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## LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Corporation Counsel for the week ending May 7, 1898.

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

### SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

COURT.	RECEIVED.	WHEN COMMENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme, Kings Co.	2 350	May 4	Kenny, Thomas	For salary as Keeper of Bath No. 4 in Brooklyn, for January, 1898, \$61.27.
Supreme, Kings Co.	2 351	" 4	Kirk, Benjamin	For salary as Keeper of Bath No. 3 in Brooklyn, for January, 1898, \$61.27.
Supreme, Kings Co.	2 352	" 4	Goebel, Robert	To recover amount of two bonds issued by the Town of Westchester, \$4,000.
Supreme, Kings Co.	2 353	" 4	McLean, Colin	For payment due under contract for construction of the Brooklyn tower foundations for the New East River Bridge, \$12,156.73.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 354	" 4	Brown, Mary F.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.25.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 355	" 4	Carolan, Anna M.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 356	" 4	Colligan, Mary A.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 357	" 4	Denoy, Anna E. J.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 358	" 4	Dyer, Rose J.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.2.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 359	" 4	E Fitzgerald, Pauline	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 360	" 4	Gand, Harriet	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$7.25.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 361	" 4	Kelly, Tharrel F.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 362	" 4	Lyon, Ellen C.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 363	" 4	Murza, Zdenka	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$10.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 364	" 4	McAlpin, Mary	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 365	" 4	McCarron, Mary A.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$5.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 366	" 4	McCloskey, Susie F.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$5.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 367	" 4	McCauley, Anna	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 368	" 4	Parks, Janet R.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 369	" 4	Perrino, Elizabeth	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$10.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 370	" 4	Terry, Margaret L.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 371	" 4	Vasbath, Mary A.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.5.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 372	" 4	Wasteling, May	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 373	" 4	Welling, Anna J.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$7.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 374	" 4	Wood, Mary J.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.2.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 375	" 4	Middleberger, Arthur	To recover, as assignee of Peter J. Sheridan, for salary as Deputy City Clerk of Long Island City, \$100.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 376	" 4	Middleberger, Percy	To recover, as assignee of Peter J. Sheridan, for salary as Deputy City Clerk of Long Island City, \$100.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 377	" 4	Stern, Michael	To recover, as assignee of William Gillis, for salary as Driver in Long Island City Fire Department, \$42.23.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 378	" 4	Brown, Augustus C.	To restrain actions in Municipal Court for penalties for not removing snow and ice from the pavement in front of premises at Seventh avenue and One Hundred and forty-seventh street.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 379	" 4	McGowan, Mary A., as trustee of Andrew J. McGowan, deceased, vs. Louis Goldstein, the Mayor, et al.	To foreclose a mortgage on premises in Sheriff street.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 380	" 4	Ewart, Louis F. (No. 1)	To recover salary as Policeman in Long Island City, \$20.13.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 381	" 4	Ewart, Louis F. (No. 2)	To recover salary as Policeman in Long Island City, \$26.28.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 382	" 4	Parks, William P.	To recover salary as Policeman in Long Island City, \$350.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 383	" 4	Colgan, Mary R.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$12.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 384	" 4	Dease, Teresa A.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$10.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 385	" 4	Dampney, Agnes M.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$10.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 386	" 4	McAtost, Allen	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$6.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 387	" 4	O'Brien, Margaret	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$3.25.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 388	" 4	Ris, Lily May	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$4.2.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 389	" 4	Shen, Catherine	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$7.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 390	" 4	Smith, Helen	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$7.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 391	" 4	Tobin, Josephine M.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$7.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 392	" 4	Murphy, Rosebelle L.	To recover award made for premises in One Hundred and Fourth street, taken for a school site, \$4,850.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 393	" 4	Kroschke, B. & Sons, vs. Peter McCabe, The City of New York, Thomas J. Dunn, et al.	To foreclose lien on contract for erecting school-house on St. Nicholas avenue.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 394	" 4	Whelan, Sarah	Damages for personal injuries received by falling on defective pavement in Sixty-sixth street, \$5,000.
Supreme, Kings Co.	2 395	" 4	Smith, Edward	For balance of salary for January, 1898, for services as Office Boy in Corporation Counsel's office, Brooklyn, \$46.33.

COURT.	RECEIVED.	WHEN COMMENCED.	TITLE OF ACTION.	NATURE OF ACTION.
Supreme, Kings Co.	2 396	May 3	Deane, George F.	For balance of salary for January, 1898, as Clerk in Corporation Counsel's office, Brooklyn, \$13.88.
Supreme, Kings Co.	2 397	" 3	Morgan, Rollin M., J. Monro, Lieberman and William Tatt.	For fees as Commissioners in Lunacy to inquire into sanity of Charles Shapiro, \$450.
Supreme, Kings Co.	2 398	" 3	Campbell, Charles S.	For services as Commissioner in Lunacy to inquire into sanity of Richard E. Graf, \$200.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 399	" 3	Adams, James	To recover compensation for services as Ballot Clerk in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 400	" 3	Dumler, Philip H.	To recover compensation for services as Inspector of Election in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 401	" 3	Faehl, Herman	To recover compensation for services as Inspector of Election in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 402	" 3	Ford, Thomas	To recover compensation for services as Ballot Clerk in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 403	" 3	Freshy, Charles W.	To recover compensation for services as Inspector of Election in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 404	" 3	Hahnrecht, John	To recover compensation for services as Ballot Clerk in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 405	" 3	Hobson, Frank, Jr.	To recover compensation for services as Poll Clerk in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 406	" 3	Lowley, Edward	To recover compensation for services as Inspector of Election in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 407	" 3	Mahrtens, John	To recover compensation for services as Inspector of Election in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 408	" 3	New, Isaac W.	To recover compensation for services as Inspector of Election in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 409	" 3	Rushie, William J.	To recover compensation for services as Inspector of Election in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 410	" 3	Ronney, William J.	To recover compensation for services as Poll Clerk in Long Island City in 1897, \$40.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 411	" 3	Campbell, Charles S.	For fees as Commissioner in Lunacy to inquire into the sanity of Patrick Henry Lynch, \$200.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 412	" 3	Pallock, Francis W.	For fees as Commissioner in Lunacy to inquire into the sanity of Patrick Henry Lynch, \$200.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 413	" 3	McNamara, Charles	For salary as Assessor of Long Island City in 1897, \$12.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 414	" 3	Hogan, Michael F.	For salary as Assessor of Long Island City in 1897, \$12.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 415	" 3	Burke, Thomas P.	For salary as Counsel in the Corporation of Long Island City during 1897, \$1,680.00.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 416	" 3	Brady, John	For groceries furnished to the poor of Long Island City at the direction of the Overseer of the Poor, \$84.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 417	" 3	Rune, Marie	For groceries furnished to the poor of Long Island City at the direction of the Overseer of the Poor, \$17.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 418	" 3	Wahl, Mary	For groceries furnished to the poor of Long Island City at the direction of the Overseer of the Poor, \$14.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 419	" 3	Clark, Owen	To recover salary as Member of the General Improvement Commission of Long Island City during 1897, \$749.07.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 420	" 3	Newsham, John	To recover salary as Member of the General Improvement Commission of Long Island City during 1897, \$772.02.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 421	" 3	Whool, Owen	To recover salary as Member of the General Improvement Commission of Long Island City during 1897, \$480.25.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 422	" 3	Gleason, Patrick J.	For salary as Mayor of Long Island City for December, 1897, \$208.17.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 423	" 3	Murphy, Patrick J.	To recover, as assignee of George A. McNulty and Richard E. Kane, salary as Alderman of Long Island City for December, 1897, \$100.
Supreme, Queens Co.	(1) 414	" 3	Clark, Fanny P., et al. (In re).	To vacate assessment for paving Front street, from Whitehall to Roosevelt street.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 424	" 3	(Strong, Benjamin G. (ex rel.) vs. Leonard Koch, Jr. et al.)	To determine the right in the office of Corner of Long Island City.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 425	" 3	Gregg, George A. vs. Patrick J. Callahan	Summons only served.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 426	" 3	McGrattan, Andrew (ex rel.) vs. The Board of Police Commissioners	Mandamus to compel defendants to recognize relator and restore him to the Police force.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 427	" 3	Ding, Sarah L.	Damages for personal injuries by falling from Brooklyn Bridge cable car, \$2,000.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 428	" 3	Smith, Elizabeth R.	For salary as Substitute Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, \$7.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 429	" 3	Support, Jacob	For balance of extra bonus for 1897, \$173.97.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 430	" 3	Abearn, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$18.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 431	" 3	Baker, Joseph	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$165.66.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 432	" 3	Canon, Michael	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$207.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 433	" 3	Clardy, Patrick	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$12.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 434	" 3	Conlin, James	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$24.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 435	" 3	Corran, Michael	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$18.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 436	" 3	Daly, Eugene	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$14.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 437	" 3	Dermody, James	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$10.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 438	" 3	Duffy, Peter	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$15.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 439	" 3	Ewart, Louis F. (No. 3)	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$100.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 440	" 3	Ewart, Louis F. (No. 4)	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$15.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 441	" 3	Farrell, James	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$15.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 442	" 3	Feehan, Thomas	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$15.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 443	" 3	Foley, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$12.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 444	" 3	Harvey, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$12.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 445	" 3	Hatfield, Thomas	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$12.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 446	" 3	Healy, Robert	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$12.50.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 447	" 3	Hilbert, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$15.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 448	" 3	Hopkins, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$15.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 449	" 3	Horan, Christopher	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$21.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 450	" 3	Horan, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$10.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 451	" 3	Hudson, Joseph	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$10.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 452	" 3	Hudson, Robert	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$10.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 453	" 3	Hunt, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$10.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 454	" 3	Kelly, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$10.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 455	" 3	Lang, Edward	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$10.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 456	" 3	Lantier, Robert	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$10.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 457	" 3	Lassen, Bernard	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$10.
Supreme, Queens Co.	2 458	" 3	Maer, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, \$10.



