner.....	Veterinarian.....	900 00	900 00	.....

Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, Sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
602. Charles G. Kirchhof, M. D.....	Milk Inspector.....	\$900 00	\$900 00	.....
603. Francis M. Finnerty.....	Fruit Inspector.....	900 00	900 00	.....

BUREAU OF RECORDS.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, Sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

604. Frank Wickham, M. D.....	Assistant Registrar of Records.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00	.....
605. Harry K. Bell, M. D.....	Clerk (Burial Permits).....	900 00	900 00	.....
.....	1 Junior Clerk.....	.....	.....	\$600 00
.....	1 Office Boy.....	.....	.....	300 00
.....	2 Medical Inspectors, at \$900.....	.....	.....	1,800 00
.....	1 Sanitary Inspector.....	.....	.....	900 00
.....	1 Assistant Chemist and Milk Inspector.....	.....	.....	900 00
.....	1 Veterinarian.....	.....	.....	900 00
.....	1 Assistant Disinfecter.....	.....	.....	780 00

RECAPITULATION.

DESIGNATION.	SALARY.
5. First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.....	\$7,900 00
10. Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.....	9,400 00

DESIGNATION.

SALARY.

3. Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.....	\$1,800 00
2. Bureau of Records—Office of Assistant Registrar.....	3,900 00
19. Total, Queens.....	\$23,000 00
Increase (Salary).....	600 00
8. New positions.....	6,180 00
27. Total.....	\$29,780 00

Estimate for 1901.....	\$29,780 00
Allowed for 1900.....	22,400 00

RICHMOND.

SANITARY BUREAU.

First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
606. John L. Feeny, M. D.....	Assistant Sanitary Superintendent.....	\$3,500 00	\$3,500 00	.....
607. Charles E. Hoyer.....	Assistant Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....
608. William T. Fetherston.....	Clerk.....	600 00	900 00	.....
609. Joseph Gill.....	Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00	.....
610. Adelaide L. McNamara.....	Stenographer and Typewriter.....	780 00	780 00	.....
611. John F. Smith.....	Sanitary Inspector (Lay).....	800 00	800 00	.....
612. James McMullen.....	".....	800 00	800 00	.....
613. John Morrison.....	".....	800 00	800 00	.....
614. Timothy J. Snatry.....	".....	800 00	800 00	.....
615. Frank Stoddard.....	".....	800 00	800 00	.....
616. James A. Jenkins.....	Assistant Foreman.....	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....
617. Fabian J. Light.....	".....	900 00	900 00	.....
618. John Regan.....	Laborer.....	600 00	600 00	.....
619. James Hoolihan.....	".....	540 00	600 00	.....
620. Charles H. Bush.....	".....	540 00	600 00	.....
621. Charles Kemether.....	".....	540 00	600 00	.....
622. Harris Kruser.....	".....	540 00	600 00	.....
623. Hugh Rush.....	".....	360 00	600 00	.....
624. Cornelius J. Tobin.....	".....	360 00	720 00	.....

Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
625. Fritz Mechtold, M. D.....	Medical Inspector (Diagnostician).....	\$600 00	\$1,200 00	.....
626. John J. Van Rensselaer, M. D.....	Medical Inspector.....	480 00	1,000 00	.....
627. John T. Sprague.....	".....	480 00	1,000 00	.....
628. Percival Nichols.....	Veterinarian.....	900 00	900 00	.....
629. Michael F. Larkin.....	Disinfecter.....	600 00	780 00	.....
630. Thomas Lynam.....	".....	600 00	780 00	.....
631. Eugene S. Devlin.....	Laborer.....	660 00	780 00	.....
632. John J. Gorman.....	".....	360 00	720 00	.....

Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

NAME.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	SALARIES.		NEW POSITIONS.
		1900.	1901.	
633. Fred. W. Kerr.....	Milk Analyst.....	\$600 00	\$1,000 00	.....
634. James H. Seguire.....	Milk Inspector.....	780 00	780 00	.....
635. Lewis Wolf.....	".....	780 00	780 00	.....

BUREAU OF RECORDS.

(Chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226.)

636. J. Walter Wood, M. D.....	Assistant Registrar of Records.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
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RECAPITULATION.

DESIGNATION.	SALARY.
19. First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.....	\$17,060 00
8. Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.....	4,680 00
3. Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.....	2,160 00
1. Bureau of Records—Office of Assistant Registrar.....	3,000 00
31. Total, Richmond.....	\$26,900 00
Increase (Salary).....	4,080 00
Total.....	\$30,980 00

Estimate for 1901.....	\$30,920 00
Allowed for 1900.....	26,400 00

Salaries.

	TOTAL ESTIMATE 1900.	BOARD OF HEALTH AND SECRETARY'S OFFICE.		MANHATTAN.		THE BRONX.		BROOKLYN.		QUEENS.		RICHMOND.		TOTAL ALLOWED 1900.
		No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	
Board of Health and Office of Secretary.....	42		\$58,392 00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Office of the Sanitary Superintendent.....	5	\$9,280 00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Office of Pathologist and Director of Bacteriological Laboratories.....	4	7,500 00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Office of the Registrar of Records.....	1	4,000 00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Office of the Corporation Counsel.....	6	4,880 00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sanitary Bureau—
First Division—Division of Sanitary Inspection.....	59	65,430 00	9	\$13,024 00	28	\$31,902 00	5	\$7,900 00	19	\$17,050 00	..
Second Division—Division of Contagious Diseases.....	58	77,660 00	11	12,490 00	48	56,098 00	10	9,400 00	8	4,680 00	..
Third Division—Division of Food Inspection and Offensive Trades.....	35	41,520 00	8	8,400 00	15	18,000 00	2	1,800 00	3	2,160 00	..
Sixth Division—Division of Marine Inspection.....	1	2,000 00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bureau of Records—Office of Assistant Registrar.....	13	17,160 00	3	4,300 00	8	11,800 00	2	3,900 00	1	3,000 00	..
Hospitals, Steamboat, etc.—
Reception Hospital.....	11	4,236 00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Willard Parker Hospital.....	83	38,544 00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Riverside Hospital.....	65	25,958 00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Steamboat "Franklin Edson" and Launch "Duchess".....	5	3,572 00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kingston Avenue Hospital.....	68	36,934 00	..	..	..	..	..
Increase (Salary).....	100 00	..	..	..	470 00	..	..	..	600 00	..	4,020 00	..
New positions.....	2	..	2,400 00	8	8,800 00	..	..	21	18,620 00	8	6,180 00	..	..	..
Estimate, 1901 (675 employees, including new positions).	\$645,670 00	44	\$60,892 00	284	\$281,010 00	101	\$68,214 00	188	\$174,854 00	27	\$29,780 00	31	\$30,920 00	..
Allowed for 1900.....	\$42,880 00	..	\$236,968 00	..	\$58,848 00	..	\$145,000 00	..	\$22,400 00	..	\$26,400 00	\$532,496 00

Total Estimate, 1901..... \$645,670 00
Allowed for 1900..... 532,496 00

	TOTAL ESTIMATE 1901.	BOARD OF HEALTH AND SECRETARY'S OFFICE.	MANHATTAN.	THE BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS.	RICHMOND.	TOTAL ALLOWED 1900.
Salaries.....	\$645,670 00	\$60,892 00	\$281,010 00	\$68,214 00	\$174,854 00	\$29,780 00	\$30,920 00	\$532,496 00
Law Expenses, including Marshal's fees (section 1205, chapter 378, Laws of 1897)—								
Estimate for 1901.....	\$3,500 00	..	\$2,000 00	..	\$1,500 00	..	..	..
Allowed for 1900.....	..	..	2,000 00	..	1,500 00	..	..	\$3,500 00
Removing Night Soil, Dead Animals and Offal (section 1205, chapter 378, Laws of 1897)—								
Estimate for 1901.....	\$73,300 00	..	\$30,000 00	\$11,850 00	\$10,000 00	\$14,950 00	\$6,500 00	..
Allowed for 1900.....	..	..	25,000 00	5,000 00	12,000 00	15,000 00	5,000 00	\$62,000 00
Night Medical Service (section 326, chapter 378, Laws of 1897)—								
Estimate for 1901.....	\$6,000 00	..	\$3,000 00	..	\$3,000 00	..	..	..
Allowed for 1900.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

										TOTAL ESTIMATE, 1901.	BOARD OF HEALTH AND SECRETARY'S OFFICE.	MANHATTAN.	BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS.	RICHMOND.	TOTAL ALLOWED, 1900.
For payment to the Board of Police for the service.																	
Boroughs.																	
GRADE.	RATE.	MANHATTAN.		BRONX.		BROOKLYN.		QUEENS.		RICHMOND.							
		No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.						
Sergeant	\$2,000 00	1	\$2,000 00	..	.....	..	.....	..	.....	..	.....
Roundsmen ...	1,500 00	2	3,000 00	1	\$1,500 00	1	\$1,500 00	1	\$1,500 00	1	\$1,500 00						
Patrolmen.....	1,400 00	50	70,000 00	5	7,000 00	28	39,200 00	5	7,000 00	5	7,000 00						
Total .....	.....	53	\$75,000 00	6	\$8,500 00	29	\$40,700 00	6	\$8,500 00	6	\$8,500 00						
Detailed for the enforcement of the provisions of section 312, chapter 378, Laws of 1897 :																	
Estimate for 1901.....										\$141,200 00	.....	\$75,000 00	\$8,500 00	\$40,700 00	\$8,500 00	\$8,500 00	.....
Allowed for 1900.....										.....	.....	70,800 00	8,500 00	36,500 00	8,500 00	8,500 00	\$132,800 00
Contingent Expenses (section 1180, chapter 378, Laws of 1897) :																	
1. Postage, postal cards, wrappers, short postage, etc., including postal cards for printing, as provided for in the annual requisition for books, blanks, stationery, etc.....										\$12,970 00	.....	\$7,820 00	\$600 00	\$4,000 00	\$300 00	\$250 00	.....
2. Office furniture, supplies and repairs.....										3,700 00	.....	1,500 00	500 00	1,200 00	250 00	250 00	.....
3. Laboratory supplies, etc., including chemicals, chemical and bacteriological apparatus, and for the purchase of samples for analysis of food, drugs, etc..										3,750 00	.....	2,000 00	300 00	1,000 00	250 00	200 00	.....
4. Peppermint oil and Ureanine.....										450 00	.....	250 00	50 00	100 00	25 00	25 00	.....
5. Telephones for offices.....										5,600 00	.....	3,000 00	300 00	1,500 00	500 00	300 00	.....
6. Library, including books, maps, papers, subscription to periodicals, etc.....										1,200 00	.....	850 00	50 00	200 00	50 00	50 00	.....
7. Incidentals, including car-fares, express charges, telegrams, extra labor, etc..										4,625 00	.....	1,000 00	500 00	2,000 00	800 00	325 00	.....
8. Repairs, improvements and maintenance of Department Building, including coal, wood, ice, gas, electric-lighting, engineers' tools, supplies, repairs for gas, steam and water pipes, engines, boilers, oils and waste, etc., care and maintenance of electric passenger elevator, annunciators, call-bells, time detective service, etc.; also Janitor's supplies, brooms, brushes, mops, pails, soap, toweling, dusters, etc.....										9,850 00	.....	7,500 00	550 00	1,000 00	500 00	300 00	.....
Estimate for 1901.....										\$42,145 00	.....	\$23,920 00	\$2,850 00	\$11,000 00	\$2,675 00	\$1,700 00	.....
Allowed for 1900.....										.....	.....	15,550 00	2,750 00	10,000 00	2,000 00	1,500 00	\$31,800 00
Disinfection (section 1180, chapter 378, Laws of 1897) :																	
1. Disinfectants.....										\$9,500 00	.....	\$3,000 00	\$500 00	\$5,000 00	\$500 00	\$500 00	.....
2. Wagons, ambulances and repairs for the same.....										3,650 00	.....	1,500 00	250 00	1,500 00	200 00	200 00	.....
3. Harness and repairs.....										1,650 00	.....	800 00	150 00	500 00	100 00	100 00	.....
4. Horse and horse hire.....										2,200 00	.....	500 00	200 00	1,000 00	300 00	200 00	.....
5. Horseshoeing.....										2,420 00	.....	1,000 00	150 00	1,020 00	150 00	100 00	.....
6. Horse feed and stabling.....										6,800 00	.....	2,750 00	600 00	2,250 00	900 00	300 00	.....

				TOTAL ESTIMATE, 1901.	BOARD OF HEALTH AND SECRETARY'S OFFICE.	MANHATTAN.	BRONX.	BROOKLYN.	QUEENS.	RICHMOND.	TOTAL ALLOWED, 1900.
Disinfection (section 1180, chapter 378, Laws of 1897):											
7. Fixtures, supplies, repairs, etc., for stable and disinfecting plant, including engineers' supplies and repairs, light and fuel, etc.; also, repairs and improvements to buildings and Disinfectors' car-fare, supplies, etc., used in disinfection.				\$6,500 00	.....	\$2,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$1,500 00	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00	.....
8. Disinfecting Corps (Disinfectors and Assistant Disinfectors)				20,960 00	.....	20,960 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
No.	DESIGNATION.	RATE.	AMOUNT.								
1	Disinfectors	.....	\$1,200 00								
2	Disinfectors	\$1,080 00	2,160 00								
1	Disinfectors	.....	1,020 00								
2	Disinfectors	1,000 00	2,000 00								
6	Disinfectors	900 00	5,400 00								
1	Disinfectors	.....	780 00								
1	Disinfectors	.....	600 00								
10	Assistant Disinfectors	780 00	7,800 00								
24	Total	.....	\$20,960 00								
Estimate for 1901				\$53,680 00	.....	\$32,510 00	\$2,850 00	\$12,770 00	\$3,150 00	\$2,400 00	.....
Allowed for 1900				.....	.....	26,880 00	2,200 00	9,200 00	3,050 00	2,400 00	\$43,730 00
Hospital Fund, excluding payments to private hospitals (sections 1170, 1194, chapter 378, Laws of 1897):											
1. Foods				\$41,000 00	.....	\$14,000 00	\$15,000 00	\$12,000 00	.....	.....	.....
2. Pharmacy and drugs				6,200 00	.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	.....
3. Fuel				.....	.....	6,000 00	7,000 00	5,000 00	.....	.....	.....
4. Light (gas, gasoline, electric light and oil)				4,800 00	.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,800 00	.....	.....	.....
5. Hospital and steamboat (Bronx only) furniture, supplies (including new hospital building, Brooklyn), and repairs				5,900 00	.....	1,900 00	1,000 00	3,000 00	.....	.....	.....
6. Engineers' supplies and repairs for hospital and steamboat (Bronx only), including gas, steam, water-pipe, engines, boilers, oils, waste, etc.				4,000 00	.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	1,000 00	.....	.....	.....
7. Dry goods, clothing (including boots and shoes, beds and bedding, crockery, glassware, hardware, etc.)				5,000 00	.....	1,800 00	2,000 00	1,200 00	.....	.....	.....
8. Repairs and improvements to buildings and grounds				10,000 00	.....	3,000 00	5,000 00	2,000 00	.....	.....	.....
9. Stoves and repairs				300 00	.....	100 00	100 00	100 00	.....	.....	.....
10. Telephones				6,300 00	.....	2,500 00	1,000 00	1,800 00	\$500 00	\$500 00	.....
11. Incidentals and contingencies, including car-fares, paints and oils, tools and supplies for Carpenter and Gardener; also stable fixtures, supplies and repairs, horseshoeing, etc.				4,000 00	.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	500 00	500 00	.....
12. Preparing bovine vaccine virus				5,000 00	.....	5,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13. Care and maintenance of persons sick with contagious disease, the care and maintenance local (quarantine) and not in hospitals or institutions				.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500 00	500 00	.....
Estimate for 1901				\$111,500 00	.....	\$40,800 00	\$37,600 00	\$30,100 00	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00	.....
Allowed for 1900				.....	.....	40,744 00	33,949 00	23,500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00	\$101,193 00
For establishing and maintaining a suitable chemical laboratory for quantitative, and qualitative analytical research in connection with all departments in The City of New York requiring such information in lieu of employment by the City of expert service (Manhattan)											
				\$50,000 00	.....	\$50,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
For the construction of a suitable pavilion, disinfecting and ambulance station at the foot of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for the shelter and protection of patients, visitors and employees in transit to Riverside Hospital on North Brother Island and for the proper reception and care of food supplies. Provision being made for a disinfecting chamber and for storage and distribution of disinfectants and for the necessary equipment of an ambulance station and service (The Bronx)											
				\$20,000 00	.....	.....	\$20,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
For the construction of a suitable building for the proper care and maintenance of scarlet fever patients (Brooklyn)											
				\$30,000 00	.....	.....	.....	\$30,000 00	.....	.....	.....
For the construction of a suitable building for the proper care and maintenance of nurses and other employees (Brooklyn)											
				\$15,000 00	.....	.....	.....	\$15,000 00	.....	.....	.....
For the rental of necessary rooms for establishing a suitable laboratory (Queens)											
				\$600 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$600 00	.....	.....
Support of Ambulance Service (chapter 583, Laws of 1888, title 12, sections 2, 1168; chapter 378, Laws of 1897):											
Brooklyn:											
Long Island College Hospital				\$1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Eastern District Hospital				1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Coney Island Hospital				1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Mary's Hospital				1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Catherine's Hospital				1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Methodist Episcopal Hospital				1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brooklyn Hospital				1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Memorial Hospital				1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Norwegian Hospital				1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clerk in Charge of Records				1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New ambulances				1,500 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Horse				250 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New harness and repairs				250 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Woolen and rubber blankets, Surgeon's caps, lanterns, medicines, instruments, etc.				2,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Repairs to ambulances				600 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Estimate for 1901				\$16,600 00	.....	.....	.....	\$16,600 00	.....	.....	.....
Allowed for 1900				.....	.....	.....	.....	20,200 00	.....	.....	\$20,200 00
Queens:											
St. John's Hospital, Long Island City				\$1,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Flushing Hospital, Flushing				600 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jamaica Emergency Hospital, Jamaica				600 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Estimate for 1901				\$2,400 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2,400 00	.....	.....
Allowed for 1900				.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,400 00	.....	\$2,400 00
Maintenance of Volunteer Life Saving Corps (chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226):											
Estimate for 1901				\$2,000 00	.....	\$2,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Allowed for 1900				.....	.....	2,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2,000 00
Cleaning refuse from beaches—5 months—from May to September (chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226):											
5 Shore Inspectors, at \$65 per month—5 months				\$1,625 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1 Foreman, at \$2.50 per day				378 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
12 Laborers, at \$2 per day				3,672 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Estimate for 1901				5,675 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,675 00	.....	.....
Allowed for 1900				.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

		TOTAL ESTIMATE, 1901.		BOARD OF HEALTH AND SECRETARY'S OFFICE.		MANHATTAN.		BRONX.		BROOKLYN.		QUEENS.		RICHMOND.		TOTAL ALLOWED, 1900.	
Medical inspection of schools (chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226):																	
Boroughs.																	
DESIGNATION.	RATE.	MANHATTAN.		BRONX.		BROOKLYN.		QUEENS.		RICHMOND.							
		No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.						
Chief Inspector.....	\$2,500 00	1	\$2,500 00	..	.....	..	.....	..	.....	..	.....
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	900 00	1	900 00	..	.....	..	.....	..	.....	..	.....
Clerk.....	612 00	1	612 00	..	.....	..	.....	..	.....	..	.....
Inspectors.....	*30 00	150	45,000 00	25	\$7,500 00	60	\$18,000 00	10	\$3,000 00	7	\$2,100 00						
Total.....	.....	153	\$49,012 00	25	\$7,500 00	60	\$18,000 00	10	\$3,000 00	7	\$2,100 00						
*\$30 per month, for ten months' services.																	
Estimate for 1901.....				\$79,612 00				\$49,012 00		\$7,500 00		\$18,000 00		\$3,000 00		\$2,100 00	
Allowed for 1900.....								48,820 00		6,780 00		14,000 00		2,000 00		2,000 00	
Bacteriological Laboratory (chapter 378, Laws of 1897, sections 10, 96, 109, 230, 1167, 1168, 1170, 1179, 1181, 1182, 1185, 1190, 1194, 1225, 1226):																	
1. Care and maintenance of small animals and purchase of same.....								\$800 00									
2. Care and maintenance of horses, including pasturage for same.....								1,200 00									
3. Purchase of horses.....								1,800 00									
4. Laboratory supplies, including chemical and bacteriological apparatus, etc.....								600 00									
5. Car-fares, collecting tubes (diphtheria), etc., for examination.....								500 00									
Incidentals, including gas, fuel, ice, blood, meat, express charges, bleeding and injection of animals, autopsies, car-fares, special printing of circulars, price lists, labels, etc.....																	
6. Labor.....								500 00									
								44,406 00									
DESIGNATION. AMOUNT.																	
1 Antitoxin Accountant.....								\$2,000 00									
1 Bookkeeper.....								1,050 00									
1 Clerk.....								900 00									
1 Clerk (Shipping and Entry).....								840 00									
1 Clerk.....								720 00									
1 Clerk.....								600 00									
1 Junior Clerk.....								480 00									
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....								720 00									
1 Office Boy.....								300 00									
1 Medical Inspector.....								1,500 00									
8 Medical Inspectors, at \$1,200.....								9,600 00									
4 Assistant Bacteriologists, at \$1,200.....								4,800 00									
2 Assistant Bacteriologists, at \$1,000.....								2,000 00									
1 Assistant Bacteriologist.....								900 00									
1 Assistant Bacteriologist.....								800 00									
1 Pathologist.....								1,200 00									
1 Chemist.....								1,200 00									
1 Laboratory Assistant.....								900 00									
1 Laboratory Assistant.....								720 00									
1 Bacteriological Laboratory Attendant.....								840 00									
1 Bacteriological Laboratory Attendant.....								780 00									
2 Bacteriological Laboratory Attendants, at \$720.....								1,440 00									
1 Bacteriological Laboratory Attendant.....								540 00									
2 Bacteriological Laboratory Attendants, at \$480.....								960 00									
1 Laboratory Attendant.....								840 00									
1 Laboratory Attendant.....								720 00									
2 Laboratory Attendants, at \$600.....								1,200 00									
4 Laboratory Attendants, at \$420.....								1,680 00									
1 Laboratory Attendant.....								360 00									
1 Cleaner.....								600 00									
1 Cleaner.....								480 00									
2 Cleaners, at \$420.....								840 00									
1 Cleaner.....								360 00									
1 Skilled Laborer.....								600 00									
2 Tube Collectors, at \$468.....								936 00									
Estimate for 1901.....								49,806 00									
Allowed for 1900.....																49,796 00	
Grand total estimate for 1901.....								\$1,348,688 00		\$60,892 00		\$639,058 00		\$159,364 00		\$363,524 00	
Grand total allowed for 1900.....										42,880 00		518,558 00		118,027 00		271,900 00	

APPROPRIATION, 1900.	AMOUNT.	DATE.		CHANGE IN APPROPRIATIONS.		TOTAL, 1900.	UNEXPENDED BALANCE, DECEMBER, 1900.	ESTIMATE, 1901.
				Increase.	Decrease.			
		1900						
Hospital Fund (excluding payments to private hospitals).....	\$40,744 00	Jan. 31	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants, etc.....	\$100 00				
		Feb. 28	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants, etc.....	56 00				
		Apr. 30	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants.....	126 00				
		May 31	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants.....	8 00				
		June 30	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants.....	52 00				
		Aug. 8	Transfer to contingent expenses.....	\$342 00				
		June 27	Bond Issue—"For alteration to the pavilion at the Willard Parker grounds".....	3,675 00	\$6,500 00			
Bacteriological Laboratory.....	49,796 00					\$38,261 00		\$40,800 00
Salaries of Medical School Inspectors.....	48,820 00					49,796 00		49,806 00
For Maintenance of Volunteer Life Saving Corps.....	2,000 00					48,820 00		49,012 00
		May 18	Bond Issue—"For claims on account of destruction of cattle affected with tuberculosis".....			2,000 00		2,000 00
		Aug. 8	Bond Issue—"For claims arising out of the destruction of cattle affected with tuberculosis".....			4,397 50		
Night Medical Service.....						1,369 50		3,000 00
Chemical Laboratory (new).....								50,000 00
Total.....	\$518,558 00			\$40,592 00	\$6,500 00	\$558,417 00		\$639,058 00

THE BRONX.

Salaries.....	\$58,848 00	Mar. 6	Transfer from "Hospital" to "Salaries".....	\$4,104 00		\$62,952 00		\$68,214 00
Contingent Expenses.....	2,750 00					2,750 00		2,850 00
Disinfection.....	2,200 00					2,200 00		2,850 00
Removal of Night Soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	5,000 00	Feb. 1	Bond Issue—"For the Payment in Part of the Contract for Removal of Night Soil, Offal and Dead Animals, from the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx" \$11,850, proportionally divided between each borough, by consent: Manhattan..... \$5,000 00 The Bronx..... 6,850 00 \$11,850 00	6,850 00		11,850 00		11,850 00
Hospital Fund (excluding payments to private Hospitals).....	33,949 00	Jan. 31	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants, etc.....	\$640 00				
		Feb. 28	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants, etc.....	1,450 00				
		Mar. 31	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants, etc.....	736 00				
		Apr. 30	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants, etc.....	1,232 00				
		May 31	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants, etc.....	2,914 00				
		June 30	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants, etc.....	1,814 00				
		July 31	Care and Maintenance—Immigrants, etc.....	1,166 00				
		Mar. 6	Transfer to salaries.....	9,952 00				
		June 27	Bond Issue—"For Repairs to the Pavilions for the Care of Patients Suffering with Contagious and Infectious Diseases".....	3,500 00	\$4,104 00			
Salaries of Medical School Inspectors.....	6,780 00					43,297 00		37,600 00
Sanitary Police.....	8,500 00					6,780 00		7,500 00
For Construction of a suitable Pavilion, Disinfecting and Ambulance Station.....						8,500 00		8,500 00
								20,000 00
Total.....	\$118,027 00			\$24,406 00	\$4,104 00	\$138,329 00		\$159,364 00

BROOKLYN.

Salaries.....	\$145,000 00					\$145,000 00		\$174,854 00
Contingent expenses.....	10,000 00					10,000 00		11,000 00
Disinfection.....	9,200 00	May 18	Bond Issue—"For fumigating and disinfecting the Chinese quarters, Coney Island, and other localities".....	\$6,250 00				
		May 18	Bond Issue—"For the employment of laborers to do the work of fumigating".....	3,000 00		18,450 00		12,770 00
Removal of night soil, offal and dead animals.....	12,000 00					12,000 00		10,000 00
Hospital Fund (excluding payments to private hospitals).....	23,500 00					23,500 00		30,100 00
Salaries of Medical School Inspectors.....	14,000 00					14,000 00		18,000 00
Support of Ambulance Service.....	20,200 00					20,200 00		16,600 00
Law Expenses—Marshal's fees.....	1,500 00					1,500 00		1,500 00
Sanitary Police.....	36,500 00					36,500 00		40,700 00
Night Medical Service.....								3,000 00
New Hospital Building for the care and maintenance of scarlet fever patients.....								30,000 00
New Hospital Building for the care and maintenance of nurses and other employees.....								15,000 00
Total.....	\$271,900 00			\$9,250 00		\$281,150 00		\$363,524 00

QUEENS.

Salaries.....	\$22,400 00					\$22,400 00		\$29,780 00
Contingent Expenses.....	2,000 00					2,000 00		2,675 00
Disinfection.....	3,050 00					3,050 00		3,150 00
Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	15,000 00					15,000 00		14,950 00
Hospital Fund (excluding payments to private hospitals).....	1,500 00					1,500 00		1,500 00
Salaries of Medical School Inspectors.....	2,000 00					2,000 00		3,000 00
Support of Ambulance Service.....	2,400 00					2,400 00		2,400 00
Sanitary Police.....	8,500 00					8,500 00		8,500 00
For Rental, Laboratory Purposes.....		May 18	Bond Issue—"For Cleaning Refuse from Beaches".....	5,781 00		5,781 00		5,075 00
								600 00
Total.....	\$56,854 00			\$5,781 00		\$62,631 00		\$72,230 00

RICHMOND.

Salaries.....	\$26,400 00					\$26,400 00		\$30,920 00
Contingent Expenses.....	1,500 00					1,500 00		1,700 00
Disinfection.....	2,400 00					2,400 00		2,400 00
Hospital Fund (excluding payments to private hospitals).....	1,500 00					1,500 00		1,500 00
Salaries of Medical School Inspectors.....	2,000 00					2,000 00		2,100 00
Sanitary Police.....	8,500 00					8,500 00		8,500 00
Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	5,000 00	Mar. 6	Bond Issue—"For Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals".....	1,500 00		6,500 00		6,500 00
Total.....	\$47,300 00			\$1,500 00		\$48,800 00		\$53,620 00

At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York, held August 29, 1900, the foregoing estimate was approved.

C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.
Which were severally ordered on file.

M. C. MURPHY, President.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of the Committee on Water Supply—

No. 1399.—(S. R. 223.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Park avenue and Sixty-ninth streets, Borough of Manhattan (page 287, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully recommend that the said ordinance be returned to the Board of Public Improvements for correction, there being a discrepancy as to Sixty-ninth street between the Ordinance and the communication requesting its adoption.

AN ORDINANCE to lay water-mains in Park avenue and Sixty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan. Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 1st day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of a large water-main in Park avenue, between Eighty-second and Sixty-ninth streets, and in Sixty-ninth street, between Park and Bedford avenues, Borough of Manhattan, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for 'Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,' for 1900."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, HARRY C. HART, ADOLPH E. HOTTENROTH, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 3, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 1st instant providing for the laying of water-main in Park avenue, between Eighty-second and Sixty-ninth streets, and in Sixty-ninth street, between Park and Third avenues, Borough of Manhattan.

This ordinance was approved on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply. The estimated cost is \$30,000.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Water Supply—

No. 1322.—(S. R. 224.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing an issue of Corporate Stock for a water-main from the Aqueduct to and around the Jerome Park reservoir, etc. (page 216, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Water Supply.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred on June 12, 1900 (Minutes, page 373), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$267,800, for the laying of water-mains from Aqueduct to and around Jerome Park Reservoir, Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

WILLIAM H. GLEDHILL, GEORGE A. BURRELL, OWEN J. MURPHY, FRANK GASS, Committee on Water Supply.

(Papers referred to in preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 8, 1900 (Minutes, page 218), the annexed resolution in favor of providing for an issue of Corporate Stock, \$267,800, for laying of water mains from Aqueduct to and around Jerome Park Reservoir, Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 1, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

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

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

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

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 1, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

ROBERT MUH, MICHAEL KENNEDY, ELIAS GOODMAN, PATRICK S. KEELY, JACOB J. VELTEN, JOHN T. McMAHON, Committee on Finance.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Water Supply—

No. 1386.—(S. R. 225.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan (page 275, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for 'Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,' for 1900."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1900.

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

SIRS—I submit herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 18th instant providing for the laying of a water-main in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, Borough of Manhattan.

