



Henry Rodgers, No. 2634 Bainbridge street, Brooklyn.  
 Etna Hoffman,  
 A. M. Gillette, No. 207 South Portland avenue, Brooklyn.  
 Charles Palmer, No. 107 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.  
 William A. Maguire, No. 385 East Fourth street, Manhattan.  
 Darius W. Ellinger, No. 611 Broadway, Manhattan.  
 Denis A. Judge, No. 421 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn.  
 Daniel F. Libby, No. 51 St. Paul's avenue, Tompkinsville.  
 John J. Burke.  
 E. J. Croato, No. 103 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn.  
 Rudolph C. Fidler, No. 228 Clermont avenue, Brooklyn.  
 John Anderson, No. 30 Third avenue, Brooklyn.  
 John S. Cohen, No. 35 Greene avenue, Brooklyn.  
 G. Haven Wilson, No. 11 Furrow street, Manhattan.  
 Robert W. Hinchman, No. 5 Leroy street, Manhattan.  
 Louis J. Hoesinger, No. 37 Vandam street, Manhattan.  
 Henry Franklin, No. 433 Hudson street, Manhattan.  
 Charles F. Gokey, Cropsy avenue and Bay Twenty-second street, Bath Beach, Brooklyn.  
 Frank Orin, No. 154 Spring street, Manhattan.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1898.

No. 121.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Jamaica Improvement Celebration Committee to parade with bands through the streets of Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, on the 10th day of April, 1898.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1898.  
 Adopted by the Council, April 5, 1898.  
 Approved by the Mayor, April 5, 1898.

No. 122.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Blomner Cycle Club to parade with file and drum corps and trucks, from Fourteenth street along Eighth avenue to Fifty-ninth street, to Columbus avenue, to One Hundred and Tenth street, to Boulevard, to Fifty-ninth street, to Ninth avenue, to Fourteenth street, to Tenth avenue, to Fifty-ninth street, to Eighth avenue, to Fourteenth street, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police, such permission to continue only during April 30, May 2, 3 and 4, 1898.  
 Adopted by the Council, March 22, 1898.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 29, 1898.  
 Approved by the Mayor, April 6, 1898.

No. 123.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Harlem Independence Club to suspend a banner across One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from the southwest corner to the northwest corner of Third avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that the consents of the property owners have been granted; hereof, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for one month from the date of approval by His Honor the Mayor.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 29, 1898.  
 Adopted by the Council, March 29, 1898.  
 Approved by the Mayor, April 7, 1898.

No. 124.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Manhattan Association of New York to place a temporary on the lamp-post at the northeast corner of Avenue A and Second street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until April 24, 1898.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 29, 1898.  
 Adopted by the Council, April 3, 1898.  
 Approved by the Mayor, April 7, 1898.

No. 125.

Whereas, On the 21 day of February, 1898, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment duly passed a resolution reading as follows:  
 Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of the Greater New York Charter, the funds received and to be received by the Chamberlain, as in that section provided, he and the same are hereby, in part, appropriated and apportioned as follows:

Salaries and Expenses of Coroner in the Borough of Manhattan.

Salaries of four Coronors, at \$6,000 each	\$24,000 00
Salaries of four Physicians, at \$3,000 each	12,000 00
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coronors	3,000 00
Contingent expenses of four Coronors, including Clerk and office hire, at \$3,000 each	12,000 00
Post-mortem examinations—chemical analyses	3,500 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coronors	2,500 00
Salary of Replevin Clerk	2,200 00
Salaries of two Assistant Clerks for night service, at \$1,500 each	3,000 00
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	\$61,200 00

Salaries and Expenses of Coroner in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Salaries of two Coronors, at \$6,000 each	\$12,000 00
Salaries of two Physicians, at \$3,000 each	6,000 00
Salary of Clerk of the Board of Coronors	3,000 00
Contingent expenses of two Coronors, including Clerk and office hire, at \$3,000 each	6,000 00
Post-mortem examinations—chemical analyses	1,500 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coronors	2,000 00
Salary of one Assistant Clerk for night service	1,000 00
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	\$31,500 00

Salaries and Expenses of Coroner in the Borough of The Bronx.