Class.	Date.	When Commenced.	Title of Action.	Nature of Action.
Sums...	27	May	Wagner, James	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	McVoler, Alexander	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	McCarthy, James	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	McKway, Patrick	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	Maloney, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	Mason, John W.	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	Minahan, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	Morphy, Daniel, Jr.	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	O'Connell, Joseph	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	Reeves, William	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	Reynolds, James	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	Rosen, David	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	Reagan, William	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	Small, Frank	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	Smith, John	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	Smith, Michael	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	Walsh, Christopher	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	Walsh, James	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	Wideman, Michael	For salary as Employee of the Board of Water Commissioners in Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	Winters, Susan E.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Wright, Mary E.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
	27	"	Colligan, Mary E.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Frank, James E.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
	27	"	Griffin, Michael, Jr.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	M. Kenna, Leonard J.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
	27	"	Griffin, Abby	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Frank, Margaret E.	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
	27	"	Ballard, David	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Raney, Ann	For salary as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
	27	"	Scott, James F.	To recover as teacher of City Park, damages on property located Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	Frederick, Thomas	For salary as Superintendent of the Department of Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	Thomas, Matthew F.	For salary as Superintendent of the Department of Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	Seaman, Frank W.	For salary as Employee of the Department of Long Island City, 1897.
	27	"	Conroy, Thomas	Damages for personal injuries by falling on defective sidewalk in City, 1897.
Sums...	27	"	Smith, George Henry and Francis N. Harding vs. Isaac McKee, Esq. City of New York, 1897.	To recover for an amount for school taxes on 21 1/2 lots located in City, 1897.
	27	"	George James A. and George J. Conroy vs. The Comptroller	Mandamus to compel payment of award by premises taken for City, 1897.
Sums...	27	"	Robert Adams	Damages for personal injuries by falling on defective sidewalk in City, 1897.
	27	"	Robert Foye	To recover for an amount for school taxes on 21 1/2 lots located in City, 1897.

Augustus C. Tate vs. William Dalton, Commissioner, etc.—Motion argued and submitted before Van Wyck, J.; W. J. Carr for the City.

Arthur H. Cameron vs. The City of New York—Tried before Gaynor, J., and jury; complaint dismissed; W. Hughes for the City.

Blaschke Ryan vs. The City of Brooklyn—Tried before Gaynor, J., and jury; complaint dismissed; W. Hughes for the City.

People ex rel. Queens County Bank vs. The Comptroller—Motion for writ of mandamus argued before Malins, J.; motion denied; J. W. Coombes for the City.

People ex rel. Mary A. Sutton vs. Thomas I. Feitser et al.—Motion for writ of mandamus argued before Van Wyck, J.; decision reserved; K. P. Chittenden for the City.

Alanus Heymer vs. John M. Gray, Fire Marshal, etc.—Tried before Gaynor, J., and jury; decision reserved; W. J. Carr for the City.

Hearings Before Commissioners of Estimate in Connection Proceedings.

St. Nicholas Park, (two hearings); Riverside Park, two hearings; Eleventh Ward Park, one hearing; Hall of Records site, one hearing; C. D. Olenford and G. Landon for the City.

Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Ward claims, one hearing; R. C. Beatty for the City.

JOHN WIALEN, Corporation Counsel.

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SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

Date.	When Filed.	When Commenced.	Title of Action.	Nature of Action.
Sums...	27	May	Landon, Logan (ex rel.) vs. Earl S. Coler, Comptroller	Mandamus to compel payment of amount due on contract for St. John's Park, 1897.
" "	27	"	O'Leary, Agnes C. and Bernard Koff (ex rel.) vs. Earl S. Coler, Comptroller	Mandamus to compel payment of amount due under contract for repairs, etc., Pier foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, 1897.
" "	27	"	Henshaw, James (ex rel.) vs. Earl S. Coler, Comptroller	Mandamus to compel payment of amount due under contract for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, 1897.
Sums...	27	"	Myers, Max M.	To recover an assignee of Herman Metzger amount of Long Island City warrant, 1897.
" "	27	"	Myers, Rudolph M.	To recover, as assignee of Thomas H. Sweeney, for salary as Principal of School No. 6, in Long Island City, 1897.
" "	27	"	Valian, Charles W. (ex rel.) vs. Earl S. Coler, Comptroller	Mandamus to compel payment of amount due under contract for regulating, etc., Tiffany street, 1897.
" "	27	"	Whitman, Frederick H. and P. V. Smith (ex rel.) vs. Earl S. Coler, Comptroller	Mandamus to compel payment of amount due under contract for building sewers in Prospect avenue, 1897.
" "	27	"	Flynn, Peter H., Thomas P. Flynn and Catherine E. Flynn	To recover title to premises Nos. 479 West Seventeenth street, by reason of a claim of title by the City of New York.
ph. Jud. Div.	27	"	Johnson, L. Austin vs. John F. Horan	To recover possession of money in the hands of the Property Clerk, 1897.
" "	27	"	Myers, Robert (ex rel.) vs. Earl S. Coler, Comptroller	Mandamus to compel payment of award made for premises taken in opening One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Assauration avenue and the Boulevard, 1897.
Sums...	27	"	Hughes, Benjamin (ex rel.) vs. Earl S. Coler, Comptroller	Mandamus to compel reinstatement of salary to position of Paymaster in Comptroller's Office.
Sums...	27	"	Kavanaugh, David J.	To recover amount of salary due for services as Policeman in Long Island City, 1897.
Sums...	27	"	Jacob, Alfred	For salary as Draftsman to the Board of Education, for March, 1897, 1897.
Sums...	27	"	Conroy, John	Damages for injuries received by being thrown from a sign, by collision with obstruction in St. Marks place, Brooklyn, 1897.
" "	27	"	Camphill, Emil E.	For salary as Draftsman to the Board of Education, for March, 1897, 1897.
" "	27	"	Hagan, Sarah	For services as Teacher in Long Island City Public Schools, 1897.
Sums...	27	"	Callan, Thomas	For printing and publishing official notices of Board of Assessors and others in Queens County, 1897.
" "	27	"	Leahy, Patrick E.	For salary as Employee of Long Island City Board of Assessors, 1897.
" "	27	"	Mahony, Jeremiah	For salary as Employee of Long Island City Board of Assessors, 1897.
Sums...	27	"	Allen, Joseph M.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Allen, C. F.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Anderson, Martha R.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Anderson, James	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Anderson, Gladys E.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Ballamy, K. W.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Bell, Clara E.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Beyer, Magdalena	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Bird, Judith	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Bird, Frances	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Brown, Francis L.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Buck, Nellie M.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Burkley, Eliza	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Burke, A. Hall	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Burns, Eliza A.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Carey, Lizzie M.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Chase, Elizabeth	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Christopher, Anna L.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Clack, Sara M.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Cole, Annie E.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Conrad, James A.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Crewe, William A.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Crofton, Jesse J.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Cropley, Diablah	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Combs, Della	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Curry, Agnes B.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Carson, Lucy Q.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Denio, L. H.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Denyse, Louise V.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Dillon, Agnes E.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Disovan, T. P.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Duyle, Margaret B.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Driscoll, Mary A.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Driskill, John J.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Egan, Anne D.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.
" "	27	"	Egbert, Katherine W.	For salary as Teacher in Richmond County Public Schools, 1897.

JUDGMENTS, ORDERS AND DECREES ENTERED.

People ex rel. Edwin B. Carson vs. James King, Commissioner, etc.—Order entered denying motion for mandamus.

In re Jacob Scholle—Order entered directing judgment on taxing assessment.

People ex rel. Michael DeLong vs. Michael J. York et al., Police Commissioners (and seven other similar proceedings)—Orders entered directing peremptory writs of mandamus to issue, directing reinstatement of relations with 200 costs.

People ex rel. Edward D. McLaughlin vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Judgment entered in plaintiff in favor of defendants with \$412 costs.

People ex rel. Metropolitan Street Railway Company vs. The Tax Commissioners; People ex rel. Metropolitan Street Railway Company vs. The Tax Commissioners—Orders entered granting writs of prohibition.

People ex rel. William Johnson vs. James Keary, etc.—Order entered denying motion for injunction on a pending temporary injunction.

People ex rel. City of New York vs. The City of New York—Order entered granting leave to the City to deposit the amount in controversy in court and withdrawing Anne B. Platt as defendant in place of the City.

Matter of the Estate of Cornelius Carlin—Decree entered confirming report of Referee.

People ex rel. Mary J. Baker vs. Charles McNamara et al.—Order entered directing correction of assessment.

Matter of Mathilda Marlden—Order entered confirming report of Referee.

John Nagor vs. The City of Brooklyn—Order entered denying motion for new trial.

John of Ward vs. The City of Brooklyn—Judgment entered in favor of the defendants with costs.

Conroy, George vs. The City of Brooklyn—Order entered discontinuing the action without costs.

Berlin Schaffhaus vs. The City of Brooklyn—Order entered affirming order granting motion for injunction.

Judgments were entered in favor of the plaintiffs in the following actions: Frederick W. Mayer, \$4,105.58; John W. Russell, \$250; Edward Leroy et al. vs. The Health Department, \$712; Thomas F. James, \$61.86; James McKee, \$45.14; Joseph McManus, \$34.77; Frank Cass and another \$30.50; John Roscher, \$6,070; Blackstone National Bank, \$4,778.50.

SCHEDULE "B."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED AND ADJUDICATED.

William Scott, an infant, etc.—Tried before Stover, J., and jury; verdict for the plaintiff for \$5,000; C. B. Blandy and H. S. Rankins for the City.

Edwin Davidson, an infant, etc.; Lena Tompert, administratrix, etc.; People ex rel. Joseph Ridley vs. R. J. York, et al.—Motions for preference made before Truax, J.; motions granted; J. H. Greener for the City.

People ex rel. Charles Remsen and another vs. The County Clerk—Motion by writ of certiorari argued before Buchoff, J.; decision reserved; C. A. O'Neil for the City.

People ex rel. Earl S. Coler, Comptroller, vs. Daniel Lord et al. and Catherine E. Rapp—Argued at the Appellate Division; decision reserved; R. C. Beatty for the City; "Writ dismissed with costs."

Matter of Gansvoort street school site (award proceeding)—Reference proceeded and adjourned; G. Landon for the City.

People ex rel. Maria W. Livingston vs. Isaac Fromms, Register—Motion for writ of mandamus submitted to Buchoff, J.; J. C. Blandy for the City.

People ex rel. Thomas Purdie vs. The Board of Police Commissioners—Submitted at the Appellate Division; T. Farley and W. B. Crowell for the City; "Proceedings affirmed with costs."

People ex rel. William J. Barry and John W. Keller, etc.—Motion for writ of mandamus argued before Buchoff, J.; alternative writ granted; W. B. Crowell for the City.

People ex rel. Benjamin E. Strong vs. Buchoff, Jr.—Motion for injunction made and granted; J. T. Malone for the City.

Charles N. Howard vs. The City of Brooklyn—Argued at the Appellate Division; decision reserved; A. F. Jenks for the City.















FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending January 29, 1898.

Table with columns for Department, Description, and Amount. Includes sections for Deposits in the City Treasury, Receipts Required for Payment, Department of Public Works, Department of Public Parks, Department of Street Improvements, Department of Public Charities, and Public Charities and Correction.

Table with columns for Department, Description, and Amount. Includes sections for Department of Correction, Department of Correction—Building Fund, Health Department, Police Department, Department Street Cleaning, Fire Department, Department of Buildings, The College of the City of New York, The Normal College of the City of New York, The Board of Education, The Judiciary, Department of City Works, Civil Service of the City of New York, The Bureau of Elections, The Sheriff, Commissioners of Accounts, The Board of Excise, Department of Dock, and Miscellaneous.