The Commissioner of Water Supply states that there are ten houses along the line of this main to be supplied with water and recommends that it be constructed. The estimated cost is \$1,800.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Water Supply—

No. 1392.—(S. R. 226.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Meeker avenue and in Sixtieth street, Borough of Brooklyn (page 280, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the laying of water-mains in Meeker avenue and in Sixtieth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Meeker avenue, from Kingsland avenue to Newtown creek, and in Sixtieth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues, both in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid from the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 18th instant providing for the laying of water-mains in Meeker avenue, from Kingsland avenue to Newtown creek, and in Sixtieth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

The Commissioner of Water Supply recommends the laying of these mains, stating that there are thirty-five houses along the Meeker avenue main, and eight houses nearly completed on the Sixtieth street main, requiring water supply and fire protection. The estimated cost of the entire work is \$12,800.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Water Supply—

No. 1396.—(S. R. 227.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains to connect a number of dead ends and improve the water service in the Borough of Brooklyn (page 284, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the laying of water-mains to connect a number of dead-ends and improve the water service in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in the Borough of Brooklyn to abolish dead-ends and improve the circulation of water in the present Brooklyn water-main system by connecting contiguous mains, as follows:

Morgan and Nassau avenues;
Kingsland and Meeker avenues;
Metropolitan and Morgan avenues;
Judge and Powers streets;
Ten Eyck and Waterbury streets;
Meserole and Waterbury streets;
Montrose avenue and Waterbury street;
Seigel and White streets;
Ingraham street and Porter avenue;
Harrison street and Porter avenue;
Thames street and Porter avenue;
Ratan street and Porter avenue;
Jefferson street and Irving avenue;
Troutman street and Irving avenue;
Willoughby and Irving avenues;
Suydam street and Irving avenue;
Hart street and Irving avenue;
Jefferson and Hamburg avenues;
Hancock street and Hamburg avenue;
Weirfield street and Hamburg avenue;
Halsey street and Hamburg avenue;
Eldert street and Hamburg avenue;
Pilling street and Evergreen avenue;
Stone avenue and Herkimer street;
Ralph avenue and Douglass street;
Buffalo avenue and President street;
Schenectady avenue and Butler street;
Rochester avenue and President street;
Prospect place and Utica avenue;
Prospect place and Troy avenue;
Park place and Utica avenue;
Park place and Troy avenue;
Troy avenue and Butler street;

Troy avenue and Douglass street;
Troy avenue and Degraw street;
Eastern parkway, north side;
Albany avenue and President street;
Degraw street and Kingston avenue;
Butler street and East Brooklyn avenue;
Butler street and New York avenue;
New York avenue and Park place;
Degraw street and Bedford avenue;
Degraw street and Rogers avenue;
Degraw street and Franklin avenue;
Jackson place and Sixteenth street;
Webster place and Sixteenth street;
Seventeenth street and Eleventh avenue;
Eighteenth street and Eleventh avenue;
Fortieth street and Sixth avenue;
Forty-first street and Sixth avenue;
Fortieth street and Eighth avenue;
Forty-first street and Eighth avenue;
Forty-fourth street and Seventh avenue;
Fifty-first street and Seventh avenue;
Fifty-seventh street and Seventh avenue;
Fifty-third street, toward Fifth avenue;
Sixth avenue and Sixtieth street;
Fifty-eighth street, toward Second avenue;
Fifty-seventh street and First avenue;
Fifty-fifth street and First avenue;
Fifty-second street and Second avenue;
Fiftieth street, toward Third avenue;
Forty-ninth street and First avenue;
Forty-third street and First avenue;
Forty-first street and First avenue;

—and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, at an estimated cost of \$24,300 be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1900.

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

SIRS—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the laying of water-mains to connect a number of dead ends and improve the water service in the Borough of Brooklyn.

This ordinance was approved by the Board of Public Improvements on the 18th instant, at the request of the Commissioner of Water Supply. The estimated cost of the work is \$24,300.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 576.—(S. R. 228.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of permitting Phelps, Dodge & Co. to lay pipes in Cliff street, Borough of Manhattan (page 9 Minutes, April 3, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Phelps, Dodge & Co. to lay two pipes, one six inches in diameter and the other four inches in diameter, across the carriage-way of Cliff street, in the Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the said six-inch pipe to be used for the purpose of conducting steam and the said four-inch pipe to be used for the purpose of conducting electricity, from their premises on the northeast to their premises on the northwest corner of John and Cliff streets, provided said Phelps, Dodge & Co. pay to The City of New York as compensation for the privilege such amount as may be determined as an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; and provided, further, that the said Phelps, Dodge & Co. shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Highways to save The City of New York harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned during the progress

or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipes, the work to be done and materials supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Water Supply—

No. 1389.—(S. R. 229.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Grand avenue, etc., Borough of The Bronx (page 277, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the laying of water-mains in Grand avenue, in One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, in Rogers place and in Valentine avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Grand avenue, between One Hundred and Ninetieth street and Kingsbridge road; in One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, between Vanderbilt and Third avenues; in Rogers place, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and Dawson streets, and in Valentine avenue, between Fordham road and East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, all in the Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1900."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, relative to the laying of water-mains in Grand avenue, between One Hundred and Ninetieth street and Kingsbridge road; in One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, between Vanderbilt and Third avenues; in Rogers place, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and Dawson streets, and in Valentine avenue, between Fordham road and East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Also find inclosed two copies of resolutions covering the above improvements.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, June 28, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting June 28, 1900, viz.:

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that water-mains be laid in Rogers place, from Dawson street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, June 28, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting June 28, 1900, viz.:

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that water-mains be laid in Valentine avenue, from Fordham road to East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, Borough of The Bronx; and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Avenue T and in other streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn (page 282, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the laying of water-mains in Avenues T, U and V, East Twelfth street, Homecrest avenue, East Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth streets, and in Ocean avenue in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of The Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of The Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in the following streets in the Borough of Brooklyn, viz.:

Avenue T, between Coney Island avenue and East Nineteenth street;
Avenue U, between Coney Island avenue and Ocean avenue;
Avenue V, between East Sixteenth street and Ocean avenue;
East Twelfth street, between Avenues V and T;
Homecrest avenue, between Avenues V and T;
East Thirteenth street, between Avenues V and T;
East Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, between Avenues U and T;
East Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, between Avenues V and T;
East Nineteenth street, between Neck road and Avenue T;
Ocean avenue, between Neck road and Avenue U.

—and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1900.

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

SIRS—Please find inclosed herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance approving resolution adopted by this Board on the 18th instant authorizing the laying of water-mains in Avenue T, between Coney Island avenue and East Nineteenth street, and other streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The laying of these mains is recommended by the Commissioner of Water Supply, who states that there are thirty-five houses along the lines of the mains requiring water supply and fire protection. The estimated cost of the work is \$17,000.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Water Supply—

No. 1390.—(S. R. 230.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Seventy-third street, etc., in the Borough of Brooklyn (page 275, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of water-mains in Seventy-third street, in Seventh avenue in Bedford avenue and in Seventy-fifth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Seventy-third street, between Seventeenth and Nineteenth avenues; in Seventh avenue, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets; in Bedford avenue, between St. John's place and Degraw street, and in Seventy-fifth street, between Fourth and Seventh avenues, all in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving resolution adopted by this Board on July 18 providing for the laying of water-mains in Seventy-third and other streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

These mains are petitioned for by property-owners, and the Commissioner of Water Supply recommends that they be laid. The estimated cost is \$8,190.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in King's highway, etc., Borough of Brooklyn (page 278, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the laying of water-mains in King's highway, Ocean avenue, East Seventeenth, East Eighteenth, East Nineteenth, East Twenty-first and East Twenty-second streets, and in Avenue P, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of The Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in the following streets in the Borough of Brooklyn:

King's highway, between East Seventeenth street and Ocean avenue;
Ocean avenue, East Seventeenth, East Eighteenth, East Nineteenth, East Twenty-first and East Twenty-second streets, from King's highway to Avenue O;
Avenue P, between East Seventeenth street and East Twenty-second street;
—and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Inclosed herewith please find, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, relative to laying water-mains in the following streets in the Borough of Brooklyn:

Kings highway, between East Seventeenth street and Ocean avenue;
Ocean avenue, East Seventeenth, East Eighteenth, East Nineteenth, East Twenty-first and East Twenty-second streets, from Kings highway to Avenue O;
Avenue P, between East Seventeenth street and East Twenty-second street.

I also inclose herewith copy of a letter from the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, January 20, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on the 12th day of January, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 12th day of January, 1899, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that a water-main be laid in King's highway, two thousand six hundred and fifty feet in a northeasterly direction from the corner of Coney Island avenue."

Attached is copy of petition.

Respectfully,

(Signed) EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Water Supply—

No. 1395.—(S. R. 231.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Twenty-second avenue and in other streets and avenues in the Borough of Brooklyn (page 283, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the laying of water-mains in Twenty-second avenue, in Bogert street, in East Twelfth, East Thirteenth and East Fourteenth streets and in Avenue R, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in the following streets in the Borough of Brooklyn:

Twenty-second avenue, between Sixtieth and Eighty-sixth streets;
Bogert street, between Johnson avenue and Grattan street;
East Twelfth and East Thirteenth streets, between Avenues S and Q;
East Fourteenth street, between Avenues S and R;
Avenue R, between Coney Island avenue and East Fourteenth street;

—and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

THOMAS F. FOLEY, EUGENE A. WISE, WILLIAM H. DOYLE, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1900.

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

SIRS—I submit herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approving resolution adopted by this Board on the 18th instant providing for the laying of water-mains in Twenty-second avenue, Bogert street, East Twelfth, Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets and Avenue R, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending the laying of these mains in Twenty-second avenue. The laying of the other mains covered by the ordinance is recommended by the Commissioner of Water Supply, on petition of property holders.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, April 13, 1900.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on April 5, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that water-main be laid in Twenty-second avenue, between Sixtieth and Eightieth streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn."

Inclosed is copy of petition.

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 1338.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen, permitting Gustave Kahis to erect a retaining wall (page 222, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

They having examined the subject, they believed the proposed improvement to be desirable. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Gustave Kahis to build a retaining-wall one hundred and forty-two feet long and about three feet in height in front of his property on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Topping avenue, Borough of The Bronx, said wall to be built on the area-line on the Topping avenue side of said premises, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

Which was adopted.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 1385.—(S. R. 232.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of changing the grade in Nichols avenue, Borough of Brooklyn (page 273, Minutes, August 7, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to change grade in Nichols avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the first day of August, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade in Nichols avenue, from Etna street to Jamaica avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grade in the aforesaid avenue, as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Nichols avenue and Etna street, the elevation to be 38.56 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence northerly to the intersection of Nichols avenue and Wood street, the elevation to be 41.4 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence northerly to the intersection of Nichols avenue and Condit street, the elevation to be 43 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence northerly to the intersection of Nichols avenue and Jamaica avenue, the elevation to be 52.55 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

All elevations are referred to the mean high-water datum as established by the Department of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,

No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,

NEW YORK, August 3, 1900.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 1st day of August, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade in Nichols avenue, from Etna street to Jamaica avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of property-owners and on the report of the Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 1st day of August, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 11th day of July, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade in Nichols avenue, from Etna street to Jamaica avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 1st day of August, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed change of grade would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed change of grade would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 1st day of August, 1900; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record, and of the publishers of the corporation newspapers, that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 1st day of August, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of grade, who have appeared, and such proposed change of grade was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade in Nichols avenue, from Etna street to Jamaica avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grade in the aforesaid avenue as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Nichols avenue and Etna street, the elevation to be 38.56 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence northerly to the intersection of Nichols avenue and Wood street, the elevation to be 41.4 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence northerly to the intersection of Nichols avenue and Condit street, the elevation to be 43 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence northerly to the intersection of Nichols avenue and Jamaica avenue, the elevation to be 52.55 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

All elevations are referred to the mean high-water datum as established by the Department of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade in Nichols avenue, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was placed on the order of second reading.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 208.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of permitting Charles Thorley to maintain porch north side of Forty-second street, between Broadway and Seventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 189, Minutes, February 6, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Thorley to keep and maintain a porch, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, within the stoop-line, in front of

his premises on the north side of Forty-second street, between Broadway and Seventh avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, BERNARD C. MURRAY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

Which was adopted.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 466.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of permitting W. L. Crow & Taylor to erect a marquise on Fifty-fifth street, near Seventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 509, Minutes, March 20, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. L. Crow & Taylor to erect and maintain a marquise of iron and glass as shown upon the accompanying diagram in front of their premises on the south side of West Fifty-fifth street, one hundred feet west of Seventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

Which was adopted.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 1057.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was recommended the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of permitting Mandel, Maran & Makrawsky to erect a bay-window, southeast corner of Broome and Orchard streets, Borough of Manhattan (page 33, Minutes, July 10, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having again examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of permitting Mandel, Maran & Makrawsky to erect bay-windows southeast corner of Broome and Orchard streets, Borough of Manhattan (page 574, Minutes, June 12, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mandel, Maran & Makrawsky to erect, place and keep bay-windows, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of each story, beginning with the second story, of their premises on the southeast corner of Broome and Orchard streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

MARTIN ENGEL, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HENRY FRENCH, BERNARD C. MURRAY, Committee on Streets and Highways.

Which was adopted.

Report of the Committee on Streets and Highways—

No. 977.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out new streets, avenues, etc., in the First Ward, Borough of Queens (page 482, Minutes, May 29, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay out new streets in the First Ward, Borough of Queens.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 23d day of May, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out new streets, avenues, parks and public places, as shown on a proposed map or plan, showing the street system in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, formerly Long Island City, as modified and proposed by the said Board, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out the aforesaid streets, avenues, parks and public places as shown on said proposed map or plan.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, HERMAN SULZER, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,

No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,

NEW YORK, May 28, 1900.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 23d of May, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out new streets, avenues, parks and public places, as shown on a proposed map or plan showing the street system in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, formerly Long Island City, as modified and proposed by said Board.

This said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements, and on the report and recommendation of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

I inclose a list and description of protests, numbered 1 to 22, presented at the several public hearings given by this Board in the matter, all of which I transmit to you accompanied herewith. Should, however, the resolution adopted by this Board receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 23d day of May, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 8th day of November, 1899, resolutions were adopted, proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out new streets, avenues, parks and public places, as shown on a proposed map or plan, showing the street system in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, formerly Long Island City, as modified and proposed by this Board, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 29th day of November, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed laying out would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place, at which such proposed laying out would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 29th day of November, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 29th day of November, 1899; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out, who have appeared, and such proposed laying out was duly considered by this Board, as well as at other times; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out new streets, avenues, parks and public places, as shown on a proposed map or plan showing the street system in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, formerly Long Island City, as modified and proposed by said Board, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to lay out the aforesaid streets, avenues, parks and public places as shown on said proposed map or plan.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out new streets in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

List and description of Protests presented to the Board of Public Improvements against the proposed change of the Map or Plan of the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, numbered 1 to 22.

- No. 1. George E. Clay:
- 1st. Park place, request to extend south of Hoyt avenue to conform with "Map of Property of Rudolph Horak," and to lay out Flushing avenue, beginning 300 feet north of Hoyt avenue (50 feet wide), extending from Park place to Lawrence street.
 - 2d. Suggests to lay out public park bounded by Vernon avenue to East avenue, and Tenth to Eleventh or Van Alst avenue to East avenue and Ninth to Tenth streets.
 - 3d. Suggests the closing of Governor place, between Fourteenth street and Harris avenue, and a public place be made, bounded by Fourteenth street to Harris avenue and Van Alst avenue to Ely street.
 - 4th. Suggests that parks from Vernon avenue to Van Alst avenue and Harris avenue to Jane street be abolished.
 - 5th. Suggests that small park be laid out in vicinity of Thomson avenue and Hulst street, Webster avenue and Boulevard, Rapelje and Graham avenues, Steuben and DeVenter; Woolsey and Lawrence, and Walcott and Theodore.
- No. 2. Christian Weber and seventeen others protesting against the new lay-out of streets that will in any way affect their property.
- No. 3. Mathias Ohnemus against the closing of Park place as his property would not have a frontage if same were closed.
- No. 4. Astoria Heights Land Company, protesting against widening of Grand avenue.
- No. 5. Charles Benner, asking that the new lay-out conform to the lay-out of Ravenswood Park.
- No. 6. Frederick Bowley, President of Queens, asking that blocks north and south of court-house be made public parks.
- No. 7. Henry C. Johnson, Jr., suggests extending Chauncey street, from Hoyt to Flushing.
- No. 8. George E. Clay, suggests the extending of Bodine street, from Sherman to Van Alst avenue.
- No. 9. A. Borgendoefer, protests against the proposed new street from Newtown avenue to Laurel Hill avenue, as said street would run through church of Evangelical Lutheran Trinity Church at Pomeroy street and Jamaica avenue.
- No. 10. William W. Wright and others wants park between Harris and Rogers, Vernon and Van Alst avenues, increased to take in land between Rogers and Freeman avenues and the Boulevard and Van Alst avenue.
- No. 11. New Amsterdam Gas Company protests against widening of Vernon avenue, between Webster and Freeman avenue.
- No. 12. The Taxpayers' Association, First Ward, Theo. Diehl, protests against the adoption of new map as same would affect sale of property.
- No. 13. Purney & Bishop, for Mrs. Trowbridge, against park along Shore road at Astoria.
- No. 14. Patrick Ward, against widening and straightening of Vernon avenue.
- No. 15. Foster & Foster, for Steinway & Son, wants Blackwell street, north of Winthrop avenue, taken off map.
- No. 16. Benner & Benner, for eight property-owners, against park between Boulevard and bulkhead line and from Wardell street to East river.
- No. 17. New York Land and Warehouse Company, against taking of land on both sides of streets; against laying out of streets on both sides of Long Island Railroad.
- No. 18. John Anderson Leach:
- a. Relative to shifting lines of Wilson avenue.
 - b. Petitions signed by six hundred and fifteen and eight hundred and ten property-owners; also resolution of Local Board asking that streets be wiped out on Woolsey property.
 - c. Resolution of Borough of Queens Local Board relative to streets near Calvary Cemetery.
 - d. President of the Borough of Queens relative to the present low level of bridge over Newtown creek.
 - e. Protest of Joseph Wild & Co., widening Ridge street.
 - f. Protests of George Karhman relative to Rapelje and Woolsey streets.
- No. 19. O. W. Kellogg, attorneys, against altering map of Front street, between Borden and Third avenues, including Miller's Hotel.
- No. 20. John S. Wright and others, requesting laying out of park at Rogers, Freeman and Van Alst avenues and the Boulevard.
- No. 21. John A. Murray protests that proposed plan will injure the property known as "Miller's Hotel."
- No. 22. Protest signed by over thirty property-owners that proposed plan will injure their property.
- The President put the question whether the Council would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.
- Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
- Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

COMMUNICATIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

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

No. 1668.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully requested to place two lamps in front of St. Catharine's Church, East Sixty-eighth street, between Avenue A and First avenue, Manhattan.

Which was adopted.

No. 1669.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Weber to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the northerly corner of Hamilton and Third avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1670.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John J. White to erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Van Brunt and Sackett streets, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1671.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully requested to place Welsbach burners on the gas lamps in Forty-fifth street, between Third and Lexington avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted.

No. 1672.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Cunningham to erect and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southwest corner of Fifty-third street and Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718, Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of the ordinance regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1673.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John McLinden to erect and keep a storm-door in front of his premises northwest corner of North Henry and Herbert streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the dimensions of the said storm-door not to exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done and material supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1674.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Christian Christner to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises No. 3 Bushwick avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1675.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph S. Marcus to place and keep a movable electric sign in front of his premises No. 102 Canal street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said sign shall not exceed fifteen feet in length and shall not be extended from the house-line in the daytime, but shall be securely fastened thereto, the work to be done at

his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1676.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Manuel Juster to place and keep a post, surmounted by a clock, on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises No. 2280 Eighth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of the post shall not exceed eighteen inches square at the base, and that neither said clock nor post shall be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1677.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that two lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and lighted, in front of the Temple of the Chevre Talmud Thora Augustover, No. 32 Rutgers street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted.

No. 1678.

Whereas, Division street, from Catharine street to Grand street, in the Borough of Manhattan, much of which is devoted to business purposes and darkened by the structure of the elevated railroad, and a portion of which is skirted on both sides by Seward park, is sadly in need of and should receive proper illumination at night; therefore

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that electric lights be placed at reasonable distances along the line of the said Division street, from Catharine street to Grand street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted.

No. 1679.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Scanlan to erect storm-doors in front of his premises on the northeast corner of Thirtieth street and Ninth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-doors be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1680.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. M. Tietjen to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the southeast corner of Franklin and Greenwich streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1681.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. A. Parmentier to place, erect and keep a post and a transparent sign in front of his office No. 727 Tremont avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the same to be within the stoop-line, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1682.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Arthur F. Eagar to erect, place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southwest corner of Columbus avenue and Eighty-first street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand be erected in accordance with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1683.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the carriageway of Sixty-first street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation.

Which was adopted.

No. 1684.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended, so far as the same may apply to parades and meetings held by political associations; said suspension to continue only until and including Saturday, November 17, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 1685.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. W. Williams to place, erect and keep a storm-door in front of his premises No. 2917 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, provided the said storm-door shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1686.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to August Koelsch to place, erect and keep a retaining-wall, with steps, in front of his premises on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Morris avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1687.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert H. Baird to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises corner of Gerard and Jerome avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1688.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sabino Dieudisibus to place, erect and keep a show-maker's sign 2½ feet in diameter in front of the premises No. 1323 Clinton avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1689.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas J. Cross to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Wendover and Third avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, the same to be erected on the Wendover avenue side of said corner, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1690.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Morris Rosenwaike to place and keep three show-cases within the stoop line in front of his premises No. 1 Wallabout Market, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided said show-cases be placed so as to comply with the provisions of any and all ordinances that may apply to the privilege hereby conveyed, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1691.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Seekamp to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the southeast corner of Willoughby avenue and Spencer street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied, at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1692.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Schiermester, Jr., to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises No. 12 Tompkins avenue, corner of Flushing avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed ten feet in height and two feet wider than the doorway, and shall not extend more than six feet from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of

the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1693.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so far as the same may apply to the services of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, to be held in front of and adjacent to No. 135 Hudson avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on Friday and Saturday, September 21 and 22, 1900; said suspension of the ordinance to continue only for the days and dates herein mentioned.

Which was adopted.

No. 1694.

Resolved, That the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company be and is hereby respectfully requested to inaugurate a system of transfers from its Sands street cars, at Navy street, so that passengers thereon may have transportation for one fare to the old City Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 1695.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick McCarthy to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 42 Greenwich street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1696.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick McCarthy to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 15 Rector street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1697.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Oscar Hammerstein to erect, construct and maintain a stone stoop in front of the new Republic Theatre now in course of erection at Nos. 209, 211 and 213 West Forty-second street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the structure, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, to be wholly within the stoop-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1698.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. B. Stinbrink to erect, place and keep a retaining-wall, with steps, in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Belmont street and Topping avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1699.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Rev. Malachy A. Cunnion, Rector of the Roman Catholic Church of St. Raphael, to place, erect and keep a vault under the sidewalk in front of the church, on the south side of West Forty-first street, seventy feet west of Tenth avenue in the Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, without payment of the usual fee, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

No. 247.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of the application of the sum of \$144,649 for the purchase of new stock and plant for the Department of Street Cleaning, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx (page 248, Minutes, February 6, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted. Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the application of the sum of one hundred and forty-four thousand six hundred and forty-nine dollars (\$144,649) for the purchase of new stock and plant for the Department of Street Cleaning, in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, from the proceeds of bonds issued pursuant to a resolution of this Board, concurred in by a resolution of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor April 25, 1899; said amount to be taken from the authorizations in the boroughs of Queens and Richmond, as follows:

Borough of Queens.....	\$80,000 00
Borough of Richmond.....	64,649 00
	<u>\$144,649 00</u>

—and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of the letter of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to this Board, dated January 23, 1900, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly, and that the attention of that Honorable Body be called to the fact that its concurrence with the foregoing resolution will enable a proper use to be made of money which would otherwise lie idle in the City Treasury, and thereby obviate the necessity for an additional issue of bonds.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 1, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 1, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the application of the sum of one hundred and forty-four thousand six hundred and forty-nine dollars (\$144,649) for the purchase of new stock and plant for the Department of Street Cleaning, in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, from the proceeds of bonds issued pursuant to a resolution of this Board, concurred in by a resolution of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor April 25, 1899, said amount to be taken from the authorizations in the boroughs of Queens and Richmond, as follows:

Borough of Queens.....	\$80,000 00
Borough of Richmond.....	64,649 00
	<u>\$144,649 00</u>

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolutions.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, STEWART M. BRICE, CONRAD H. HESTER, Committee on Finance.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,
NEW YORK, February 2, 1900.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

DEAR SIR—Herewith I transmit a copy of a communication from the Department of Street Cleaning, dated January 23, 1900, containing an estimate for new stock (Bond Account) for the present year for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, also a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted February 1, 1900.

Very respectfully,

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
NEW YORK, January 23, 1900.

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

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith my estimate for New Stock (Bond Account) for the present year. In my opinion, the items enumerated will be necessary to supply and properly equip the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. I find that there is a sufficient surplus left over in the Bond Accounts for the other boroughs to suffice for 1900, and therefore the estimate is confined to the two boroughs named.

In submitting this estimate I earnestly desire that it may be allowed just as submitted, as I have gone over each of these items and find that the quantities and prices are both as low as the prevailing conditions will admit.

The sum total, as will be seen, amounts to \$144,649, and in this connection I desire to call attention to the fact that in my estimate for Bond Account for 1899, for the Borough of Queens, there was allowed four (4) crematories for the destruction of refuse at \$30,000 each, amounting to \$120,000, and for the Borough of Richmond three (3) crematories, also at \$30,000, amounting to \$90,000.

After these sums were allowed, it was for potent reasons considered unadvisable at the time to appropriate the money for the purpose indicated in these two boroughs, consequently the money so allowed has not been used. It is quite within the possibilities that a portion of these

amounts for crematories in these two boroughs may be expended in the near future, but even if the contemplated amounts are expended, it will still leave a balance in those two accounts for the boroughs of Queens and Richmond sufficient for the needs of the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for the present year.

Therefore if the \$144,649 could be transferred from the \$220,000 appropriated for crematories in Queens and Richmond, to the Bond Account of the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, in the following manner—\$80,000 from the \$120,000 in the Bond Account for Queens, and \$64,649 from the \$90,000 in the Bond Account for Richmond—it would provide the necessary \$144,649 in the Bond Account for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, thus obviating the necessity for a bond issue for that purpose.

This request is made subject to the action of the Board of Public Improvements and consent of the Municipal Assembly, if such action and consent are legal requirements.

The following are the items with their prices, which, in my judgment, are necessary:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

200 horses, at \$210 each.....	\$42,000 00
150 sets cart harness, at \$25 each.....	3,750 00
35 sets double truck harness, at \$50 each.....	1,750 00
15 sets driving harness, at \$35 each.....	525 00
6 sets driving harness, at \$45 each.....	270 00
4 light wagons, at \$250 each.....	1,000 00
15 lap robes, at \$9 each.....	135 00
10 fur robes, at \$15 each.....	150 00
50 heavy horse blankets, at \$5 each.....	250 00
150 horse blankets, at \$4 each.....	600 00
36 driving whips, at \$2 each.....	72 00
12 driving whips, at \$4 each.....	48 00
350 steel ash carts, at \$110 each.....	38,500 00
30 double ash trucks, at \$300 each.....	9,000 00
100 paper carts, at \$105 each.....	10,500 00
800 canvas horse covers, at \$2.35 each.....	1,880 00
700 canvas cart covers, at \$3.75 each.....	2,625 00
36 rubber horse covers, at \$4 each.....	144 00
800 feed bags, at 85 cents each.....	680 00
40 storm aprons, at \$3 each.....	120 00
800 can carriers, at \$12.50 each.....	10,000 00
5,000 cans, at \$3.95 each.....	19,750 00
30 bicycles, at \$30 each.....	900 00
Total.....	<u>\$144,649 00</u>

Respectfully,
(Signed) JAMES MCCARTNEY, Commissioner.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

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

Negative—Councilmen Bodine, O'Grady, and Van Nostrand—3.

No. 1128.

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing alterations and repairs in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn (page 787, Minutes, June 19, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize alterations and repairs in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on June 13, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz:

“Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies is hereby authorized to advertise for bids and enter into a contract to make alterations and repairs to the ground floor and basement of the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Receiver of Taxes; the cost of said repairs to be paid for out of the appropriation for ‘Supplies and Repairs, Borough of Brooklyn.’”

GEORGE H. MUNDORF, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, MARTIN ENGEL, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 19, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance authorizing the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies to alter and repair the ground floor and basement of the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Receiver of Taxes, in accordance with a resolution adopted by this Board on the 13th instant.

The estimated cost of the proposed work is \$9,500, to be paid out of the appropriation for Supplies and Repairs, Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—23.

No. 1072.

Resolved, That the Auditor be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to audit and the Comptroller to pay bills of the New Amsterdam Gas Company, amounting to fourteen thousand one hundred and eighty-one dollars and ninety cents, for gas consumed in the buildings of the Department of Charities on Blackwell's Island during the year 1899.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Wise, and the President—19.

Councilman Hart moved that the vote by which the above was lost be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Hart then moved that the matter be made a special order for the ensuing meeting.

Which was adopted.

No. 898.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of establishing the grade on West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 339, Minutes, May 8, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to establish grade on West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 2d day of May, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing the grade on West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from a point four hundred and sixteen and forty-two one-hundredths feet west of Eighth avenue to a point two hundred and thirteen feet westerly therefrom, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to establish the grade on the aforesaid street, as follows:

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distant 416.42 feet westerly from Eighth avenue, elevation 18.17 feet above city base;

Thence westerly along the centre line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street for 213 feet, elevation 34.50 feet above city base.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed grade of the above-named street at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 2d day of May, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, May 3, 1900.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 2d day of May, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by establishing the grade on West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from a point 416.42 feet west of Eighth avenue to a point 213 feet westerly therefrom, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of Manhattan and on the report of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 2d day of May, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 11th day of April, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing the grade on West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from a point 416.42 feet west of Eighth avenue to a point 213 feet westerly therefrom, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 2d day of May, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed grade would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed grade would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 2d day of May, 1900; and Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 2d day of May, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed grade who have appeared, and such proposed grade was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing the grade on West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from a point four hundred and sixteen and forty-two one-hundredths feet west of Eighth avenue to a point two hundred and thirteen feet westerly therefrom, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to establish the grade on the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street distant 416.42 feet westerly from Eighth avenue, elevation 18.17 feet above city base;

Thence westerly along the centre line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street for 213 feet, elevation 34.50 feet above city base.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed grade of the above-named street at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 2d day of May, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by establishing the grade on West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 1173.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 22, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 20th instant, providing for the laying of water-mains in Seventh and Eighth avenues, between Forty-first and Forty-fourth streets, and in Forty-second and Forty-third streets, between Seventh avenue and old city line.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board recommending that these mains be laid.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize water-mains in Seventh and Eighth avenues and Forty-second and Forty-third streets, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 20th day of June, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

"Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Seventh and Eighth avenues, between Forty-first and Forty-fourth streets, and in Forty-second and Forty-third streets, between Seventh avenue and old city line, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of bonds of the Corporate Stock of The City of New York."

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, February 27, 1900.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on February 23, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that water-mains be laid in Seventh avenue, between Forty-first street and Forty-fourth street; in Eighth avenue, between Forty-first street and Forty-fourth street; in Forty-second street, from Seventh avenue to the former city line, and in Forty-third street, from Seventh avenue to the former city line, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Inclosed is copy of petition.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—23.

No. 761.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of requesting the Comptroller to advance \$3,000 to Board of Education for their representatives to the Paris Exposition (page 204, Minutes, April 24, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he hereby is authorized and requested to advance to the representatives of the Department of Education of The City of New York at the Paris Exposition the sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars, to be taken from the Special School Fund and the appropriation for "Incidental Expenses of the Board of Education" for the current year.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, STEWART M. BRICE, Committee on Finance.

BOARD OF EDUCATION, NO. 146 GRAND STREET,
NEW YORK, April 12, 1900.

F. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk, City Hall, New York:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith certified copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education at a meeting held on the 11th instant requesting the Municipal Assembly to authorize the Comptroller to advance moneys for expenses of representatives of the Department of Education at the Paris Exposition, etc.

Respectfully,

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the report of the Committee on School System relative to providing funds for the expenses of the representatives of the Department of Education at the Paris Exposition, and for the maintenance and operation of the projectoscope exhibitions in connection with the New York City school exhibit, respectfully reports that it will be necessary to ask the Municipal Assembly to authorize the Comptroller to advance the necessary funds, with which object in view the following resolution is submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to advance to the representatives of the Department of Education of The City of New York at the Paris Exposition, from the Special School Fund of the Department of Education for the current year, and from the appropriation therein entitled "Incidental Expenses," Board of Education, the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), in the manner following and for the purposes specified:

To Alfred T. Schaffler, Associate Superintendent of Schools of the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and to John H. Haaren, Associate Superintendent of Schools of the Borough of Brooklyn, as representatives of the Department of Education at the Paris Exposition, the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) each, to defray the necessary expenses of their journey to and from France and their sojourn in the City of Paris.

To Alfred T. Schaffler, Associate Superintendent of Schools of the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and to John H. Haaren, Associate Superintendent of Schools of the Borough of Brooklyn, as representatives of the Department of Education at the Paris Exposition, the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), said sum to be applied by said representatives to defraying the expenses incidental to the employment of the necessary operators and other help in conducting the projectoscope exhibitions in connection with the New York City school exhibit at the Paris Exposition.

The foregoing sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) to be accounted for by said representatives, through the Board of Education of The City of New York, by vouchers to be subsequently transmitted to the Comptroller for his approval.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education at meeting held on April 11, 1900.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—24.