Salaries of two Coronors, at \$6,000 each	\$12,000 00
Salaries of two Physicians, at \$3,000 each	6,000 00
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coronors	3,000 00
Contingent expenses of two Coronors, including Clerk and office hire, at \$3,000 each	6,000 00
Post-mortem examinations—chemical analyses	500 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coronors	2,000 00
Salary of one Assistant Clerk for night service	1,200 00
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	\$30,700 00

Salaries and Expenses of Coroner in the Borough of Queens.

Salaries of three Coronors, at \$4,000 each	\$12,000 00
Salaries of three Physicians, at \$1,500 each	4,500 00
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coronors	1,500 00
Contingent expenses of three Coronors, at \$250 each	750 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coronors	1,200 00
Post-mortem examinations—chemical analyses	500 00
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	\$20,450 00

Salaries and Expenses of Coroner in the Borough of Richmond.

Salaries of two Coronors, at \$4,000 each	\$8,000 00
Salaries of two Physicians, at \$1,500 each	3,000 00
Salary of the Clerk of the Board of Coronors	1,500 00
Contingent expenses of two Coronors, at \$250 each	500 00
Post-mortem examinations—chemical analyses	500 00
Salary of Stenographer to Board of Coronors	1,200 00
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	\$14,700 00
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	\$158,550 00

And Whereas, It is provided by section 1571 of the Greater New York Charter, as follows:  
 "The salaries or other compensation of said Coronors shall be fixed by the board of estimate and apportionment and the municipal assembly."  
 Resolved, By the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, that the resolution passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21 day of February, 1898, fixing the salaries and compensation of the Coronors be and the same hereby is approved.  
 Adopted by the Council, March 8, 1898.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1898.  
 Approved by the Mayor, April 9, 1898.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

BOARDS OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The Local Board of the Borough of Queens met at the Borough Hall, late Long Island City City Hall, Friday, March 25, 1898.  
 Present—Councilman Joseph Cassidy, Aldermen Joseph Geiser and William F. James, and President Frederick Bowley.

On motion, reading of the minutes of previous meetings was dispensed with.  
 Edward J. Knauer, Esq., as Counsel for James Birchett, who heretofore filed complaint of nuisance in Blocks 32 and 33, Fourth Ward, late Long Island City, appeared before the Board and stated that F. Hopkins Smith, No. 150 East Thirty-fourth street, New York City, who is the representative of the owner of the greater portion of the lands complained of in Block 33, had been at this office this A. M., in response to notice received from this Board, and that he had agreed to cause the abatement of the nuisance complained of.

The President called upon the owners of the other lots, as complained against, to come forward and be heard, and as none appeared the following was duly adopted:

Whereas, Complaint was made by James Birchett of nuisance existing in vacant lots in Block 32, Fourth Ward, late Long Island City, and

Whereas, Notice thereof and time for hearing thereon, before this Board, on this date, was duly mailed to Charles Figge, of No. 631 West Fortieth street, as owner of said lots, and

Whereas, No response was made to such notice, therefore

Resolved, That the attention of the Board of Health be and the same is hereby directed to such public nuisance, and respectfully requested to cause the prompt abatement thereof.

A committee from the Taxpayers' General Improvement Association of Ingle-side, Flushing, Third Ward, this borough, appeared before the Local Board, and were heard in support of the following, as submitted by them:

To the Board of Local Improvements of the Borough of Queens, City of New York:  
 The undersigned, property owners, at Ingle-side, Flushing, Third Ward, Borough of Queens, respectfully ask that the construction of the sewerage system planned for this section of the territory, and contracted for by the Board of Trustees of the former Village of Flushing, be commenced at the earliest date possible.