Awards, Change of Grade Damage Commission.

Table with columns: DATE, NAME, AWARDS, ATTORNEY'S FEE. Includes entry for Marie L. Chartrand.



Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, etc.

Main table containing court cases with columns for Court, Name of Plaintiff, Amount, Nature of Action, Attorney, Date, Name of Claimant, Amount, Nature of Claim, and Attorney.

Claims Filed.

Table of claims filed with columns for Date, Name of Claimant, Amount, Nature of Claim, and Attorney.

CONTRACTS EXECUTED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898, AND REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 29, 1898.

Table of contracts with columns for No., Date of Contract, Department, Name of Contractor, Name of Surety, Description of Work, and Cost.



No.	Date of Contract.	Department.	Name of Contractor.	Name of Surety.	Amount of Bond.	Description of Work.	Cost.
17334	Dec. 26, 1897	Public Works	The Housing Payment Company	American Surety Company of New York Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	\$5,000.00	For regulating and paving with asphalt-block pavement on concrete foundation, One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from east side of St. Nicholas Terrace to Lawrence street. Estimate	\$8,733 90
17335	" 29 "	"	The California Asphalt Company	The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia National Surety Company	14,000.00	For regulating and paving with asphalt-block pavement on concrete foundation, Clarendon avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street. Estimate	41,200 22
17336	" 31 "	"	Fredrick E. Glaser	John Ryan John Murray	4,000.00	Sewer in Clarendon avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-second and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets. Estimate	7,192 00
17337	" 31 "	"	Stann & Thurston	The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	8,000.00	For regulating and paving with asphalt-block pavement on concrete foundation, One Hundredth street, from First to Second avenue. Estimate	5,368 40
17338	" 31 "	"	Thomas Gillman	William F. Cunningham Thomas Moloney	4,500.00	Flagging, curbing, etc., sidewalks on Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue. Estimate	5,748 00
17339	" 31 "	"	"	William Dalton	210.00	Flagging, reflagging, curbing and recurbing, etc., sidewalks north side of Eighty-first street, commencing at Boulevard and extending west about 100 feet. Estimate	232 88
17340	" 27 "	"	Robert E. Winters	James S. Segrave	100.00	Flagging, reflagging, curbing, recurbing, etc., north side of Ninety-eighth street, from Boulevard 100 feet west. Estimate	204 34
17341	" 29 "	"	Fickler & Self	The American Surety Company of New York The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City	8,000.00	Flagging, reflagging, curbing, recurbing, etc., Eighth avenue, from Thirtieth to Fifty-ninth street; on west side of Central Park, West, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Tenth street, and on Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river. Estimate	25,477 45
17342	" 29 "	"	James P. Pritchard	John Pierce Charles A. Brown	7,500.00	Regulating and paving with granite or syenite block pavement, with concrete foundation, One Hundred and Forty-third street, from the Boulevard to New York Central Railroad tracks. Estimate	8,414 70
17343	" 31 "	"	"	John Perry Charles A. Brown	1,000.00	Regulating and paving with granite or syenite block pavement, with concrete foundation, Fifty-fourth street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue. Estimate	8,226 30
17344	" 26 "	"	"	John Pierce Charles A. Brown	8,000.00	Regulating and paving with granite or syenite block pavement, with concrete foundation, One Hundred and First street, from First avenue to the East or Harlem river, so far as the same is and is not within the limits of grants of land under water. Estimate	7,384 50
17345	" 14 "	"	William E. Baird	James Baird Manber Baird	370.00	Regulating and paving with granite or syenite block pavement, with concrete foundation, One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from St. Nicholas avenue to East side of St. Nicholas Terrace. Estimate	1,503 90
17346	1898 4 "	"	Charles Mitchell	William Kelly Hugh Kelly	1,000.00	Regulating and paving with granite or syenite block pavement, with concrete foundation, Moore street, from Jackson to Grand street, so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water. Estimate	4,118 50
17347	Dec. 3 "	"	John Twissam, Jr. Byrant S. Palmer	Henry D. Lyman The American Surety Company of New York	10,000.00	For the improvement of White Pond and outlet in the Town of Kent, Putnam County, New York. Estimate	45,437 50
17348	" 10 "	"	W. J. Boughey	The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland The American Surety Company of New York	20,000.00	Regulating and grading Sherman avenue, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, and setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks. Estimate	26,747 55
17349	" 15 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	Joseph A. Flynn	Cyrus S. Sedgwick The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	1,000.00	Sewer and appurtenances in Tishorn avenue, from existing sewer in East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to the square north. Estimate	2,643 75
17350	" 10 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	Joseph A. Flynn	Joseph A. Flynn The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	25,000.00	Sewers and appurtenances in various avenues and streets within the district bounded by Fifteenth street, White Plains avenue, Morris street and the Bronx river. Estimate	44,153 15
17351	" 8 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	William J. Harmon	Louis Eckwert William Hodgson	1,900.00	Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, between Webster and Park avenues, and in Park avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-third and East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets. Estimate	3,721 95
17352	" 10 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	W. R. Williams	Louis E. De La Vergne The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City	10,000.00	Sewer and appurtenances in Bainbridge avenue, from Kingsbridge road to summit north of East One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street; in East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, from Bainbridge avenue to Kingsbridge road; in Irving avenue, from East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth to East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street. Estimate	20,700 60
17353	" 25 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	E. J. McLaughlin	G. Koloszek Thomas Gullayitz	5,000.00	Sewer and appurtenances in Voss street, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Tremont avenue) and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street (Summit street). Estimate	10,530 00
17354	" 15 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	George Clark	The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City	20,000.00	Sewers and appurtenances in Crescent avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Arthur avenue, and in Arthur avenue, between Crescent avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, and in Adams place, between Crescent avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, and in Hughes avenue, between Crescent avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, and in Belmont avenue, between Crescent avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, and in Cambridge avenue, between Crescent avenue and Grove street, and in Beaumont avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh and East One Hundred and Eighty-third streets. Estimate	45,841 00
17355	" 14 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	Thalcano & Smith	Charles A. Brown John Finning	7,500.00	Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street (Charles place), from the existing sewer in River avenue to the Concourse. Estimate	14,357 00
17356	" 20 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	William E. Baird	Matthew Baird James Baird	3,000.00	Regulating and paving with granite-block pavement and laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Third avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, East. Estimate	4,701 00
17357	" 10 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	E. J. Seligson	The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia The American Surety Company of New York	21,000.00	Sewers and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Forty-first street, from the existing sewer in Walnut avenue to Cypress avenue, and in Wales avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-first street to East One Hundred and Forty-second street, and in East One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Wales to Powers avenue, and in Robius avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-first to St. Mary's street, and Powers avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-first to St. Mary's street, and in Southern Boulevard, west side, from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to East One Hundred and Forty-second street, and in Southern Boulevard, east side, from East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Whitlock avenue. Estimate	71,579 70
17358	" 20 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	James Sheehan	The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City	25,000.00	Completing a sewer and appurtenances in St. Joseph's street, from the existing sewer at Timpan place to Robius avenue, with branches as follows: Southern Boulevard, both sides, between St. Joseph's street and summit north of Dater street; in Union avenue, between Southern Boulevard and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; in Wales avenue, between St. Joseph's street and summit north of Dater street; in Conant avenue, between St. Joseph's and Dater streets; in Beach avenue, between Southern Boulevard and summit north of Dater street. Estimate	42,105 00
17359	" 18 "	Public Works	O'Brien, Sheehan & McLean	The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	100,000.00	For furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the materials necessary to erect and complete, so far as herein specified, for the construction of a viaduct, with its approaches, being Section 1 of the extension of Riverside Drive, from near One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, and over and upon Twelfth avenue to near One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street. Estimate	270,019 00
17360	" 23 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	Spencer & Mahr	The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City The American Surety Company of New York	1,400.00	Regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street (Arcularius place), from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse. Estimate	5,895 05
17361	" 21 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	"	The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City The American Surety Company	1,000.00	Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from River to Walton avenue. Estimate	1,899 00
17362	" 20 "	Public Parks	John H. Parker Company	The National Surety Company The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	25,000.00	For furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the materials necessary to erect and complete, so far as herein specified, in the Botanical Garden in Bronx Park, in The City of New York, the new museum building and power-house and stable and closet group and other appurtenances, and including all the necessary blasting and excavating, drains, foundations, concrete, brickwork, rubble-stone work, filling and ramming of trenches, grading, mason work, custom work, cementing, plastering and stucco-work, fireproofing, slate work, tiling and marble work; cast-iron, wrought-iron and steel work, skylights, galvanized-iron and wire work, copper and other metal work, skylights, glazing, roofing, flushings, snow-guards, guttering, leaders, plumbing, gas and other pipes, plumbing fixtures, apparatus, carpenter work, hardware, door and window frames, doors, sashes, glass, shades, electroplating, painting and polishing, steps, platforms, cleaning, heating and other steam work, boilers, pipes, radiators, valves, ventilating ducts, registers and blowers, electric wiring and conduits and apparatus, time detectors, exhibition cases, store shelving and cases, tables and furnishings, chairs and seats and other works. Estimate	347,079 00