No. 1087.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Nelson avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 755, Minutes, June 12, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize water-mains in Nelson avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 6th day of June, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of water-mains in Nelson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for "Laying Croton Pipes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," for 1900.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, EUGENE A. WISE, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 8, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 6th instant providing for the laying of water-mains in Nelson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, in the Borough of The Bronx.

This ordinance was approved on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, who states that the mains are necessary. The estimated cost is \$800.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 981.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed communication from the Board of Education asking that said Board may purchase without public letting a projectoscope and accompanying apparatus to be used in connection with the school exhibit at the Paris Exposition (page 488, Minutes, May 29, 1900) respectfully,

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe that the permission asked for should be granted.

They therefore recommend that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Education be and it is hereby empowered to contract with the Edison Company to provide a projectoscope and accompanying apparatus, to be used for the exhibition of moving pictures of school activities, which are to form part of the school exhibit at the Paris Exposition, such contract to be made without public letting, at an expense not to exceed the sum of seventeen hundred dollars.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, STEWART M. BRICE, HENRY FRENCH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Finance.

BOARD OF EDUCATION, PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1900.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk:

DEAR SIR—Inclosed herewith please find certified copy of report and resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board of Education, held on the 23d instant, requesting the Municipal Assembly to approve the purchase, without advertising, of a projectoscope, at a cost of about sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600), for use in connection with the school activities at the Paris Exposition.

Respectfully,

A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the communication from the City Superintendent of Schools, dated May 9, 1900, as follows:

To the Honorable the Board of Education:

GENTLEMEN—On behalf of the Committee on Educational Exhibit at the Paris Exposition, I respectfully request the Board of Education to obtain from the Municipal Assembly, permission to purchase, without advertising for bids, the Edison projectoscope which is to be used for the exhibiting of moving pictures of school activities which are to form a part of the school exhibit at the Paris Exposition. As the projectoscope and accompanying apparatus will cost about sixteen

hundred dollars, it is necessary, in order that the bill rendered by the Edison Manufacturing Company may be approved, that such permission be obtained from the Municipal Assembly.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM H. MAXWELL, City Superintendent.

—respectfully reports that the said communication is self-explanatory and has the approval of this Committee.

The following resolution is submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and it is hereby respectfully requested to approve the action of the Committee on Educational Exhibit at the Paris Exposition, appointed by the Board of Education to take charge of the preparation and details of the school exhibit at the Paris Exposition, in purchasing without public advertisement, at a cost of about sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600), an Edison projectoscope and accompanying apparatus, which is to be used for the exhibition of moving pictures of school activities, which are to form a part of the school exhibit at the Paris Exhibition.

A true copy of a report and resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board of Education held on May 23, 1900.

A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—24.

ORDER OF SECOND READING.

No. 1204.—(S. R. 219.)

The Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies to contract to do certain work in the County Court-house, Borough of Manhattan (page 19, Minutes, July 10, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

ORDINANCE to authorize the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies to enter into a contract, etc., to do certain work in the County Court-house, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 27th day of June, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

“Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies is hereby authorized to prepare plans, advertise for bids and enter into a contract to do certain plumbing work in the County Court-house, City Hall Park, Borough of Manhattan, the cost of said work to be paid for from the appropriation entitled ‘Supplies and Repairs, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,’ 1900.”

STEWART M. BRICE, WILLIAM A. DOYLE, MARTIN ENGEL, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, GEORGE H. MUNDORF, Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, July 6, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on June 27, at the request of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, providing for the carrying out of certain plumbing work in the County Court-house, Borough of Manhattan.

The estimated cost of the work is \$7,500.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 544.—(S. R. 74.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of grading, etc., Alabama avenue, Borough of Brooklyn (page 641, Minutes, March 27, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to grade, pave, etc., Alabama avenue, between Atlantic and Glenmore avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading and paving with asphalt pavement, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of Alabama avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Glenmore avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the setting or resetting of the curb, and the flagging or reflagging of the sidewalks of the said street, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being nine thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and thirty-three thousand three hundred and fifty dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 379.—(S. R. 137.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying water-mains in Aqueduct avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 421, Minutes, March 6, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of a water-main in Aqueduct avenue, between Kingsbridge road and High Bridge, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 21st day of February, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of a large water-main in Aqueduct avenue, between Kingsbridge road and High Bridge, Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the appropriation for “Laying Croton Pipes—Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,” for 1900.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, EUGENE A. WISE, HARRY C. HART, Committee on Water Supply.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 2, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance adopted by this Board at a meeting held on February 21, 1900, providing for the laying of a large water-main in Aqueduct avenue, between Kingsbridge road and High Bridge, Borough of The Bronx.

The Commissioner of Water Supply states that, owing to the widening, straightening and regrading of Aqueduct avenue, it is necessary to lay a new and larger water-main. The estimated cost of the work is \$30,800.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murray, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 1168.—(S. R. 222.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of grading, etc., Humboldt street, Borough of Brooklyn (page 855, Minutes, June 26, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to grade, etc., Humboldt street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 20th day of June, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

“Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading and paving with asphalt on a six-inch concrete foundation of the carriageway of Humboldt street, from Meeker avenue to Engert avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and the setting of curbstones therein, with a guarantee of maintenance on the pavement from the contractor for five (5) years, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being five thousand nine hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is seventy thousand seven hundred and fifteen dollars.

“And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.”

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 22, 1900.

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

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the grading and paving of Humboldt street, from Meeker to Engert avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, which was approved by this Board on the 20th instant.

This ordinance is to take the place of one approved in May, 1899, and transmitted to the Municipal Assembly, but not acted on during that year. The ordinances are similar, except that the present one calls for a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor instead of a fifteen years' guarantee as provided in the former ordinance. The reason for this change is that it is feared some trouble may be experienced in levying the assessments if the guarantee is made for more than five years.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 673.—(S. R. 208.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of permitting Samuel H. Dunlop to keep a stand under “L” stairs, southwest corner Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 86, Minutes, April 10, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel H. Dunlop to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the southwest corner of Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of all ordinances regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, STEWART M. BRICE, HENRY FRENCH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Committee on Finance.

Which was adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

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

No. 1700.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Barnett Hamburger to erect, keep and maintain bay-windows, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of his premises No. 143 Avenue B, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

ORDER OF SECOND READING RESUMED.

No. 607.—(S. R. 158.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving Bradhurst avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 20, Minutes, April 3, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to pave Bradhurst avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the paving with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation, with a guarantee of maintenance for five (5) years by the contractor, of the carriageway of Bradhurst avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being fifteen thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and ninety-five thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

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

No. 540.—(S. R. 128.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Olive street, from Metropolitan to Maspeth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn (page 638, Minutes, March 27, 1900), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, grade, etc., Olive street, from Metropolitan to Maspeth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 29th day of November, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Olive street, from Metropolitan avenue to Maspeth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, setting or resetting of curbstones, flagging or reflagging of sidewalks where not already done, and the paving of the carriageway with asphalt pavement, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being five thousand one hundred and fifty dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and thirty thousand nine hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Murphy, O'Grady, Ryder, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—23.

SPECIAL ORDERS RESUMED.

No. 1283.

Resolved, That the Auditor be requested to audit and the Comptroller to pay the bill of Samuel E. Warren, amounting to one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150), for engrossing and framing the resolutions adopted by the Municipal Assembly and directed to be presented to Thomas J. Brady, Commissioner of Buildings.

JULY 18, 1900.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY, per P. J. SCULLY, Clerk, To SAMUEL E. WARREN, Artistic Engrosser and Designer, Ex-Ornamental Penman to Common Council, from 1868 to 1872, Dr.

To engrossing and framing complimentary resolutions tendered Mr. Thomas J. Brady on the occasion of Dewey parade, as per verbal agreement. \$150 00

Received payment.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, Wise, and the President—24.

ORDER OF SECOND READING AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 627.—(S. R. 82.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Creston avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 32, Minutes, April 3, 1900), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Creston avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 3d day of May, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet through the centre thereof, laying of crosswalks where necessary, and the curbstones set, of Creston avenue, between Wellesley street and Travers street, in the Borough of The Bronx, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being six thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is twenty-eight thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, O'Grady, Sulzer, Van Nostrand, Williams, and Wise—22.

No. 629.—(S. R. 85.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, etc., Briggs avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 33, Minutes, April 3, 1900), respectfully

REPORT :

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

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, etc., Briggs avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 11th day of

October, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided ; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Briggs avenue, from One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to Two Hundredth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks where required, building of fences where necessary, and the planting of trees on the sidewalks and the paving of the roadway with telford macadam, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being thirty-five thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and ninety-four thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Cassidy, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Goodwin, Hottenroth, Hyland, Leich, Mundorf, Murphy, Murray, Williams, Wise, and the President—18.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1701.

By Councilman Murray—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John P. Mahn to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, northeast corner of Prospect avenue and Freeman street, Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Brice moved that the Council do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Council stood adjourned until Tuesday, September 25, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, September 18, 1900. }
1 o'clock P. M. }

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

PRESENT :

Hon. Thomas F. Woods, President.

ALDERMEN

Charles Alt,
James J. Bridges,
George A. Burrell,
Francis J. Byrne,
Louis F. Cardani,
Charles W. Culkin,
William H. C. Delano,
John Diemer,
Frank L. Dowling,
Robert F. Downing,
Frank Dunn,
Frederick F. Fleck,
Joseph A. Flinn,
James E. Gaffney,
Frank Gass,
Henry Geiger,
Joseph Geiser,
William H. Gledhill,

Elias Goodman,
Peter Holler,
David M. Holmes,
William Keegan,
Patrick S. Keely,
Michael Kennedy,
Francis P. Kenney,
Michael Ledwith,
Isaac Marks,
Armitage Mathews,
Thomas F. McCaul,
Edward F. McEneaney,
Lawrence W. McGrath,
James H. McInnes,
Stephen W. McKeever,
John T. McMahon,
Charles Metzger,
Robert Muh,

Owen J. Murphy,
Emil Neufeld,
Luke Otten,
Herbert Parsons,
Henry J. Rottmann,
Bernard Schmitt,
William F. Schneider, Jr.,
James J. Smith,
John J. Twomey,
John J. Vaughan, Jr.,
Jacob J. Velten,
Alexander F. Wacker,
Moses J. Wafer,
Joseph E. Welling,
William Wentz,
John Wirth,
Henry W. Wolf.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting held Tuesday, July 31, 1900. Alderman Marks moved that a further reading of the minutes of the stated meeting held Tuesday, July 31, 1900, be dispensed with, and that they be approved as printed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the special meeting held Wednesday, August 15, 1900.

Alderman Marks moved that a further reading of the minutes of the special meeting held Wednesday, August 15, 1900, be dispensed with, and that they be approved as printed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Acting Mayor:

No. 1348.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
August 21, 1900. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return herewith, without my approval, a resolution adopted by you on July 31, 1900, giving permission to Adolph Weissmann to place and keep a small sign on the tree in front of the premises No. 189 West Tenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

My objection to this resolution is that it is indefinite, and that signs should not be erected or maintained on the public highways or over the sidewalks of the city.

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, Acting Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Adolph Weissman to place and keep a small sign on the tree in front of the premises No. 189 West Tenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The President laid before the Board the following legal papers:

No. 1355.

SUPREME COURT.

The People of the State of New York ex rel. Peter Daly
against

Randolph Guggenheimer, President, John T. Oakley, Thomas F. Foley, Martin Engel, Frank J. Goodwin, George H. Mundorf, Patrick J. Ryder, Harry C. Hart, George B. Christman, John J. Murphy, Eugene A. Wise, Stewart M. Brice, Herman Sulzer, William J. Hyland, Adolph C. Hottenroth, Bernard C. Murray, Charles H. Francisco, Francis F. Williams, Conrad H. Hester, Adam H. Leich, Henry French, Charles H. Ebbetts, John J. McGarry, William A. Doyle, Martin F. Conly, David L. Van Nostrand, Joseph Cassidy, Joseph F. O'Grady, Benjamin J. Bodine, as the Council, and Thomas F. Woods, President, John T. McCall, Michael Kennedy, Jeremiah Cronin, Joseph E. Welling, Isaac Marks, Joseph A. Flynn, Frederick F. Fleck, Charles W. Cuklin, Max J. Porges, Frank L. Dowling, Henry W. Wolf, William H. Gledhill, James J. Smith, Charles Metzger, John T. McMahon, Robert Muh, Emil Neuteld, John J. Twomey, James E. Gaffney, David M. Holmes, Armitage Mathews, Michael Ledwith, Henry J. Rottman, Frank Dunn, Herbert Parsons, Ed. F. McEneaney, Joseph Oatman, Louis F. Cardani, George A. Burrell, Elias Goodman, William F. Schneider, Jr., Thomas F. McCaul, Lawrence W. McGrath, Henry Geiger, Frank Gass, Robert F. Downing, James J. Bridges, Moses J. Wafer, William H. C. Delano, Peter Holler, John Diemer, William Keegan, Francis P. Kenney, Frank Hennessy, Francis J. Byrne, Stephen W. McKeever, Ernest A. Seebeck, Jr., Owen J. Murphy, Patrick S. Keely, Jacob J. Velton, William Wentz, John Wirth, James H. McInnes, Bernard Schmitt, Alexander F. Wacker, Charles Alt, John J. Vaughan, Jr., Joseph Geiser, Luke Otten, as the Board of Aldermen, together constituting "The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York."

You will please take notice that on the annexed affidavit of Peter Daly, and on all the papers and proceedings, a motion will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in Part I. thereof, at the County Court-house, in The City of New York, on the 27th day of September, 1900, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for a peremptory mandamus directed to Randolph Guggenheimer and others, as the Council, and Thomas F. Woods and others, as the Board of Aldermen, together constituting "The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York," directing and commanding them to forthwith concur with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in the annexed affidavit set forth, and to authorize the Comptroller, by resolution, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York necessary to pay the awards made and filed, as in said affidavit set forth, and for such further or different order or relief to which relator may be entitled.

Dated SEPTEMBER 17, 1900.

Yours, etc.,

THOMAS S. BASSFORD,

Attorney for Relator, No. 280 Broadway, New York City.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York.

City and County of New York, ss.:

Peter Daly, being duly sworn, says he is the relator herein, and resides at No. 690 East One Hundred and Sixtieth street, in The City of New York, and is the owner of premises heretofore designated on the tax maps of The City of New York by the ward number 25, in Block No. 1339, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, for damages to which premises, caused by change of grade, he filed a claim pursuant to the provisions of chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893.

Deponent further says that annexed hereto, marked "A," is a true copy of a certificate of award duly made in favor of deponent by Commissioners of Appraisal appointed pursuant to said law, and filed in the office of the Comptroller of The City of New York on the 24th day of August, 1899, which award still remains wholly unpaid, although an existing obligation against The City of New York, as successor to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Deponent further says that thereafter and on the 7th day of September, 1899, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment duly passed a resolution, a copy of which is as follows:

"Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), to provide for the payment of awards, costs, charges and expenses as certified by the Change of Grade Damage Commission, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1894."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

Deponent further says that the amount due to date to pay similar awards and expenses filed in the Comptroller's office, exceeds the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, so authorized to be issued by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as will appear from the following, a true summary of amounts of awards filed in the Comptroller's office:

Statement of awards and counsel fees filed in Comptroller's office by the Change of Grade Damage Commission:

Awards \$239,075 00

Counsel fees 5,660 00

\$244,735 00

Interest on \$239,075, the amount of awards from the dates of filing of certificates to the date hereof..... 10,818 86

\$255,553 86

NEW YORK, August 27, 1900.

Deponent further says that the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, unmindful of its duties and obligations as imposed upon it by the Greater New York Charter, has neglected and refused to concur in said resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and still neglects and refuses to authorize the Comptroller, by resolution, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, necessary to pay the awards so filed, and the same still remain wholly unpaid.

PETER DALY.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of September, 1900.

LORING M. BLACK, Notary Public, Kings County.

Certificate filed in New York County.

OFFICE OF CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION,
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
No. 96 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

In the Matter
of

The claim of Peter Daly for damages for the change of grade of Courtlandt avenue, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 567 of the Laws of 1894.

Claim No. 817.

We, the undersigned, the Commissioners appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, do hereby certify:

First—That the above-named claimant has filed, pursuant to the provisions of said acts, a claim for loss and damage by reason of change of grade to certain premises located in the Twenty-

third Ward of The City of New York, and designated on the tax maps of said City as Ward No. 25 in Block 1339, and that said claimant has satisfactorily established before us ownership of said premises.

Second—That, pursuant to the provisions of said acts, we have inquired into the facts or circumstances relating to the said claim and have heard the evidence in support thereof and in opposition thereto, and have duly considered such evidence.

Third—That in determining the relief to which said claimant is entitled, we have considered as an element of damage the fair value of the work done or necessary to be done in order to place the claimant's land and building in the same relation to the changed grade as said premises stood to the former grade.

Fourth—That, upon the evidence presented, we award, as just and equitable damages under the circumstances of this case, to the said Peter Daly the sum of fifteen hundred and 00-100 dollars to be paid by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York for damages sustained or which will be sustained by said claimant upon and to said premises by reason of the aforesaid change of grade; and we do further award the sum of sixty and 00-100 dollars to Thomas S. Bassford, Esq., the attorney for said claimant, as counsel fee allowed by us to him, to be paid by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York.

Dated NEW YORK, February 10, 1899.

DANIEL LORD,
JAMES M. VARNUM,
Commissioners.

Attest:

LAMOUNT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

No. 1356.

SUPREME COURT.

The People of the State of New York, ex rel. Louise Hammer
and Joseph Hammer,

against

Randolph Guggenheimer, President; John T. Oakley, Thomas F. Foley, Martin Engel, Frank J. Goodwin, George H. Mundorf, Patrick J. Ryder, Harry C. Hart, George B. Christman, John J. Murphy, Eugene A. Wise, Stewart M. Brice, Herman Sulzer, William J. Hyland, Adolph C. Hottenroth, Bernard C. Murray, Charles H. Francisco, Francis F. Williams, Conrad H. Hester, Adam H. Leich, Henry French, Charles H. Ebbetts, John J. McGarry, William A. Doyle, Martin F. Conly, David L. Van Nostrand, Joseph Cassidy, Joseph F. O'Grady, Benjamin J. Bodine, as the Council; and Thomas F. Woods, President; John T. McCall, Michael Kennedy, Jeremiah Cronin, Joseph E. Welling, Isaac Marks, Joseph A. Flynn, Frederick F. Fleck, Charles W. Cuklin, Max J. Porges, Frank L. Dowling, Henry W. Wolf, William H. Gledhill, James J. Smith, Charles Metzger, John T. McMahon, Robert Muh, Emil Neuteld, John J. Twomey, James E. Gaffney, David M. Holmes, Armitage Mathews, Michael Ledwith, Henry J. Rottman, Frank Dunn, Herbert Parsons, Edward F. McEneaney, Joseph Oatman, Louis F. Cardani, George A. Burrell, Elias Goodman, William F. Schneider, Jr., Thomas F. McCaul, Lawrence W. McGrath, Henry Geiger, Frank Gass, Robert F. Downing, James J. Bridges, Moses J. Wafer, William H. C. Delano, Peter Holler, John Diemer, William Keegan, Francis P. Kenney, Frank Hennessy, Francis J. Byrne, Stephen W. McKeever, Ernest A. Seebeck, Jr., Owen J. Murphy, Patrick S. Keely, Jacob J. Velton, William Wentz, John Wirth, James H. McInnes, Bernard Schmitt, Alexander F. Wacker, Charles Alt, John J. Vaughan, Jr., Joseph Geiser, Luke Otten, as the Board of Aldermen, together constituting "The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York."

You will please take notice that on the annexed affidavit of Louise Hammer and Josephine Hammer, and on all the papers and proceedings, a motion will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in Part I. thereof, at the County Court-house in The City of New York on the 27th day of September, 1900, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for a peremptory mandamus directed to Randolph Guggenheimer, and others, as the Council, and Thomas F. Woods, and others, as the Board of Aldermen, together constituting "The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York," directing and commanding them to forthwith concur with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in the annexed affidavit set forth, and to authorize the Comptroller by resolutions to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York necessary to pay the awards made and confirmed as in said affidavit set forth, and for such further or different order or relief to which relators may be entitled.

Dated SEPTEMBER 17, 1900.

Yours, etc.,

THOS. S. BASSFORD,

Attorney for Relators, No. 280 Broadway, New York City.

City and County of New York, ss.:

Louise Hammer and Josephine Hammer, being duly sworn, say that they are the relators herein, and reside at Number 566 East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, in The City of New York, and are the former owners of premises designated on the tax maps of The City of New York by the Ward Number 42, in Block Number 2365, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, title to which premises, with others, was acquired by The City of New York (as successor to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York), for the purpose of a site for the erection of a building for court purposes, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897.

Deponents further say that the title of the proceeding pursuant to which the City acquired said title, is as follows:

Supreme Court, New York County:

"In the matter of the application of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation to The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York, for a site for the erection of a building for court-house purposes, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897."

Deponents further say that the Commissioners of Estimate appointed in said proceeding, by the Supreme Court, New York County, among other things reported an award in their favor, as follows:

Awards for Damage.

Map No. 2, owners Louise Hammer, 257-432; Josephine Hammer, 175-432; land and improvements; damage, \$71,230.

Deponents further say that on the 30th day of January, 1900, an order was duly entered confirming said report.

Deponents further say that thereafter, and on the 6th day of March, 1900, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment duly passed a resolution, a copy of which is as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to the amount of one hundred and forty-seven thousand and seventy-eight dollars and eighty-four cents (\$147,078.84), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the awards, interest and costs as taxed and confirmed in the proceeding to acquire title to certain pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York for a site for the erection of a building for court-house purposes, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

Deponents further say that the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, unmindful of its duties and obligations as imposed upon it by the Greater New York Charter, has neglected and refused to concur in said resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and still neglects and refuses to authorize the Comptroller, by resolution, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York necessary to pay the awards so confirmed, and the same still remain wholly unpaid.

LOUISE HAMMER,
JOSEPHINE HAMMER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of September, 1900.

LORING MILTON BLACK, Notary Public, Kings County.

Certificate filed in New York County.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York.

No. 1357.

SUPREME COURT.

The People of the State of New York, ex rel. Caroline C. Hettinger,

against

Randolph Guggenheimer, president, John T. Oakley, Thomas F. Foley, Martin Engel, Frank J. Goodwin, George H. Mundorf, Patrick J. Ryder, Harry C. Hart, George B. Christman, John J. Murphy, Eugene A. Wise, Stewart M. Brice, Herman Sulzer, William J. Hyland, Adolph C. Hottenroth, Bernard C. Murray, Charles H. Francisco, Francis F. Williams, Conrad H. Hester, Adam H. Leich, Henry French, Charles H. Ebbets, John J. McGarry, William A. Doyle, Martin F. Conly, David L. Van Nostrand, Joseph Cassidy, Joseph F. O'Grady, Benjamin J. Bodine, as the Council, and Thomas F. Woods, president, John T. McCall, Michael Kennedy, Jeremiah Cronin, Joseph E. Welling, Isaac Marks, Joseph A. Flinn, Frederick F. Fleck, Charles W. Calkin, Max J. Porges, Frank L. Downing, Henry W. Wolf, William H. Gledhill, James J. Smith, Charles Metzger, John T. McMahon, Robert Muh, Emil Neufeld, John J. Twomey, James E. Gaffney, David M. Holmes, Armitage Mathews, Michael Ledwith, Henry J. Rottmann, Frank Dunn, Herbert Parsons, Edward F. McEneaney, Joseph Oatman, Louis F. Cardani, George A. Burrell, Elias Goodman, William F. Schneider, Jr., Thomas F. McCaul, Lawrence W. McGrath, Henry Geiger, Frank Gass, Robert F. Downing, James J. Bridges, Moses J. Wafer, William H. C. Delano, Peter Holler, John Diemer, William Keegan, Francis P. Kenney, Frank Hennessy, Francis J. Byrne, Stephen W. McKeever, Ernest A. Sebeck, Jr., Owen J. Murphy, Patrick S. Keely, Jacob J. Veltin, William Wentz, John Wirth, James H. McInnes, Bernard Schmitt, Alexander F. Wacker, Charles Alt, John J. Vaughan, Jr., Joseph Geiser, Luke Otten, as the Board of Aldermen; together constituting "The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York."

You will please take notice that on the annexed affidavit of Caroline C. Hettinger, and on all the papers and proceedings, a motion will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in Part I. thereof at the County Court-house in The City of New York, on the 27th day of September, 1900, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for a peremptory mandamus directed to Randolph Guggenheimer and others, as the Council, and Thomas F. Woods, and others, as the Board of Aldermen, together constituting "The Municipal Assembly of The City of New York," directing and commanding them to forthwith concur with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in the annexed affidavit set forth, and to authorize the Comptroller by resolution to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, necessary to pay the awards made and confirmed as in said affidavit set forth, and for such further or different order or relief to which relator may be entitled.

Dated, SEPTEMBER 17, 1900.

Yours, etc.,

THOS. S. BASSFORD,

Attorney for Relator, No. 280 Broadway, New York City.

City and County of New York, ss.:

Caroline C. Hettinger, being duly sworn, says that she is the relator herein, and resides at No. 432 Madison avenue, in The City of New York, and is the former owner of premises designated on the tax maps of The City of New York by the ward number 39 in block number 2365, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, title to which premises, with others, was acquired by The City of New York (as successor to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York), for the purpose of a site for the erection of a building for court purposes, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897.

Deponent further says that the title of the proceeding pursuant to which the City acquired said title, is as follows:

SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.

"In the matter of the application of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, by the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York, for a site for the erection of a building for court-house purposes, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897."

Deponent further says that the commissioners of estimate appointed in said proceeding, by the Supreme Court, New York County, among other things reported an award in her favor as follows:

Awards for Damage.

Map No. 1: owaer, Caroline C. Hettinger; land; damage, \$50,000.

Deponent further says that on the thirtieth day of January, 1900, an order was duly entered confirming said report.

Deponent further says that thereafter, and on the sixth day of March, 1900, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment duly passed a resolution, a copy of which is as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897 and section 170 of the New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to the amount of one hundred and forty-seven thousand and seventy-eight dollars and eighty-four cents (\$147,078.84), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the awards, interest and costs as taxed and confirmed in the proceeding to acquire title to certain pieces or parcels of land in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York for a site for the erection of a building for court-house purposes, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 209 of the Laws of 1897.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

Deponent further says that the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, unmindful of its duties and obligations as imposed upon it by the Greater New York Charter, has neglected and refused to concur in said resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and still neglects and refuses to authorize the Comptroller, by resolution, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, necessary to pay the awards so confirmed, and the same still remain wholly unpaid.

CAROLINE C. HETTINGER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of September, 1900.

LORING MILTON BLACK, Notary Public, Kings County.

Certificate filed in New York County.

To the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York.

Which were severally, on motion, referred to the Committee on Law.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the City Clerk:

No. 1358.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, August 9, 1900.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Esq., Clerk to the Board of Aldermen:

SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith documents relative to matters which were adopted by the Council, at their stated meeting on Tuesday, August 7, 1900, as scheduled below:

Introductory Nos. 1343, 2344, 1347, 1348, 1349.

Yours respectfully,

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

Which was ordered on file.

The papers above referred to are as follows:

No. 1359.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the "New York Journal" to erect a stereopticon tower in front of the Tribune Building for the purpose of displaying bulletins of the scientific exhibition of pugilism on Friday, August 10, 1900, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1360.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the rector, church wardens and vestrymen of Grace Church, New York City, to erect and maintain, within the stoop-line, a drinking-fountain at Broadway, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the same to be situate between the southwest corner of the lot on which the said Grace Church is located and the entrance to the chantry of the said church, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; this permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1361.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply be and he hereby is requested to cause a drinking-fountain to be erected and the water supplied at the expense of The City of New York on Convent terrace, between One Hundred and Twenty-eighth and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets, Borough of Manhattan.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1362.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended along the line of the parade of the Society Santa Maria del Monte Viggiano on Saturday, September 1, 1900, and also in front of the Italian Catholic Church, Nos. 115 and 117 Baxter street, in the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such suspension to be for said day and date only.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1363.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby requested to place Welsbach lamps on the lamp-posts in Forty-sixth street, between Sixth avenue and Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

PETITIONS.

No. 1364A.

By Alderman Wolf—

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

We, the undersigned, property-owners, storekeepers, residents and citizens of the Tenth Assembly District, New York County, respectfully petition your Honorable Board to pass an ordinance restricting peddlers, hawkers and hucksters from standing and selling goods on the sidewalk or in the carriage-way of Avenue A, between Houston and Seventh streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Respectfully,

Edward Klein, 31 Avenue A.
John Brull & Son, 35 Avenue A.
Carl Dietz, 32 Avenue A.
Henry Schmid, M. D., 38 Avenue A.
Fred Haupt, 41 Avenue A.
Klingenstein Bros., 43 to 47 Avenue A.
Klingenstein & Kaufman, 59 Avenue A.
B. Vogel, 61 Avenue A.
John P. Springer, 37 Avenue A.
F. Schacht, 29 Avenue A.
F. Arpell, 29 Avenue A.
P. Lichtenberg & Bro., 33 Avenue A.
A. Simon, 37 Avenue A.
George Mataka, 37 Avenue A.
Rudolph Muegge, 39 Avenue A.
L. Heyman, 27 Avenue A.
Ernst Adises, 49 Avenue A.
Max Weber, 51 Avenue A.
Joseph Th. Jung, 53 Avenue A.
Henry Ague, 56 Avenue A.
Herman Manson, 54 Avenue A.
Deutsch Brothers, 58 Avenue A.
B. Bloch, 60 Avenue A.
J. Sartor, 62 Avenue A.
T. Machinski, 64 Avenue A.
F. Vorschimer, 66 Avenue A.
Kuntze & Bichoff, 68 Avenue A.
Bernard Wiegand, 72 Avenue A.
Carl Klingelhoff, 74 Avenue A.
Fred Oschmann, 78 Avenue A.
Peter Heckert, 80 Avenue A.
John Hiemrichs, 82 Avenue A.
Henry Arnold, 88 Avenue A.
G. Breda, 90 Avenue A.
Carl Degenhardt, 94 Avenue A.
M. Biernstein, 96 Avenue A.
A. Hanger, 98 Avenue A.
Philipp Herrlich, 100 Avenue A.
Charles Wunderlich, 102 Avenue A.
L. Falk's Sons, 104 Avenue A.
Peter Ganss, 106 Avenue A.
Adolph Haas, 108 Avenue A.
F. F. Lunz, 110 Avenue A.
A. Rumpaden, 112 Avenue A.
Geo. Fennell & Co., 107 Avenue A.

E. Schaefer, 105 Avenue A.
H. Getzler, 103 Avenue A.
Chas. Link, Jr., 76 Avenue A.
John Leppig, 101 Avenue A.
Paul Schlaeter, 99 Avenue A.
Henry Heinz, 97 Avenue A.
Sol Katz, 95 Avenue A.
E. Winter's Son & Co., 93 Avenue A.
Aug. Hartwig, 91 Avenue A.
Gottfried Feteroll, 85 Avenue A.
Anastasy Bourtowicz, 83 Avenue A.
T. H. Vassoner, 79 Avenue A.
George Baer, 79 Avenue A.
Siman Manges & Son, 81 Avenue A.
William Cohen, 77 Avenue A.
Louis Sachs, 70 Avenue A.
Theo. Keller, 70 Avenue A.
Berliner Brothers, 73 and 75 Avenue A.
Jacob Link, 69 Avenue A.
M. Greenfield & Co., 67 Avenue A.
B. Stuhr, 65 Avenue A.
Joseph Veitling, 63 Avenue A.
E. Jacobs & Son, 57 Avenue A.
F. S. Landay, 46 Avenue A.
L. M. Rosenthal, 87 and 89 Avenue A.
M. G. Stern, 48 Avenue A.
A. Guartz, 50 Avenue A.
Edward J. H. Tamsen, per Hugo F. Wolff, Attorney.
Max Schwartz & Bro., 28 and 30 Avenue A.
Edward Steck, 17 Avenue A.
A. Schumann, 13 Avenue A.
Joas Laeng, 35 Avenue A.
H. Weiss, 3 Avenue A.
B. C. Gutman, 3 Avenue A.
Jerome Wodinsky, 1 Avenue A.
Margraf & Germann, 6 and 8 Avenue A.
Anna W. Retzal, 10 Avenue A.
D. May, 14 Avenue A.
H. Bambach's Son, 14 Avenue A.
M. Hamerschlag, 16 Avenue A.
Hugo Cohn, 19 Avenue A.
John Pitz, 15 Avenue A.
Emile A. Hassey, Attorney, etc., 11 Avenue.