There are at present some seventy houses in the district to be drained by that portion of the system now under contract and many more are now under agreement to be constructed.

Number of signatures thereto are forty-nine. Accompanying the foregoing petition was a communication from William Zeigler, No. 62 Liberty street, New York City, dated March 24, 1898, in which he concludes as follows: "The taxpayers demand that there shall be no further delay in the matter."

Both of the foregoing were ordered on file.

Mr. Fitzpatrick, of Tuohy & Co., contractors, Flushing, made statement that award of contract for putting in sewers in Ingle-side, now the subject before this Board, was made in his firm in November of 1897, that the agreement was duly entered into that the sewers are to be constructed with pipe of various sizes from eight inches to twenty-four inches in diameter, that the chief obstacle to their engaging in carrying out said contract is that payment for the work is not to be made until three months after full completion thereof, which, by reason of the consolidation with The City of New York and the public official declarations of "no funds for public improvements," causes them to hesitate, pending assurances awaited that prompt payment will be made for the work as set forth in the contract.

Thereupon, on motion of Alderman James, seconded by Councilman Cassidy, the following was duly adopted:

Resolved, That this Board does hereby respectfully urge the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers of the Borough of Queens to give the subject matter of petition of residents of Ingle-side to cause the contract made between the Trustees of the Village of Flushing and Messrs. Tuohy & Co., for construction of sewer in said district, his prompt attention, and further

Resolved, That the Secretary transmit a certified copy of the foregoing, as also of the petition and the communication relating thereto, to the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers.

Councilman Cassidy stated to the Board that he observed that in the reconstructing of the highway at Flushing avenue with Jackson avenue, done under contract with the Board of Supervisors, the surface drainage is allowed to flow in and upon private property to its detriment, and of which the owner complains; thereupon it was ordered

That the foregoing facts be communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Highways, and, if the undertaking is completed and accepted and falls under his jurisdiction, to give the matter his prompt attention; otherwise to impart to this Board such information as he may be able to obtain relating to the subject.

The following was received, read and ordered filed:

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
 BOROUGH BUILDING, BOROUGH OF QUEENS,  
 March 25, 1898.

Hon. FREDERICK BOWLEY, New York, President of the Local Board, Borough of Queens.

DEAR SIR—Your communication of March 19, requesting the assistance of this Department for information to determine the cost of paving Flushing avenue, upon the old macadamized roadbed, from North Henry street to the old Bowers Bay road, First Ward, Borough of Queens, was received.

The matter was referred to the Chief Engineer for estimate, and I beg to submit herewith his report and suggestion.

In the matter of improving Flushing avenue, I would recommend that it be paved with second-hand trap-block, between outside rails and curb, the same as the lower part of the avenue is improved.

Length of road 5,200 lineal feet by 25 feet, equals 14,444 square yards, at \$1.25 per square yard..... \$18,055 00

Engineering expenses, etc., about 10 per cent..... 1,805 50

\$19,860 50

Respectfully submitted,

J. P. Madden, Deputy Commissioner of Highways.

On motion of Alderman Geiser, seconded by Councilman Cassidy, it was unanimously

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Borough of Queens, in meeting assembled this 25th day of March, 1898, after fully considering the subject matter hereinafter set forth, as to the present needful condition, and the manner and means whereby best to substantially and economically remedy and improve same, does hereby respectfully recommend to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that it duly approve and authorize by the adoption of proper resolution therefor:

That Flushing avenue, from North Henry street to the old Bowers Bay road, and from the outer rails thereon to the curb along same, be repaved with a good class of second-hand trap-block, to be laid upon the old macadamized roadbed thereon, and to correspond with the other part of the avenue already improved, together with such other action in the premises as may be requisite, and further

Resolved, That a certified copy of the foregoing, with the same of the estimated cost of the repaving, and map of that portion of the said avenue required to be improved, as made by the Deputy Commissioner of Highways of this borough, be transmitted to such Board of Public Improvements, and that the President of this Board urge upon the Board of Public Improvements to give prompt and favorable consideration and action to the principal and important highway.