No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
17353	Dec. 23, 1897	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	A. C. Gilchrist.	The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland. The American Surety Company of New York.	\$50,000 00	For constructing bridges and abutments at the crossings of Gerard avenue, Walton avenue and River avenue and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, and of Fort Independence street and the New York and Putnam Railroad.	\$82,678 30
17364	" 31 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	William Heath.	E. J. Duffy. John Smith.	5,000 00	For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in Rogers place, from Dawson street to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.	14,674 40
17365	" 31 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	George Clark.	The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City. The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.	10,000 00	For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks, laying crosswalks and placing fences in Wilkins place, from Southern Boulevard to Boston road.	79,482 98
17366	" 31 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	W. J. Rodgers.	The American Surety Company of New York. The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.	4,400 00	For the construction of Rose Hill place, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.	8,707 83
17367	" 8 "	Board of Education.	William Knabe & Co.	The American Surety Company of New York. W. E. Keyes.	2,310 00	Supplying five square pianos and four upright pianos in accordance with specifications, items No. 1 and No. 2.	2,310 00
17368	" 31 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. (Repairing under chapter 149, Laws of 1896.)	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company.	The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland. The American Surety Company of New York.	4,500 00	For repaving with asphalt on present pavement, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from St. Ann's avenue to Cypress avenue.	3,454 07
17369	" 31 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. (Repaving under chapter 31, Laws of 1897.)	George E. Duak.	Michael J. Mahony. Daniel F. Mahony.	27,000 00	For regulating and paving Jerome avenue with macadam pavement, Section 4, from Van Cortlandt avenue to the city line.	16,770 00
17370	" 29 "	Public Parks.	Charles L. Doran.	M. H. Demavan. Charles F. Allen.	5,000 00	For regulating, grading and improving the Edgar Allan Poe Park, bounded by One Hundred and Ninety-second street, the Kingsbridge road and the Concourse in the Twenty-fourth Ward, City of New York.	7,911 81
17371	" 30 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	P. F. Brinboth.	The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland. The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.	150,000 00	For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks, constructing drains and building fences where required in Napier avenue, from Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (East Chester avenue) to Mount Vernon avenue; Onondaga avenue, from Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (East Chester avenue) to Mount Vernon avenue; Kepler avenue, from Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (East Chester avenue) to Mount Vernon avenue; Katonah avenue, from Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (East Chester avenue) to Mount Vernon avenue; Martha avenue, from Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street (Willard street) to city line; Vero avenue, from Two Hundred and Thirty-third street (East Chester avenue) to city line; Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street (Clifford street), from Two Hundred and Thirty-third street to Bronx river; Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street (Willard street), from Mount Vernon avenue to Bronx river; Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street (Opdyke street), from Mount Vernon avenue to Bronx river; Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street (Oakley street), from Napier to Vero avenue; Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street (Kessile street), from Mount Vernon to Vero avenue; Two Hundred and Thirty-ninth street (Knox street), from Mount Vernon to Vero avenue; Two Hundred and Fortieth street (Holly place), from Mount Vernon avenue to city line; Two Hundred and Forty-first street (Hyatt place), from Mount Vernon avenue to city line.	304,073 00
17372	" 23 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	W. J. Rodgers.	The American Surety Company of New York. The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.	35,000 00	For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks and placing fences in Inwood avenue, from Crownwall avenue to Featherbed lane.	27,664 00
17373	" 25 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	"	The American Surety Company of New York. The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.	14,000 00	For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks and placing fences in Walton avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to One Hundred and Fiftieth street.	25,072 44
17374	" 25 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	Godfrey E. Burke.	John A. McCarthy. James McCarthy.	5,500 00	Altering and improving sewers and appurtenances in Rose street, from the existing sewer in Brook avenue to Third avenue; in Third avenue, between Rose street and Elton avenue; in Elton avenue, between Third avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-third street; in East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Elton avenue to a point about seventy feet west to Manhole No. 1; in East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between Third avenue and Melrose avenue; and in Melrose avenue, between East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.	11,510 00
17375	" 25 "	Public Parks.	John F. Johnson.	The American Surety Company of New York. The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.	10,000 00	For furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the materials necessary in erect and complete, so far as herein specified, a Public Laboratory for men in Riverside Park, near One Hundred and Seventh street, in The City of New York, including all the necessary additional hauling and excavating, blind and other drains, foundations, concreting, brickwork, rubble-stone work, filling and ramming of trenches, grading, masonry work, stonework, terracing, fitting, patios and approaches, cast-iron, wrought-iron, steel and galvanized iron and wire work, copper and other metal work, glazing, roofing, flashings, gutting, leaders, gas and other pipes, fixtures, apparatus, carpenter work, hardware, door and window frames, doors, sashes, glass, painting and polishing, steps, platforms, cleaning and other works.	9,731 91
17376	" 10 "	Eng.	E. D. Conolly's Sons.	Edward D. Conolly. Bernard Flood.	1,500 00	For general alterations and additions at the Hospital Stables, Sixty-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.	1,501 00
17377	" 10 "	Public Parks.	R. H. Hood.	The National Surety Company. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	20,000 00	For supplying and erecting wrought-iron or steel railing and granite posts on the Harlem River Driveway, in the Twelfth Ward of The City of New York.	41,662 00
17378	" 24 "	"	Bernard Roll.	The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City. The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.	1,000 00	For performing all the work of removal of the old temporary Swing Bridge Pivot Pier, with fender guards, of the former temporary Macomb's Dam Bridge over the Harlem river at One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.	751 00
17379	" 25 "	"	Thomas C. Murphy.	Daniel J. Leary. James W. Leary.	1,500 00	For constructing a roadway and appurtenances from the Harlem River Driveway to Road House opposite One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of The City of New York.	5,981 00
17380	" 28 "	"	E. & W. B. Smith.	William Paul. Charles Moses Griffin.	2,000 00	For furnishing all the labor and material for making and erecting seven groups cases and repairs to two cases and other work required for the enlargement of the American Museum of Natural History in Manhattan Square, Central Park.	4,312 00
17381	" 30 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	Stephens & O'Rourke.	The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland. The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.	20,000 00	For the construction of a viaduct over the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad and the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad, connecting Melrose avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to the junction of Webster avenue and Brook avenue, at East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in The City of New York.	164,021 30
17382	" 30 "	Commissioner of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	O'Brien, Sheehan & McBean.	The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia. The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City.	75,000 00	For building a bridge and approaches over the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad at One Hundred and Fifty-third street, in The City of New York.	107,643 25

CONTRACTS EXECUTED SINCE JANUARY 1, 1898, AND REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 29, 1898.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
2	Jan. 12, 1898	Highways.	William H. Masterson.	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. The American Surety Company of New York.	\$25,000 00	Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., Marion avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to Moshulu Parkway.	\$14,310 55



Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of bids of the following Department, namely:

January 24. For furnishing hospital supplies and straw for Charities Department.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, namely:

January 24. For regulating, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-third street for Department of Highways. Owen Martin, No. 100 East One Hundredth street, Principal. M. C. Kernan, Harrison N. Y., Sureties. P. Kelly, No. 71 East One Hundred and Eleventh street, Sureties.

January 24. For furnishing forage to Department of Parks. T. B. Hoffman & Co., No. 620 West Thirty-fourth street, Principal. American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City, No. 220 Broadway, Sureties. The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

January 25. Furnishing forage to Department of Street Cleaning. Thomas Lenane, No. 107 West street, Principal. American Surety Company, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties. The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

January 26. Furnishing coal to Department of Correction. Schwartzbach & Muldergar Company, Forty-fifth street and First avenue, Principal. James Ward, No. 70 East Seventy-fifth street, Sureties. E. Snaabroger, Forty-fifth street and First avenue, Sureties.

January 28. Regulating, etc., One Hundred and Eighty-third street for Department of Highways. Haliman & Smith, No. 147 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, Sureties. American Surety Company, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

January 26. Tagging, etc., Seventh avenue for Department of Highways. Fred Steiner, No. 100 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Principal. W. S. Williams, No. 373 East Sixty-ninth street, Sureties. P. Handlister, Jr., No. 770 Fremont avenue, Sureties.

Official Disposition.

January 26. Michael T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller, from Wednesday, January 26, to Tuesday, February 5, 1898.

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

APPROVED PAPERS.

No. 248.

Resolved: That permission to and the same is hereby given to E. Kluemper to erect, place and keep bay windows in front of the second story of his premises on the east side of Riverside avenue one hundred feet north of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that said bay windows shall be erected in conformity with all respects with the provisions of the ordinance relating to bay windows, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 17, 1898.

Adopted by the Council, May 31, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor, June 5, 1898.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, June 11, 1898.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Public Education will hold a public hearing on Friday, June 17, 1898, at 2 o'clock, upon the matter of the independence of Union Free School District No. 22 of the Town of Hempstead.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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 New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.  
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 General Term.  
 Trial Term, Part I.  
 Part II.  
 Part III.  
 Part IV.  
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 Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock.  
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**WALTER LYONS, Justice; FRANK L. BAIRD, Clerk.** Court opens from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying east and west of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.  
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 Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth Avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens 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. RUSSELL, Justice; JOHN E. LYON, Clerk.**  
 Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 124 Clinton street.  
**HENRY M. GOLDENGLAU, Justice; JEREMIAH HAYES, Clerk.**  
 Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second Avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.  
**DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice; ABRAHAM BERGMAN, Clerk.**  
 Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 123 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every

morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.  
**JOHN B. McKEAN, Justice; PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.**  
 Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth Avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and sometimes open to close of business.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.  
 Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.  
**JOSEPH H. SWINNE, Justice; THOMAS COVIGIAN, 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. 32 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**JAMES A. O'GORMAN, Justice; JAMES J. GALLAGAN, 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.  
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**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 Waterford and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
**WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice; JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.**  
 Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third Avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**  
 First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn.  
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 Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 79 Broadway, Brooklyn.  
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 Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard Avenue.  
**ANDREW H. HERRING, Justice; HERMAN GILLIGESON, Clerk; JAMES P. SIKKORT, 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 West Eighth street, near Surf Avenue, Coney Island (located temporarily).  
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**Borough of Queens.**  
 First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly comprising five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).  
**THOMAS C. KAHER, 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 include the territory of the late Town of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Flushing, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.  
**WILLIAM T. MONTVERNE, Justice; HENRY WALLEN, Jr., Clerk.** Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Third District—JAMES F. McLOUGHLIN.

**Borough of Richmond.**  
 First District—First and Third Wards (Town of Easton and Northfield). Court-room, Irons 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 (Town of Middlesex, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Joligwater Village Hall, Stapleton Park, Stapleton.  
**ALBERT RAYMOND, Justice; PETER TIERMAN, 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.

**CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.**  
 Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.  
**City Magistrate**—**HENRY A. BEANS, ROBERT C. CORRELL, LEWIS B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLANNERY, HERMAN C. KUDLICH, CLARENCE W. MRADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, CHARLES E. SHIMS, JR., THOMAS F. WENTWORTH, W. H. McINTYRE, EUGEN DEMAREE, 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. 351 Adams street. **JACOB BRENNAN, Magistrate.**  
 Second District—Court and Butler streets. **HENRY BASTON, Magistrate.**  
 Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt Avenues. **CHARLES E. TRALE, Magistrate.**  
 Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 2 Lee Avenue. **WILLIAM KRAMES, Magistrate.**

**Fifth District—Essex and Powers streets. ANDREW LEWIS, Magistrate.**  
 Sixth District—Gates and Reid Avenues. **LEWIS B. WOOD, Magistrate.**  
 Seventh District—No. 11 Great street, Flatbush. **ALBERT E. STEVENS, Magistrate.**  
 Eighth District—Coey Island. **J. JAY SUTHERLAND, Magistrate.**  
 Borough of Queens.  
 First District—Nos. 21 and 23 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City. **MATTHEW J. SARRA, Magistrate.**  
 Second District—Flushing, Long Island. **JAMES J. COCHRAN, Magistrate.**  
 Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. **EDMUND J. HEALY, Magistrate.**  
 Borough of Richmond.  
 First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. **JOHN CRUICK, Magistrate.**  
 Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. **MATTHEW MARRIS, Magistrate.**  
 Secretary to the Board, **CHARLES B. CHAPIN, Myrtle and Vanderbilt Avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.**

**OFFICIAL PAPERS.**  
**MORNING**—"Morning Journal," "Telegraph."  
**Evening**—"Daily News," "Evening Sun."  
**Weekly**—"Weekly Union," "Irish American," "German," "Morgen Journal."  
**WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor, City Record.**  
 JANUARY 22, 1898.

**DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.**  
**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 OF THE LAWS OF 1895, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, more particularly in chapter 727 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards in the City of New York, and otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereto and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts, will be held at Room 25, St. Nicholas Building, No. 65 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.  
 Dated New York, October 20, 1897.  
**DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Commissioners.**  
**LAWRENCE McLENNAN, Clerk.****

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**  
**OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**  
 New York, June 16, 1898.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 100 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, that petitions signed by residents of the Nineteenth District for Local Improvements, containing a list of Eighty-sixth street and all property thereon, have been filed in this office, and are now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Nineteenth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 27th day of June, 1898, at 12:30 P. M., at which meeting said petitions will be submitted to the Board.  
**AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.**  
**I. E. RIDER, Secretary.****

**OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**  
 New York, June 16, 1898.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 100 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, that petitions signed by residents of the Nineteenth District for Local Improvements, containing a list of Eighty-sixth street, between Lexington and Second Avenues, have been filed in this office, and are now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Nineteenth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 27th day of June, 1898, at 12:30 P. M., at which meeting said petitions will be submitted to the Board.  
**AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.**  
**I. E. RIDER, Secretary.****

**OFFICE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**  
 New York, June 16, 1898.  
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 100 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, that petitions signed by residents of the Nineteenth District for Local Improvements, paying with asphalt Eighty-sixth street, between Lexington and Second Avenues, have been filed in this office, and are now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Local Board of the Nineteenth District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 27th day of June, 1898, at 12:30 P. M., at which meeting said petitions will be submitted to the Board.  
**AUGUSTUS W. PETERS, President.**  
**I. E. RIDER, Secretary.****

**MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.**  
**MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**  
 OFFICE, 125 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, MAY 26, 1898.  
**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT OPEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS WILL BE HELD AT THE OFFICE OF THIS COMMISSION FOR THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS, upon the dates specified:**  
**BOARD OF EDUCATION.** Subjects of examination: City information, duties, arithmetic, experience.  
**Friday, July 2: TOPOGRAPHICAL DRAWING-MAN.** Subjects of examination: Experience, technical, handwriting, mathematics.  
**Friday, July 5: EXAMINERS, BOARD OF EDUCATION.** Subjects of examination: Candidates will be examined in principles of education and required to give sentences of examinations and to set papers. Optional papers will be set in different branches of education.  
**LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.**

**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**  
**I HAVE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING PETITIONS, now on file in my office for inspection, and will submit them to the Local Board of the Fourth District on Monday, June 27, 1898, at 4:30 P. M., in the office of the President of the Borough, Room 4, Borough Hall:**  
 Hopkins street, repaving with asphalt, from Nostand Avenue to 22nd Avenue.  
 Elbert street, repaving with asphalt, from Nostand Avenue to Broadway.  
 South Third street, repaving with granite blocks, from Rodney street to Kent Avenue.  
 South Second street, repaving with asphalt, from Wythe Avenue to Bedford Avenue.  
 Kosciuszko street, flagging sidewalk opposite the lot lying on the south side of Kosciuszko street, between

Stuyvesant Avenue and Lewis Avenue, known as lot 220-23, Block 27, Twenty-first Ward, Manhattan.  
**EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn.**  
**I HAVE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING PETITIONS, now on file in my office for inspection, and will submit them to the Local Board of the Third District on Monday, June 27, at 4 P. M., in the office of the President of the Borough, Room 4, Borough Hall:**  
 Hudson street, repaving with asphalt, from Fulton street to the East River.  
 Local street, repaving with granite blocks, between Willoughby street and Fulton street.  
 Tillary street, repaving with granite blocks, from Westchester street to Raymond street.  
 High street, repaving with asphalt, from Fulton street to Water street.  
 York street, repaving with asphalt, from Fulton street to New street.  
 Brown street, repaving with asphalt, from Fulton street to New street.  
**EDWARD M. GROUT, President, Borough of Brooklyn.**

**DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.**  
 DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
 NEW YORK CITY, JUNE 16, 1898.  
**ON MONDAY, JUNE 27, AT 2 P. M., AT THE EMPLOYEES' PARK WORKSHOPS, Borough of Brooklyn, Thomas A. Kerzian, Auctioneer, will offer for sale at public auction, on behalf of the Department of Parks the following property belonging to the Department of Parks of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens:**  
 1. Philadelphia Hand Lawn Mowers, style "A."  
 2. Philadelphia Hand Lawn Mowers, old style.  
 3. Bailey Hand Lawn Mowers.  
 4. Chardonnay & Colgate's Hand Lawn Mowers.  
 5. Various pieces of iron and brass.  
 Particulars of the foregoing will be required to remove the same from the premises within twenty-four hours of sale, and will also be required to pay cash for the articles immediately upon the sale.

**GRASS SALE.**  
**THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, will sell public stock, by James McCauley, Auctioneer, on TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14 AND 15, 1898,**  
 all the Grass standing on Van Cortlandt, Bronx and Pelham Bay Parks.  
 The grass will be placed at the following points and at the hours mentioned:  
 Van Cortlandt Park, Trampers House, June 14, 11 A. M.  
 Bronx Park, Pelham Station, June 14, 2 P. M.  
 Pelham Bay Park, Elbow's Land, June 15, 11 A. M.  
 The grass on each park will be sold in lots, the purchasers of which will be announced at time of sale.  
 By order of  
**AUGUST MOERIS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.**  
 New York, June 14, 1898.

**THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**  
**A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of The City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 125 Grand street, Borough of Manhattan, on Wednesday, June 23, 1898, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering nominations made by the Executive Committee.**  
**CHAS. BUCKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman.**  
**A. EDWARD PALMER, Secretary.**  
 Dated Borough of Manhattan, June 16, 1898.

**A RELATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of The City of New York will be held at Carnegie Music Hall, Fifty-seventh street and Seventh Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, on Thursday, June 24, 1898, at 7:45 o'clock P. M.**  
**CHAS. BUCKLEY HUBBELL, Chairman.**  
**A. EDWARD PALMER, Secretary.**  
 Dated Borough of Manhattan, June 16, 1898.

**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 following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz:**  
 Borough of THE Bronx.  
 List 5712, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Teller Avenue, from Railroad Avenue, West to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Street, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.  
 List 5708, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks, in Briggs Avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to Mashuda Parkway.  
 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 Teller Avenue, from Railroad Avenue, West to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Street, and to the extent of all the block at the intersecting streets.  
 No. 2. Both sides of Briggs Avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to Mashuda Parkway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-mentioned 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. 30 Broadway, New York, on or before July 19, 1898, at 12 P. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.  
**EDWARD McCUE, EDWARD CAHILL, THOS. A. WILSON, JOHN DELMAR, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, Board of Assessors.**  
**WILLIAM B. JAMES, Secretary.**  
 No. 30 Broadway,  
 CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
 JUNE 17, 1898.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE OWNER or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz:**  
 Borough of THE Bronx.  
 List 5712, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and laying crosswalks in Wolf Street, from Union Street to St. Lawrence Avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.  
 List 5709, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Boston Avenue, from Bailey Avenue to Sedgwick Avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.  
 List 5710, No. 3. Paving Webster Avenue, from the New York and Harlem Railroad Bridge at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Street to the north side of One Hun-



deal and Eighty-fourth street, with granite-block pavement and laying crosswalks.

Lot 10. No. 4. Paving Railroad Avenue West, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, with granite-block pavement and laying crosswalks.

The lands 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 as follows:

No. 1. Both sides of Wall Street, from Union Street to Southwick Avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Nassau Avenue, from Italy Avenue to Southwick Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Webster Avenue, from the south side of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to the north side of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Railroad Avenue, West, from One Hundred and Sixty-second to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 300 Broadway, New York, on or before July 15, 1898, at 12 o'clock A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOMAS A. WILSON,  
JOHN DELMAR,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JACOB,  
Secretary,  
No. 300 Broadway,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
June 15, 1898.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE** owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

Lot 252. No. 1. Regulating grading, curbing and flagging and building sidewalks and steps in One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Jerome Avenue to Vanderbilt Avenue. Work together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

Lot 253. No. 1. Paving Eleventh Avenue, from Twentieth to Twenty-seventh street, with granite pavement so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water.

The lands 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 as follows:

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Jerome Avenue to Vanderbilt Avenue, West, and to the extent of half the block at intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Eleventh Avenue, from Twentieth street to Twenty-seventh street, and to the extent of half the block at intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 300 Broadway, New York, on or before July 15, 1898, at 12 o'clock A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
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THOMAS A. WILSON,  
JOHN DELMAR,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JACOB,  
Secretary,  
No. 300 Broadway,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
June 15, 1898.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE** owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

Lot 254. No. 1. Paving First Avenue, from Thirty-second to Thirty-sixth street, with asphalt and granite-block pavement and laying crosswalks (so far as the same is within the limits of grants of land under water).

The lands 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 as follows:

No. 1. Both sides of First Avenue, from Thirty-second to Thirty-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 300 Broadway, New York, on or before July 15, 1898, at 12 o'clock A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

EDWARD McCUE,  
EDWARD CAHILL,  
THOMAS A. WILSON,  
JOHN DELMAR,  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JACOB,  
Secretary,  
No. 300 Broadway,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
June 15, 1898.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**  
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MADISON STREET.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**  
PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE** Police Department with Stationery will be received in the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock A. M., of **FRIDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF JULY, 1898.**

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

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

Bidders will state the price for the entire schedule, as well as for each item, for which they will contract to supply the articles of stationery, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or by contract for each item.

Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any

bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject all bids should it be deemed to the public interests so to do.

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons in whom the contract may be awarded on 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 consents above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above all liabilities as landlord, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the work required by Law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be judged on approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Should the person or persons in whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, or if he or they accept the contract and then neglect to execute the same, the proper security, or if they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-awarded and reject to be void.

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 by the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the award envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book; and an estimate can be deposited in said book until such check or money has been submitted 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 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.

Samples of all goods, materials, supplies, etc., estimated on and for which bids are submitted must be delivered at the office of the Chief Clerk, when required by the Department.

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,  
WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1898.**  
**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 claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, stained goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolman of this Department.  
JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,** Borough of BROOKLYN.  
**OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY** Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, stained goods, liquors, etc. Also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolman of this Department.  
CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD, Deputy Property Clerk.

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**  
**NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 408 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:

**BOROUGH OF THE BROSSES.**  
**TWENTY-THIRD WARD.**  
**ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET.**  
—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Webster Avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and

Sixty-ninth street, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Webster Avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

**TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.**  
**CANNON STREET—REGULATING GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND FENCING,** between Harlem River Terrace and Furtham Road. Area of Assessment: Both sides of Cannon Street, between Harlem River Terrace and Furtham Road, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 14, 1898, and entered on the 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 each lot 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 409 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 Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., and on Saturday's from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 3, 1898, 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, June 14, 1898.