In connection therewith Alderman Wolf offered the following ordinance:

No. 1364B.

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 530 of the Revised Ordinances of 1897, as amended.

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

Section 1. Section 530 of the Revised Ordinances of 1897, relative to peddlers, venders, hawkers and hucksters, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof, after the words "Pearl street," the following, "or in Avenue A, between Houston and Seventh streets, Borough of Manhattan."

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was, on motion of Alderman Wolf, referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways, with instructions to hold a public hearing thereon.

REPORTS.

No. 1330.

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred on July 31, 1900, the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing the Commissioner of Bridges to contract without public letting for construction of bridge over the Harlem river between First and Willis avenues, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Commissioner of Bridges to contract, without public letting, for the construction of the bridge over the Harlem river, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and First avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Willis avenue.

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

The Commissioner of Bridges of The City of New York is authorized to contract without public letting with John C. Rodgers, the contractor, for constructing the bridge over the Harlem river, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and First avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Willis avenue, under contract dated October 8, 1897, executed in pursuance of chapter 147, Laws of 1894, for additional work and materials necessary to complete said bridge according to plans and specifications approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 24, 1900, at an expense not to exceed nineteen thousand six hundred dollars, to be paid from the funds provided by the sale of bonds pursuant to said act.

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., HENRY GEIGER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, BERNARD SCHMITT, EMIL NEUFELD, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES—CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PARK ROW BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., July 30, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 24, 1900, passed a resolution, as provided for in chapter 147, Laws of 1894, approving plans and specifications for certain additional work on the bridge over Harlem river, between First and Willis avenues, at a cost not to exceed \$19,600, and also authorizing the Comptroller, with the consent of the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of the City of New York to the amount of \$182,155.17 for the completion of said bridge. This sum of \$182,155.17, which includes the \$19,600 mentioned above, is the difference between the amount of Corporate Stock heretofore issued and the total \$2,000,000 authorized by law, and is needed to pay for the cost of land and for the construction of the bridge, which is now nearing completion.

The plans and specifications which have just been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment provide for certain work not contemplated in the original contract, but which has been proved necessary by the experience of this Department, and the three items of work with the cost of each are as follows:

A. Substitution of arc for incandescent lights, furnishing boilers of increased power, and engine and dynamo of increased power	\$10,000 00
B. Four houses, one on each end of two rest piers, to be used, three for bridge tenders and one for a toilet-room	7,600 00
C. Additional work and material on end-lifting devices	2,000 00
Total	\$19,600 00

This additional work cannot be done except in connection with the general work of construction and by the contractor whose contract covers the whole structure, without considerable extra cost to the City and serious delay and inconvenience to the public, and I therefore transmit herewith a form of ordinance, granting me the power to enter into contract with the present contractor, John C. Rodgers, for this work, without public letting, and beg that you will pass it without delay.

I also inclose a copy of the specifications and form of contract. The prices therein, which are as stated above, have been reported by the Chief Engineer of this Department and the Consulting Engineer for the Willis Avenue Bridge to be just and reasonable.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner of Bridges.

Which was, on motion of Alderman McInnes, recommitted to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, with instructions to find out the probable cost of the proposed improvement.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1365.

By the President—

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for The City of New York:

By the President—

Horatio Charles Klenke, No. 129 St. Ann's avenue, Bronx.
Elmer E. De Camp, No. 368 Park avenue, Manhattan.
Ambrose Daly, Jr., No. 23 Spencer place, Brooklyn.
Mary A. Butler, No. 446 Fourth avenue, Manhattan.
Oscar Herrmann, No. 1451 First avenue, Manhattan.
Hervey C. Lyon, No. 44 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
Paul D. Judge, No. 156 Broadway, Manhattan.
Edmund P. Holahan, No. 1976 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.
John E. Donnelly, No. 35 Nassau street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Bridges—

Harry Higgins, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.
Moses J. Harris, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Burrell—

Isidor Mehrbach, No. 61 East Eighty-second street, Manhattan.
Benjamin P. Benjamin, No. 444 East Eighty-seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Byrne—

M. Schellenberg, No. 220 Duffield street, Brooklyn.
P. L. Kenney, No. 467 Clermont avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Cardani—

Maurice Maas, No. 133 East Seventy-third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Culkin—

M. F. Farley, No. 485 West street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Delano—

Anthony J. Bonner, No. 375 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Diemer—

Charles N. Pracht, No. 244 Hopkins street, Brooklyn.
Frederick Elfein, No. 230 Throop avenue, Brooklyn.
Joseph Abel, No. 120 Vernon avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Downing—

W. W. Southworth, No. 18 Sidney place, Brooklyn.
Frank C. Baker, No. 66 Broadway, Manhattan.
Norman S. Dike, No. 31 Nassau street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Dunn—

Harvey E. Miner, No. 675 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.
William H. Loughran, No. 231 East Fifty-second street, Manhattan.
Frank Pisek, No. 1389 Second avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Fleck—

Sarah Fabisch, Manhattan.

By Alderman Flinn—

Walter A. Byrne, No. 28 West Ninth street, Manhattan.
Edward J. Scully, No. 50 Sixth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gaffney—

August A. Lorzer, No. 333 West Thirty-seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gass—

Sidney B. Hickox, No. 13 Astor place, Manhattan.
George Hartell, Wakefield, Bronx.
George B. Hartell, No. 150 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, Manhattan.
F. S. Leland, No. 8 St. Lawrence avenue, Van Nest, Bronx.

By Alderman Geiger—

Bernard J. Kelly, No. 3544 Park avenue, Bronx.
George B. Hartell, No. 2165 Fifth avenue, Manhattan.
William A. Darling.

By Alderman Geiser—

Frank Ryan, No. 34 Locust street, Flushing, N. Y.
James M. Smyth, No. 199 Newtown avenue, Long Island City.
Alfred Denton, Evergreen, Queens.

By Alderman Goodman—

Philip Doblin, No. 433 East Eighty-second street, Manhattan.
Alfred E. Laurant, No. 100 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Manhattan.
Henry H. Connolly, No. 265 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Manhattan.
James Cowden Meyers, No. 122 West One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Manhattan.
Paul D. Judge, No. 47 West One Hundred and Thirty-third street, Manhattan.
Raphael J. Hancock, No. 325 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Manhattan.
Edward Holahan, No. 100 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Manhattan.
Jacob A. Delehey, No. 2074 Seventh avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Holler—

Dudley C. Hainer, No. 214 Hooper street, Brooklyn.
James P. McInerney, No. 103 Broadway, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Holmes—

John W. Ould, No. 161 W. Sixty-sixth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Keegan—

John O. Farrell, Hall of Records, Brooklyn.
Charles H. Kelby, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kennedy—

Robert A. Beatty, No. 11 Beach street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kenney—

William Wipper, Jr., No. 535 Pacific street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Ledwith—

F. Worthen Stanton, No. 301 East Forty-ninth street, Manhattan.
William J. Carroll, No. 333 East Fifty-first street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Marks—

Louis Meyers, No. 1765 Madison avenue, Manhattan.
Max Zavodnikoff, No. 219 Henry street, Manhattan.
Alexander Finelite, No. 11 Chambers street, Manhattan.
Myron S. Yochelson, No. 246 Henry street, Manhattan.
Abraham A. Silberberg, No. 247 Broadway, Manhattan.
Samuel Abramson, No. 22 Attorney street, Manhattan.
Louis J. Abrams, South Beach, S. I.
Benjamin Levy, No. 111 Madison street, Manhattan.
Aaron Mendelson, No. 189 Henry street, Manhattan.
Samuel F. Edmead, No. 338 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Mathews—

John J. Kenney, No. 983 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.
Roy M. Robinson, No. 879 West End avenue, Manhattan.
Morris A. Sable, No. 217 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Manhattan.
James E. Bennet, No. 15 Manhattan avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman McCaul—

Jacob Levy, No. 1885 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.
Max Salmon, No. 1954 Third avenue, Manhattan.
N. F. Kinnally, No. 203 East One Hundred and Twelfth street, Manhattan.
Morris Fromme, No. 223 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street, Manhattan.
Oscar Fritz, No. 1872 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman McEneaney—

Charles Veprovsky, No. 1430 First avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman McInnes—

Henry Benjamin, Brooklyn.
Arthur Chase Rowe, No. 1378 Dean street, Brooklyn.
E. D. Chase, No. 629 East Twenty-eighth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McGrath—

Isidor Abramson, No. 725 East One Hundred and Forty-first street, Bronx.

By Alderman McKeever—

Julius Harburger, No. 55 Frankfort street, Manhattan.
Charles R. Macauley, No. 480 Thirteenth street, Brooklyn.
Hubbard Smith, Tribune Building, Manhattan.
F. Bell Fenwick, No. 515 Eleventh street, Brooklyn.
Thomas J. Williams, No. 379 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
D. J. Quigley, No. 861 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.
Charles H. Farrell, No. 302 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.
J. H. Larkin, Jr., No. 301 Sheffield avenue, Brooklyn.
Peter J. McGoldrick, No. 95 Clinton avenue, Brooklyn.
I. Parshelsky, No. 119 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.
Abraham Bernhard, No. 121 Shatford avenue, Brooklyn.
Hyman Lurio, No. 121 Shatford avenue, Brooklyn.
George O. Van Voast, Jr., No. 16 Court street, Brooklyn.
Donald B. Smith, No. 164 Montague street, Brooklyn.
John J. Kuhn, No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn.
Joseph Abel, No. 120 Vernon avenue, Brooklyn.
Charles H. Matchett, No. 121 Schermerhorn street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McMahon—

Jacob A. Hirschman, No. 1 Madison avenue, Manhattan.
Michael E. Duffy, No. 12 West Seventieth street, Manhattan.
Jeremiah Patrick Cunningham, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Muh—

Nathan S. Reichenthal, No. 161 East Fifty-second street, Manhattan.
A. D. Greenfield, No. 133 West Forty-third street, Manhattan.
Edward R. Isaacs, No. 320 Broadway, Manhattan.
Samson J. Sugerman, No. 621 Broadway, Manhattan.
E. Grant Marsh, Comptroller's Office, Manhattan.
Peter S. O'Hara, No. 51 Chambers street, Manhattan.
Thomas Hogan, No. 306 West Fifty-second street, Manhattan.
Morris Putnam Stevens, No. 34 Pine street, Manhattan.
Abraham B. Keve, No. 203 Broadway, Manhattan.
Mortimer S. Schector, No. 34 Pine street, Manhattan.
Louis M. Lucia, No. 246 Bleecker street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Murphy—

T. K. Trenchard, No. 112A Power street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Neufeld—

Louis Roth, No. 108 Lewis street, Manhattan.
Louis J. Rosett, No. 338 East Eighty-sixth street, Manhattan.
Samuel P. Zimmerman, No. 383 East Fourth street, Manhattan.
Emanuel Lipkowitz, No. 95 Avenue D, Manhattan.
Henry D. R. Newman, No. 208 East Seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Oatman—

Gratz Nathan, No. 64 West Fifty-third street, Manhattan.
Adolph Oatman, No. 714 Seventh avenue, Manhattan.
Thomas H. Games, No. 493 Seventh avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Otten—

Frank Ryan, No. 34 Locust street, Flushing, N. Y.
William Porr, Beach street, Brooklyn Hills, Queens.

By Alderman Porges—

Abraham Harawitz, No. 41 Essex street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Rottmann—

Robert F. McIntyre, No. 40 West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Schmitt—

James M. Tobin, No. 30 Herbert street, Brooklyn.
Hugo H. Weichelt, No. 615 Hart street, Brooklyn.
John T. Lang, No. 127 Central avenue, Brooklyn.
Peter J. Kerner, No. 203 Knickerbocker avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Schneider—

George G. Dunn, No. 168 East One Hundred and Seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Twomey—

Michael Edward Duffy, No. 12 West Seventieth street, Manhattan.
Thomas Muldoon, No. 437 West Fifty-seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Vaughan—

Harry S. Jobs, Prince's Bay, N. Y.

By Alderman Velten—

Henry Mollenhauer, No. 147 Broadway, Brooklyn.
J. Gerber, No. 47 Graham avenue, Brooklyn.
Alexander McKinny, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.
Joseph Guenther, No. 154 Meserole street, Brooklyn.
James G. McComb, No. 148 Jefferson avenue, Brooklyn.
Joseph Flash, No. 329 Grand street, Brooklyn.
Joseph Obmann, No. 243 Montrose avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wacker—

Louis M. Lucia, No. 349 Linden street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wafer—

Sylvester J. Tormey, No. 61 Lawrence street, Brooklyn.
John B. Meyenborg, Jr., No. 468 Eighth street, Brooklyn.
James J. Smith, No. 8 Willow place, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Welling—

Stephen McFarland, No. 191 Prince street, Manhattan.
Carlo Colliani, No. 135 Sullivan street, Manhattan.
Thomas G. Macy, No. 137 West Thirteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wentz—

Charles Y. Van Doren, No. 350 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
A. Rogers Lee, No. 122 Amity street, Brooklyn.
Frank S. Lowe, No. 768 Monroe street, Brooklyn.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Byrne, Cardani, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Fleck, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Goodman, Holler, Holmes, Keegan,

Keely, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, Muhi, Murphy, Neufeld, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Water, Wentz, Wirth, and the President—44.

No. 1366.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons, whose applications for stands have been indorsed by the Aldermen of the districts in which they are to be located, to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda water and for bootblackening purposes, within the stoop-lines, at the location set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided:

By Alderman Bridges—

Bootblack Stand—James Roberts, No. 203 Sands street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Cronin—

Fruit Stand—Frank Garbarius, No. 100 Broad street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Diemer—

Fruit Stand—Felix De Bellonia, northwest corner Park avenue and Broadway, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dunn—

Fruit Stand—Carmelo Zuccaro, No. 1121 Second avenue, Manhattan; Nicholas Dobles, No. 743 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Fleck—

Bootblack Stand—Nicola Babillotta, No. 299 Canal street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Flynn—

Fruit Stand—Simon B. Kramer, No. 492 Hudson street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Goodman—

Newspaper Stands—Simon Schonberg, No. 1 West One Hundred and Thirteenth street, Manhattan; Max Gelbin, northwest corner One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Seventh avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Holmes—

Fruit Stand—Herman Hill, No. 428 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.

Newspaper Stand—Solomon Rogge, No. 418 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Mathews—

Newspaper Stands—Arthur Levine, No. 780 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Samuel Nitt, No. 476 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

Fruit Stands—S. J. Caulfield, No. 491 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Frank Bonnicoro, No. 467 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Henry Alday, northwest corner of One Hundred and Second street and Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Emanuel Meyer, No. 2123 Eighth avenue, Manhattan; Salvatore Buonolor, No. 933 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan; Frank Ferodo, No. 2118 Eighth avenue, Manhattan; Frank Ferodo, No. 2169 Eighth avenue, Manhattan; Richard Umgeltor, No. 875 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan; A. F. Beckman & Co., No. 2071 Eighth avenue, Manhattan; Jno. Anastasio & Bros., No. 2104 Eighth avenue, Manhattan; Amiello Figliolino, No. 2074 Eighth avenue, Manhattan; Feimindino Carraus, No. 631 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman McCaul—

Soda-water Stands—Davis Horn, No. 2047 Third avenue, Manhattan; Di Filippo Sebastano, No. 2261 Second avenue, Manhattan; Antonio Reillo, No. 1733 Madison avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman McInnes—

Newspaper Stand—Harry Selman, corner Rogers avenue and Bergen street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Neufeld—

Newspaper Stand—Joseph Schlesinger, No. 314 East Second street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Parsons—

Newspaper Stand—Anthony Flanagan, No. 100 West Seventeenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Porges—

Soda-water Stand—Morris Siegel, northwest corner of Forsyth and Delancey streets, Manhattan.

By Alderman Seebeck—

Bootblack Stand—Pietro Musso, No. 444 Ninth avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Schneider—

Fruit Stand—Joseph Coreca, No. 2076 Second avenue, Manhattan.

Soda-water Stand—Mayer Blumberg, No. 1987 Second avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Smith—

Soda Water—Nathan Brown, No. 21 Pitt street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Velten—

Fruit Stand—Joseph Hellford, No. 35 Humboldt street, corner of Cook street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wacker—

Newspaper Stand—Fred Munderich, corner Irving avenue and Stanhope street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wafer—

Fruit Stand—Salvator Basile, No. 187 Columbia street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wirth—

Bootblack Stands—Martin Hasslop, No. 254 Sumner avenue, Brooklyn; Raffale Guzzo, No. 1371 Fulton street, Brooklyn; William Louch, No. 255 Sumner avenue, Brooklyn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1367.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Andrew Davey to drive three advertising wagons, with music, through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, provided the advertising matter thereon is wholly of an unobjectionable character, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only from September 29 to October 15, 1900.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1368.

By Alderman Alt—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Grotz to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, on the southeast corner of Jamaica avenue and Nichols avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

At this point Alderman Velten submitted to the Board a copy of the list of persons selected to serve as Trial Jurors during the jury year 1900-1901, in the County of Kings:

No. 1369.

(For which see CITY RECORD hereafter.)

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

No. 1370.

By Alderman Alt—

Resolved, That the Committee on Railroads be and the same is hereby instructed to investigate and report back to this Board by what right the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company made connections, with loops over the sidewalks, between the Kings County and Union Elevated railroads, at Broadway and Fulton street, about fifty feet east of Vesta avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

No. 1371.

By the same—

Whereas, After being operated for years, it has been demonstrated that the overhead trolley system of transit is a menace to life and property and that the interests of the community can and would be better subserved if said system were operated underground; and,

Whereas, The said overhead system with its network of wires has interfered largely with the efficiency of the work of the Fire Department, which Department should be aided in its splendid work by the removal of every impediment possible; therefore,

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby respectfully requested to begin such proceedings as are warranted under law which will require that all surface railroads in The City of New York now operated by the overhead trolley system shall be operated by a system of underground current.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

No. 1372.

By Alderman Bridges—

Resolved, That the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company be and is hereby respectfully requested to inaugurate a system of transfers from its Sands street cars at Navy street, so that passengers thereon may have transportation for one fare to the old City Hall in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1373.

By the same—

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended, so far as the same may apply to the services of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, to be held in front of and adjacent to No. 135 Hudson avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on Friday and Saturday, September 21 and 22, 1900; said suspension of the ordinance to continue only for the days and dates herein mentioned.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1374.

By Alderman Burrell—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Hinklein to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises No. 1746 Second avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1375.

By Alderman Diemer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Schiermester, Jr., to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises No. 12 Tompkins avenue, corner of Flushing avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed ten feet in height and two feet wider than the doorway and shall not extend more than six feet from the house-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1376.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Seekamp to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the southeast corner of Willoughby avenue and Spencer street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1377.

By Alderman Delano—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Morris Rosenwaike to place and keep three show-cases within the stoop-line in front of his premises, No. 1 Wallabout Market, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided said show-cases be placed so as to comply with the provisions of any and all ordinances that may apply to the privilege hereby conveyed, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1378.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to T. G. Tunney to suspend a sign in front of his premises No. 206 West Twenty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, provided said sign be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1379.

By Alderman Geiger—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas J. Gross to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Wendover and Third avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, the same to be erected on the Wendover avenue side of said corner, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1380.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sabino Dieudisibus to place, erect and keep a shoemaker's sign two and one-half feet in diameter, in front of his premises No. 1323 Clinton avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1381.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. B. Stinbrink to erect, place and keep a retaining-wall, with steps, in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Belmont street and Topping avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1382.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert H. Baird to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises corner of Gerard and Jerome avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1383.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. W. Williams to place, erect and keep a storm-door in front of his premises No. 2917 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, provided the said storm-door shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1384.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to August Koelsch to place, erect and keep a retaining-wall, with steps, in front of his premises on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Morris avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1385.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. A. Parmentier to place, erect and keep a post and a transparent sign in front of his office No. 727 Tremont avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the same to be within the stoop-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1386.

By the same—

Resolved, That the room in the basement of the Municipal Building, Borough of The Bronx, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, known as the Janitor's room, be and the same is hereby designated and set aside for the use of the bookbindery of the CITY RECORD.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

No. 1387.

By Alderman Downing—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Malcolm Brewing Company to erect and keep a storm-door in front of their premises, No. 23 Smith street, Borough of Brooklyn, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed ten (10) feet in height, and two (2) feet wider than doorway, and shall not extend more than four (4) feet from the house-line, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1388.

By Alderman Gledhill—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Scanlan to erect storm-doors in front of his premises on the northeast corner of Thirtieth street and Ninth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said storm-doors be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1389.

By Alderman Goodman—

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so far as the same may apply to parades and meetings held by political associations, said suspension to continue only until and including Saturday, November 17, 1900.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1390.

By Alderman Holmes—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William H. Allen to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the northwest corner of Sixty-sixth street and Columbus avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1391.

By the same—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the carriage-way of Sixty-first street, between Columbus and Amsterdam avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1392.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Arthur E. Eagar to erect, place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southwest corner of Columbus avenue and Eighty-first street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand be erected in accordance with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1393.

By Alderman Kennedy—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board for further consideration resolution now in his hands permitting Mrs. M. Tietjen to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the corner of Franklin street and Greenwich street, Borough of Manhattan.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

No. 1312.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. M. Tietjen to erect and maintain a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad, at the corner of Franklin street and Greenwich street, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of the ordinance regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Alderman Kennedy moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the foregoing resolution was adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Kennedy, the paper was then ordered on file.

No. 1394.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. M. Tietjen to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the southeast corner of Franklin and Greenwich streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1395.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick McCarthy to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 15 Rector street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1396.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick McCarthy to erect, place and keep a storm-door in front of his premises No. 42 Greenwich street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1397.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Norton to erect, place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southeast corner of Greenwich and Rector streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand be erected in accordance with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1398.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sherman Conroy to erect, place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the northeast corner of Church and Cortlandt streets, in the Borough of Manhattan,

provided the said stand be erected in accordance with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1399.

By Alderman Ledwith—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully requested to place Welsbach burners on the gas lamps in Forty-fifth street, between Third and Lexington avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1400.

By Alderman Marks—

Whereas, Division street, from Catharine street to Grand street, in the Borough of Manhattan, much of which is devoted to business purposes and darkened by the structure of the elevated railroad, and a portion of which is skirted on both sides by Seward Park, is sadly in need of and should receive proper illumination at night; therefore

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that electric lights be placed at reasonable distances along the line of the said Division street, from Catharine street to Grand street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1401.

By the same—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that two lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and lighted, in front of the Temple of the Chevre Talmud Thora Augustover, No. 32 Rutgers street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1402.

By Alderman Mathews—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Manuel Juster to place and keep a post, surmounted by a clock, on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 2280 Eighth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of the post shall not exceed eighteen inches square at the base, and that neither said clock nor post shall be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1403.

By Alderman Muh—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 21, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 as amended by chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the expense of erecting the fence necessary for the protection of the lawns of the park bounded by Pitt, Houston, Stanton, Willett and Sheriff streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, known as "Hamilton Fish Park," and also for equipping the new gymnasium building therein.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895 as amended by chapter 676 of the Laws of 1897 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the expense of erecting the fence necessary for the protection of the lawns of the park bounded by Pitt, Houston, Stanton, Willett and Sheriff streets in the Borough of Manhattan, known as "Hamilton Fish Park," and also for equipping the new gymnasium building therein.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 21, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Parks.

No. 1404.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 21, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887 as amended by chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the expenses for the completion of unfinished work of erecting a sea-wall along the easterly side of the extension of East River Park, Borough of Manhattan.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 320, of the Laws of 1887 as amended by Chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the expenses for the completion of unfinished work of erecting a sea-wall along the easterly side of the extension of East River Park, Borough of Manhattan.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 21, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Docks and Ferries.

No. 1405.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE providing for the issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000), the proceeds to be used for the acquisition of new sites and the construction and equipment of new buildings for the Fire Department and placing the fire-alarm telegraph system underground.

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

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby approves and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on August 8, 1900, and hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 751 of the Laws of 1896 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the acquisition of new sites and the construction and equipment of new buildings for the Fire Department, and placing the fire-alarm telegraph system underground, as authorized by said chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 751 of the Laws of 1896.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 751 of the Laws of 1896 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the acquisition of new sites and the construction and equipment of new buildings for the Fire Department, and placing the fire-alarm telegraph system underground,

as authorized by said chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 751 of the Laws of 1896.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment August 8, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire.

No. 1406.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Cunningham to erect and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southwest corner of Fifty-third street and Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718, Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of the ordinance regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1407.

By Alderman Metzger—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Rev. Malick A. Cunnon, Rector of the Roman Catholic Church of St. Raphael, to place, erect and keep a vault under the sidewalk, in front of the church, on the south side of West Forty-first street, seventy feet west of Tenth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, without payment of the usual fee, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1408.

By Alderman Neufeld—

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 530 of the Revised Ordinances of 1897, as amended.

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

Section 1. Section 530 of the Revised Ordinances of 1897, relative to peddlers, venders, hawkers and lucksters, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the words "the territory embraced as follows: On the north side of Houston street, west side of Avenue B, the north side of Tenth street and the easterly side of Avenue D, in the Borough of Manhattan."

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

No. 1409.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to prevent push-carts from standing in any streets or thoroughfares in the City of New York after the hour of six o'clock P. M.

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

Section 1. No owner of any push-cart in the City of New York shall stand with his or her cart on any street, avenue or thoroughfare in said city for the sale of merchandise from said push-cart after the hour of six o'clock in the evening.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

No. 1410.

By Alderman Oatman—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Oscar Hammerstein to erect, construct and maintain a stone stoop in front of the new Republic Theatre, now in course of erection at Nos. 209, 211 and 213 West Forty-second street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the structure, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, to be wholly within the stoop-line, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1411.

By Alderman Porges—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph S. Marcus to place and keep a moveable electric sign in front of his premises No. 102 Canal street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said sign shall not exceed fifteen feet in length and shall not be extended from the house-line in the day time, but shall be securely fastened thereto, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1412.

By Alderman Schmitt—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Christian Christner to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 3 Bushwick avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1413.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John McLinden to erect and keep a storm-door in front of his premises, northwest corner of North Henry and Herbert streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the dimensions of the said storm-door not to exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done and material supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1414.

By Alderman Smith—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Kalman Rosenbluth to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 102 Attorney street in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, and that the said lamp-post and lamp shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided and shall not be used for advertising purposes; the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1415.

By Alderman Wafer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John J. White to erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Van Brunt and Sackett streets, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1416.

By Alderman Keegan—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Weber to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises on the northerly corner of Hamilton and Third avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1417.

By Alderman McEneaney—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies be and he is hereby respectfully requested to place two lamps in front of St. Catharine's Church, East Sixty-eighth street, between Avenue A and First avenue, Manhattan.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1418.

By Alderman Parsons—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the American Victoria Hotel Company to erect, keep and maintain five three-light lamp-posts in front of their premises at Broadway and Twenty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and gas supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The hour of 2:30 o'clock having arrived, Alderman McGrath called up S. O. 16, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 605.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was recommitted on May 29, 1900 (Minutes, page 276), the annexed reports and ordinance in favor of providing for an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JEREMIAH CRONIN, CHARLES METZGER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was recommitted the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan (Minutes of May 1, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, CHARLES METZGER, LOUIS F. CARDANI, JEREMIAH CRONIN, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on April 10, 1900 (Minutes, page 35), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JEREMIAH CRONIN, LOUIS F. CARDANI, THOMAS F. MCCAUL, MOSES J. WAFER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan (page 372, Minutes, February 27, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to lay out approach to Willis Avenue Bridge, Borough of Manhattan.

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

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 21st day of February, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to lay out an approach to the aforesaid bridge, as follows:

Beginning at the northeast house corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street:

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern house-line of Second avenue for 199.83 feet to the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street;

2d. Thence easterly along the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street for 615.0 feet to the western house-line of First avenue;

3d. Thence southerly along the western house-line of First avenue for 199.83 feet to the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street;

4th. Thence westerly along the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street for 615.0 feet to the point of beginning.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, February 23, 1900.

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

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 21st day of February, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of the Local Board of the Borough of Manhattan and on the report of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 21st day of February, 1900.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 31st day of January, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 21st day of February, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out of said approach would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out of said approach would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 21st day of February, 1900; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 21st day of February, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out of said approach who have appeared, and such proposed laying out of said approach was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out an approach to the aforesaid bridge, as follows:

Beginning at the northeast house corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street:

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern house-line of Second avenue for 199.83 feet to the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street;

2d. Thence easterly along the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street for 615.0 feet to the western house-line of First avenue;

3d. Thence southerly along the western house-line of First avenue for 199.83 feet to the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street;

4th. Thence westerly along the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street for 615.0 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
PRESIDENT BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU,
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE,
June 29, 1900.

Mr. JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary, Board of Public Improvements:

SIR—In reply to your oral request for an estimate of the valuation of the land and improvements of the block bounded by One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, First and Second avenues, proposed to be taken for the approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, an examination of the tax books was made with the following result:

Plots owned by O. P. Ingraham with improvements, valued at.....	\$150,000 00
Plots owned by Herman Sulzer with improvements, valued at.....	8,000 00
Plots owned by C. Palmer with improvements, valued at.....	35,000 00
Total.....	\$193,000 00

The ratio of valuation made by the Assessors of the Tax Department could not be ascertained.

Respectfully,

F. GREIFFENBERG,

Principal Assistant Topographical Engineer.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Fleck, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, Muh, Neufeld, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schneider, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, and the President—41.

Negative—Alderman Velten—1.

REPORTS RESUMED.

No. 1253.

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of laying a forty-eight-inch main in Gun Hill road, Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.
WILLIAM H. GLEDHILL, FRANK GASS, GEORGE A. BURRELL, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, OWEN J. MURPHY, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., LOUIS F. CARDANI, Committee on Water Supply.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying a forty-eight-inch main in Gun Hill road, Borough of The Bronx (page 344, Minutes, May 8, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.
AN ORDINANCE to authorize the laying of a forty-eight-inch water-main from the Croton Aqueduct, near Gun Hill road, through Moshulu parkway and Bronx Park to the Southern Boulevard, and in the Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Seventy-third street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 5th day of April, 1899, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 413 of the Greater New York Charter, the laying of a forty-eight-inch water-main from the Croton Aqueduct, near Gun Hill road, through Moshulu parkway and Bronx Park to the Southern Boulevard, and in the Southern Boulevard to One Hundred and Seventy-third street, in the Borough of The Bronx, and the making of a contract for the same by the Commissioner of Water Supply, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the cost of said public work or improvement to be paid for from the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in pursuance of section 178 of the City Charter, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

THOMAS F. FOLEY, ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, EUGENE A. WISE, HARRY C. HART, Committee on Water Supply.

Alderman Gledhill moved that the report receive immediate consideration.

Alderman McInnes moved as an amendment that the report be laid over and made a special order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock P. M.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said amendment of Alderman McInnes.

Which was decided in the negative.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion of Alderman Gledhill.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Culkin, Dowling, Dunn, Fleck, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Holler, Holmes, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McKeever, Metzger, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Otten, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Welling, Wolf, and the President—40.

Negative—Aldermen Delano, Diemer, Downing, Kenney, McInnes, Parsons, Wacker, Wentz, and Wirth—9.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Culkin, Dowling, Downing, Dunn, Fleck, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Holler, Holmes, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McKeever, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Otten, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Water, Welling, Wirth, Wolf, and the President—47.

Negative—Aldermen Delano, Diemer, McInnes, Parsons, and Wacker—5.

At this point Alderman Muh took the Chair.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

The hour of 2.30 o'clock having arrived, Alderman Geiser called up S. O. 21, being a report of the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, as follows:

No. 792.—(S. O. 21.)

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred on May 1, 1900 (Minutes, page 193), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of providing for a bridge between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

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

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., EMIL NEUFELD, HENRY GEIGER, THOMAS F. McCAUL, ROBERT F. DOWNING, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of providing for a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens (page 96, Minutes, January 16, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The building of a permanent bridge across Blackwell's Island and over the East river, between the Borough of Manhattan and the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, from, at or near the foot of Sixtieth street, in said Borough of Manhattan, to, at or near the foot of Charles street, in said Borough of Queens, and the approaches thereto, in accordance with plans prepared under the direction of the Commissioner of Bridges and approved by the Board of Public Improvements, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Bridges on the twenty-ninth day of November, 1899, is authorized and approved.