The subject of complaint of M. E. Carey, as noticed at the last meeting of this Board, since which time his agent called at this office and explained that the nuisance as existing as therein specified was caused by a Mr. Schatz, owner of premises No. 303 Raddee street, having a drain therefrom leading the waste water upon adjacent lowlands, there forming a pool of stagnant water, both offensive and detrimental to health.

The Secretary having stated that due notice of the matter complained of, and of the time at which this meeting would be held and that the subject would then be acted upon, and no response having been made by the said Mr. Schatz to the call of the President thereon,

On motion of Councilman Cassidy, seconded by Alderman Geiser, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Health be and it is hereby respectfully requested to compel the abatement of the nuisance maintained by Mr. Schatz at No. 303 Raddee street, First Ward, this borough, caused by drainage of waste water from his said premises into and upon adjoining lowlands, there forming pool of stagnant water.

The following was received, read and filed:

MARCH 25, 1898.

Hon. FREDERICK BOWLEY, President of the Local Board, Borough of Queens:

DEAR SIR—Your communication of March 19, requesting the assistance of this Department for information to determine the cost of macadamizing Thomson avenue to the extent of twenty feet wide was received.

The matter was referred to the Chief Engineer of this Department for estimate, and I beg to report the following result:

MACADAMIZING THOMSON AVENUE.

This avenue will require the resurfacing of that portion thereof from Jackson avenue to the bridge over Dutch Kills Creek, and from Vandam street to the old city limit, and the new macadam-

izing of the balance of the avenue from the bridge over Dutch Kill Creek to Vandam street, as the former macadamizing is entirely worn out by traffic.

Estimated Cost.

Table with 2 columns: Description of work and Cost. Includes items like 'Resurfacing 5,600 lineal feet...' and 'New macadam, 1,900 lineal feet...'.

Respectfully submitted, JOHN P. MADDEN, Deputy Commissioner of Highways.

On motion of Councilman Cassidy, seconded by Alderman Geiser, it was Resolved, That the Local Board of the Borough of Queens, in meeting assembled this 25th day of March, 1898...

On motion, adjourned to April 1, 1898, at 10 A. M.

JOSEPH FIESEL, Secretary.

CITY COURT.

CITY COURT OF NEW YORK, Clerk's Office, April 7, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record: DEAR SIR—Pursuant to the provisions of section 1528, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1898, you are hereby notified...

Respectfully, EDWARD F. O'DWYER, Justice, City Court of New York.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES, New York, April 6, 1898.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, April 8, 1898:

Table with 3 columns: DATE, NUMBER OF LICENSES, AMOUNT. Lists data for Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and a Total.

DAVID J. BOURE, City of Bureau of Licenses.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled AN ACT to confirm and legalize certain taxes heretofore levied...

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled AN ACT to provide in and for the county of Kings an additional court...

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor on Tuesday, April 12, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOARD OF ALDERMEN, CITY HALL, April 7, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record: SIR—Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Aldermanic Committee on Finance on Monday, April 11, 1898, at 12 o'clock M.

Also a meeting of the Aldermanic Committee on Rules on Monday, April 11, 1898, at 1 o'clock P. M.

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...

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE: No. 5 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS: Room 209, Stewart Building, 10th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. PETER J. DOOLING, MAURICE J. BROWN, WILLIAM H. TIERNEY, CHARLES H. MURRAY, and THE MAYOR...

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS: Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN C. HEINLE and EDWARD OWEN.

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS: THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary. Address: Thomas L. Fitch, Stewart Building.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY: THE COUNCIL: McMONAGH GROSSBERGER, President of the Council; P. J. SCHEPP, City Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN: THOMAS F. WOODS, President; MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

BOROUGH PRESIDENTS: Borough of Manhattan: Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, No. 10, 41 and 42, City Hall.

Borough of the Bronx: Office of the President of the Borough of the Bronx, 300th Third Avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street.