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 408 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 MANHATTAN, viz.:**

**TWELFTH WARD.**  
**ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET—PAVING,** between Clarion Avenue and Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street, between Clarion Avenue and Boulevard, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 7, 1898, and entered on the 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 each lot 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 409 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 centum 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, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., and on Saturday's from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 3, 1898, 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, June 7, 1898.

**INTEREST ON BONDS AND STOCKS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**THE INTEREST DUE JULY 1, 1898, ON** the Registered Bonds and Stocks of the former City of New York; of the late City of Brooklyn, and of the County of Kings, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at the office of the City Chamberlain, Room 27, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers Street.

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from May 31 to July 1, 1898.

The interest due July 1, 1898, 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. 60 Broadway.

The interest due July 1, 1898, on the Coupon Bonds of the late City of Brooklyn will be paid on that day by the Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn, No. 25 Court Street.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller,  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 14, 1898.

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,** BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, CITY OF NEW YORK, May 14, 1898.

**UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER** 364, Laws of 1893, notice is hereby given that "any tax heretofore levied for city, ward, state and county purposes, and all water rates and rates or arrears at the time of the passage of this act, in that part of the City of New York which heretofore and before the first day of January, 1898, formed and constituted the City of Long Island City, in the County of Queens, may be discharged of record at any time before the 15th day of September, 1898, with interest at the rate of two per centum per annum."

Also, "any lot, piece or parcel of land within the boundaries of that part of the City of New York constituting the City of Long Island City, prior to January 1, 1893, which has been heretofore sold for unpaid taxes and water rates or rents where the same was bid in in the name of said Long Island City, and where the certificates of sale have not been assigned at the date of the passage of this act, may be redeemed from such sale and sales by the payment of the face of the tax and water rates or rents for which the same was sold, with interest at the rate of two per centum per annum, and such taxes and water rates shall be thereby satisfied and discharged of record; provided such payment to be made prior to the 31st day of December, 1898."

Payments may be made under the provisions of the foregoing to the undersigned, at his office, in the Borough of Queens, Jackson Avenue (formerly of the City of Long Island City), on and after Monday, May 23, 1898, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.**  
**NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 408 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:

**BOROUGH OF THE BROSSES.**  
**TWENTY-THIRD WARD.**  
**ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET.**  
—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Webster Avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and

Sixty-ninth street, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to Webster Avenue, and to the extent of half the block on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

**TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.**  
**CANNON STREET—REGULATING GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND FENCING,** between Harlem River Terrace and Furtham Road. Area of Assessment: Both sides of Cannon Street, between Harlem River Terrace and Furtham Road, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 14, 1898, and entered on the 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 each lot 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 409 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 Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., and on Saturday's from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 3, 1898, 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, June 14, 1898.

**NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF** Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the College Building, Sixty-eighth street and Park Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, on Thursday, June 23, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

CHAS. HULKLEY HUBBELL,  
Chairman.

A. EMBRESS PALMER,  
Secretary.

DAVID BONDAGE of MANHATTAN, June 16, 1898.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.**

PHILIP A. SMYTH, AUCTIONEER,  
SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISES.

**THE FRANCHISES OF FERRIES, AS MORE** particularly hereinafter described, together with the wharf property and land under water belonging to the City of New York, and to be used, or which has been customarily used in connection therewith, which wharf property is shown in detail on map attached to form of lease, which may be examined on application to the Secretary of the Board of Docks, at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery Place, will be offered for sale by the Board of Docks, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at 12 o'clock A. M., of

**MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1898.**

*For a Term of Ten Years from May 1, 1898.*

Lot 1. To and from the foot of Roosevelt Street, East River, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, from and to the foot of Broadway and South Eighth Street, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York. Upset price, \$20,000 per annum.

Lot 2. To and from the foot of East Houston Street, East River, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, from and to the foot of Grand Street, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York. Upset price, \$2,500 per annum.

Lot 3. To and from the foot of Grand Street, East River, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, from and to the foot of Grand Street, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York. Upset price, \$5,000 per annum.

The franchises and wharf property included in the foregoing will be sold subject to the following terms and conditions of sale.

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.**

The leases will be sold subject to the approval of the terms thereof by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

No bid will be received which shall be less than the upset price as mentioned above.

Each purchaser will be required at the time of the sale to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fee, to the Department of Docks and Ferries, 25 per cent. of the amount of the annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which 25 per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent first coming under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser refuses or neglects to execute the lease with good and sufficient security, to be approved by the Board of Docks, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," North River, foot of Battery Place.

Two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Board of Docks, will be required under each lease, to enter into a bond of obligation jointly and severally with the lessee, in the sum double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease.

The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions, in conformity with the provisions of law and the ordinances of the Municipal Assembly relative to ferries, and shall provide that the lessee will maintain and operate the ferry during the whole term, and will provide ample accommodations in the way of safe and spacious boats and sufficiency of trips, as to the sufficiency of which accommodations the decision of the Board of Docks shall be final; also conditions that the lessee shall dredge the ferry slip, etc., as required by the Board of Docks; that during the term of the lease they will erect and build at their own expense, and will at all times well and sufficiently repair, maintain and keep in good order, all and singular the floors, racks, fenders, lurches and other fixtures of the landing places, and in the event of any damage to the buildings or masonry from collision by the ferry-boats or otherwise, from any accident or negligence on their part, they will immediately repair and restore said wharf property to its previous condition, free of cost to the City of New York; that if at any time during the term of the lease the Board of Docks shall require any of the wharf property used for ferry purposes in order to be proceeded with the water front improvements in the vicinity of the ferry landings, the said lessee shall surrender and vacate the premises, without any claim upon the City for any damages whatsoever, upon written notice being given to the lessee three months in advance of the intention of said Board; that such notice shall specify by the general terms of description and by reference to the plans and specifications of the proposed work of improvement the character of the alterations and improvements to be made in regard to said water-front, affecting the property and rights hereby authorized to be demanded, and upon receiving such notice the lessee may elect to terminate the lease of said ferry privileges or franchises by serving notice of such election upon the Board of Docks within one month after receiving the notice from the Board of Docks of its intention to improve the water-front in the vicinity of the ferry landing; also, that in case only a portion of said wharf property shall be required for the purposes aforesaid, then a reasonable reduction will be made from the rent reserved by said lease; that sworn returns of the amounts of ferry receipts shall be made to the Board of Docks when required by said Board; and that the books of accounts of the ferry shall be subject to the inspection of said Board.

The rates of ferrage and charges for vehicles and freight shall not exceed the rates now charged.

The term of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Board of Docks.

The right to reject any bid is reserved if deemed by the Board of Docks to be for the best interests of the City.

By order of the Board of Docks, under a resolution adopted June 3, 1898.  
New York, June 10, 1898.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
CHARLES F. MURPHY,  
PETER F. MEYER,  
Commissioners of Docks.

**PHILIP A. SMYTH, AUCTIONEER, WILL SELL** at public auction, to the highest bidder, at Pier "A," Battery Place, in the City of New York, on

**MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1898,** at 12 o'clock noon, the right to collect and retain all wharfage and manage at the following-named wharf property:

*For a Term of Nine Years and Ten Months from July 1, 1898.*

Lot 1. The easterly half of Pier, old 23, the westerly half of Pier, old 23, and the small pier between, sometimes called Pier 31 1/2, and the bathhead situated between Pier, old 23, and said small pier, and between said small pier and Pier, old 23, East River. The lessee shall have the privilege of erecting sheds on said Pier, old 23, and Pier, old 23, East River, on the usual terms and conditions, in accordance with plans and specifications to be submitted to and approved by the Board of Docks and under the direction and supervision of the

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Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, provided the owner or owners of the halves of said piers owned by private parties shall join with the Department's lessee in the application for same, said sheds to erect to and become the property of the City on the expiration or sooner termination of the lease. The lessee shall also have permission to use and occupy, during the term of the lease, the platform about 30 feet wide in front of the bulkhead between Pier, old 51, and old 52, and in front of the bulkhead between the small pier situated between Piers, old 51 and old 52, and Pier, old 52, East river, together with the shed thereon, upon condition that the lessee shall pay for the same, at the rate of 25 cents per square foot per annum, for the use of the load under water covered by the said platform; and \$200 per annum additional for the use of the shed on said platform.

For a Term of Two Years and Ten Months from July 1, 1898.

—with privilege of renewal for a further term of ten years, the rental for the renewal term to be an advance of ten per cent. on the first term of ten years.

Lot 2. The bulkhead extending from a pier 94 feet north of the northerly side of Pier, new 33, North river, southerly to a point 94 feet south of the southerly side of said pier. The bulkhead will be set aside for the special kind of commerce carried on by the lessee. The lessee shall have the privilege of erecting a shed on said bulkhead extending from the bulkhead line (inshore a distance of fifty feet, on the usual terms and conditions, in accordance with plans and specifications to be submitted to and approved by the Board of Docks, the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The premises must be taken in the condition in which they may be at the commencement of the term of the lease, and no claim or demand that the premises or property are not in suitable and tenable condition at the commencement of the term will be allowed by this Department.

All repairs, maintaining or rebuilding required or necessary to be done to or upon the premises, or any part thereof, during the continuance of the term of the lease, shall be done by and at the cost and expense of the lessee or purchaser.

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by the Department for any loss or deprivation of wharfe or otherwise, resulting from or occasioned by any delay on account or by reason of the premises, or any part thereof, being occupied for or on account of any repairs, rebuilding or dredging.

The upset price of the premises or premises exposed or offered for sale will be announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale.

The Department will do all dredging whenever it shall seem to be necessary or advisable to do so.

The term for which leases are sold will commence at the date mentioned in the advertisement, and the rents accruing therefor will be payable from that date in each case.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale, to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fee, to the Department of Docks and Ferries, twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of annual rent bid as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. (25%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, with good and sufficient surety or sureties, to be approved by the Department, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," North river, Battery place.

The Department expressly reserves the right to recall the lease or leases bid off, by those falling, refusing or neglecting to comply with these terms and conditions, the party so falling, refusing or neglecting to be liable to the City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such recall.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly in advance, in compliance with the terms and conditions of the lease prepared and adopted by the Department.

In all cases where it is mentioned in the advertisement of sale, the purchaser shall be entitled to the privilege of occupying any shed, upon the pier or bulkhead at the commencement of the term or that may be permitted or licensed by the Department, and to the rights attached to such permission or license, but subject to the conditions thereof, such purchaser being engaged in the business of steam transportation, and using and employing the same for the purpose of regularly receiving and discharging cargo thereat.