Sec. 2. The work of constructing said bridge and approaches, with the necessary piers and abutments, and of furnishing all material and labor necessary therefor, shall be done by contract, let to the lowest responsible bidder by the Commissioner of Bridges of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of the Greater New York Charter regulating the letting of contracts in The City of New York.

Sec. 3. The Comptroller of The City of New York shall, from time to time, when thereunto authorized by resolutions of this body and of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, prepare and issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the extent limited by such resolutions, bearing interest at not more than three and one-half per centum per annum, and redeemable from time to time, but not less than twenty years after the date thereof, for the purpose of defraying the expense of constructing the said bridge and approaches thereto, with the necessary abutments and appurtenances, and for the payment of salaries and wages of officers, engineers, surveyors and other subordinates, and the expense of any and all condemnation proceedings, and any land condemned in said proceedings, and the costs of any land which may be purchased for said abutments and approaches. Such Corporate Stock shall not be sold for less than par value thereof, and the moneys received from the sale of the said Corporate Stock shall be deposited in the City Treasury, and shall be drawn and paid by the Comptroller of said City of New York for the several objects and purposes provided in this ordinance, upon vouchers, in a form to be prescribed by the said Comptroller.

Sec. 4. The said bridge, when completed, shall be and become a public highway for the purpose of rendering travel between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens safe and certain at all times.

MARTIN F. CONLY, JOSEPH CASSIDY, ADAM H. LEICH, HENRY FRENCH, STEWART M. BRICE, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected having failed to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Cardani, Culkin, Delano, Downing, Dunn, Fleck, Flinn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kenney, Marks, Mathews, McCaul, McGrath, McInnes, McKeever, Muh, Neufeld, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, and the President—38.

Negative—Aldermen Burrell, Byrne, and Diemer—3.

Alderman Otten moved that the vote by which the foregoing report and ordinance was lost be reconsidered.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The paper was then, on motion of Alderman Otten, made a special order for next meeting at 2.30 o'clock.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Marks moved that Resolution No. 1340 be taken from the table.

The paper is as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Barnett Hamburger to erect, keep and maintain bay windows, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of his premises, No. 143 Avenue B, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The President pro tem. then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Fleck called up S. O. 3, being a report of the Committee on Street Cleaning, as follows:

No. 288.—(S. O. 3.)

The Committee on Street Cleaning, to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance in favor of approving the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in relation to new plant for Department of Street Cleaning, Manhattan and Bronx (Minutes of March 20, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said report and ordinance be adopted.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, HENRY GEIGER, ARMITAGE MATHEWS, JOHN J. TWOMEY, Committee on Street Cleaning.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 13, 1900 (Minutes, page 185), the annexed resolution in favor of approving action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in re new plant for Department of Street Cleaning, boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx, to be taken from appropriation for boroughs of Queens and Richmond, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the application of the sum of one hundred and forty-four thousand six hundred and forty-nine dollars (\$144,649) for the purchase of new stock and plant for the Department of Street Cleaning in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, from the proceeds of bonds issued pursuant to a resolution of this Board, concurred in by a resolution of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor April 25, 1899, said amount to be taken from the authorizations in the boroughs of Queens and Richmond, as follows:

Borough of Queens.....	\$80,000 00
Borough of Richmond.....	64,649 00
	\$144,649 00

—and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of the letter of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to this Board, dated January 23, 1900, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly, and that the attention of that Honorable Body be called to the fact that its concurrence with the foregoing resolution will enable a proper use to be made of money which would otherwise lie idle in the City Treasury, and thereby obviate the necessity for an additional issue of bonds.

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 1, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 1, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the application of the sum of one hundred and forty-four thousand six hundred and forty-nine dollars (\$144,649) for the purchase of new stock and plant for the Department of Street Cleaning, in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, from the proceeds of bonds issued pursuant to a resolution of this Board, concurred in by a resolution of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor April 25, 1899, said amount to be taken from the authorizations in the boroughs of Queens and Richmond, as follows:

Borough of Queens.....	\$80,000 00
Borough of Richmond.....	64,649 00
	\$144,649 00

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution.

ROBERT MUH, ELIAS GOODMAN, MICHAEL KENNEDY, JOHN T. McMAHON, JOSEPH GEISER, PATRICK S. KEELY, Committee on Finance.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, }
NEW YORK, May 10, 1900.

President and Members of the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—I desire to invite your attention to a resolution which is now before you and which was adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment some months ago, providing for a transfer of \$80,000 from the Bond Account of the Borough of Queens and \$64,649 from the Bond Account of the Borough of Richmond, to provide the necessary funds to supply new stock for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. The request for these transfers was made for the reason that these amounts were lying idle in Queens and Richmond and it is not now intended to use them for the purpose for which they were originally appropriated, and to avoid the expense and necessity for a direct bond issue to the amount of \$144,649 for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx it was considered in the interest of economy and good judgment to request that the two amounts named might be transferred from the boroughs of Queens and Richmond, respectively.

When this matter first came before your Body there was opposition to it manifested by the representatives from the Borough of Queens, but you will kindly note now that this objection has been withdrawn and these gentlemen have subsequently voted for the resolution.

Over four months of the year having passed, and the condition of the stock in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx badly needing replenishment, I have about concluded to withdraw the request made for these transfers, and ask for a direct bond issue to the amount of \$144,649, to purchase articles that are needed for the proper performance of the work of this Department, and the following is an itemized list of the articles that it is contemplated to purchase with this money, all of which are in my judgment absolutely necessary, namely:

NEW STOCK AND PLANT.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

200 horses, at \$210 each	\$42,000 00
150 sets cart harness, at \$25 each	3,750 00
35 sets double truck harness, at \$50 each	1,750 00
15 sets driving harness, at \$35 each	525 00
6 sets driving harness, at \$45 each	270 00
4 light wagons, at \$250 each	1,000 00
15 lap robes, at \$9 each	135 00
10 fur robes, at \$15 each	150 00
50 heavy horse blankets, at \$5 each	250 00
150 horse blankets, at \$4 each	600 00
36 driving whips, at \$2 each	72 00
12 driving whips, at \$4 each	48 00
350 steel ash carts, at \$110 each	38,500 00
30 double ash trucks, at \$300 each	9,000 00
100 paper carts, at \$105 each	10,500 00
800 canvas horse covers, at \$2.35 each	1,880 00
700 canvas cart covers at \$3.75 each	2,625 00
36 rubber horse covers at \$4 each	144 00
800 feed bags at \$0.85 each	680 00
40 storm aprons at \$3 each	120 00
800 can carriers at \$12.50 each	10,000 00
5,000 cans at \$3.95 each	19,750 00
30 bicycles at \$30 each	900 00

Total.....\$144,649 00

In conclusion I wish to state that if it is the fixed purpose of the Board of Aldermen not to concur in the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorizing these transfers, that some definite action be taken in order that I may in turn take what steps are necessary in the public interest.

Respectfully,
P. E. NAGLE, Commissioner.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected having failed to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Culin, Dowling, Dunn, Fleck, Flynn, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Holmes, Keegan, Mathews, McGrath, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Parsons, Rottman, Smith, Twomey, Wafer, Welling, Wolf, and the President—29.

Negative—Aldermen Diemer, Downing, McInnes, Velten, Wentz, and Wirth—6.

Alderman Geiger moved that the vote by which the foregoing report and resolution was lost be reconsidered.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The paper was then, on motion of Alderman Geiger, made a special order for the next meeting, at 2.30 o'clock.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Smith moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President pro tem. declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, September 25, 1900, at 1 o'clock P. M.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

NEW YORK, September 12, 1900.

A meeting of the Armory Board was held this day at 11 o'clock A. M., at the office of the Mayor.

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

The minutes of the meeting held August 24 were read and adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented requisitions from the following military organizations in the city, for supplies and repairs for and additions and alterations to their various armories as follows:

Borough of Manhattan.

Seventh Regiment, Eighth Regiment, Ninth Regiment, Twelfth Regiment, Twenty-second Regiment, Sixty-ninth Regiment, Seventy-first Regiment, Squadron "A," First Battery, Second Battery, First Signal Corps, First Naval Militia, Headquarters Naval Militia, Headquarters National Guard, New York, Headquarters Fifth Brigade.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Thirteenth Regiment, Fourteenth Regiment, Twenty-third Regiment, Forty-seventh Regiment, Troop "C," Third Battery, Second Signal Corps, Second Naval Battalion.

Borough of Queens.

Seventeenth Separate Company.

—amounting to \$281,421.31, and offered the following:

Resolved, That these requisitions be referred to a committee composed of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, and Brigadier-General McLeer, for examination and report at the next meeting of the Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The following communications were received:

One from Colonel George R. Dyer, commanding the Twelfth Regiment, N. G., N. Y., requesting the condemnation of property adjoining the armory of that organization, as an addition; and

One from Captain Charles J. Debevoise, commanding Troop "C," N. G., N. Y., making requisition for an armory for that organization.

On motion of the Mayor the following was adopted:

Resolved, That these communications be referred to a committee consisting of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies and Brigadier-General McLeer, for consideration and report to the Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

Two liens were filed with the Armory Board, by Charles Burkelman, in connection with some work done in the Seventh Regiment Armory, which the secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller.

A motion to adjourn to 11 o'clock, Wednesday, September 19, was adopted by the following vote:

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

THOMAS L. FEITNER, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week ending September 18, 1900.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
					Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
SEPTEMBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 9	30.008	29.982	29.995	29.995	30.032	0 A. M.	29.970	4 P. M.
Monday, 10	30.072	30.032	30.016	30.040	30.086	9 A. M.	30.000	0 A. M.
Tuesday, 11	29.984	29.854	29.718	29.852	30.004	0 A. M.	29.654	12 P. M.
Wednesday, 12	29.504	29.510	29.730	29.581	29.784	12 P. M.	29.470	9 A. M.
Thursday, 13	29.880	29.836	29.884	29.867	29.900	9 A. M.	29.784	0 A. M.
Friday, 14	29.928	29.892	29.960	29.927	29.984	12 P. M.	29.890	3 P. M.
Saturday, 15	30.046	29.998	29.910	29.935	30.074	9 A. M.	29.812	12 P. M.

Mean for the week.....29.892 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., September 10.....30.086 "
Minimum " at 9 A. M., September 12.....29.470 "
Range "......616 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
					Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
SEPTEMBER.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 9	71	68	85	70	74	70	76.6	69.3	85
Monday, 10	71	65	81	70	74	69	75.3	68.0	82
Tuesday, 11	76	71	84	76	81	78	80.3	75.0	88
Wednesday, 12	79	70	82	70	70	61	77.0	67.0	85
Thursday, 13	62	55	73	62	70	65	68.3	63.6	77
Friday, 14	65	61	80	69	73	69	72.6	66.3	80
Saturday, 15	61	53	71	63	67	62	66.3	59.3	71

Mean for the week.....73.8 degrees.
Maximum " at 4 P. M., 11th.....88 "
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 15th.....60 "
Range ".....28 "

Wind.

DATE.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	9 P. M. to 7 A. M.	7 A. M. to 2 P. M.	2 P. M. to 9 P. M.	Distance for the day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
SEPTEMBER.													
Sunday,	9...	NW	NNW	NW	9	23	17	49	0	0	0	¼	1 P. M.
Monday,	10...	NNE	SE	SSE	10	43	32	85	0	¼	0	½	8.50 A. M.
Tuesday,	11...	SW	SW	SSE	28	28	16	72	0	0	0	¾	9.20 A. M.
Wednesday,	12...	SW	WNW	NW	79	134	90	323	2	3¾	¾	14¾	0.30 P. M.
Thursday,	13...	WNW	WNW	SSE	44	42	23	109	0	¾	0	1	0.30 P. M.
Friday,	14...	WNW	W	W	2	10	34	46	0	0	0	1	5 P. M.
Saturday,	15...	NNE	ESE	E	45	53	45	145	¾	¾	½	1¾	9.40 A. M.

Distance traveled during the week.....809 miles.
Maximum force ".....14 1/4 pounds.

DATE.	HYGROMETER.				CLOUDS.			RAIN AND SNOW. Ozone.			
	FORCE OF VAPOR.				RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.			
SEPTEMBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday, 9	.644	.531	.679	.618	85	44	81	70	8 Cu.	2 Cir.	0
Monday, 10	.537	.585	.641	.587	71	55	76	67	2 Cir.	0	0
Tuesday, 11	.691	.789	.918	.799	77	67	87	77	8 Cu.	10	8 Cu.
Wednesday, 12	.612	.572	.416	.533	62	52	57	57	4 Cir. Cu.	1 Cir.	1 Cir.
Thursday, 13	.340	.409	.550	.433	61	50	75	62	0	3 Cir.	0
Friday, 14	.483	.561	.655	.566	78	55	80	71	0	2 Cir.	0
Saturday, 15	.297	.469	.489	.418	55	62	74	63	0	8 Cu.	10

Total amount of water for the week......36 inch.
Duration for the week.....3 hours and 15 minutes.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.
Sunday, Sept. 9	Calm, hazy.....	Warm, pleasant.....
Monday, " 10	Warm, pleasant.....	Warm, pleasant.....
Tuesday, " 11	Close, hazy.....	Close, hazy.....
Wednesday, " 12	Warm, pleasant breeze.....	Warm, clear.....
Thursday, " 13	Mild, pleasant.....	Mild, pleasant.....
Friday, " 14	Mild, pleasant.....	Close, hazy.....
Saturday, " 15	Mild, pleasant.....	Mild, cloudy.....

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending
August 4, 1900:

Deposited in the City Treasury.	
To the Credit of the City Treasury.....	\$1,794,213 84
" Sinking Fund.....	532,803 78
Total	\$2,327,017 62

Bonds Issued.	
3½ per cent. Bonds.....	\$1,002,500 00
3½ per cent. Bonds.....	200,000 00
Total	\$1,202,500 00

Warrants Registered for Payment.	
Appropriation Accounts, "A" warrants.....	\$271,979 37
Special and Trust Accounts, "B" warrants.....	274,936 47
Additional Water Fund, "C" warrants.....	1,627 81
Total.....	\$548,543 65

Summary Statement of the Bonded Indebtedness of The City of New York on July 31, 1900, as Recorded on the Books of the Department of Finance.

	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 1899.	ISSUED AND RECORDED.	REDEEMED.	AMOUNTS HELD AS INVESTMENTS BY THE SINKING FUNDS.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING JULY 31, 1900.
I. FUNDED DEBT.					
A.—FUNDED DEBT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS NOW CONSTITUTED, ISSUED SUBSEQUENT TO JANUARY 1, 1898.					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 206 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.....	\$41,293,838 92	\$14,161,856 14	.....	\$17,301,111 48	\$55,455,695 06
(2) Payable from the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 10, article 8 of the Constitution of the State of New York, and section 208 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.....	6,899,343 00	1,850,000 00	.....	1,929,343 00	8,749,343 00
(3) Payable from Taxation.....	3,179,311 35	2,921,128 49	.....	6,091,439 84	6,091,439 84
(4) Payable from Assessments.....	929,938 73	17,185 35	.....	447,124 08	947,124 08
(5) Payable from the Rapid Transit Sinking Fund, under the provisions of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, as amended.....	.....	1,000,000 00	.....	.....	1,000,000 00
B.—FUNDED DEBT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.					
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.					
City of New York.					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (First Lien), under Ordinances of the Common Council.....	1,827,300 00	.....	.....	.....	1,827,300 00
(2) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (Second Lien), under the provisions of section 213 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.....	9,700,000 00	.....	.....	.....	9,700,000 00
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, under the provisions of section 229 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.....	108,451,658 75	.....	.....	43,878,397 48	108,451,658 75
(4) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, under the provisions of section 1 of chapter 79 of the Laws of 1889.....	9,823,100 00	.....	.....	466,100 00	9,823,100 00
(5) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 2, under the provisions of the Constitutional Amendment adopted November 4, 1884, and of section 10, article 8 of the Constitution of the State of New York.....	41,977,000 00	.....	.....	15,830,000 00	41,977,000 00
(6) Payable from Taxation.....	25,911,250 00	.....	\$21 000 00	10,225,350 00	25,890,250 00
(7) Payable from Assessments.....	9,332,536 21	.....	.....	9,132,536 21	9,332,536 21
County of New York.					
(8) Payable from Taxation.....	9,379,200 00	.....	.....	156,100 00	9,379,200 00
C.—FUNDED DEBTS OF CORPORATIONS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, INCLUDING KINGS COUNTY, ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.					
City of Brooklyn, Including Annexed Towns.					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 482 of the Laws of 1860, and amendments thereof.....	8,697,000 00	.....	.....	.....	8,697,000 00
(2) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 572 of the Laws of 1880, and chapter 443 of the Laws of 1881.....	2,350,000 00	.....	.....	150,000 00	2,350,000 00
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 648 of the Laws of 1895.....	7,065,567 41	.....	.....	1,227,500 00	7,065,567 41
(4) Payable from Water Sinking Fund of The City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 396 of the Laws of 1859, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.....	14,132,744 76	.....	29,000 00	941,394 76	14,103,749 76
(5) Payable from Taxation.....	24,705,172 93	.....	176,283 00	3,638,100 93	24,528,884 93
(6) Payable from Assessments.....	6,422,343 00	27,000 00	2,520 00	529,000 00	6,446,823 00
County of Kings.					
(7) Payable from Taxation.....	14,307,392 83	.....	505,000 00	.....	13,802,392 83
D.—FUNDED DEBTS OF CORPORATIONS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, INCLUDING THE PROPORTION OF THE DEBT OF THE COUNTY OF QUEENS IMPOSED UPON THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.					
Corporations other than Queens County.					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds, under the provisions of chapter 782 of the Laws of 1895.....	330,500 00	350,000 00	20,500 00	300,000 00	660,000 00
(2) Payable from Sinking Fund under the provisions of chapter 122 of the Laws of 1894.....	35,000 00	.....	.....	.....	35,000 00
(2½) Payable from the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Water Bonds, chapter 759 of the Laws of 1895.....	.....	19,000 00	.....	19,000 00	19,000 00
(3) Payable from Water Revenue.....	735,000 00	.....	11,000 00	.....	724,000 00
(4) Payable from Taxation.....	6,325,483 35	137,000 00	47,616 67	.....	6,414,866 68
(5) Payable from Assessments.....	1,341,234 17	3,500 00	6,441 81	11,000 00	1,338,292 36
County of Queens.					
(6) Payable from Taxation (amount to be borne by The City of New York).....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
E.—FUNDED DEBTS OF CORPORATIONS IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, INCLUDING RICHMOND COUNTY, ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.					
Corporations other than Richmond County.					
(1) Payable from Taxation.....	1,238,386 70	1,000 00	15,271 60	.....	1,224,115 10
County of Richmond.					
(2) Payable from Taxation.....	1,723,000 00	.....	68,000 00	.....	1,655,000 00
Total Funded Debt.....	\$358,104,307 11	\$20,487,669 98	\$902,638 08	\$112,273,557 78	\$377,689,339 01
II. TEMPORARY DEBT.					
Issued in anticipation of Taxes of 1899.....	7,600 00	.....	7,600 00	.....	.....
Issued in anticipation of Taxes of 1900.....	.....	36,355,600 00	.....	2,000,000 00	36,355,600 00
Total Bonded Debt.....	\$358,111,907 11	\$56,843,269 98	\$910,238 08	\$114,273,557 78	\$414,044,939 01

SUMMARY.

Total gross funded debt.....	\$377,689,339 01
Less amounts held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:	
For account of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1 (Exclusive of Revenue Bonds of 1900).....	\$83,618,403 91
For account of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 2.....	19,771,739 56
For account of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	1,048,027 90
For account of the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	300,000 00
For account of the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	6,955,386 41
For account of the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds.....	330,000 00
For account of the Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn.....	250,000 00
	112,273,557 78
Net Funded Debt.....	\$265,415,781 23
Revenue Bonds.....	36,355,600 00
Net Bonded Debt.....	\$301,771,381 23

In addition to the foregoing, there are bonds outstanding, of various corporations, now wholly or partly included in The City of New York, as follows:

Bonds which have been approved as to legality, but which have not yet been presented for registration in the books of the Department.....	\$3,164 89
Bonds which have not yet been approved as to legality.....	101,000 00
Proportion of bonds of the County of Queens, outstanding December 31, 1899, imposed upon The City of New York by the judgment of the Supreme Court, Third Department (now under appeal), less amount on account of deduction of \$20,300 in valuation of Flushing.....	3,810,227 21

The amount of the outstanding bonds of School Districts in the Town of Hempstead which are partly within The City of New York, which will be chargeable to The City of New York, has not yet been judicially determined.

Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, etc.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF SUIT.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme, Kings.	Carsten Offerman vs. The City of New York.	\$4,439 14	Copy summons and complaint. To recover the sum of \$4,439.14 for breach of contract on the part of The City of New York.	Zurn & Bogenschutz.
Supreme.	In the matter of the application of Thomas S. Bassford to have determined and enforced a lien for legal services rendered to Frederick Kracke in the matter of acquiring title to East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.	2,350 50	Order to show cause, August 2, 1900, why an order should not be made directing payment to Thomas S. Bassford or his attorney the sum of \$2,350.50 and the balance to Frederick Kracke.	Miller, Decker & Miller.
"	Charles Shirley vs. James W. Power, the defendant, James W. Power, from collecting the sum of \$95,000 awarded by the Commissioners of Estimate for certain lands taken in proceedings to acquire lands for an addition to Riverside Park in The City of New York.	95,000 00	Copy summons and complaint. To restrain the defendant, James W. Power, from collecting the sum of \$95,000 awarded by the Commissioners of Estimate for certain lands taken in proceedings to acquire lands for an addition to Riverside Park in The City of New York.	James Burke, Jr.
Supreme, Queens.	Abraham Van Sien and James Van Sien vs. The City of New York.	2,850 00	Certified copy judgment that the defendant be restrained from further maintaining the obstruction in Lincoln avenue in front of the premises of these plaintiffs, and that the plaintiff, Abraham Van Sien, recover of defendant the sum of \$2,850.	F. H. Field.
Supreme, Kings.	The People of the State of New York on relation of George C. Synder vs. Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller.	50 00	Copy order denying motion for a peremptory writ of mandamus, and that the Comptroller pay to the attorney for relator the sum of \$50, costs of this action.	Fullerton Wells.
"	The People of the State of New York on relation of William C. Sterrett vs. Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller.	50 00	Copy order denying motion for a peremptory writ of mandamus, and that the Comptroller pay to the attorney for relator the sum of \$50, costs of this action.	"
"	The People of the State of New York on relation of Joseph O'Brien vs. Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller.	50 00	Copy order denying motion for a peremptory writ of mandamus, and that the Comptroller pay to the attorney for relator the sum of \$50, costs of this action.	"
Supreme.	In the matter of the application of the Kensington Construction Company for an order continuing a lien for the sum of \$704 against contract between John F. Johnson and the Board of Education of The City of New York.	704 00	Certified copy order continuing said lien for a period of six months.	William F. Kimber.
"	The People of the State of New York on relation of Cornelia P. Irwin vs. Thomas L. Feitner et al., Commissioners of Taxes.		Certified copy decree reducing the assessment upon the real property of relator for the year 1899.	Putney & Bishop.
"	Alexander S. Fisher vs. Adelaide A. Vesende et al.		Copy summons and complaint. To foreclose a lien on a mortgage upon property situated on the easterly side of Perot street, near Sedgwick avenue, Borough of The Bronx.	Seth S. Terry.
Supreme, Kings.	Edwin Welch, by his guardian ad litem vs. The City of New York.	2,000 00	Copy summons and complaint. To recover the sum of \$2,000 damages for personal injuries received by said Edwin Welch, caused by having his thumb crushed in the iron gate at the entrance to the bridge over Newtown Creek.	Zurn & Bogenschutz.
Supreme.	William B. Davenport, Public Administrator of Kings County, vs. The City of New York.	4,000 00	Certified copy judgment that plaintiff recover of defendant the sum of \$4,000.	Niles & Johnson.
"	In the matter of the application of Bernard Brindze to secure an order for the continuance of a mechanic's lien.		Order that the lien of Bernard Brindze upon the funds now in the hands of Bird S. Coler applicable to the construction of a public bath-house on the north side of Rivington street be continued for a period of six months.	Nathan Bijur.
Supreme, Queens.	Conrad Schaefer vs. The City of New York.	688 00	Copy summons and complaint. To recover the sum of \$688, being the difference between the wages paid claimant and what he should have received under the prevailing rate.	John J. Gleason.
"	William Hobby vs. The City of New York.	1,271 00	Copy summons and complaint. To recover the sum of \$1,271, being the difference between the wages paid claimant and what he should have received under the prevailing rate.	"
Supreme.	The People of the State of New York on relation of Eugene Lenthion vs. Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller.	16,919 81	Copy affidavit and order to show cause, August 8, 1900, why a peremptory writ of mandamus should not issue commanding Bird S. Coler to issue a warrant for the sum of \$16,919.81, amount earned under contract for the removal of the Forty-second Street Reservoir, etc.	Kellogg & Rose.
"			Certified copies orders commanding Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller, to forthwith audit and pay the amount of the judgments obtained by the following-named plaintiffs:	William J. Walsh.
	John Corcoran.	961 50		"
	John McCarthy.	149 05		"
	Eugene E. Mandeville.	205 50		"
	Philip Hartung.	415 50		"
	Bernard Stields.	1,000 00		"
	Albert J. Schmid.	54 25		"
	Thomas S. Ham.	555 44		"
	Patrick O'Brien.	885 85		"
	James Dunn.	264 00		"
	James Brennan.	961 50		"
	Robert Swift.	1,003 00		"
	James W. Dorney.	213 72		"
	Patrick J. Clarke.	174 50		"
	William J. Butler.	404 50		"
	James Farnham.	951 50		"
	James McCabe.	427 50		"
	Patrick Clancy.	351 00		"
	Michael Fitzpatrick.	347 00		"
	Matthew Courtney.	961 50		"
	Frederick Rotzler.	489 00		"
	John F. Canning.	289 50		"
	Thomas Maloney.	1,950 00		"
"	In the matter of the application of the New York Security and Trust Company and Jennie P. Childs, as substituted trustees, etc., for payment of an award in proceedings to extend Webster avenue.	1,384 12	Certified copy order directing the Comptroller to pay into Court the sum of \$1,384.12, amount awarded for damage Parcel No. 13.	Hawkins & DeLafield.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF SUIT.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme.	Robert J. O'Hara.... Frank E. Crosby.... Patrick Garrahan.... Frank M. Commer.... Thomas F. Brady.... Michael O'Hearn....	\$430 00 255 00 512 00 447 00 1,572 50 214 32	Certified copies orders directing Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller, to pay the amount of judgments obtained by the following-named relators:	Thomas W. Burke.
"	James F. Bacon vs. Bird S. Coler, as Comptroller.	291 23	Certified copy order that a peremptory writ of mandamus issue commanding Bird S. Coler to pay unto relator, or his attorney, the sum of \$291.23, amount of judgment.	Robert H. Haskell.
"	In the matter of the application of Frank L. Froment and another for an order continuing a lien against contract between John F. Johnson and The City of New York.		Certified copy order continuing said lien for a period of sixty days from August 1, 1900.	Robert J. Mahon.
"	In the matter of the application of Adolph Lanowitz and another, for an order continuing a lien against contract between the Maps-Reeve Construction Company and The City of New York for the construction of a building for Engine 4.		Certified copy order continuing said lien for a period of six months.	Phillips & Avery.
"	Francis W. Eagan.		Notice to commence an action in the Supreme Court to partition certain property on Irving place.	P. Tillinghast.
General Sessions.	The People of the State of New York ex rel. John W. Keller, Commissioner of Public Charities, etc., vs. Max Freedman.		Certified copy or order of reversal. Transcript of judgment, as follows:	Jacob Rieger.
Supreme, Queens.	Harry G. Hyson.... John Lawlor, No. 1.... John Lawlor, No. 2.... John Lawlor, No. 3....	235 14 723 01 213 72 213 29		Fredk. L. Gilbert. Thomas P. Burke. "
"	Jamaica Water Supply Company.	1,365 15		F. H. Van Vechten.
Supreme.	William H. Powell, assignee.	41 59		Charles C. Miller.
"	Oscar Compton.... William B. Davenport, Public Administrator, etc.	61 01 4,000 00		Alex. Campbell. Niles & Johnson.