Borough of Queens: President's Office, No. 1 through Hall; 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Borough of Richmond: FRANKLIN HOWLAND, President. Office, Long Island City; 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Sunday, from 9 A. M. until 12 M.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS: No. 340 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. MAURICE F. HOLABAN, President.

Department of Highways: No. 150 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

Department of Sewers: No. 205 and 207 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

Department of Bridges: Room 377, Stewart Building, Chambers Street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Department of Water Supply: No. 150 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies: No. 340 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. HENRY S. COLES, Comptroller.

Department of Street Cleaning: No. 340 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JAMES MCCARTHEY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Department of Parks: Aerial Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 M. GEORGE C. CLARKE, President, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies: No. 340 Broadway, Room 144, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. HENRY S. COLES, Comptroller of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Comptroller's Office: Stewart Building, Chambers Street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. HENRY S. COLES, Comptroller. MICHAEL F. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain: Nos. 25 and 27 Stewart Building, Chambers Street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. PATRICK KERRAN, City Chamberlain.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR: No. 111 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM M. HORN, Public Administrator.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of Corporation Counsel: Seats: Zeigler Building, 3d and 4th floors, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. JOHN WHELAN, Corporation Counsel.

Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes: Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau for the Secretary of Penalties: Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau Street. ADRIAN T. KERRAN, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES: Central Office: No. 66 Third Avenue, corner Eleventh Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT: Central Office: No. 350 Mulberry Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. BENJAMIN J. YORK, President of the Board.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION: Central Office: No. 148 East Twenty-ninth Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. FRANK J. LESTER, Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT: Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 M. Headquarters: Nos. 127 and 129 East Sixty-seventh Street.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION: BOARD OF EDUCATION: No. 140 Grand Street, Borough of Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION: School Board for the Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx: No. 146 Grand Street, Borough of Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION: School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn: No. 151 Livingston Street, Brooklyn.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION: School Board for the Borough of Queens: Flushing, L. I. G. HOWLAND LEAVITT, President.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION: School Board for the Borough of Richmond: Stapleton, Staten Island. FRANK PHELPS, President.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH: New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. MICHAEL C. MURPHY, President.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH: DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES: Pier "A," N. E. Battery Place. J. SEABURY CRAIG, President.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH: DEPARTMENT OF PARKS: Aerial Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 M. GEORGE C. CLARKE, President.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH: DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS: Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 M. THOMAS L. FITCH, President.

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DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS: Main Office, No. 100 Fourth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan. THOMAS J. BRADY, President.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS: Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, No. 100 Fourth Avenue.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS: Office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS: Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 M. THOMAS L. FITCH, President.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS: Office, No. 125 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EDWARD CARROLL, THOMAS A. WOODS, JOHN WHELAN.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION: Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, between Franklin and White Streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS: FREDERICK W. GIBSON, RICHARD T. WOODS, JR., HARRY JAMES WHITNEY, THOMAS N. MULLAY.

BOARD OF ESTIMATES AND APPOINTMENT: The Mayor, Chairman; THOMAS L. FITCH, President.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND: The Mayor, Chairman; JOHN S. COLE, Comptroller.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE: Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS J. DUNN, Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE: East Side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ISAAC FROST, Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS: Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers Street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS: No. 411 Fifth Avenue. H. W. GRAY, Commissioner.

N. Y. COUNTY JAIL: No. 75 Ludlow Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. PATRICK H. JOHNSON, Warden.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE: Nos. 7 and 9 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM SHERMAN, County Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE: And Successors of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books. No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION: Commissioners' Office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers Street, New York, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY: New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ASA BEN GARDNER, District Attorney.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION: TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS. Room 21, Schermerhorn Building.

COLONERS: Borough of Manhattan. Office, New Criminal Court Building.

Borough of the Bronx: ANTHONY MCOWEN, THOMAS M. LYBELL, Borough of Brooklyn: ANTHONY J. BERGER, GEORGE W. DELANEY.