Not less than two sureties, such to be a household or freeholder in the State of New York, to be approved by the Board of Docks, will be required under each lease to enter into a bond or obligation, jointly and severally, with the lessee, in the sum of double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the names and addresses of the sureties to be submitted at the time of sale.

Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will, upon ten days' notice to do, execute a lease, with sufficient surety as aforesaid, the period term of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary, at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place.

No person will be received as a lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from this Department at the City.

No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to this Department or the City, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, assuress or otherwise, upon any obligation to this Department or to the City of New York.

The auctioneer's fees (\$25) on each lot or parcel must be paid by the purchasers thereof respectively at the time of sale.

Dated New York, June 16, 1898. J. SERGEANT CRAM, CHARLES F. MURPHY, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners of Docks.

PHILIP A. SMYTH, AUCTIONEER. SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISES.

THE FRANCHISES OF FERRIES AS MORE particularly hereinafter described, will be offered for sale by the Board of Docks, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at Pier "A," Battery place, at 12 o'clock M.

MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1898.

For a Term of Ten Years from May 1, 1898.

Lot 1. To and from Cortlandt street, North river, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, from and to Jersey City, in the State of New Jersey. Upset price \$12,000 per annum, with the privilege of renewal for a further term of ten years at the same rental as the first term, subject to the conditions specified in the terms and conditions of sale.

Lot 2. To and from Desbrosses street, North river, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, from and to Jersey City, in the State of New Jersey. Upset price, \$7,000 per annum, with the privilege of renewal for a further term of ten years at the same rental as the first term, subject to the conditions specified in the terms and conditions of sale.

Lot 3. To and from the foot of Tenth street, East river, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, from and to the foot of Greenpoint avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York. Upset price, \$7,000 per annum.

The franchises embodied in the foregoing will be sold subject to the following terms and conditions of sale: TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE. The leases will be sold subject to the approval of the terms thereof by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

In case the owners of the wharfe rights arising at the bulkhead extending from a point where the westerly side of West street is intersected by a line drawn parallel with and five feet northerly from the northerly line of Liberty street, extended westerly, northerly to the point where the same is intersected by the southerly line of Cortlandt street extended westerly, shall, within three years from May 1, 1898, complete the work of improvement of said property in accordance with the plans adopted by the Board of Docks, April 13, 1894, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund April 27, 1894, then and in that case the lessee shall have the privilege of renewal of the ferry franchise, described as lot 4, for a further term of ten years, at the same rental per annum as the first term, upon three months' notice being given prior to the expiration of the first term.

In case the owners of the wharfe rights, etc., arising at the bulkhead extending from a point where the westerly side of West street is intersected by a line drawn parallel with and forty-three feet nine inches northerly from the northerly line of Vestry street, extended westerly, northerly to the point where same is intersected by the southerly line of Warris street, extended westerly, shall, within three years from May 1, 1898, complete the work of improvement of said property in accordance with the plans adopted by the Board of Docks, April 13, 1894, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, April 27, 1894, then and in that case the lessee shall have the privilege of renewal of the ferry franchise described as lot 2, for a further term of ten years at the same rental as the first term, upon three months' notice being given prior to the expiration of the first term.

No bid will be received which shall be less than the upset price mentioned above.

Each purchaser will be required, at the time of sale, to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fee, to the Department of Docks and Ferries, twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the annual rent bid as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, with good and sufficient security to be approved by the Board of Docks, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution, at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," North river, foot of Battery place.

Two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Board of Docks, will be required under each lease, to enter into a bond or obligation, jointly and severally with the lessee, in the sum of double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease.

The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions in conformity with the provisions of law and the ordinances of the Municipal Assembly relative to ferries, and shall provide that the lessee will maintain and operate the ferry during the whole term, and will provide ample accommodations in the way of safe and spacious boats and sufficiency of trips, as to the sufficiency of which accommodations the decision of the Board of Docks shall be final; also conditions that the lessee shall dredge the ferry slip, etc., as required by the Board of Docks; that during the term of the lease, they will erect and build, at their own expense, and will at all times well and sufficiently repair, maintain and keep in good order all and singular the floats, corks, fenders, bridges and other fixtures of the landing places, and in the event of any damage to the bulkheads or piers from collision by the ferry boats or otherwise from any accident or negligence on their part, they will immediately repair and restore said wharf property to its previous condition free of cost to the City of New York; that if at any time during the term of the lease, the Board of Docks shall require any of the wharf property used for ferry purposes in order to proceed with the water-front improvements in the vicinity of the ferry landings, the said lessee shall surrender and vacate the premises without any claim upon the City for any damages whatever, upon written notice being given to the lesseees three months in advance of the intention of said Board, that such notice shall specify by the general terms of description, or by reference to the plans and specifications of the proposed work of improvement, the character of the alterations and improvements to be made in regard to said water-front, affecting the property and rights hereby authorized to be demanded, and upon receiving such notice the lessee may elect to terminate the lease of said ferry privileges or franchise by giving notice of such election upon the Board of Docks within one month after receiving the notice from the Board of Docks of its intention to improve the water-front in the vicinity of the ferry landing; also that in case only a portion of said wharf property shall be required for the purposes aforesaid, then a reasonable reduction will be made from the rent reserved by said lease; that sworn returns of the amounts of ferry receipts shall be made to the Board of Docks when required by said Board, and that the books of accounts of the ferry shall be subject to the inspection of said Board.

The rates of wharfe and charges for vehicles and freight shall not exceed the rates now charged.

The form of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Board of Docks.

The right to reject any bid is reserved if deemed by the Board of Docks to be for the best interests of the City.

By order of the Board of Docks under a resolution adopted June 1, 1898. New York, June 16, 1898. J. SERGEANT CRAM, CHARLES F. MURPHY, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 634.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 700 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 700 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 7:45 o'clock P. M. of

FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 1898,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day at hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of coal to be furnished and delivered is about 700 tons.

It is expected that about 600 tons will be required to be delivered at the West Fifty-seventh Street Yard of the Department of Docks and Ferries, and that about 100 tons will be required to be delivered at the East Twenty-fourth Street Yard.

Where The City of New York owns the wharf, pier or bulkhead at which materials under this contract

are to be delivered, no charge will be made to the contractor for wharfe upon vessels conveying said materials.

N. B.—Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed delivery of materials, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks and Ferries and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the price therefor, per ton, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

A ton of coal under these specifications shall be 2,250 pounds avoirdupois.

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within ten days from the date of the receipt of an order from the Engineer to begin the delivery of coal, and the delivery will be continued in lots of about 300 tons at such times and places, and in such manner as may be directed by the Engineer, and the delivery of said coal will be fully completed on or before the 30th day of September, 1898, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price, per ton, for furnishing and delivering coal, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimate for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice in that effect, 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 City of New York, and the contract will be re-advertised and retold, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimate their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if an owner person be so interested the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also, that the estimate is made without any consultation, connection or agreement with, and the amount thereof has not been disclosed to, any other person or persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is not higher than the lowest regular market price for the same kind of labor or material, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no combination or pool exists of which the bidder is a member or in which he is directly or indirectly interested, or of which he has knowledge, either personal or otherwise, to bid a certain price, or not less than a certain price, for said labor or material, or to keep others from bidding thereon; and also that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk thereof, or any other officer or employee of the City of New York or any of its departments, is directly or indirectly interested in this estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereat, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing his action or judgment in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, which estimate must be verified by the oath in writing, of the party making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for the 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 such 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, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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 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 an estimate can be deposited to said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief. No estimate will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

THE RIGHT TO DECLINE ALL THE ESTIMATES IS RESERVED IF DEEMED FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bidders are requested in making their bids or estimates to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

J. SERGEANT CRAM, CHARLES F. MURPHY, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners of Docks.

Dated New York, June 16, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BUREAU OF HOSPITAL AND ALMSHOUSES, 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, JUNE 14, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS AT KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL AND ALMSHOUSE, FLATBUSH, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, AS FOLLOWS:

- I.—ROOF AND SKYLIGHT FOR KITCHEN EXTENSION, HOSPITAL. II.—ROOF FOR BOILER-HOUSE, HOSPITAL. III.—ROOF AND SKYLIGHT FOR BATH-HOUSE EXTENSION, ALMSHOUSE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1898.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs No. 1, for the Department of Public Charities, Borough of Brooklyn and Queens," with his or their name or names and address, 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 and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. 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 bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk thereof, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereat, and has not been given, offered or promised, either directly or indirectly, any pecuniary or other consideration by the bidder or anyone in his behalf with a view to influencing his action or judgment in this or any other transaction heretofore had with this Department, which estimate must be verified by the oath in writing, of the party making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested in the estimate, the verification be made and subscribed to 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 residences, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for the 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 such 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, 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 and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. If the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of 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 an estimate can be deposited to said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inscribing the same in figures. Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. Specifications can be obtained at No. 66 Third Avenue, New York City, and No. 29 Elm Place, Borough of Brooklyn, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of their provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon their absolute enforcement in every particular.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BUREAU OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, NO. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, JUNE 7, 1898.

LIST OF HOSPITAL SUPPLIES No. 8 AND LIST OF REPAIRS No. 2 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

BIDDERS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid Hospital Supplies and Repairs will be received at the Central Office of this Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, until 12 o'clock noon.

MONDAY, JUNE 20, 1898, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.







by the person or persons whose bid has been accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
JOHN E. EUSTIS,  
WILLIAM H. HURLBUT,  
JOSEPH J. LITTLE,  
DANIEL E. McSWENEY, M. D.,  
Committee on Sites and Buildings.

SCHOOL BOARDS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, N. Y.

PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE School Board, Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of said Board, No. 121 Livingston street, until 4 o'clock P. M.

TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 1898.

for New Flooring, etc., for various Public School Buildings, in accordance with plans and specifications on file in said office.

All proposals must be accompanied by a certified check (for amount see specifications), to be drawn to the order of the School Board, and to be held as a guarantee of good faith until the contract shall have been awarded.

Proposals must be made on proposal blanks furnished by this Department.

Parties to whom contracts are awarded will be required to give bonds for the faithful performance of the work.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

JUNE 15, 1898.

JOHN McNAMEE,

Chairman Committee on Buildings.

SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

OFFICES, NO. 145 GRAND STREET,  
NEW YORK CITY, JUNE 9, 1898.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Sites and Buildings of the School Board for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 83 Broadway, eleventh floor, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M.

MONDAY, JUNE 20, 1898.

for Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 41, 45, 48, 55, 56, 88, 99, 109, 125, 126, 160 and Mixed High School; also for Improving the Sanitary Condition of Public Schools Nos. 4, 18, 27, 51, 73 and 76; also for Altering and Repairing the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Public Schools Nos. 26 and 87.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, No. 83 Broadway, twelfth floor.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the time stated in the contract within which the work must be completed. They are expressly notified that the successful bidder will be held strictly to completion within said time.