Claims Filed.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1900, July 30	Richmond County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.	\$4,933 74	For board of destitute children furnished by said Society at request of the County of Richmond.	Howard R. Bayne.
" 30	New York and New Jersey Gas-light Company.	459 78	For furnishing materials, care of and lighting 100 Welsbach lamps in the Village of Rockaway Beach, from July 28, 1897, to August 31, 1897.	
" 30			For the refund of certain assessments paid by the following-named claimants for the repaving of various streets and avenues:	
	William J. and Joseph H. Turl.	924 64		John C. Shaw.
	Central Railroad Company of New Jersey.	1,494 50		"
	William J. and Joseph H. Turl.	726 40		"
	Henry Breunich.	55 50		"
	Eppens, Smith & Wieman Company.	554 45		"
	Eppens, Smith & Wieman Company.	466 20		"
	Palst Brewing Company.	729 80		"
	John W. Castree, trustee.	659 40		"
	Adolph Nutzhorn and another.	4 85		"
	Julius Raynor.	119 70		"
	Henry Gerdes.	2,132 92		"
	Gustave E. Schloss and another.	418 40		"
	Julius Raynor.	380 00		"
	Jane Raynor.	647 72		"
	Mary A. Lockman.	571 58		"
	Frank V. McAllister.	176 07		"
	Lemuel Skidmore.	39 08		"
	Paul Hoffmann.	16 50		"
	John W. Castree, trustee.	211 20		"
	John W. Castree, trustee.	1,767 40		"
	Stephen McDonald.	890 70		"
	Charles H. Jewett, executor.	9 85		"
	Charles H. Jewett, executor.	595 70		"
" 30		475 35	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	
	Edward Nathan.	28 87		W. L. Morehouse.
	John Tucker.	22 56		"
	John McKelvey.	17 23		"
	John Leahy.	24 81		"
	George Simon.	29 27		"
	William Andrew.	19 87		"
	Thomas H. Rogers.	16 63		"
" 30	Anna M. Dean.	3,793 46	Amount of interest from May 12, 1899, to January 31, 1900, upon an award of \$87,412.47 allowed to claimant by the Commissioners of Estimate in the matter of opening Colonial Park.	Clark B. Augustine.
" 31			To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	
	George F. Brewer.	450 00		W. J. Walsh.
" 31	Thomas Deeks.	10,000 00	Damages because of a fall received by his son at the terminus of Bond street.	Towns & McCrossin
" 31	John J. Madden, as administrator, etc.		For the refund of certain assessments paid by the following-named claimants for the repaving of various streets and avenues:	
	Joseph McDonald.	653 00		John C. Shaw.
	James C. McAndrew.	614 75		"
	Benjamin Parr, executor.	183 51		"
	Henry Breunich.	395 20		"
	Benjamin Parr, executor.	647 50		"
		641 85		"

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.	DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1900. July 31	.....	.....	For the refund of certain assessments paid by the following-named claimants for the repaving of various streets and avenues:	John C. Shaw.	1900. Aug. 2	.....	.....	For the refund of certain assessments paid by the following-named claimants for the repaving of various streets and avenues:	John C. Shaw.
	John Steinberger, Jr.	\$187 05	.....	"		New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Co.	\$1,148 85	.....	"
	Joseph McDonald	48 21	.....	"		Mary E. Kelaher	77 22	.....	"
	John G. H. Ahrens	492 45	.....	"		James W. Pringle and another	503 24	.....	"
	James W. Pringle and another	390 55	.....	"		George F. Blatt	169 45	.....	"
Aug. 1	Hawke & Flannery, attorneys for Ludwig Taussig.	4,861 32	Amount of an award made to claimant for Parcel No. 33, in proceedings to acquire title to Concord avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-first to Kelly street, in The City of New York.	Hawke & Flannery.		Daniel J. Murphy	107 75	.....	"
" 1	J. M. Kellogg	12 00	For services rendered as Commissioner in the matter of Henry S. Story, to lay out a highway in the Town of Newtown, and the assessment of damages therefor.	"		James J. Trainor	637 80	.....	"
" 1	Henry C. Holt	1,218 00	For salary as a Bath Attendant in the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, from June 11, 1898, to July 22, 1899.	Mayer & Gilbert.		James G. Powers	428 16	.....	"
" 1	Denis Byrne	1,233 00	For salary as a Bath Attendant in the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, from June 6, 1898, to July 22, 1899.	"		Eliza L. Edgar	282 85	.....	"
" 1	George S. Gilfillan	1,272 00	For salary as a Bath Attendant in the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, from May 23, 1898, to July 22, 1899.	"	" 3	Katherine Kerr et al., executors	1,150 85	.....	"
" 1	Gustav Kirchner	2,000 00	Damages because of the appropriation of a portion of claimant's premises by Long Island City for a public highway, known as Kouwenhoven street.	"		Frederick R. Newbold, executor	1,367 20	.....	"
" 2	Astoria Homestead Co.	100 00	For rent of Fire-house No. 354 and 356, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, for the month of July, 1900.	J. Levy.	" 3	Frederick R. Newbold, executor	983 35	.....	"
" 2	McKesson & Robbins	3,500 05	For damage to merchandise caused by break in water-main on February 4, 1900.	Foster & Foster.	" 4	William Ryan	55 03	.....	"
							654 00	For salary as Dock Builder in the Dock Department of The City of New York, from May 3, 1898, to January 11, 1899, during which time he served in the United States Navy in the Spanish-American War.	Andrew Byrne.
					" 4	John F. Duffy	250 00	Being the difference between the wages paid claimant and what he should have received under the prevailing rate.	Hylan & Underhill
					" 4	Delia I. Donhee	1,220 14	Being the interest on an award of \$36,974.23 for the taking of parcels Nos. 66 to 71 in proceedings relative to the taking of certain lands in the Twelfth Ward for a public park.	Vincent P. Donhee
					" 4	Patrick J. Connolly	506 93	Being the difference between the wages paid claimant and what he should have received under the prevailing rate.	Wilson & Van Wagener.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 4, 1900.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	BOROUGH.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
2529	July 23, 1900	Sewers.....	Manhattan	Mutual Contracting Company	American Surety Company of New York..... Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	\$1,700 00	For the construction of sewer in Eighty-fourth street, between East End avenue and East river, Borough of Manhattan	\$1,645 00
2530	June 28, "	Parks	Manhattan and Richmond	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	5,000 00	For laying gutters of rock asphalt, with concrete base, and other work, in a portion of the drives of Central Park, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York	8,039 50
2531	July 19, "	Highways.....	Manhattan.....	The Abbott-Gamble Contracting Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	2,000 00	For regulating and paving with asphalt block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of West One Hundred and Forty-sixth (146) street, from Convent avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, Borough of Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto	5,244 70
2532	" 19, "	"	"	The Abbott-Gamble Contracting Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	3,000 00	For regulating and paving with asphalt-block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth (124) street, from Boulevard to Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto	9,961 55
2533	" 12, "	Fire.....	Manhattan and The Bronx	John Mooney	Louis Schortemier	6,000 00	For furnishing and delivering 600,000 pounds No. 1 hay, 125,000 pounds No. 1 rye straw, 480,000 pounds No. 2 white clipped oats, 40,000 pounds sweet bran, for the Fire Department, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	12,542 50
2534	" 11, "	Education	Manhattan and The Bronx	William Werner & Co.	National Surety Company	2,350 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools 57 and 83, Borough of Manhattan	2,320 00
2535	" 11, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	"	"	3,200 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 78, Borough of Manhattan	3,200 00
2536	" 17, "	Public Charities.....	Brooklyn and Queens	Daniel J. Ryan	James Devlin	4,650 00	For materials and work required for the erection and completion of a new idiot pavilion, to be built 50 feet east of the present one, for the Kings County Hospital, on Clarkson avenue, Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, for the Department of Public Charities	9,300 00
2537	" 16, "	"	Brooklyn and Queens	Thomas G. Carlin	Nicholas Ryan	16,000 00	For materials and work required for the erection and completion of a nurses' home for the Kings County Hospital, on Clarkson avenue, Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, for the Department of Public Charities	32,000 00
2538	" 16, "	"	Brooklyn and Queens	"	Nicholas Ryan	8,000 00	For work and materials required in the alterations, remodeling and completion of the toilets and laboratories for the Almshouse for Males and Females, situated on Clarkson avenue, Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, for the Department of Public Charities	16,169 00
2539	" 12, "	"	Brooklyn and Queens	Charles O. Johnson	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	10,700 00	For work and materials required for an addition and alterations to the Consumptive Building at the Kings County Hospital, situated on Clarkson avenue, Twenty-ninth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, for the Department of Public Charities	21,397 00
2540	" 12, "	Education	Manhattan and The Bronx	American School Furniture Company	American Surety Company of New York	1,980 00	For supplying furniture, Item 5, for New Public School 175, Borough of The Bronx	1,980 00
2541	" 11, "	"	Brooklyn	Alfred Nugent and John P. Nugent, composing the firm of Alfred Nugent & Son	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	155,790 00	For materials and work for New Public School 123, to be erected on the easterly side of Irving avenue, between Suydam street and Willoughby avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City	155,790 00
2542	" 13, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	E. J. Johnson, doing business under firm name of E. J. Johnson & Co.	American Surety Company of New York	3,734 50	For supplying furniture, Item 5, for New Public School 168, Borough of Manhattan	3,734 50
2543	" 13, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	E. J. Johnson, doing business under firm name of E. J. Johnson & Co.	American Surety Company of New York	644 90	For supplying furniture, Item 2, for new addition to Public School 5, Borough of Manhattan	644 90
2544	" 19, "	Hghways.....	Brooklyn.....	Cranford & Co.	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	2,700 00	For regulating, grading and paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Newkirk avenue, from Flatbush avenue to East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto	8,664 70
2545	" 19, "	"	"	"	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	8,000 00	For regulating, grading and paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Vernon avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Rogers avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto	27,311 75
2546	" 19, "	"	"	Cranford Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	2,000 00	For regulating, grading and paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Schenck avenue, from Livonia avenue to New Lots avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto	5,350 60
2547	" 19, "	"	"	"	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	25,000 00	For regulating, grading and paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Watkins street, from East New York avenue to New Lots road, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto	85,534 65
2548	" 19, "	"	"	Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	4,000 00	For regulating and paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Willoughby avenue, from Bedford avenue to Nostrand avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto	14,108 70
2549	" 19, "	"	"	Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	2,000 00	For regulating and paving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of President street, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue, together with all work incidental thereto	7,219 60
2550	" 17, "	"	"	Henry Newman and Matthew T. Meagher, composing the firm of Newman & Co.	Michael Levy	5,000 00	For regulating and paving with granite-block pavement the roadway of Knickerbocker avenue, from Johnson avenue to Harrison place, and from Flushing avenue to Thames street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto	12,554 50

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	BOROUGH.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
2551	July 19, 1900	Parks	Manhattan	Mutual Contracting Company	American Surety Company of New York Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	\$1,000 00	For excavating, refilling and repairing after same, so far as herein specified, trenches for sewer connections from the new east wing and extension of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, in Central Park, to the sewer on the east side of Fifth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.....Total	\$1,089 00
2552	" 13, "	"	The Bronx	Wm. H. Wright & Son, Wm. H. Wright and Wilbur T. Wright, composing above firm	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,500 00	For furnishing all labor and all materials for constructing a shelter pavilion in the New York Zoological Park, in Bronx Park, in the City of New York.....Total	3,800 00
2553	" 16, "	Highways	Manhattan	The Hastings Pavement Company	American Surety Company of New York Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	2,000 00	For regulating and paving with asphalt block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of West Seventy-sixth (76) street, from West End avenue to Riverside drive, Borough of Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto.....Estimate	6,257 95
2554	" 16, "	"	"	The Hastings Pavement Company	American Surety Company of New York Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	2,500 00	For regulating and paving with asphalt block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of West One Hundred and Thirty-first (131) street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway (old), Borough of Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto.....Estimate	6,170 56
2555	" 16, "	"	"	The Hastings Pavement Company	American Surety Company of New York Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	3,500 00	For regulating and paving with asphalt block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of West Fifty-fifth (55) street, from Seventh avenue to Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto.....Estimate	9,556 85
2556	" 16, "	"	"	The Hastings Pavement Company	American Surety Company of New York Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	4,000 00	For regulating and paving with asphalt block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of West Fifty-seventh (57) street, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan, together with all work incidental thereto.....Estimate	13,034 30
2557	" 17, "	"	Brooklyn	Henry Newman and Matthew T. Meagher, composing the firm of Newman & Co.	Michael Levy Nathan May	1,200 00	For regulating, grading and paving with granite block pavement on a sand foundation Centre street, from Hamilton avenue to Clinton street, Borough of Brooklyn.....Estimate	4,074 35
2558	May 25, "	Education	Manhattan and The Bronx	C. Roehr & Sons	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	931 00	For supplying furniture, Item 2, for new Public School 174, Borough of Manhattan.....Total	931 00
2559	July 13, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	The Manhattan Supply Company	James S. Barron and William H. Barron, \$900..... Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, \$879.72.....	.....	For supplying furniture, Item 1, for new addition to Public School 5, Borough of Manhattan.....Total	879 72
2560	" 13, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	The Manhattan Supply Company	James S. Barron and William H. Barron, \$1,500..... Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, \$1,338.53.....	.....	For supplying furniture, Item 1 for new Public School 175, Borough of The Bronx.....Total	1,338 53
2561	" 24, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	C. Roehr & Sons	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,521 50	For supplying furniture, Items 2 and 6, for new Public School 175, Borough of The Bronx.....Total	1,521 50
2562	" 13, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	The Manhattan Supply Company	James S. Barron and William H. Barron, \$3,400..... Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, \$3,399 28.....	.....	For supplying furniture, Item 1, for new Public Schools 119 and 168, Borough of Manhattan.....Total	3,399 28
2563	" 25, "	"	Richmond	Philips, Doup & Co.	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	5,079 00	For alterations and repairs to heating apparatus at Public School 13, Borough of Richmond.....Total	5,079 00
2564	" 24, "	"	"	Ph. Wolff and Charles L. Wolff, composing the firm of Ph. Wolff & Son	The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City	6,158 00	For fitting up new class-rooms in Public School 20, Borough of Richmond.....Total	6,158 00
2565	" 23, "	"	Brooklyn	Narragansett Machine Company	American Surety Company of New York	340 00	For supplying furniture, Item 4, New Public School 133, Borough of Brooklyn.....Total	340 00
2566	" 12, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	J. G. Wilson	National Surety Company	1,510 00	For supplying furniture, Item 3, for New Public School 168, Borough of Manhattan.....Total	1,510 00
2567	" 24, "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	C. Roehr & Sons	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	255 00	For supplying furniture, Item 6, for New Public Schools 119 and 168, Borough of Manhattan.....Total	255 00
2568	" 27, "	Fire	Manhattan	Daniel J. Donovan and James J. Donovan, composing the firm of Donovan Bros.	John McQuade Peter McGuinness	750 00	For the alterations of plumbing work of Hook and Ladder Company 22, at No. 766 Amsterdam avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.....Total	1,650 00
2569	" 26, "	Public Charities	Manhattan and The Bronx	James Fay	The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City National Surety Company	1,536 00	For furnishing labor and materials for construction of new Terrozio floors and metal ceilings in four rooms in South Pavilion, two floors in North Pavilion, two floors in R and S, one in L and M and for plumbing in Wards L and M, R and S, North and South Pavilions, Almshouse, Blackwell's Island, for the Department of Public Charities, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....Total	3,072 00
2570	" 31, "	Sewers (Bond)	Brooklyn	James H. Holmes	Arthur A. Quinn	325 00	For constructing receiving-basins on Schenck avenue, all four corners of Livonia avenue and the northwest corner of New Lots avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....Estimate	450 00
2571	" 31, "	"	"	"	"	325 00	For constructing receiving-basins on Schenck avenue, southwest corner of Pitkin avenue, and all four corners of Dumont avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....Estimate	450 00
2572	" 31, "	"	"	"	"	360 00	For constructing sewer-basins at the northwest and southwest corners of Dobbin street and Nassau avenue, and at the northwest, southwest and southeast corners of Guernsey street and Nassau avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....Estimate	450 00
2573	" 31, "	"	"	"	"	290 00	For constructing sewer-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of Banker street and Nassau avenue, and at the northwest and southwest corners of North Fifteenth street and Nassau avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....Estimate	360 00
2574	" 31, "	"	"	"	"	65 00	For constructing a sewer-basin at the northwest corner of Berry street and North Fourteenth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....Estimate	90 00
2575	" 31, "	"	"	"	"	200 00	For constructing receiving-basins at the northeast and northwest corners of Avenue D and East Eighth street, and northwest corner of Coney Island avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....Estimate	285 00
2576	" 31, "	"	"	"	"	200 00	For constructing receiving-basins on the southwest corner of Granite street and Evergreen avenue, also two side basins west of Evergreen avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....Estimate	270 00

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

1900.

- July 30. For furnishing hay, straw, etc., Borough of Manhattan—For Fire Department.
A. & C. Ferguson, No. 40 Grand street, Brooklyn, Principals.
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland,
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
- July 30. For repairing fire-boat "The New Yorker"—For Fire Department.
Brown & Miller, Jersey City, N. J., Principals.
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland,
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
- July 30. For alterations and repairs for Hook and Ladder 22, Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan—For Fire Department.
Thomas B. Leahy, No. 350 West Thirty-first street, Principal.
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland,
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
- August 1. For altering "Annex Pavilion," Willard Parker Hospital, Borough of Manhattan—For the Board of Health.
Charles Wille, Woodside, Queens, Principal.
National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway,
The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City, } Sureties.
- August 2. For building a bridge over Newtown creek, at Grand street, Borough of Brooklyn—For Department of Bridges.
Bernard Rolf, No. 39 Cortlandt street, Principal.
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland,
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, } Sureties.

1900.

- August 3. For keeping in repair five years roads at Bellevue.
Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company, No. 1 Broadway, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway,
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.
- August 3. For paving blocks—For Department of Highways.
Harris & Maguire, No. 485 Flatbush avenue, Principals.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway,
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.
- August 3. For trap-rock—For Department of Highways.
W. R. Smith, Guttenburg, N. J., Principal.
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland,
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
- August 3. For building a viaduct over Ninety-sixth street and Riverside drive—For Department of Parks.
A. G. Gildersleeve, No. 215 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Principal.
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland,
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.
- August 3. For regulating and grading park bounded by One Hundred and Eleventh street and One Hundred and Fourteenth street and First avenue and East river—For Department of Parks.
David Crimmins, No. 252 East Sixty-first street, Principal.
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway,
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following departments, viz.:

1900.
August 2. For miscellaneous articles for the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn—For Department of Correction.
August 2. For furnishing and delivering lumber in the Borough of Manhattan—For Department of Parks.

Official Designations.

Michael T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller from Monday, July 30, to Saturday, August 4, 1900, both days inclusive.
Edgar J. Levey, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller on Wednesday, August 1, 1900.
Edgar J. Levey, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller from Monday, August 6, to Saturday, August 11, 1900, both days inclusive.

Appointed.

Adam J. Strittmatter, No. 771 Forest avenue, New York, Deputy City Paymaster, Borough of The Bronx, with compensation at the rate of \$2,000 per annum.

Designation of Compensation.

Frederick A. Bishop, Assistant Accountant, Department of Finance, at the rate of \$1,600 per annum.

Transferred.

John A. Hamilton, Deputy City Paymaster, from Borough of The Bronx to the Borough of Richmond.

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM AUGUST 27 TO SEPTEMBER 1, 1900, INCLUSIVE.

AUGUST 27, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From Fire Marshal—Boroughs Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.
Report of transactions of Bureau for week ending the 25th instant.
From the Chief of Department—
1. Recommending that application be made to the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list for promotion of 8 Assistant Foremen to Foremen, 24 Firemen 1st grade to Assistant Foremen and 70 individuals as Probationary Firemen. Recommendation approved.
2. Recommending that Fireman 1st grade John J. Rush, of Engine 19, and Engineer of Steamer C. Nichols, Jr., of Engine 123, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, be ordered before the Medical Officers for said boroughs, with a view to determine their fitness to continue longer in the service of the Department. Recommendation approved.
3. Recommending that the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, be requested to discontinue the legal proceedings instituted against persons in charge of premises No. 2 West Ninety-fourth street and No. 2 West Ninety-eighth street for failure to provide telegraphic communication, as provided by section 762 of the Charter, for the reason that they have entered into a contract to provide the same. Recommendation approved.
4. Respecting the complaint of F. Humphrey, Franklin avenue, Parkville, Borough of Brooklyn, who failed to appear and substantiate his charge against Fireman 1st grade Joseph F. Campbell, Engine 150, recommending that the complaint be ordered on file. Recommendation approved.
From the Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables—Reporting death of the following horses.
17th instant, horse No. 1109.
18th instant, horse No. 961.
22d instant, horse No. 1281.
23d instant, horse No. 852.
From the Foreman, Engine 118, detailed as Acting Chief, Twenty-fifth Battalion—Reporting death of Foreman Matthew Fohey, Engine 113, Borough of Brooklyn, on the 24th instant. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.
From Fireman 1st grade William A. Sweeney, Engine 109;
" Matthew Lynch, Engine 111;
" Patrick Striffler, Engine 116;
" Hans J. Fallesen, Engine 118;
" Albert Faubel, Hook and Ladder 57;
—waiving certification to the position of Engineer of Steamer in the Borough of Manhattan. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

Referred.

From the Fire Marshal—Respecting defective chimney flue, No. 7 East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, and No. 256 Monroe street. Referred back with instructions to cause the necessary work to be ordered done.
From the Foreman of Engine 3, detailed to Engine 13—Reporting violation of section 93, Building Code, premises Nos. 46 to 50 Wooster street. To the Department of Buildings.
From the Assistant Foreman, Engine 21—Reporting chimney fire, 24th instant, No. 661 First avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.
From the Foreman of Hook and Ladder 17—Reporting chimney fire, No. 368 Alexander avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.
From George W. Lewis—Reporting a leaking fire-hydrant in front of premises No. 144 Lenox avenue. To the Department of Water Supply.
From M. Brummundt—Reporting crowded fire-escapes, premises No. 556 West Forty-second street. To the Chief of Police.

AUGUST 28, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Reporting transactions of Bureau week ending the 25th inst.
From the Chief of Department—
1. Recommending that the application of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company for permission to connect the premises No. 222 East Sixty-fourth street with fire-alarm box 586 be granted. Recommendation approved.
2. Recommending that application be made to the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list for promotion therefrom of a clerk of the fifth grade, Bureau Chief of Department. Recommendation approved.
3. Recommending that the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for Recovery of Penalties, be requested to discontinue the legal proceedings instituted against persons in charge of premises Nos. 1182 and 1184 Madison avenue, for failure to provide telegraphic communication, as required by section 762 of the Charter, for the reason that the law is complied with. Recommendation approved.
From E. S. Higginbotham, Attorney—Filing summons and complaint and petition for writ of certiorari, in the matter of the application of Fireman 2d grade Thomas F. Murphy, Engine 158, Borough of Brooklyn, who was dismissed from the service of the Department April 27, 1900, to be restored to the uniformed force. Forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation for proper attention.
From James J. Duffy—Continuance of lien against the Mapes-Reeve Construction Company for \$1,374.05. To the Bookkeeper for proper attention.

Referred.

From Fireman 3d grade Joseph I. McGrath, Theatre Detail—Reporting violation of section 109 of the Building Code, London Theatre, No. 235 Bowery, on the 27th instant. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for Recovery of Penalties.
From the Peerless Rubber Manufacturing Company—Requesting permission to supply the Department with one test section of "Anaconda" hydrant connection. To the Chief of Construction and Repairs to Apparatus for investigation and report.
From the President of Mechanics' and Traders' Bank—Complaining that the contractor for working on New Elm and Jersey streets has dug up the entire centre of said streets, thus preventing fire-engines from reaching the hydrants in case of fire. To the Chief of Department for investigation and report.
From M. Kirstein—Complaining that at the fire in Greene street on the 25th instant, their warehouse and factory was opened by members of the uniformed force, leaving valuable merchandise unnecessarily exposed. Referred to the Chief of Department for investigation and report.

BILLS AND PAY-ROLLS AUDITED.

Borough of Richmond.

Schedule 43, 1900—
Maintenance, Volunteer Fire Department..... \$1,200 00

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Schedule 44, 1900—
Salaries..... \$192,386 76

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Schedule 32, 1900—
Apparatus, Supplies, etc..... \$1,387 60

Schedule 33, 1900—
Apparatus, Supplies, etc..... \$2,079 36

Schedule 34, 1900—
Apparatus, Supplies, etc..... \$3,453 73

Schedule 35, 1900—
Salaries..... \$144,329 52

AUGUST 29, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Department of Finance—Advising that the Comptroller's certificate has been indorsed upon the contract of James J. Spearing for repairs, premises No. 77 Canal street. Certificate ordered attached to contract.
From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—
1. Certifying a list of names of persons eligible for appointment as Probationary Firemen.
2. Certifying a list of names of members of the Uniformed Force eligible for promotion to the rank of Assistant Foreman.
3. Certifying a list of names of persons eligible for appointment as Foremen.
From the Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Transmitting transcript of charges and testimony taken, trial of Fireman 1st grade Thomas F. Murphy, Engine 168. Copy forwarded to Corporation Counsel.
From the Assistant Foreman, Hook and Ladder 22—Reporting that two horses furnished said company on the 27th of July have been found suitable for the service of the Department. Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables notified.
From the Gleason & Bailey Manufacturing Company—Concerning the extension of time granted for the delivery of one Dederick Aerial Hook and Ladder Truck and two Hose Wagons.
From Mrs. J. C. Donaldson—Stating that her husband was killed at a fire at Newtown creek April 14, and asking for employment in the Department. Reply communicated.
From the Akron Rubber Company—Requesting an extension of time for the completion of the delivery of 4,000 feet 3½-inch rubber and duck-woven fire-hose, "White Star" brand, for use in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. No date fixed in application when contract shall be completed.

Referred.

From the Department of Finance—Requesting information concerning the claim of the Akron Rubber Company for hose furnished boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. To the Deputy Commissioner.
From Woodcock & Britt—Requesting the removal of telegraph wires crossing roof of premises No. 268 West Twelfth street. To the Chief of Department.
From the Assistant Foreman of Engine 26—Reporting defective chimney flue, premises Nos. 209 and 211 West Twenty-third street. To the Fire Marshal.
From the Foreman of Engine 31—Reporting a violation of section 103 of the Building Code, No. 5 Elizabeth street. To the Department of Buildings.

AUGUST 30, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Acting Corporation Counsel—
1. Approving printer's proof of contract and specifications for the erection of a new building on westerly side of Jerome avenue, 50 feet north of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street.
2. For plumbing and gas-fitting, building westerly side of Jerome avenue, 50 feet north of the intersection of northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street.
From the Foreman of Engine 1—Reporting new horse placed on trial with his company on the 15th inst., suitable for service of the department. Chief of Battalion in charge of.
From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—
1. Certifying a list of additional names eligible for appointment as probationary firemen.
2. Certifying the name of William P. Bowen for promotion to the rank of Assistant Foreman.
3. Certifying a list of names of persons in the uniformed force eligible for promotion to the position of Engineer of steamer.
From John W. Miles—Reporting that Fireman First Grade Thomas Mulavey, of Engine 40, rescued his daughter from a fire in West Fifty-seventh street last February at personal risk to himself. Reply communicated.
From John Mason Knox—Concerning the removal of obstructions in the rear of premises No. 8 Bond street. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From the Department of Finance—Requesting all information on file concerning claim of Geo. F. Kleist for additional compensation as Assistant Chief of the Volunteer Fire Department, Coney Island, Kings County. To the Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
From the Department of Health—Complaining of the unsanitary condition of premises No. 238 Monroe street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.
From Oelrichs & Co., Agents North German Lloyd Steamship Co.—Requesting permission to present the Foremen of Engine Companies 57 and 66 (Fireboats "The New Yorker" and "Robt. A. Van Wyck") each with a gold chronometer. To the Chief of Department.

TRIALS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Fireman 3d grade John P. Christie, Engine 11, "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay.
Fireman 3d grade Peter Cahill, Engine 12, "disobedience of orders." Fined five days' pay.
Fireman 4th grade Thos. J. Daragh, Engine 12, "absence without leave." Fined one day's pay.
Fireman 1st grade George T. F. Harris, Engine 16, "absence without leave." Reprimanded.
Fireman 1st grade Michael J. Carroll, Engine 21, "violation section 237, Rules and Regulations, 1898." Fined two days' pay.
Fireman 1st grade Charles G. Motzel, Engine 23, "disobedience of orders," "being under the influence of liquor," etc. Fined five days' pay on first charge and ten days' pay on second—fifteen days' pay in all.
Fireman 1st grade John F. Mahon, Engine 52, "absence without leave." Fined two days' pay.
Stoker John Leddy, Engine 57, "absence without leave." Reprimanded.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Engineer of steamer Charles McConeghy, Engine 51, "absence without leave." Accused not present. Adjourned.
Fireman 1st grade John Mullady, Engine 134, "conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline." Decision reserved.
Fireman 1st grade John F. Judge, Engine 112, "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay.
Fireman 1st grade James J. McGarry, Hook and Ladder 60, detailed to Engine 161, "absence without leave." Accused not present. Adjourned.

APPOINTMENTS AS PROBATIONARY FIREMEN.

To take effect from September 1, 1900.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Dominick Gavin, assigned to Hook and Ladder 15.
Alexander J. Muir, assigned to Engine 34.
Louis P. Klingenschmidt, assigned to Engine 24.
Michael J. McCarty, assigned to Hook and Ladder 10.
Henry J. Eckes, assigned to Engine 23.
Robert H. Gropp, assigned to Engine 25.

Edward M. Curley, assigned to Hook and Ladder 11.
 Charles F. Clune, assigned to Hook and Ladder 18.
 John J. Ward, assigned to Engine 23.
 Thomas F. J. Brady, assigned to Engine 65.
 Michael T. Delaney, assigned to Hook and Ladder 11.
 John A. Birmingham, assigned to Engine 9.
 Jacob Woll, Jr., assigned to Engine 15.
 John D. Sullivan, assigned to Engine 23.
 William J. Lennon, assigned to Engine 34.
 Thomas Callan, assigned to Engine 31.
 Thomas B. Murray, Jr., assigned to Engine 30.
 George E. Snider, assigned to Engine 34.
 Martin C. Lang, assigned to Hook and Ladder 12.
 Patrick J. Flaherty, assigned to Hook and Ladder 3.
 Peter J. Regan, assigned to Engine 54.
 Joseph Miller, assigned to Engine 28.
 William E. Brown, assigned to Hook and Ladder 12.
 Austin E. Brant, assigned to Hook and Ladder 11.
 William Fredericks, assigned to Engine 28.
 Thomas Gillen, assigned to Engine 29.
 Richard P. Shea, assigned to Hook and Ladder 9.
 John Sullivan, assigned to Engine 19.
 John F. Abbott, assigned to Engine 30.
 Charles A. MacCreedy, assigned to Hook and Ladder 10.
 Thomas H. Murray, assigned to Hook and Ladder 5.
 Harry Schoener, assigned to Engine 9.
 Edward T. Meyers, assigned to Hook and Ladder 8.
 Martin J. Murphy, assigned to Hook and Ladder 21.
 Hugh J. Gilmartin, assigned to Hook and Ladder 5.
 Edward F. Fanning, assigned to Engine 1.
 Joseph Bernhart, assigned to Hook and Ladder 8.
 James Creighton, assigned to Engine 31.
 Peter E. Noone, assigned to Hook and Ladder 20.
 August F. Miller, assigned to Hook and Ladder 9.
 Joseph A. Christie, assigned to Hook and Ladder 6.
 John M. Peek, assigned to Engine 24.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Thomas J. O'Toole, assigned to Hook and Ladder 55.
 William G. Starritt, assigned to Engine 131.
 John Woods, assigned to Engine 113.
 Edward Dunphy, assigned to Engine 114.
 Bryan F. Maher, assigned to Engine 109.
 Walter Starkey, assigned to Engine 151.
 Frank A. O'Shea, assigned to Engine 127.
 John Power, assigned to Engine 127.
 James F. Heffernan, assigned to Engine 128.
 John P. Maguire, assigned to Engine 133.
 Daniel Gallagher, assigned to Hook and Ladder 54.
 William Byrnes, assigned to Engine 113.
 Charles F. Brown, assigned to Hook and Ladder 61.
 Frederick Ergenzinger, assigned to Engine 133.
 Joseph F. Hart, assigned to Engine 106.
 John L. M. Dempsey, assigned to Engine 138.
 John J. Hogan, assigned to Engine 132.
 Joseph G. Callahan, assigned to Hook and Ladder 62.
 John H. Feldhusen, assigned to Hook and Ladder 62.
 Charles S. O'Connor, assigned to Engine 135.
 George L. Buckholz, assigned to Engine 136.
 Charles Lynch, assigned to Engine 127.
 August Sommer, assigned to Engine 135.

AUGUST 31, 1900.
COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Certifying a list of names of persons eligible for appointment as 5th grade clerk, Bureau of Chief of Department.
 From the Secretary, Tenement House Commission—Acknowledging receipt of certain fire reports for the year 1897, as requested.
 From the Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Requesting that the Municipal Civil Service Commission be asked to recertify the name of George Fitzsimmons for appointment to membership in the uniformed force. Chief of Department notified.
 From the Foreman of Engine Company 56—Reporting loss of fire key No. 520 by Fireman first grade Daniel Lyons, of his command. Usual fine imposed.
 From John B. McDonald, contractor, Rapid Transit Subway Construction Co.—Reporting his intention, on or about September 6, to commence operations along the following parts of the route, viz: Fourth and Park avenues, from centre of Thirty-third street, plus 100 feet, to centre of Forty-first street. Chief of Department notified.
 From the William P. Miller Co.—Concerning the efficiency of the Fire Department in the Borough of Brooklyn at a fire Nos. 85 and 87 Quay street on the 28th inst. Chief of Department notified.
 From A. Ward & Son—Reporting that the repairs required to defective chimney flue, premises No. 251 East Seventy-seventh street, will be attended to without delay. Fire Marshal notified.

Referred.

From the Department of Finance—Transmitting notice from the Department of Buildings concerning violation of the Building Code in alteration of premises No. 766 Amsterdam avenue, occupied by Hook and Ladder 22. To the Building Superintendent.
 From the Fire Marshal—Concerning the dangerous condition of premises No. 259 East Broadway and recommending that the matter be referred to the Inspector of Combustibles. Recommendation approved.
 From Van Tassell & Kearney, Auctioneers—Transmitting check for \$670.06, net proceeds of sale by them of certain old material and condemned apparatus on the 10th instant. To the Bookkeeper, with instructions to cause said money to be deposited to the credit of the Relief Fund.
 From the Foreman of Hook and Ladder 18—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 82 Attorney street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.
 From John B. McDonald, Contractor, Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company—Concerning removal of Department telegraph wires along the line of the Rapid Transit Railway in course of construction. To the Chief of Department.
 From Frank B. McIlroy, Agent—Requesting information concerning the deliveries of two combination chemical engines and hose-wagons by Rumsey and Co., of Seneca Falls, N. Y. To the Chief of Construction and Repairs to Apparatus.
 From Ellen Loughlin—Reporting a leaking fire-hydrant corner of Carlisle and Greenwich streets. To the Department of Water Supply.

SEPTEMBER 1, 1900.
COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Certifying a list of names of persons eligible for appointment as Stokers, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
 From the Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—Report of transactions for week ending the 1st instant.
 From William B. Brown, Attorney—Requesting to know on what terms the Volunteer Firemen of the boroughs of Queens and Richmond came into the Department, as provided by section 722 of the Charter. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From C. E. Fitzpatrick—Complaining of defective chimney flue, premises No. 60 East Eighty-seventh street. To the Fire Marshal.
 From the Secretary of the State Commission of Prisons, Albany, N. Y.—Requesting on or before the 1st of October, 1900, an estimate of the amount of supplies of different kinds required by the Department. To the Purchasing Agent.

BILLS AND PAY-ROLLS AUDITED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Schedule 45, 1900—
 Apparatus, Supplies, etc. \$13,337 59

Schedule 46, 1900—
 Apparatus, Supplies, etc. \$142 65

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED.
(Under date of August 23.)