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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of said box until such check or money has been retained 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. In the successful bidder's case the amount of the deposit made by him shall be retained, and he shall execute the contract within the time stipulated therefor or such longer or shorter time as shall be fixed by the Corporation, and 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 be in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-awarded and retel as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Francis J. Lantry, Commissioner of Correction. Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twenty-third Street, New York City, April 11, 1898. PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASING AND FRESH COWS MILK FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Sealed bids or estimates for furnishing the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, with fresh cows milk, during the year 1898, in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction in New York City, until 10 o'clock, Monday, April 13, 1898.

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All goods to be delivered in installments as may be required during the year 1898. No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors, to be delivered in installments as required, except such as are designated in the specifications. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, labeled "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods, Hardware, etc., for the Kings County Penitentiary," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner of Correction, or his duly authorized agent, and read.

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 62, Chapter 478, Laws of 1889. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per centum of the bid for each article.

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Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or security, trust or deposit companies in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled 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.

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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 be in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-awarded and retel as provided by law. The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates. Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested. Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested. Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

- 1. 3,800 pounds Butter known as Western Extra Creamery or Fancy State Creamery. 2. 1,600 pounds Cheese State Factory full Cream American and bearing State Brand, made of no base. 3. 27,000 pounds Rio Coffee Roasted.

- 4. 1,500 pounds Oolong Tea, Black, in half chests, free from all admixtures and its original packages.
- 5. 1,500 pounds Bacon (Prime Quality) City cured to average 6 pounds each.
- 6. 6,000 pounds Hams (Prime Quality) City cured to average 14 pounds each.
- 7. 9,000 pounds Prime Kettle rendered Lard, in packages about 50 pounds each.
- 8. 50 sacks Prime Quality American Salt.
- 9. 20 bushels Coarse Salt.
- 10. 100 pounds Saltpetre.
- 11. 35,000 pounds Granulated Sugar, "Standard."
- 12. 4,000 pounds Powdered Sugar, "Standard."
- 13. 170 gallons Syrup.
- 14. 1,200 dozen Eggs, are to be fresh and candied at time of delivery, to be furnished in cases of equal size.
- 15. 16,000 pounds Beans, not older than crop of 1897.
- 16. 11,000 pounds Brown Soap, of the grade known to the trade as "Commercially Pure Safford Family Soap," to be delivered within 90 days after the award has been made. The soap to be delivered in boxes holding about 80 pounds, and the weight to be determined on its arrival at the Kings County Penitentiary, an average tare being based upon the weight of twenty boxes selected at random from each delivery. The soap must be free from added carbonate of soda, silicates of soda, mineral soap stock or other foreign material. It must be of good firmness, soluble in ten parts alcohol of ninety-four per cent, and contain not more than thirty-three per cent of water. Empty soap boxes to be returned and the price bid for same to be deducted from bills by the contractor.
- 17. 27 barrels Soap Chips.
- 18. 50 pounds White Castile Soap.
- 19. 2,500 pounds No. 1 Oars (bags to be returned).
- 20. 700 pounds Fine Meal, free from admixtures, in bags of 100 pounds net (bags to be returned).
- 21. 7,000 pounds A No. 1 Timothy Hay, weight allowed as revealed at Kings County Penitentiary.
- 22. 90 barrels Soda Bicarbonate (empty barrels to be returned).
- 23. 400 gallons Malt Vinegar, Prime Quality (empty barrels to be returned).
- 24. 10 pounds Ground Allspice.
- 25. 250 pounds No. 3 Barley.
- 26. 500 pounds Baking Powder.
- 27. 300 pounds Macaroni.
- 28. 60 pounds Pure Mustard.
- 29. 200 pounds Rolled Oats.
- 30. 200 pounds Ground Pepper, pure, in (bags of lbs.
- 31. 200 pounds Peas.
- 32. 40 pounds Cava starch.
- 33. 400 pounds Laundry Starch.
- 34. 150 pounds Indian.
- 35. 20 dozen Canned Corn.
- 36. 400 dozen Canned Peas.
- 37. 400 dozen Canned Beans.
- 38. 200 dozen Canned Potatoes.
- 39. 400 dozen Canned Tomatoes.
- 40. 400 dozen Canned Salmon.
- 41. 20 dozen Canned Eggs.
- 42. 20 dozen Chiff Sausage.
- 43. 25 dozen Gelatine, "Eagle."
- 44. 7,000 pounds Common Currant Jelly.
- 45. 3000 Best Olive Oil (quarts).
- 46. 400 dozen papers Tissues.
- 47. 20 dozen Napkins, "Margarine."
- 48. 20 boxes Raisins.
- 49. 1,500 pounds Rice.
- 50. 1 box Bait Brick.
- 51. 14 pounds Ground Cloves.
- 52. 10 pounds Cloves.
- 53. 30 pounds Ground Ginger.
- 54. 15 boxes Military's Hair (fine hair).
- 55. 6 barrels salt, Soda (prime quality) about 140 pounds each.
- 56. 5000 pounds Bologna Sausage (1 ounce pieces) Union factory make.