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

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and office of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

It is required, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposals, that a certified check upon or a certificate of deposit of one of the State or National Banks or Trust Companies of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the President of the School Board, for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, shall accompany the proposal in an amount of not less than three per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for or exceeds ten thousand dollars, and to an amount of not less than five per cent. of such proposal when said proposal is for an amount under ten thousand dollars; that on demand, within one day after the awarding of the contract by the Committee, the President of the said School Board will return all the deposits of checks and certificates of deposit made, to the persons making the same, except that made by the person or persons whose bid has been accepted; and that if the person or persons whose bid has been accepted shall refuse or neglect, within five days after due notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit or of the check or certificate of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by this Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York; but if the said person or persons whose bid has been accepted shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificate of deposit shall be returned to him or them.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
JOHN E. EUSTIS,  
WM. H. HURLBUT,  
JOSEPH J. LITTLE,  
DANIEL E. McSWENEY, M. D.,  
Committee on Sites and Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 120 NASSAU STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 26, 1898.

NOTICE.

WATER TAXES.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE Greater New York Charter, Laws of 1897, chapter 275, section 46, and of the several laws of this State relative to the collection of taxes, notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that I have received the warrant of the late Water Commissioners of Long Island City, dated December 21, 1897, for the collection of water rates and rents for the years 1897-98, and that such taxes may be paid to the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply, Borough of Queens, at his office in the old City Hall in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, without fee or charge from and beginning on April 29, 1898, and up to May 31, 1898, and that during the next thirty days, thereafter, which will be up to July 4, 1898, such taxes may be paid, with the addition of two-thirds of one per cent. as interest, and if not paid within said mentioned sixty days, such taxes will be levied and collected in the manner provided by law, together with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum from said April 29, 1898.

The office hours for receiving taxes are from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., and on Saturday till 12 noon.

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

WM. DALTON,  
Commissioner of Water Supply.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,  
BUREAU OF MANHATTAN,  
No. 148 East TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET,  
NEW YORK CITY, June 7, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR MEDICINES, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Medicines in conformity with Samples and Specifications, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Correction, in the City of New York, No. 148 East Twentieth street, until

MONDAY, JUNE 20, 1898, AT 10 A. M.

Goods to be delivered to Dr. Chas. Rice, Chief of Department of Public Charities, General Dispensary, Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-eighth street, for the Department of Correction.

280 pounds, more or less, Potassium Iodide, U. S. P., in 1 lb. bottles.

100 ounces Trimal. or orig. cert.

50 Salol, U. S. P., 4 lb. bottles.

To be delivered to institutions, as required, during 1898.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Medicines, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the 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 400, LAWS OF 1885.

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 cent. of the bid for each article if it amounts to \$4,000 or over.

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 chief or clerk therein, or any officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work by which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be certified 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 this verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate of \$2,000 or over shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or security, trust or deposit companies in the City of New York with their respective places of business or residences, in the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as joint 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 on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 7 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 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-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said book until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The quality of the supplies 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 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, from time to time, as the Commissioner may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Commissioner will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner of Correction.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1898, AT TWO O'CLOCK P. M.

SALE TO BIDDERS BY WHOLESALE AND BY CONTRACT UNDER PROMPTLY TO BE SOLD.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York will sell at public auction, under the direction of Peter F. Meyer & Co., Auctioneers, on the premises, the following described buildings now standing within the purchase line of the New Croton Reservoir, in Katonah, Westchester County, New York:

KATONAH.

Parcel No.	Former Owner	Description	Minimum Price
266	Est. B. Travis	House, frame	\$20 00
267	Sarah J. Hoyt	House, frame	25 00
268	W. E. Gregory	House, frame	25 00
269	Emily J. Russell	House, frame	25 00
270	Mary E. Frewell	House, frame	25 00
271	J. M. Lytle	House, frame	25 00
272	F. W. Gardner	House, frame	25 00
273	Hoyt Brothers	House, frame	25 00
274	Albert Lytle	House, frame	25 00
275	Mary Rogers	House, frame	25 00
276	H. W. Keating	House, frame	25 00
277	I. J. Wesson	House, frame	25 00
278	Avery	House, frame	25 00
279	Todd	House, frame	25 00
280	James Cox	House, frame	25 00
281	Avery & Todd	House, frame	25 00
282	"	House, frame	25 00
283	"	House, frame	25 00
284	D. W. C. McClure	House, frame	25 00
285	D. W. C. McClure	House, frame	25 00

TERMS OF SALE.

First—The purchase money must be paid on the day of sale.

Second—The buildings will be sold on the same foundations.

Third—The buildings must be moved off the City's property by October 1, 1898.

Fourth—No bidding will be said for less than the minimum price given in the City Record and in the posters.

Fifth—The buildings must be moved to new sites which are at least two hundred and fifty feet from the Croton river or any of its affluents or any drain emptying therein.

Sixth—None of the buildings shall be moved to land required for the New Croton Reservoir, as shown on the maps on file in the County Clerk's Office at White Plains, Westchester County, N. Y.

Seventh—If any building or part of the same is left on the property of The City of New York on and after the first day of October, 1898, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the buildings or any part of building sold at the time of sale, and the Aqueduct Commissioners may, at any time on or after the first day of October, 1898, recall said buildings or parts of buildings or remove or destroy the same.

The Aqueduct Commissioners reserve the right to exclude from such sale any building or buildings that may be designated by the Division Engineer.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of The City of New York.

JOHN J. RYAN,  
President.

HARRY W. WAILES,  
Secretary.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1898, AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M.

SALE TO CONTRACTOR UNDER PROMPTLY TO BE SOLD.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York will sell at public auction, under the direction of Peter F. Meyer & Co., Auctioneers, on the premises, the following described buildings now standing within the purchase line of the New Croton Reservoir at Tilden's Bridge, Westchester County, New York:

Parcel No.	Former Owner	Description	Minimum Price
430	Edward R. Brody	Store, frame, with shed and awning	\$20 00
"	"	House, frame	20 00
"	"	Ice-house	5 00
"	"	Shed, frame	10 00
"	"	Cook-house, with addition	25 00
"	"	Stable	10 00
431	Laura J. Denio	House, frame	10 00
432	Edward R. Brody	"	10 00
"	"	"	10 00
"	"	"	10 00
441	A. B. Whitlock	Shed, frame	5 00
"	"	Cow-barn, frame	10 00
"	"	Spring-house	15 00
"	"	House, frame	20 00
"	"	Wash-house	5 00
"	"	Shed, frame	10 00
"	"	Wash-barn	5 00
"	"	Stable, frame	10 00
"	"	Barn, frame	15 00
"	"	Garage	5 00
"	"	House, frame	10 00

TERMS OF SALE.

First—The purchase money must be paid on the day of sale.

Second—The buildings will be sold on the same foundations.

Third—The buildings must be moved off the City's property by October 1, 1898.

Fourth—No bidding will be said for less than the minimum price given in the City Record and in the posters.

Fifth—The buildings must be moved to new sites which are at least two hundred and fifty feet from the Croton river, or any of its affluents or any drain emptying therein.

Sixth—None of the buildings shall be moved to land required for the New Croton Reservoir, as shown on the maps on file in the County Clerk's Office at White Plains, Westchester County, N. Y.

Seventh—If any building or part of the same is left on the property of The City of New York on and after the first day of October, 1898, the purchaser shall forfeit all

right and title to the buildings or any part of building or any interest therein, and the Aqueduct Commissioners may, at any time on or after the first day of October, 1898, recall said buildings or parts of buildings or remove or destroy the same.

The Aqueduct Commissioners reserve the right to exclude from such sale any building or buildings that may be designated by the Division Engineer.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of The City of New York.

JOHN J. RYAN,  
President.

HARRY W. WAILES,  
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
No. 245 BROADWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, desiring it for the public interest to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Edgemode road, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board at No. 245 Broadway, on the 20th day of June, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change of grade 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 15th day of June, 1898, copies 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 45 of chapter 250, Laws of 1897, desiring it for the public interest to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Edgemode road, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Doe Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and the center line of Edgemode road, elevation 100.75 feet; thence northerly and along the center line of Edgemode road, distance 100.75 feet, elevation 100.75 feet; thence easterly and along the center line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, elevation 100.75 feet.

All elevations above City Datum Line.

Resolved, That the Board continue the proposed change of grade of the above-named street at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the office of the Board, at No. 245 Broadway, on the 22nd day of June, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. 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 street will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record on the 15th day of June, 1898, and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 20th day of June, 1898.

JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
No. 245 BROADWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, desiring it for the public interest to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Kingsbridge avenue, from Terrace View avenue to near Wacker place, at Van Cortlandt place, from Kingsbridge avenue to a point one hundred and sixty-four and ninety-three one-hundredths feet northerly and westerly from Jacobus place; and Jacobus place, from Terrace View avenue to Van Cortlandt place, in the Twelfth Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board at No. 245 Broadway, on the 22nd day of June, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change of grade 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 8th day of June, 1898, copies 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 45 of chapter 250, Laws of 1897, desiring it for the public interest to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Kingsbridge avenue, from Terrace View avenue to near Wacker place, at Van Cortlandt place, from Kingsbridge avenue to a point one hundred and sixty-four and ninety-three one-hundredths feet northerly and westerly from Jacobus place; and at Jacobus place, from Terrace View avenue to Van Cortlandt place, in the Twelfth Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center line of Terrace View avenue and the center line of Kingsbridge avenue, elevation 47.44 feet above City Datum, thence northerly along the center line of Kingsbridge avenue, distance 519.45 feet, elevation 48.25 feet; thence northerly along said center line, distance 137.50 feet, elevation 50 feet; thence still along said center line, distance 120 feet, elevation 50 feet.

Van Cortlandt Place.

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Kingsbridge avenue and the center line of Van Cortlandt place, elevation 50 feet; thence southerly along the center line of Van Cortlandt place, distance 175.50 feet, elevation 50 feet; thence still southerly along said line, distance 75 feet, elevation 50.25 feet; thence still along said line, distance 25.25 feet to the center line of Jacobus place, elevation 50 feet; thence northerly and westerly and along the center line of Van Cortlandt place, distance 104.93 feet, elevation 50.44 feet.

Description of the Grade of Jacobus Place.

Beginning at a point in the center line of Van Cortlandt place, elevation 50 feet above City Datum, thence southerly along the center line of Jacobus place, distance 326.47 feet, to the center line of Terrace View avenue. Elevation 50 feet.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above-named streets at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the office of this Board, at No. 245 Broadway, on the 22nd day of June, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grades of the above-named streets will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record on the 15th day of June, 1898, and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 22nd day of June, 1898.

JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
No. 245 BROADWAY.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, are procured 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, 140 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES McCARTNEY,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.