Bathtub, etc., quarters Engine 138	\$109 00
Bathtub, etc., quarters Engine 103	70 00
Furniture, carpets, etc.	300 00
Wheels for water-tower	210 00
Brushes, toweling, etc.	900 00
Rubber tires	170 00
Expenses Fire Marshal's Bureau	100 00
Harness	75 00
Leather	325 00
Saddles for horses	100 00

From the Deputy Commissioner—Following promotions and assignments to take effect from 8 A. M., September 1:

Engineer of Steamer James W. Byrnes, Engine 132, to Assistant Foreman Engine 138.
 Engineer of Steamer Thomas V. Madigan, Engine 138, to Assistant Foreman Engine 159.
 Fireman 1st grade David O'Keefe, Engine 106, to Assistant Foreman Engine 126.
 Fireman 1st grade John J. Cashman, Engine 128, to Assistant Foreman Engine 102.
 Fireman 1st grade Patrick Toman, Hook and Ladder 51, to Assistant Foreman Engine 106.
 Fireman 1st grade John J. Shannon, Hook and Ladder 59, to Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder 51.
 Fireman 1st grade George W. Keighler, Hook and Ladder 62, to Assistant Foreman Engine 161.
 Assistant Foreman William H. Holmes, Engine 103, to Foreman Engine 103.
 Assistant Foreman John F. Scanlon, Engine 105, to Foreman Engine 105.
 Assistant Foreman Patrick J. Golden, Engine 117, to Foreman Engine 117.
 Assistant Foreman John J. Donohue, Engine 133, to Foreman Engine 133.
 Assistant Foreman John Clunie, Engine 109, to Foreman Engine 109.
 Assistant Foreman William J. Stapleton, Engine 113, to Foreman Hook and Ladder 56.
 Assistant Foreman Thomas J. McCue, Hook and Ladder 55, to Foreman Hook and Ladder 55.

PROBATIONARY FIREMEN APPOINTED AS FOLLOWS:

Joseph F. Hart, assigned to Engine 106.
 Bryan F. Maher, assigned to Engine 109.
 William Byrnes, assigned to Engine 113.
 John Woods, assigned to Engine 113.
 Edward Dunphy, assigned to Engine 114.
 John Power, assigned to Engine 127.
 Frank A. O'Shea, assigned to Engine 127.
 Charles Lynch, assigned to Engine 127.
 James T. Heffernan, assigned to Engine 128.
 William G. Starritt, assigned to Engine 131.
 John J. Hogan, assigned to Engine 132.
 John P. Maguire, assigned to Engine 133.
 Frederick Ergenzinger, assigned to Engine 133.
 August Sommer, assigned to Engine 135.
 Charles S. O'Connor, assigned to Engine 135.
 George L. Buckholz, assigned to Engine 136.
 John L. M. Dempsey, assigned to Engine 138.
 Walter Starkey, assigned to Engine 151.
 Daniel Gallagher, assigned to Hook and Ladder 54.
 Thomas J. O'Toole, assigned to Hook and Ladder 55.
 Charles F. Brown, assigned to Hook and Ladder 61.
 John H. Feldhusen, assigned to Hook and Ladder 62.
 Joseph G. Callahan, assigned to Hook and Ladder 62.

REFERRED.

From J. S. Bass—Complaint in re No. 429 Waverley avenue. To the Fire Marshal.
 From Foreman Engine 146—Reporting chimney fire at Sheepshead Bay road and Jerome avenue. To the Inspector of Combustibles.
 From Assistant Foreman commanding Engine 103—Reporting chimney fire at No. 109 Carroll street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.
 From New York and New Jersey Telephone Company—Notice in re. dangerous poles. To the Inspector of Telegraph.
 From Charles S. Barker—Complaint in re cellar of No. 37 St. Mark's avenue. To the Fire Marshal.
 From Chief of Rockaway Beach Volunteer Fire Department—Reporting violation of section 762, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, following premises:
 Waldorf Hotel, Brandreth avenue and Atlantic Ocean.
 New Holland Hotel, Holland avenue and Atlantic Ocean.
 Edgemere Hotel, Grand View avenue and Atlantic Ocean.
 Ocean View Hotel, Fair View avenue and Atlantic Ocean.
 From Foreman Engine 142—Reporting violation of section 762, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, at refrigerating building Frank's Brewery, Cypress avenue and Willow street, Borough of Queens. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau Recovery of Penalties.
 AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 21 PARK ROW,
 August 30, 1900.

In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending August 25, 1900:

PUBLIC LAMPS.

8 new lamps were erected and 8 new lamps lighted; 2 lamps were relighted and 8 lamps discontinued; 10 lamp-posts were removed, 4 reset, and 2 straightened; 2 columns were refitted, 5 columns released, and 3 service-pipes refitted.

ELECTRICAL WIRING, INSPECTIONS, ETC.

226 certificates were issued for interior wiring, 208 permits were issued for outside electrical work, 1094 inspections were made and 200 feet of overhead wires were removed.

CHANGE IN FORCE.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Removals—2 Inspectors of Electrical Conductors.
 Appointment—1 Stenographer and Typewriter (temporarily).
 Transfer—Engineman, to Department of Highways.

REQUISITIONS ON COMPTROLLER.

The total amount of requisitions drawn on the Comptroller by this Department during the week ending August 25, 1900, is \$103,834.61.

HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, SEPTEMBER 4 TO 8, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—List of prisoners received during week ending September 1, 1900: Males, 33; females, 1; on file. List of 20 prisoners to be discharged from September 9 to 15, 1900; transmitted to Prison Association.
 From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending September 1, 1900, agreed with specifications of contract. On file.

Reports of census, labor, punishments, for week ending September 1, 1900. On file.
From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending September 1, 1900, \$36. On file.

From General Storekeeper, Blackwell's Island—Reporting the rejection of fourteen cases of eggs received from Conran Brothers, contractors, they not complying with the terms of specifications. Rejections approved.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending September 1, 1900, \$500. On file.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Amount of fines received during week ending September 1, 1900, \$21. On file.

From Charles H. Haswell, Consulting Engineer, Board of Public Improvements—Asking for refuge stone from Blackwell's Island, which would be suitable for gutters on Riker's Island. Referred to Warden of Penitentiary, with request that he furnish stone as required. In regard to the great need of Croton water on Riker's Island, and stating that roads cannot be made until pipes are laid, and houses cannot be occupied until they are supplied with water. On file.

From Bureau of Municipal Statistics—Requesting report of Department of Correction for year 1899. Will be furnished.

From the Comptroller—Weekly statement of unexpended balances of appropriations up to September 1, 1900. Referred to General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

From General Storekeeper, Blackwell's Island—Reporting failure of D. J. Barry & Co. to deliver goods ordered from them on contract some time ago, such goods being needed for institutions. Contractors notified that deliveries must be made at once, otherwise goods will be purchased in open market and difference charged to sureties.

From Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn—List of prisoners received during week ending September 1, 1900: Males, 10; females 1; on file. List of 17 prisoners to be discharged from September 3 to 8, 1900; on file.

Communications Transmitted.

To Workhouse and Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—The shoemaking and tailoring heretofore done at Workhouse will, in the future, be carried on at Penitentiary.

Central Office—John M. Gray, Deputy Commissioner for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, designated to act as Commissioner of this Department on September 10, 11 and 12, 1900.

Appointed.

Dennis Hogan, Curbsetter and Flagger, Branch Workhouse, Riker's Island. Salary, \$4 per diem.

Discharged.

George J. Hogan, Tailor, Workhouse.
Thomas F. Robinson, Shoemaker, Workhouse.
August Stoeffel, Tinsmith, Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,
ZBROWSKI MANSION, CLAREMONT PARK,
September 17, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby notify you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, that, owing to lack of appropriation, the following men have been discharged, to take effect at the close of the day's work on the 21st instant:

John H. Kiernan, Plumber.
Fred. Baehn, Carpenter.
James W. McSherry, Plumber.
August Pierson, Painter.
Louis Tallis, Painter.
John Corcoran, Painter.
James J. Hodnett, Carpenter.
Denis M. Rhing, Carpenter.
Michael Grady, Mason.

Respectfully yours,

AUGUST MOEBUS,

Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.

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

Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn: WILLIAM H. JORDAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.

Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.: WILLIAM H. McCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

and Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

The Mayor, Chairman; BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller; PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain; RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council, and ROBERT MUH, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, Members. EDGAR J. LEVEY, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Room No. 11, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

The Mayor, Chairman; THOMAS L. FEITNER (President, Department of Taxes and Assessments), Secretary; the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, and the CORPORATION COUNSEL, Members; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Room R, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Chairman; THE PRESIDENT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, THOMAS L. FEITNER, Secretary; THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, HENRY S. KEARNY; Brigadier-General JAMES McLEER and Brigadier-General McCOSKRY BUTT, Commissioners.
Address THOMAS L. FEITNER, Secretary, Stewart Building.

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

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE COUNCIL.

RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council.
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Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

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

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

BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 10, 11 and 12 City Hall. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JAMES J. COOGAN, President.
IRA EDGAR RIDER, Secretary.

Borough of The Bronx.

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

President's Office, No. 11 Borough Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
EDWARD M. GROUT, President.

Borough of Queens.

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

Borough of Richmond.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.

No. 180 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
WM. B. DAVENPORT, Public Administrator.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 207 Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. RYAN, MAURICE J. POWER, WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, JOHN P. WINDOLPH and THE MAYOR and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary; WILLIAM R. HILL, Chief Engineer.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, QUEENS COUNTY.

No. 103 Third street, Long Island City.
CHARLES A. WADLEY, Public Administrator.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.
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Auditing Bureau.

JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, Auditor of Accounts.
F. L. W. SCHAFFNER, Auditor of Accounts.
F. J. BRETTMAN, Auditor of Accounts.
MOSES OPPENHEIMER, Auditor of Accounts.
WILLIAM McKINNY, Auditor of Accounts.
DANIEL B. PHILLIPS, Auditor of Accounts.
EDWARD J. CONNELL, Auditor of Accounts.
FRANCIS R. CLAIR, Auditor of Accounts.
WALTER H. HOLT, Auditor of Accounts.
WILLIAM J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts.
JAMES F. McKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts.
PHILIP J. McEVoy, Auditor of Accounts.
JEREMIAH T. MAHONEY, Auditor of Accounts.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
EDWARD A. SLATTERY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan.
JAMES E. STANFORD, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of The Bronx.
MICHAEL O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.
JOHN F. ROGERS, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.
GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 18th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
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WILLIAM BRENNAN, Deputy for Brooklyn. Office, Municipal Building, Room 42.
MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of Queens. Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City.
HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Bridges.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
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JOHN E. BACKUS, Deputy for Queens.

Department of Water Supply.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.
JAMES H. HASLIN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Manhattan.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.
W. G. BYRNE, Water Registrar.
JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.
LAWRENCE GRESSER, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Queens, Long Island City.
THOMAS J. MULLIGAN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building.
HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Street Cleaning.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PERCIVAL E. NAGLE, Commissioner.
F. M. GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Manhattan.
PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Brooklyn, Room 37, Municipal Building.
JOSEPH LIEBERTZ, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of The Bronx, No. 615 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street.
JAMES F. O'BRIEN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Queens, No. 48 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.
PETER J. DOOLING, Deputy Commissioner for Manhattan.
GEO. E. BEST, Deputy Commissioner for The Bronx.
JAMES J. KIRWIN, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.
JOEL FOWLER, Deputy Commissioner for Queens.
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LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of Corporation Counsel.

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

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

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street.

ADRIAN T. KIERNAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

Bureau of Street Openings.

Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway.

JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

Bureau of Elections.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
General Bureau of Elections, Borough of Manhattan—No. 300 Mulberry street. T. F. RODENBROUGH, Superintendent; WILLIAM FLIMLEY, Chief Clerk.
Branch Bureau, Borough of Brooklyn—No. 16 Smith street. GEORGE RUSSELL, Chief; JOHN K. NEAL, Chief Clerk.
Branch Bureau, Borough of The Bronx—One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott avenue. CORNELIUS A. BRUNNER, Jr., Chief.
Branch Bureau, Borough of Queens—Police Station, Astoria. JAMES R. RODMAN, Chief.
Branch Bureau, Borough of Richmond—Staten Island Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, S. I. CHARLES A. JONES, Chief.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Central Office.

Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN W. KELLER, President of the Board; Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Deputy Commissioner.
ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn.
EDWARD GLINNEN, Deputy Commissioner.
JAMES FRENY, Commissioner for Richmond.
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M.
Department for Care of Destitute Children, No. 66 Third avenue, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 148 East Twentieth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays to 12 M.
FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.
N. O. FANNING, Deputy Commissioner.
JOHN MORRISSEY GRAY, Deputy Commissioner for Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 137 and 139 East Sixty-seventh street.
JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.
JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
AUGUSTUS T. DOGHARTY, Secretary.
EDWARD F. CROKER, Chief of Department and in Charge of Fire-alarm Telegraph.
JAMES DALE, Deputy Chief, in Charge of Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
GEORGE E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles.
PETER SEERY, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.
ALONZO BEYMER, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
Central Office open at all hours.
Committee to examine persons who handle explosives meets Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Pier "A," N. R., Battery Place.

J. SERGEANT CRAM, President; CHARLES F. MURPHY, Treasurer; PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.
WILLIAM H. BURKE, Secretary.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Burial Permit and Contagious Disease Offices always open.
MICHAEL C. MURPHY, President, and WILLIAM T. JENKINS, M. D., JOHN B. COSBY, M. D., THE PRESIDENT OF THE POLICE BOARD, ex-officio, and the HEALTH OFFICER OF THE PORT, ex-officio, Commissioners.
CASPAR GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.
CHARLES F. ROBERTS, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent.
FREDERICK H. DILLINGHAM, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Manhattan.
EUGENE MONAHAN, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of The Bronx.
ROBERT A. BLACK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Brooklyn.
OBED L. LUSK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Queens.
JOHN L. FEENEY, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Richmond.

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SHERIFF'S OFFICE, KINGS COUNTY.

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WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff; JAMES DUNNE, Under Sheriff.
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, QUEENS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM CAS BAKER, Sheriff; WILLIAM METHVEN, Under Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, RICHMOND COUNTY.

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

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REGISTER, KINGS COUNTY.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August, then from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., provided for by statute.
JAMES K. HOWE, Register.
WARREN C. TREDWELL, Deputy Register.

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No. 70 Ludlow street, 6 A. M. to 10 P. M., daily
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PATRICK H. PICKETT, Warden.

KINGS COUNTY JAIL.

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WILLIAM SOMMER, County Clerk.
GEORGE H. FAHRBACH, Deputy.

KINGS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

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County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens 9:30 A. M. to adjourn 5 P. M.
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CHARLES DOWNING, 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. CONNER, Deputy County Clerk.

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Chief Engineer's Office, No. 34 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 BIRD GARDINER, District Attorney; WILLIAM J. McKENNA, Chief Law Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn. Hours, 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. DREW, Chief Clerk.

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Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all times of day and night.
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No. 761 East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street. Open from 8 A. M. to 12, midnight.
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Office, Room 17, Borough Hall. Open all times of day and night, except between the hours of 12 M. and 5 P. M., on Sundays and holidays.
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Port Richmond, S. I.
EDWARD S. RAWSON, District Attorney.

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, ANNE C. THOMAS, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

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Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway. Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M.
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Chairman; CHARLES A. JACKSON, OSCAR S. BAILEY, Commissioners.
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, LORENZ ZELLER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, WILLARD H. OLMSHEAD, PHILIP BLOCH, 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, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

SECOND DIVISION.

Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—No. 318 Adams street. JACOB BRENNER, Magistrate.
Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY BRISTOW, Magistrate.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TEALE, Magistrate.
Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.
Fifth District—Ewen and Powers streets. ANDREW LEMON, Magistrate.
Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WORTH, Magistrate.
Seventh District—No. 31 Grant street, Flatbush. ALFRED E. STEERS, Magistrate.
Eighth District—Coney Island. ALBERT VAN BRUNT VOORHEES, Jr., Magistrate.

Borough of Queens.

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

Borough of Richmond.

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

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FRANK M. THORNBURN, Deputy Commissioner.
THOMAS D. MOSSCROFT, Superintendent.
JOSEPH H. GRENELLE, Secretary.

KINGS COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn.
GEORGE B. ABBOT, Surrogate.
MICHAEL F. MCGOLDICK, Chief Clerk.
Court opens 9 A. M. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

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

KINGS COUNTY TREASURER.

Court-house, Room 14.
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Office open during business hours every day in the year, except legal holidays. Examinations are held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday after 1 P. M.

SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10, 30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 16.
Clerk's Office, Part I., Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 13.
Clerk's Office, Part II., Room No. 12.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 18.
Clerk's Office, Part III., Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 33.
Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.
Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 39.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 34.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 22.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 35.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 36.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 29.
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 28.
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 37.
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 26.
Appellate Term, Room No. 29.
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38.
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CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

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

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; CHESTER B. McLAUGHLIN, EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAHAM, WILLIAM RUMSEY, EDWARD W. HATCH, JUSTICES. ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk; WILLIAM LAMB, JR., Deputy Clerk.

COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn. Rooms 10, 22, 23 and 27. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and sits until business is completed, Part I., Room No. 23, Part II., Room No. 10, Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 22 and 27, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
JOSEPH ASPINALL and WM. B. HURD, 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 5 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. 32 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 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, JOHN P. SCHUCHMAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER and THEODORE F. HASCALL, Justices. THOMAS F. SMITH, Clerk.

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Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at half-past 10 o'clock.
RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, MARTIN T. McMAHON and WARREN W. FOSTER, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A. M.
Justices—First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second Division—Third days of Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.
Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J. DORMAN, 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 County Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
DANIEL E. FINN, 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.
HERMAN BOLTE, 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 Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, 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. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 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. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.

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

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

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

Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THOMAS E. 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 terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HERMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

Borough of The Bronx.

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

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

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 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, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, 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. 14 Howard avenue.

THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Borough of Queens.

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

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

Third District—JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice; GEORGE W. DAMON, 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 A. M.

Borough of Richmond.

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

JOHN J. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M.

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

GEORGE W. STAKE, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

Dated New York, January 3, 1900.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,

CHARLES A. JACKSON,

OSCAR S. BAILEY,

Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,

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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK.**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT held September 18, 1900, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That this Board does hereby designate Tuesday, the 16th day of October, 1900, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Mayor, as the time and place for a public hearing in relation to the Budget for 1901, and that notice inviting the taxpayers of this City to appear and be heard on that date in regard to appropriations to be made and included in said Budget be inserted in the CITY RECORD.

THOS. L. FEITNER,
Secretary.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, September 19, 1900.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 400 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a communication from the Department of Highways in reference to the following defective condition of the sidewalk at No. 127 Pitt street, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Twelfth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 2d day of October, 1900, at 12 M., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JAMES J. COOGAN,
President.

I. E. RIDER,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
CITY OF NEW YORK, September 20, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WITH THE title of the supplies to be furnished and the names of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon, will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until 10.30 o'clock A. M. of

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1900,
for the following-named supplies:

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
No. 1. For furnishing 2,500 tons Anthracite Coal (1,825 tons Egg Size; 250 tons Stove Size; 425 tons Nut Size), to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, be well-screened and free from slate, free-burning, and of the first quality of either of the kinds known and mined as follows: "Lackawanna," by the New York, Ontario and Western Railroad; "Jersey," by the New York, Susquehanna and Western Railroad; "Erie," by the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
No. 2. For furnishing 1,500 tons Anthracite Coal (1,300 tons Egg Size; 200 tons Broken Size), to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, be well screened and free from slate, free-burning, and of the first quality of the kind known and mined as follows: "Lackawanna," by the New York, Ontario and Western Railroad, or any other free-burning coal.

The specifications may be obtained from the Contract Clerk at this office.

The time to be allowed for the full delivery of each contract and the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the several supplies mentioned above are respectively as follows:

No. 1. Three (3) months.
No. 2. Three (3) months.
Security required will be as follows:
No. 1. \$5,000 00
No. 2. 3,000 00

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

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 FOR THE CLASS SUPPLIES NAMED.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they 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 either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject all the bids received in response to this advertisement if he should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

For further particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies to be furnished bidders are referred to the printed specifications. Such supplies must conform in every respect to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of what is required before making their estimates.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JOHN L. SCANNELL,
Fire Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW, PARK ROW BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT OF WASHINGTON BRIDGE, OF MACOMB'S DAM BRIDGE, AND OF THIRD AVENUE BRIDGE, OVER THE HARLEM RIVER.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WORK, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Department of Bridges, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, New York City, until 12 o'clock M., on

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at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the said Department, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or estimate, and that the sureties offered by him or them have been approved by the Comptroller; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the work will be readvertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Bridges may designate.

The prices must be written in the bid and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items called for in these specifications, or which contain bids for items not called for therein. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Bridges to reject all bids should he deem it to the public interest so to do. No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The price is to include the furnishing of all the necessary materials and labor, and the performance of the whole of the work mentioned in the specifications annexed.

The following is a statement of the Engineer's estimate of the nature and extent of the work to be done and the quality and quantity of the materials to be furnished, and the several bids will be tested by the quantities mentioned in such statement:

1. 13,500 square yards patching asphalt pavement on Washington Bridge.
2. 500 square yards patching asphalt pavement on Macomb's Dam Bridge.
3. 1,842 square yards new asphalt wearing surface on draw-span of Macomb's Dam Bridge.
4. 400 square yards patching asphalt pavement on Third Avenue Bridge.

For further particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to printed specifications and plans.

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that such estimate is made without any connection with any other person making a bid or

estimate for the same purpose, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, or it 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, or it 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 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 the contract and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above all his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be determined by the Comptroller of The City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be sixty working days. And the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract or any part thereof may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion of the whole work has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

Blank forms of proposals, the form of agreement, including the specifications, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment and further information, will be furnished at the office of the Department of Bridges. Bidders are cautioned to examine each and all the provisions thereof carefully before making their estimate.

JOHN L. SHEA,
Commissioner of Bridges.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW, PARK ROW BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SIDEWALKS ON THE APPROACHES TO THE THIRD AVENUE BRIDGE OVER THE HARLEM RIVER.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WORK, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Department of Bridges, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, New York City, until 12 o'clock M., on

MONDAY, THE 1st DAY OF OCTOBER, 1900,

at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the said Department, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or estimate, and that the sureties offered by him or them have been approved by the Comptroller; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the work will be readvertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioner of Bridges may designate.

The prices must be written in the bid and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items called for in these specifications, or which contain bids for items not called for therein. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Bridges to reject all bids should he deem it to the public interest so to do. No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The price is to include the furnishing of all the necessary materials and labor, and the performance of the whole of the work mentioned in the specifications annexed.

The following is a statement of the "Engineer's" estimate of the quantity and quality of the materials and the nature and extent of the work required as near as possible, and the several bids will be tested by the quantities mentioned in such statement. These items in all cases include both materials and labor complete in the work:

1. 1,000 cubic yards old work removed.
2. 700 cubic yards Portland cement concrete.
3. 2,150 square yards Portland cement footwalks and curbs.
4. 33 cubic feet granite wheel-guards furnished and set.
5. 1,300 square yards old pavement relaid.
6. 200 square yards new pavement laid.
7. 13 cast-iron drain boxes (on concrete base) furnished and set, including painting.
8. 8 cast-iron drain boxes (on metal structure) furnished and set, including painting.
9. 60 linear feet 9-inch drain pipe furnished and laid.
10. 150 linear feet 4-inch wrought-iron downfalls furnished and set, including fastening and painting.
11. 8 cast-iron junction boxes furnished and set, including painting.
12. 22,000 pounds iron and steel in expansion joints and combings, including painting and fitting.
13. 40 square feet stone dressing.
14. 500 square feet waterproofing.
15. 200 square feet relaying old flagging.
16. 50 square feet relaying old crosswalks.
17. 20 linear feet resetting old curb.

For further particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to printed specifications and plans.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimate, under oath, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that such estimate is made without any connection with any other person making a bid or estimate for the same purpose, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, or it 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, or it 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 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 the contract and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above all his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be determined by the Comptroller of The City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be one hundred and twenty-five working days. And the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract or any part thereof may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion of the whole work has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty dollars per day.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

Blank forms of proposals, the form of agreement, including the specifications, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment and further information will be furnished at the office of the Department of Bridges. Bidders are cautioned to examine each and all the provisions thereof carefully before making their estimate.

JOHN L. SHEA,
Commissioner of Bridges.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
MAIN OFFICE, Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING FORAGE FOR THE USE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN SEALED envelopes and indorsed with the name and address of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, and a statement of the supplies to which they relate, will be received at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

TUESDAY, THE 2d DAY OF OCTOBER, 1900.

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened and read for the furnishing and delivery of forage, as follows:

420,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Prime Hay.
550,000 pounds clean No. 2 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound and well cleaned, and reasonably free from other grain, weighing not less than 36 pounds to the measured bushel.

—at the several stables of the Department of Street Cleaning in the said borough.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to execute such contract within five days from receipt of a notice to that effect; and, in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned such contract, and as in default to the Corporation, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning will readvertise and relet the work, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their bid or estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and, if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or estimate for the above supplies; and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or of two guaranty or surety companies, duly authorized by law to act as surety, incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, as shall be satisfactory to the Comptroller of The City of New York, to the effect that, if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid or estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance in the amount of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000); and that, if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to The City of New York, any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled on its completion, and that which The City of New York may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be subsequently awarded. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a

householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered shall be subject to the approval of the Comptroller.

The price in the bid or estimate must be written, and must also be stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to reject all the bids or estimates if he shall deem it best for the interest of the City so to do. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by a certified check on one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, payable to the order of the Comptroller of said City, for one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150), or by money to that amount. On the acceptance of any bid or estimate the checks or money of the unaccepted bidders will be returned to them; and upon the execution of the contract, the check or money of the accepted bidder will be returned to him.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

All bids or estimates must be made with reference to the form of contract and the requirements thereof on file at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning, or they will be rejected.

The form of the contract for supplies, bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same (with specifications), approved as to form by the Corporation and any other counsel, information desired can be obtained at the main office of the Department.

This public notice is, and is to be taken to be, a part of the contract for which proposals are herein invited.

Dated NEW YORK, September 17, 1900.

P. E. NAGLE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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

PERCIVAL E. NAGLE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, I

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, CONSISTING MAINLY OF DRUGS, MEDICINES, WHISKY, ALCOHOL, ETC., GOODS TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN TEN 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, OCTOBER 4, 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 Miscellaneous Supplies, Drugs, Medicines, Whisky, Alcohol, etc.," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the bids and 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 person making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 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 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 whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

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

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

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

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, I

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, CONSISTING MAINLY OF STEAM FITTINGS, IRON AND STEEL, BROOM CORN, BRISTLES, ALSO SOAP AND SOAP CHIPS, ETC., LEATHER, ETC., FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES, GOODS TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN TEN 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, OCTOBER 4, 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 Iron and Steel, Broom Corn and Bristles, etc., for Manufacturing Purposes and Miscellaneous Supplies, also Soap and Soap Chips, Leather, etc.," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by 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 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 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 of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any samples or specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

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

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

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

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 PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BORON,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 17, 1900.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE MATERIAL AND WORK REQUIRED FOR BUILDING ONE TRANSFER WAGON AND ONE CITY HEARSE FOR BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1900.

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

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST.

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

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

The work required is to be completed and accepted in 100 days.

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 Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars.

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

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

the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by 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 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 his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids whereon they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. Blank forms of bids or estimates, 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 Department of Public Charities, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BORON,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 11, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A NEW BOILER-HOUSE AND THE INSTALLATION OF A CENTRAL STEAM PLANT ON RANDALL'S ISLAND.

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

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Materials and Work Required for the Erection of a New Boiler-house and the Installation of a Central Steam Plant on Randall's Island," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST.

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

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

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

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

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

the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The said sureties may consist of responsible guaranty companies. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the materials, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the specifications.

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids wherever they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

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

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

The specifications may be seen at the offices of Horgan & Slattery, Architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, 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 Department of Public Charities, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
NEW YORK, September 11, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN THE CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION OF A NEW BOILER PLANT AT THE INFANTS' HOSPITAL, RANDALL'S ISLAND.

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

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1900.

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

The Board of Public Charities reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent last 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 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 said sureties may consist of responsible guaranty companies. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

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

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the materials, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the specifications.

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids wherever they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

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

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

The specifications may be seen at the offices of Horgan & Slattery, Architects, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, 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 Department of Public Charities, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President,
ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Commissioner,
JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner,
Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 14, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1900,
at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read.
For the following work in the

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN PROSPECT AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; WITH A BRANCH IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, from Prospect avenue to summit east of Prospect avenue.

No. 2. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN CROTONA AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Crotona Park, North.

No. 3. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, from Southern Boulevard to summit west of Marmon avenue; and in CROTONA PARK, NORTH, from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to summit west of Marmon avenue.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 4. SEWER IN EAST NINETEENTH STREET, between Avenue D and Newkirk avenue.

Borough of Queens.

No. 5. THE CONSTRUCTION OF A CITY SEWAGE DISPOSAL PLANT, AND THE COMPLETION OF THE SEWAGE SYSTEM AT JAMAICA, NOW FOURTH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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.

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety,

or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

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

JAS. KANE,
Commissioner of Sewers.

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WILLIAM A. BUTLER,
Supervisor.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
September 15, 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 11 o'clock A. M. of

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1900,

for the following-named work and materials:

No. 1. CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN RIVERSIDE DRIVE, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, AND COVERING CONNECTIONS WITH EXISTING SEWERS IN SAID STREETS AND WITH SEWER IN NINETY-SIXTH STREET.

No. 2. FURNISHING AND LAYING 80,000 SQUARE FEET OF GRASS SOD AND 1,500 CUBIC YARDS OF GARDEN MOULD OR TOPSOIL ON THE HARLEM RIVER DRIVEWAY.

The plans and specifications for the above works may be seen at the Arsenal Building, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan.

The time to be allowed for the full completion of each contract and the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the several works mentioned above are respectively as follows:

TIME.	SECURITY.
No. 1, 30 working days.	
No. 2, 30 working days.	
No. 1, 50 working days.	\$3,000 00
No. 2, 50 working days.	2,000 00

Further particulars as to the nature, quantity and quality of the work and materials required will be found in the printed specifications and contracts for the said works.

The contracts must be bid for separately. BIDDERS MUST NAME A PRICE FOR EACH AND EVERY ITEM INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS UPON WHICH THESE BIDS ARE BASED, AND ALSO STATE THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THEIR BIDS FOR EACH CLASS OF SUPPLIES NAMED.

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; 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, 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 upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in The City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above all 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 and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

For further 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 what is required before making their estimates.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park, where the plans which are made a part of the specifications can be seen.

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

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 7, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, in Room No. 1601, until 11 o'clock A. M.,

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1900.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1602, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, at the hour above mentioned.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, from Seventh to St. Nicholas avenue.

Borough of Queens.

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF EAST AVENUE, FIRST WARD, from the bridge over the tracks of the Long Island Railroad to the north side of Ninth street.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, ETC., JESSUP PLACE, from Boscobel to Marcher avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, ETC., TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, from Broadway to Riverdale avenue.

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of

the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

THE COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room No. 1036, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JAMES P. KEATING,
Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 17, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 21 Park row, in Room No. 1536, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1900.

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department at the hour above mentioned.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON WATER-PIPES, BRANCH-PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING STOP-COCKS AND HYDRANTS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY WITH STOP-COCKS, HYDRANTS, CAST-IRON STOP-COCK BOXES AND COVERS AND MANHOLE HEADS AND COVERS.

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

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

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

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF WATER SUPPLY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room 1521.

WILLIAM DALTON,
Commissioner of Water Supply.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
No. 346 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, September 10, 1900.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held at the offices of this Commission, No. 346 Broadway, New York Life Insurance Building, for the following positions, upon the dates specified:

Friday, September 28, 10 A. M., TOPOGRAPHICAL DRAUGHTSMAN. Subjects of examination: Hand-writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
Nos. 19 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do,

proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out as a public park the territory bounded by Berry street, Nassau street, Lorimer street, Driggs avenue, Manhattan avenue, Leonard street, Bayard street, Union avenue and North Twelfth street, in the Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 and 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 14th day of September, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436, of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out as a public park, the territory bounded by Berry street, Nassau street, Lorimer street, Driggs avenue, Manhattan avenue, Leonard street, Bayard street, Union avenue and North Twelfth street, in the Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Seventeenth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out as a public park of the above-named territory at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 10th day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out as a public park of the above-named territory will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of October, 1900.

Dated NEW YORK, September 20, 1900.
JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Nos. 19 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do,

proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the closing and discontinuing of East Fifteenth street and East Sixteenth street, from Avenue H to Foster avenue, and the laying out, and the grades of DeKoven court, Waldorf court and Wellington court, from East Fourteenth street to the western line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad, and from the easterly line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad to East Seventeenth street; and of Irving place, from the easterly line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad to East Seventeenth street, in the Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed closing, laying out and grades will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 14th day of September, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436, of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by the closing and discontinuing of East Fifteenth and East Sixteenth streets, from Avenue H to Foster avenue, and the laying out, and the grades of DeKoven court, Waldorf court and Wellington court, from East Fourteenth street to the western line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad, and from the easterly line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad to East Seventeenth street, and of Irving place from the easterly line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad to East Seventeenth street, in the Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; all of which is more particularly described as follows:

CLOSING EAST FIFTEENTH AND EAST SIXTEENTH STREETS.