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

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

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 64, chapter 413, Laws of 1897.

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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 first furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry on promptly and regularly the contract, if it is awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Correction, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIFTY (50) per cent, of the bid for each article.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION  
City of New York,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROS,  
March 29, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR W. C. MATERIALS FOR WORKHOUSE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING W. C. MATERIALS for the Workhouse, in conformity with specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 140 East Twentieth Street, in the City of New York, until Monday, April 11, 1898, at 10 A. M.

All goods to be delivered on dock, free of all expense, and at least twenty days before, in Blockwell's Island Workhouse, and quantities allowed as received there.

- 1. Water-closets, Flats 107, G. MEN'S.
- 2. Cupped-floor Wood Cisterns.
- 3. 3-inch by 3-inch T.V. Brackets.
- 4. 3-inch by 3-inch T.V. Brackets.
- 5. 3-inch Straight Brass Brackets.
- 6. 3-inch by 3-inch T.V. Brackets.
- 7. 4-inch by 3-inch T.V. Brackets.
- 8. 3-inch by 3-inch C. I. Brackets.
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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 first furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Bathing" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry on promptly and regularly the contract, if it is awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioner of Correction, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either 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 person making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall

check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct.

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...

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, at such time as the Commissioner may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully.

FRANCIS J. LANEY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, MARCH 20, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR HARDEN METALS, IMPLEMENTS, ETC., 1898.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Garden Seeds, Implements, etc., and other supplies during the year 1898, in conformity with resolutions adopted by the Board of Correction...

All bids to be delivered on the first day of all supplies at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 142 East Twenty-sixth Street, The City of New York, between April 12 and 15, 1898.

FRANCIS J. LANEY, Commissioner.

- 1 pound No. 1 Early Kentucky Blue... 1 pound No. 1 Early Kentucky Blue... 1 pound No. 1 Early Kentucky Blue...

WASHING MACHINE PARTS.

- 3 pounds Red Large Globe Onions... 3 pounds Yellow Globe Onions... 3 pounds White Paris Silver Onions...

- 1 ounce Sade... 1 ounce English Thyme... 1 ounce Thorburn Gill Edge Cauliflower... 1 ounce Large Alsters Cauliflower...

or them therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact, also that it is made without any collusion or fraud...

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or trust or security companies, providing some amount to one thousand dollars or over, in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence...

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract...

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...

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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, No. 142 EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, MARCH 20, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR HARDWARE, STEAM-FITTINGS AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Supplies during the year 1898, in conformity with Resolutions adopted by the Board of Correction...

All bids to be delivered on the first day of all supplies at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 142 East Twenty-sixth Street, The City of New York, between April 12 and 15, 1898.

- Five STRAINERS MONSIEUR-ROULE... 2 Bales picked Waste... 25 pounds Assorted Packing...

- 47 1/2 inch Union Couplings... 48 1/2 inch Union Couplings... 49 1/2 inch Union Couplings... 50 1/2 inch Union Couplings...

FOR NEW YORK PENITENTIARY.

- 200 feet 1 1/2 inch Ex. Heavy Bk Iron Pipe... 100 feet each 1 1/2, 2, 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/2 and 5 inch Bk Iron Steam Pipe...









INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

THE INTEREST DUE MAY 1, 1898, ON THE REGISTERED BONDS AND STOCKS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK...

The Transfer Books will be closed from March 25 to May 2, 1898.

The interest due May 1, 1898, on the Coupon Bonds and Stocks of the City of New York, will be paid on that day by the Kalkreuth Trust Company...

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller, CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, MARCH 31, 1898.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Office President of the Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 11, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 102 OF CHAPTER 378 OF THE LAWS OF 1897...

JOHN J. SCANNELL, President.

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BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Office President of the Borough of the Bronx, New York, April 11, 1898.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters Fire Department, New York, April 11, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FOUR HORSES REGISTERED NUMBERS 1002, 1012, 1022, 1032...

JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

Headquarters Fire Department, New York, April 11, 1898.

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BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Board of Public Improvements, No. 348 Broadway.

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, PROPOSE TO ALTER THE MAP OR PLAN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK...

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 435, of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of the City of New York...

Beginning at a point at the intersection of Duane and New Elm street, elevation of established grade 22 feet above city base; thence northward along the center line of New Elm street to center line of Pearl street, elevation 28 feet; thence northward along center line of Elm street to the center line of Worth street, elevation 22 feet.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Duane street and old Elm street, elevation 22.25 feet, thence northward along the center line of old Elm street to center of Pearl street, elevation 20 feet, thence northward along center line of old Elm street to center line of Worth street, elevation 22 feet.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Centre street and Pearl street, elevation 33 feet, thence northward along the center line of Pearl street to the center line of New Elm street, elevation 38 feet, thence northward to the center line of old Elm street, elevation 30 feet; thence northward to a point in said center line of Pearl street, distant 200 feet, westerly from old Elm street, elevation 22.45 feet.

All elevations above city base. Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grade of the above-named streets at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the office of this Board, at No. 348 Broadway, on the 23rd day of April, 1898, 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 change of grade of the above-named streets will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the above said time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 15th day of April, 1898.

Dated New York, March 11, 1898.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

Department of Highways, Commissioner's Office, No. 120 Nassau Street, New York, April 7, 1898.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY APRIL 25, 1898, AT 10 P. M., the Department of Highways will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Peter F. Meyer & Co., auctioneers, the following articles: Stools, benches, boat blackstands, abandoned furniture, vehicles, telegraph poles, electric wire, packing boxes, push carts, office furniture and sales, appliances of old lumber, building material, stripping stones, iron stoves, stumps and wrought iron.

The sale will begin at the Corporation Yard, No. 415 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street; thence to Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues; thence to Twenty-fourth street, East river, and Irvington street, East river, respectively.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, No. 260 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING, January 5, 1898.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 102 OF CHAPTER 378 OF THE LAWS OF 1897, THAT THE BOOKS CALLED "THE ANNUAL RECORDS OF THE ASSESSED VALUATION OF REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX," WILL BE OPEN FOR EXAMINATION AND CORRECTION ON THE SECOND MONDAY OF JANUARY, AND WILL REMAIN OPEN UNTIL THE FIRST DAY OF MAY, 1898.

During the time that the books are open to public inspection application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate, to have the same corrected; in the Borough of Manhattan at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and in the Borough of the Bronx, at the Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third Avenue.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturdays, when all applications must be made between 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

THOMAS L. FEITNER, EDWARD C. SHERBY, THOMAS J. PATTERSON, WILLIAM F. GRIFFIN, ARTHUR C. SALMON, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

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