"A"—East Fifteenth Street.
Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of Avenue H, and the western line of East Fifteenth street, as laid down on the Town Survey Commissioner's map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register on the 13th day of June, 1874.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of said East Fifteenth street for 800 feet to its intersection with the southern line of Avenue G.

2d. Thence easterly along the southern line of Avenue G for 60 feet to the easterly line of East Fifteenth street.

3d. Thence southerly on a line parallel to the western line of East Fifteenth street for 800 feet to the northern line of Avenue H.

4th. Thence westerly along the northern line of Avenue H to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of Avenue G and the western line of East Fifteenth street, as laid down on the Town Survey Commissioner's map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register on the 13th day of June, 1874.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of said East Fifteenth street for 552.6± feet, to its intersection with the southern line of Foster avenue, as laid down by resolution of the Common Council of the City of Brooklyn, adopted on the 24th day of May, 1897, and approved by the Mayor on the 27th day of May, 1897.

2d. Thence easterly along the southern line of said Foster avenue for 65.7± feet to its intersection with the easterly line of East Fifteenth street.

3d. Thence southerly on a line parallel to the western line of East Fifteenth street for 579.37± feet to the northern line of Avenue G.

4th. Thence westerly along the northern line of Avenue G for 60 feet to the point of beginning.

"B"—East Sixteenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of Avenue H, and the western line of East Sixteenth street, as laid down on the Town Survey Commissioner's map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register on the 13th day of June, 1874.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of said East Sixteenth street for 800 feet to its intersection with the southern line of Avenue G.

2d. Thence easterly along the southern line of Avenue G for 60 feet to the easterly line of East Sixteenth street.

3d. Thence southerly on a line parallel to the western line of East Sixteenth street for 800 feet to the northern line of Avenue H.

4th. Thence westerly along the northern line of Avenue H to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of Avenue G and the western line of East Sixteenth street, as laid down on the Town Survey Commissioner's map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register on the 13th day of June, 1874.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of said East Sixteenth street for 668.4± feet, to its intersection with the southern line of Foster avenue, as laid down by resolution of the Common Council of the City of Brooklyn, adopted on the 24th day of May, 1897, and approved by the Mayor on the 27th day of May, 1897.

2d. Thence easterly along the southern line of said Foster avenue for 65.7± feet, to its intersection with the easterly line of East Sixteenth street.

3d. Thence southerly on a line parallel to the western line of East Sixteenth street, for 694.4± feet to the northern line of Avenue G.

4th. Thence westerly along the northern line of Avenue G for 60 feet to the point of beginning.

LAYING-OUT DEKOVEN, WALDORF AND WELLINGTON COURTS, AND IRVINGTON PLACE.

"A"—Wellington Court.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of East Fourteenth street, distant 225.0 feet northerly from the northern line of Avenue H;

1st. Thence easterly and parallel to the northern line of Avenue H for 335 feet to the western property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad;

2d. Thence northerly along said western line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad for 60 feet;

3d. Thence westerly on a line parallel to the southern line of Wellington court, to the eastern line of East Fourteenth street;

4th. Thence southerly along said eastern line of East Fourteenth street to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the western line of East Seventeenth street, distant 225.0 feet northerly from the northern line of Avenue H.

1st. Thence westerly and parallel to the northern line of Avenue H for 335 feet to the eastern property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad;

2d. Thence northerly along said eastern line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad for 60 feet;

3d. Thence easterly on a line parallel to the southern line of Wellington court to the western line of East Seventeenth street;

4th. Thence southerly along said western line of East Seventeenth street to the point of beginning.

"B"—Waldorf Court.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of East Fourteenth street, distant 225 feet southerly from the southern line of Avenue G;

1st. Thence easterly and parallel to the southern line of Avenue G for 335 feet to the western property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad;

2d. Thence southerly along said western line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad for 60 feet;

3d. Thence westerly on a line parallel to the northern line of Waldorf Court to the eastern line of East Fourteenth street;

4th. Thence northerly along said eastern line of East Fourteenth street to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the western line of East Seventeenth street, distant 225.0 feet southerly from the southern line of Avenue G;

1st. Thence westerly and parallel to the southern line of Avenue G for 335 feet to the eastern property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad;

2d. Thence southerly along said eastern line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad for 60 feet;

3d. Thence easterly on a line parallel to the northern line of Waldorf court to the western line of East Seventeenth street;

4th. Thence northerly along said western line of East Seventeenth street to the point of beginning.

"C"—DeKoven Court.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of East Fourteenth street, distant 220 feet northerly from the northern line of Avenue G;

1st. Thence easterly and parallel to the northern line of Avenue G for 335 feet to the western property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad;

2d. Thence northerly along said western line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad for 60 feet;

3d. Thence westerly on a line parallel to the southern line of DeKoven Court to the eastern line of East Fourteenth street;

4th. Thence southerly along said eastern line of East Fourteenth street to the point of beginning.

"D"—Irvington Place.

Beginning at a point in the western line of East Seventeenth street distant 210 feet northerly from the northern line of DeKoven Court.

1st. Thence westerly and parallel to the northern line of DeKoven Court, for 225 feet to the eastern property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad;

2d. Thence northerly along said eastern line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad for 60 feet;

3d. Thence easterly on a line parallel to the southern line of Irvington place to the western line of East Seventeenth street;

4th. Thence southerly along said western line of East Seventeenth street to the point of beginning.

GRADES OF DEKOVEN, WALDORF AND WELLINGTON COURTS, AND IRVINGTON PLACE.

"A"—Wellington Court.

Beginning at the intersection of Wellington Court and East Fourteenth street, the elevation to be 38.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence easterly to the intersection of the western property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad, the elevation to be 36.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. The elevation at the eastern property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad to be 36.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence easterly to the intersection of East Seventeenth street, the elevation to be 32.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

"B"—Waldorf Court.

Beginning at the intersection of Waldorf court and East Fourteenth street, the elevation to be 37.2 feet above mean high-water datum.

1st. Thence easterly to the intersection of the western property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad, the elevation to be 33.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

2d. The elevation at the eastern property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad to be 33.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence easterly to the intersection of East Seventeenth street, the elevation to be 28.3 feet above mean high-water datum.

"C"—DeKoven Court.

Beginning at the intersection of DeKoven Court and East Fourteenth street, the elevation to be 33.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence easterly to the intersection of the western property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad, the elevation to be 27.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

2d. The elevation at the eastern property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad to be 27.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence easterly to the intersection of East Seventeenth street, the elevation to be 25.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

"D"—Irvington Place.

Beginning at the intersection of Irvington place and the eastern property line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad, the elevation to be 27.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence easterly to the intersection of East Seventeenth street, the elevation to be 28.7 feet above mean high-water datum.

"E"—East Fourteenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East Fourteenth street and Foster avenue, the elevation to be 30.2 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence southerly to the intersection of DeKoven Court, the elevation to be 33.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly to the intersection of Avenue G, the elevation to be 36.0 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore;

3d. Thence southerly to the intersection of Waldorf court, the elevation to be 37.2 feet above mean high water datum;

4th. Thence southerly to the intersection of Wellington court, the elevation to be 38.5 feet above mean high water datum;

5th. Thence southerly to the intersection of Avenue H, the elevation to be 37.0 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"F"—East Seventeenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East Seventeenth street and Foster avenue, the elevation to be 26.0 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence southerly to the intersection of Irvington place, the elevation to be 28.7 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly to the intersection of DeKoven court, the elevation to be 25.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

3d. Thence southerly to the intersection of Avenue G, the elevation to be 24.5 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

4th. Thence southerly to the intersection of Waldorf court, the elevation to be 28.3 feet above mean high-water datum.

5th. Thence southerly to the intersection of Wellington court, the elevation to be 32.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

6th. Thence southerly to the intersection of Avenue H, the elevation to be 35.88 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

All elevations refer to mean high-water datum as established by the Department of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed closing and laying-out and grades of the above-named streets at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 10th day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed closing, and laying-out and grades of the above-named streets will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of October, 1900.

Dated NEW YORK, September 20, 1900.
JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Nos. 19 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do,

proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public place, bounded by Pitkin avenue, Eastern parkway extension and Howard avenue, in the Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth and Twenty-ninth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 3d day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 14th day of September, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public place, bounded by Pitkin avenue, Eastern parkway extension and Howard avenue, in the Twenty-fourth, Twenty-sixth and Twenty-ninth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of Pitkin avenue and the western line of Howard avenue, as laid down on the Town Survey Commissioners' Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register, on the 13th day of November, 1874;

1st. Thence westerly along the northern line of Pitkin avenue for 445± feet to its intersection with the southeastern line of Eastern parkway extension;

2d. Thence northerly along the southeastern line of Eastern parkway extension for 527± feet to its intersection with the western line of Howard avenue;

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Howard avenue for 283± feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out of the above-named public place at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 3d day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed laying out of the above-named public place will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 3d day of October, 1900.

Dated NEW YORK, September 18, 1900.
JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Nos. 19 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do,

proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out Avenue D, from the junction of Avenue C to Coney Island avenue, and closing that portion of Avenue C from the junction of Avenue D to Coney Island avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 3d day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out and closing will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 14th day of September, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out Avenue D, from the junction of Avenue C to Coney Island avenue, and closing that portion of Avenue C from the junction of Avenue D to Coney Island avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

"A"—Avenue D, Laying Out and Locating.

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Avenue D distant 60.72± feet easterly from the eastern line of East Ninth street, as the same are laid down on the Town Survey Commissioners' Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register on the 13th day of June, 1874;

1st. Thence easterly in the prolongation of the southern line of said Avenue D for 168.28± feet to its intersection with the western line of Coney Island avenue;

2d. Thence northerly along the western

"B"—Avenue C, Closing.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Avenue D distant 44.92± feet easterly from the eastern line of East Ninth street, as the same are laid down on the Town Survey Commissioners' Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register on the 13th day of June, 1874:

1st. Thence easterly in the prolongation of the northern line of said Avenue D for 178.19± feet to its intersection with the western line of Coney Island avenue;

2d. Thence northerly along the western line of Coney Island avenue for 71.31± feet to its intersection with the northern line of Avenue C, as laid down by resolution of the Common Council of the City of Brooklyn, on the 13th day of December, 1897;

3d. Thence westerly along the northern line of said Avenue C for 187.0± feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out and closing of the above-named avenues at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 3d day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed laying out and closing of the above-named avenues will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 3d day of October, 1900.

Dated New York, September 18, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.**

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

SEVENTH WARD.

LEXINGTON AVENUE—FLAGGING, north side, between Grand avenue and Classon avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 31 to 33, inclusive, 47 to 52, inclusive, and 81 of Block No. 73.

NINTH WARD.

CLASSON AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side, between Park place and Prospect place. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 43 and 48 of Block No. 45. **ST. JOHN'S PLACE—FLAGGING,** south side, between Plaza street and Eighth avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 1 of Block No. 118.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

FIFTEENTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 32 to 34, inclusive, of Block No. 94.

SIXTEENTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Prospect Park, West, and Tenth avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 64 and 65 of Block No. 178.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

DECATUR STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Saratoga avenue and Hopkinson avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 21 and 28, of Block No. 92.

HOPKINSON AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side, between Chauncey street and Marion street; also **CHAUNCEY STREET, FLAGGING,** south side, between Hopkinson avenue and Saratoga avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 1 and 79, of Block No. 95.

HOPKINSON AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side, between McDonough and Sumpter streets. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 1, 3, 7 and 8, of Block No. 97.

MARION STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Hopkinson and Rockaway avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 17, Block No. 108.

MARION STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Hopkinson and Rockaway avenues. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 45, 48, 64 and 134, Block No. 109.

MCDONOUGH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Hopkinson avenue and Broadway; also **BROADWAY, FLAGGING,** west side, between McDonough and Decatur streets. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 1 to 3, inclusive, and 95 of Block No. 105.

MCDONOUGH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Howard and Saratoga avenues. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 32 to 35, inclusive, of Block No. 75.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, east side, between Belmont avenue and Sutter avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 25 and 37 of Block No. 446.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, west side, between Belmont avenue and Sutter avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 12 of Block No. 442.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, east side, between Blake avenue and Dumont avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 23 and 24, of Block No. 488.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, west side, between Blake avenue and Dumont avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 13 to 18, inclusive, of Block No. 484.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, east side, between Blake avenue and Sutter avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 28 to 35, inclusive, 45 and 46, of Block No. 440.

LINWOOD STREET—FLAGGING, west side, between Pitkin avenue and Belmont avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 16 and 17 of Block No. 493.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

BROADWAY—FLAGGING, east side, between Granite street and Pilling street. Area of assessment: Lot No. 33 of Block No. 135.

ELDEBT STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 45 and 87 of Block No. 149.

GATES AVENUE—FLAGGING, northwesterly side, between Hamburg avenue and Central avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 59 of Block No. 49.

GATES AVENUE—FLAGGING, north side, between Irving avenue and Myrtle avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 8 of Block No. 92.

GRENE AVENUE—FLAGGING, north side, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 12 of Block No. 16.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on September 18, 1900, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before November 17, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD: SECTION 11.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETIETH STREET (ST. JAMES STREET)—SEWER, between Aqueduct avenue and the Old Croton Aqueduct. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street, between Aqueduct avenue and the Old Croton Aqueduct.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on September 18, 1900, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments confirmed, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before November 17, 1900, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,

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

NOTICE OF THE REDEMPTION OF BONDS AND STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE HOLDERS of the Bonds and Stock of New York City, hereinafter described, that, in accordance with the terms of their issue, I will redeem said stock and bonds on the 2d day of November, 1900, at my office in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, New York City (Room 27), and that on that day said stock and bonds will cease to bear interest, viz:

FIVE PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED STOCK, NEW YORK BRIDGE BONDS—Issued in pursuance of chapter 322 of the Laws of 1871, of the State of New York, payable May 1, 1926, and redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after November 1, 1900.

FIVE PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED STOCK, NEW YORK BRIDGE BONDS—Issued in pursuance of chapter 322 of the Laws of 1871, of the State of New York, payable May 1, 1926, and redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after November 1, 1900.

TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. CRIMINAL COURT-HOUSE BONDS—Issued in pursuance of section 8 of chapter 371 of the Laws of 1887, of the State of New York, payable November 1, 1908, and redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after November 1, 1900.

THREE PER CENT. CRIMINAL COURT-HOUSE BONDS—Issued in pursuance of section 8 of chapter 371 of the Laws of 1887, of the State of New York, payable November 1, 1908, and redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller after November 1, 1900.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 5, 1900.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE OCTOBER 1, 1900, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from September 15 to October 1, 1900.

The interest due October 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due October 1, 1900, on coupon bonds of other corporations now included in The City of New York, will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 5, 1900.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1900, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from September 30, 1900, to November 1, 1900.

The interest due November 1, 1900, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due November 1, 1900, on Coupon Bonds of other Corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

BIRD S. COLER,

Comptroller.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 5, 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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1900, at 12 o'clock, at the New York Real Estate Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, the following described real estate belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York, viz:

All that certain gore of land situate, lying and being in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York, Borough of The Bronx, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Third avenue as widened and as laid down on the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, pursuant to chapter 545 of the Laws of 1890, and the various acts amendatory thereof, distant 34.66 feet northerly

from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street with the easterly line of Third avenue, as widened, and running thence easterly parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street 10.67 feet; thence northerly on a line at right angles with One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street 16.67 feet; thence easterly parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street 2.33 feet; thence northerly at right angles with One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street 25 feet; thence westerly parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street 1.20 feet to the easterly line of Third avenue as widened; thence southerly along the easterly line of Third avenue, as legally established, 43.33 feet to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less, the above described gore being that portion of premises heretofore acquired by The City of New York on May 29, 1897, for approaches to the Third Avenue Bridge, and which comprise all those parts of lots numbered 25 and 26 and the southerly half of lot numbered 24 on the Damage Map of that proceeding, which are located east of the easterly line of Third avenue, as widened and legally established by the Final Maps for the streets, etc., in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, pursuant to chapter 545, Laws of 1890, and the various acts amendatory thereof.

To be sold on the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay ten (10) per cent. of the amount of his bid, together with the auctioneer's fees at the time of the sale, and the remaining ninety (90) per cent. of the purchase-money to be paid at the date of the delivery of the deed, which shall be thirty days from the date of the sale.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency that may result from any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

A map of said real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held August 8, 1900.

BIRD S. COLER,

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

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
NEW YORK, September 1, 1900.

TAXPAYERS WHO DESIRE TO OBTAIN their bills promptly, should make immediate written requisition (blanks may be procured in the borough offices), stating their property by Section or Ward, Block and Lot or Map number, making copy of same from their bills of last year.

If a taxpayer is assessed for personal tax, the requisition should also request bill for such tax.

Each requisition should be accompanied by an envelope bearing the proper address of the applicant and with return postage prepaid.

In case of any doubt in regard to Ward, Section, Block or Lot number, Taxpayers should take their deeds to the Department of Taxes and Assessments and have their property located on the maps of that Department and forward to the Deputy Receiver of Taxes with the requisition a certified memorandum of their property, which will be furnished by the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Taxpayers in this manner will receive their bills at the earliest possible moment and avoid any delay caused by waiting on lines, as is required in case of personal application.

The requisition must be addressed and mailed to the Deputy Receiver of Taxes in whatever borough the property is located, as follows:

John J. McDonough, No. 57 Chambers street, Borough of Manhattan, New York.

John B. Underhill, corner Third and Tremont avenues, Borough of The Bronx, New York.

James B. Bouck, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, New York.

Frederick W. Bleckwenn, corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, New York.

Matthew S. Tully, Richmond Building, Richmond Terrace, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, New York.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,
Receiver of Taxes.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.**TO CONTRACTORS.**

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 171, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN; FOR NEW FURNITURE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 105 AND ADDITIONS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN; ALSO FOR HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS, NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 6, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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, OCTOBER 1, 1900,

for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for New Public School 171, Borough of Manhattan; for New Furniture for Public School 105 and Additions, Borough of Brooklyn; also for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus, New Public School 6, Borough of Richmond.

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 Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$14,000) for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for New Public School 171, Borough of Manhattan, and the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) on each item of Furniture for Public School 105 and Additions, Borough of Brooklyn, and the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) for Heating and Ventilating Apparatus for New Public School 6, Borough of Richmond.

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

person is interested it is requisite that the VERIFICATION be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, 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 household 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.

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 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. 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, September 20, 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 SANITARY WORK AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 178, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN; ALSO FOR SANITARY WORK AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOLS NOS. 125 AND 127, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN; ALSO FOR FURNITURE, PUBLIC SCHOOL 84 AND ADDITIONS, 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, SEPTEMBER 24, 1900,

for Sanitary Work at New Public School 178, Borough of Manhattan; also for Sanitary Work at New Public Schools 125 and 127, Borough of Brooklyn; also for Furniture, Public School 84 and Additions, 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 Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000) for Sanitary Work at New Public School 178, Borough of Manhattan; the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000) for Sanitary Work at Public Schools 125 and 127, Borough of Brooklyn, and the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) for each item of Furniture for Public School 84 and Additions, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, 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 Corpora-

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

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

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, September 13, 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 182,
 EAST SIDE OF AVENUE C, BETWEEN
 EIGHTH AND NINTH STREETS, UNION-
 PORT, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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, SEPTEMBER 24, 1900,

for Erecting New Public School 182, east side of Ave-
 nue C, between Eighth and Ninth streets, Unionport,
 Borough of The Bronx.

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

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 per-
 formance of the contract by his or their bond, with two
 sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Seventy-five
 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 in-
 terested with him or them therein, and if no other per-
 son 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 colli-
 sion 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 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 Cor-
 poration 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 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 accom-
 panied 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 per-
 sons making the same within three days after the con-
 tract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse
 or neglect within five days after notice that the con-
 tract has been awarded to him, to execute the same,
 the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited
 and retained by The City of New York as liquidated
 damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall
 execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the
 amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract
 may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract
 within five days after written notice that the same has
 been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, or if he or
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 proper security, he or they will be considered as having
 abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and
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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.
 Such work and materials must conform in every
 respect to printed specifications and plans. Bidders
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 ticulars of the articles, etc., required, before making
 their estimates.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank pro-
 posals 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 pro-
 posals submitted if deemed for the best interests of the
 City so to do.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, September 11, 1900.
 RICHARD H. ADAMS,
 CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
 ABRAHAM STERN,
 WILLIAM J. COLE,
 PATRICK J. WHITE,
 JOHN R. THOMPSON,
 JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
 Committee on Buildings.

SUPREME COURT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New
 York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements
 and hereditaments required for the purpose of
 opening THIRD AVENUE, from Sixtieth street on
 the line of New Utrecht to the Shore Driveway, in
 the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City
 of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE
 undersigned, were appointed by an order of the
 Supreme Court, bearing date the 18th day of Septem-
 ber, 1899, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of
 the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of
 Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day
 of September, 1899, a copy of which order was duly
 filed in the office of the Register of the County of
 Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances,
 Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the
 purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and
 assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the
 benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be,
 to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons
 respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands,
 tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the
 purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-
 mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly
 set forth and described in the petition of The City of
 New York and also in the notice of the application for
 the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office
 of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 18th day
 of September, 1899; and a just and equitable estimate and
 assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of
 said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and
 formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and
 persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said
 respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises
 not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and
 forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascer-
 taining and defining the extent and boundaries of the
 respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be
 assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and
 duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater
 New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplemen-
 tary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate
 taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said
 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any
 claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required
 to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned
 Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our
 office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20,
 Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of
 New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the
 said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty
 days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance
 at our said office on the 12th day of October, 1900, at 3
 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said
 parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such
 time and place, and at such further or other time and
 place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in
 relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant
 or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations
 as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of
 The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New
 York, September 17, 1900.

SOLON BARBANELL,
 GEORGE J. O'KEEFE,
 JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
 Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN,
 Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street
 Opening and Improvement of The City of New York,
 by the Counsel to the Corporation of said City, relative
 to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and
 Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain
 lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises on the
 east side of The City of New York, bounded by
 HESTER, ESSEX, DIVISION, NORFOLK,
 SUFFOLK, CANAL, RUTGERS AND JEFFER-
 SON STREETS AND EAST BROADWAY,
 duly selected, located and laid out as and for a
 public park, under and in pursuance of the provisions
 of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, and of chapter
 320 of the Laws of 1897.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSION-
 ers of Estimate, duly appointed in the above-
 entitled proceeding, hereby give notice to the owner or
 owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respect-
 ively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements,
 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, lessees,
 parties and persons respectively entitled to or interest-
 ed in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding
 or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report
 or transcript of such estimate, together with our dam-
 age map, in the office of the Department of Public
 Parks 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
 thirty days after the first publication of this notice,
 August 28, 1900, file their objections to such estimate in
 writing with us at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth
 floor of the Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row,
 in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, as
 provided by section 4 of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1897,
 and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties
 so objecting at our said office on the 5th day of October,
 1900, at 10.30 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, to be held in Part III, in the
 County Court-house, in The City of New York, Bor-
 ough of Manhattan, on the 11th day of October, 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 New York, August 25, 1900.
 EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL,
 MICHAEL COLEMAN,
 ARTHUR INGRAHAM,
 Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
 Clerk.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"MORNING JOURNAL," "TELE-
 graph."
 Evening—"Daily News," "Commercial Advertiser."
 Weekly—"Weekly Union."
 Semi-weekly—"Harlem Local Reporter."
 German—"Morgen Journal."

WILLIAM A. BUTLER,
 Supervisor, City Record.

SEPTEMBER 6, 1890.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
 Clerk of the Police Department of The City
 of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the
 following property, now in his custody, without claim-
 ants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing,
 boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods,
 liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from
 prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.
 ANDREW J. LALOR,
 Property Clerk.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROP-
 erty Clerk of the Police Department of The City
 of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough
 of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his cus-
 tody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male
 and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, dia-
 monds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount
 money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen
 of this Department.
 CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
 Deputy Property Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 6127, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Vyse
 street, between East One Hundred and Seventy-sev-
 enth street (Tremont avenue) and East One Hundred
 and Eightieth street (Samuel street).

List 6128, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Anna
 place, from the existing sewer in Webster avenue to
 the existing sewer in Brook avenue.

List 6130, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in Bain-
 bridge avenue, from the existing sewer in East Two
 Hundredth street (Southern Boulevard) to the summit
 south of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street
 (Travers street).

List 6144, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in East
 One Hundred and Seventy-first street, between Wash-
 ington avenue and Fulton avenue, and in Fulton
 avenue, between St. Paul's place and Wendover avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Vyse street, from One Hundred
 and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Eighty-
 first street; east side of Daly avenue, from One Hun-
 dred and Seventy-ninth street to One Hundred and
 Eighty-first street, and both sides of One Hundred and
 Seventy-ninth street and One Hundred and Eightieth
 street, from Daly avenue to Vyse street.

No. 2. Both sides of Anna place, from Webster ave-
 nue to Brook avenue, and both sides of Brook avenue,
 from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to One Hun-
 dred and Seventieth street.

No. 3. Both sides of Bainbridge avenue, from One
 Hundred and Ninety-seventh street to Two Hundredth
 street, and both sides of One Hundred and Ninety-
 ninth street, from Briggs avenue to Bainbridge avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-first
 street, from Washington avenue to Fulton avenue; both
 sides of Third avenue, from Wendover avenue to One
 Hundred and Seventy-first street; both sides of Cro-
 tona place, from St. Paul's place to One Hundred and
 Seventy-first street; both sides of Fulton avenue, from
 St. Paul's place to Wendover avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-
 named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to
 the same, or either of them, are requested to present
 their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the
 Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on
 or before October 16, 1900, at 11 A. M., at which time
 and place the said objections will be heard and testi-
 mony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD MCCUE,
 EDWARD CAHILL,
 THOS. A. WILSON,
 PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
 JOHN B. MEYENBORG,
 Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
 Secretary.

No. 320 Broadway.
 CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
 September 14, 1900.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL
 persons claiming to have been injured by a
 change of grade in the regulating and grading of the
 following-named streets, to present their claims, in
 writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors,
 No. 320 Broadway, on or before September 25, 1900, at
 11 o'clock, A. M., at which place and time the said
 Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony
 of the nature and extent of such injury.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 6296. Clinton avenue, from Crotona Park, North,
 to One Hundred and Eighty-second street.

List 6297. Boscobel avenue, from Jerome avenue to
 Washington Bridge.

List 6298. Mott avenue, from Park avenue (Railroad
 avenue, East) to East One Hundred and Sixty-first
 street.

List 6299. Spencer place, from East One Hundred

and Forty-fourth street to East One Hundred and
 Fiftieth street.

List 6341. One Hundred* and Seventy-third street,
 from Southern Boulevard to West Farms road.

List 6342. Walton avenue, from One Hundred and
 Thirty-eighth street to One Hundred and Fiftieth
 street.

List 6343. Fox street (Simpson street), from West-
 chester avenue to Freeman street.

List 6368. Bathgate avenue, from Wendover avenue
 to One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street.

EDWARD MCCUE,
 EDWARD CAHILL,
 THOS. A. WILSON,
 PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
 JOHN B. MEYENBORG,
 Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
 Secretary.

No. 320 Broadway.
 CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
 September 12, 1900.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 6082, No. 1. Outlet sewer in Sewerage District
 No. 29, with sewers in Boulevard Lafayette, between
 the summit south of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth
 street and summit north of One Hundred and Eighty-
 first street, and in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street,
 between Boulevard Lafayette avenue and Fort
 Washington avenue.

List 6275, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and
 flagging Naegle avenue, from Kingsbridge road to
 Tenth avenue, except between Kingsbridge road and
 Dyckman street.

List 6292, No. 3. Alteration and improvement to out-
 let sewer in Jackson street, between the East river and
 Front street, and new sewer in South street, between
 Jackson street and Gouverneur slip.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 6097, No. 4. Sewers and appurtenances in
 Southern Boulevard, from the existing sewer at Inter-
 vale avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh
 street; in Westchester avenue, from Barretto street to
 Southern Boulevard; in West Farms road, from South-
 ern Boulevard to East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh
 street, and in Fox street, from Westchester avenue to
 summit north.

List 6125, No. 5. Sewer and appurtenances in Clark
 place, Marcy place and Elliot place, between the
 existing sewer in Jerome avenue and the Concourse,
 and in East One Hundred and Seventieth street, from
 the existing sewer in Jerome avenue to a point 130 feet
 east of Walton avenue.

List 6126, No. 6. Sewer and appurtenances in Creston
 avenue, from the existing sewer in Fordham road to
 Kingsbridge road.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Boulevard Lafayette, from a
 point distant about 740 feet south of One Hundred and
 Sixty-fifth street to a point distant about 470 feet north
 of One Hundred and Eighty-first street; both sides of
 Fort Washington avenue, from a point distant about
 564 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to
 a point distant about 580 feet north of One Hundred
 and Eighty-first street; west side of Broadway, from
 One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to One Hun-
 dred and Seventy-third street; both sides of
 Haven avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-
 second street to One Hundred and Seventy-second
 street; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street,
 from Broadway to Boulevard Lafayette; both sides of
 One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Broadway to
 Fort Washington avenue; both sides of One Hundred
 and Seventieth and One Hundred and Seventy-first
 streets, from Broadway to Haven avenue; both sides
 of Depot lane, from Fort Washington avenue to Boule-
 vard Lafayette and both sides of One Hundred and
 Eighty-first street, from Fort Washington avenue to
 Boulevard Lafayette.

No. 2. Both sides of Naegle avenue, from Dyckman
 street to Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the
 block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Jackson street, from Madison
 street to the East river; north side of South street,
 extending about 310 feet west of Jackson street; both
 sides of Front street, extending from a point distant
 346 feet east of Gouverneur slip to Jackson street; both
 sides of Water street, from a point distant about 317
 feet east of Scammell street to Jackson street; both sides
 of Cherry street, from a point distant about 407 feet
 east of Scammell street to Jackson street; both sides of
 Monroe street, from a point distant about 268 feet east
 of Scammell street to Jackson street.

No. 4. Both sides of Southern Boulevard, from Inter-
 vale avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street;
 both sides of Barretto street, from a point distant about
 122 feet east of Whitlock avenue to a point distant about
 610 feet north of Dongan street; both sides of Tiffany
 street, from a point distant about 150 feet east of
 Whitlock avenue to Fox street; both sides of
 Hunt's Point road, from a point distant about 155
 feet east of Whitlock avenue to Southern Boule-
 vard; both sides of Dongan street, from Southern
 Boulevard to Barretto street; both sides of
 Westchester avenue, from Faile street to Bar-
 retto street; both sides of West Farms road, from
 Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh
 street; both sides of Hoe street, from West Farms road
 to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; both sides
 of Aldus street, from Southern Boulevard to Hoe street;
 both sides of Whitlock avenue, from Hunt's Point road
 to a point distant half-way between Lafayette avenue
 and Tiffany street; both sides of Fox street, from
 Barretto street to a point distant about 225 feet south of
 One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, and both sides
 of Hoe street, from Aldus street to Gutenberg street.

No. 5. Both sides of Clark place, from Jerome ave-
 nue to the Concourse; both sides of Marcy place,
 from Jerome avenue to the Concourse; both sides of
 Elliot place, from Jerome avenue to the Concourse;
 both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from
 Jerome avenue to the Concourse; both sides of One
 Hundred and Seventy-first street, from Townsend ave-
 nue to the Concourse; both sides of Townsend avenue,
 from One Hundred and Seventieth to One Hundred and
 Seventy-second streets; both sides of Walton avenue,
 from Clark place to One Hundred and Seventy-second
 street; both sides of Wythe avenue, from One Hun-
 dred and Seventieth to One Hundred and Seventy-
 second street, and west side of the Concourse, from
 One Hundred and Sixty-ninth to One Hundred and
 Seventy-second street.

No. 6. Both sides of Creston avenue, from Fordham
 road to Kingsbridge road, and both sides of One Hun-
 dred and Ninety-first street, from Morris avenue to
 Creston avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-
 named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to
 the same, or either of them, are requested to present
 their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the
 Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on
 or before October 16, 1900, at 11 A. M., at which time
 and place the said objections will be heard and testi-
 mony received in reference thereto.

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