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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING,
CENTRE, ELM, FRANKLIN AND WHITE STREETS,
NEW YORK, June 16, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the requirements of section 284 of the Charter, I herewith transmit to you, for publication in the CITY RECORD of June 18, a list of applications received since June 9 for appointment to the position of Patrolman.

Respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

Applications for Patrolman.

NAME.	Address.	Occupation.
Jeffrey J. O'Connell	171 East Ninety-seventh street, Manhattan Borough	Gasier.
Christian Blush	215 East Fifth street, Manhattan Borough	Ironworker.
John V. Gibson	124 Fifth avenue, Brooklyn Borough	Tin decorator.
John J. Galbraith	353 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan Borough	Undertaker.
John N. O'Keefe	304 East Broadway, Manhattan Borough	Drummer.
Edward Dunphy	117 West Ninth street, Brooklyn Borough	Brain elevator.
John P. Burke	126 East Fifty-sixth street, Manhattan Borough	Clock.
Michael Dugan	184 Third avenue, Manhattan Borough	Organist.
Thomas J. J. Macaulay	425 East Fifty-second street, Manhattan Borough	Millman.
John J. Collins	50 Madison street, Manhattan Borough	Clock.
Jermiah J. Clancy	125 North Terrace avenue, Mount Vernon	Freight clerk.
Patrick McCann	339 Grand street, Brooklyn Borough	Furniture.
James Rollin	210 Park avenue, Brooklyn Borough	Gas business.
John Keating	103 East Ninetieth street, Manhattan Borough	Laborer.
Joseph Cummings	323 Wilber street, Brooklyn Borough	Teamster.
Patrick J. Ryan	438 East Thirtieth street, Manhattan Borough	Bookkeeper.
John H. Fosley	One Hundred and Seventy-first street and Kingsbridge road, Manhattan Borough	Clerk.
Charles Schmidt	310 East Sixth street, Manhattan Borough	Conductor.
James F. Carr	334 Hooper street, Brooklyn Borough	Clerk.
Alfred W. Zucker	85 Christopher street, Manhattan Borough	Bookkeeper.
Edward F. Murphy	404 West Fifty-sixth street, Manhattan Borough	Scrubber.
James F. Dugan	123 West Forty-eighth street, Manhattan Borough	Clerk.
Charles F. Jones	500 Madison avenue, Manhattan Borough	...
James M. Wagner	983 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan Borough	Butcher.
Moses J. Weber	503 East Fifth street, Manhattan Borough	Salesman.
John Flerty	42 Third avenue, Manhattan Borough	Harbor.
George N. Purdy	237 Twelfth street, Brooklyn Borough	Laborer.
Hugh Ferguson	547 Henry street, Brooklyn Borough	Driver.
John J. Conway	43 Park street, Brooklyn Borough	Iron molder.
Edward W. Ewald	349 Fifty-fifth street, Brooklyn Borough	Butcher.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, May 18, 1898.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners Michael C. Murphy; William T. Jenkins, M. D.; John B. Cosby, M. D.; the Health Officer of the Port; the President of the Board of Police.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Finance Committee presented the following bills, which were approved and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment:

NAMES.	AMOUNT.	NAMES.	AMOUNT.
C. Golderman	\$146 97	C. Golderman	\$205 83
"	365 07	"	35
"	69 90		

The Sanitary Committee presented the following report:

The Sanitary Committee, to whom was referred the communications from J. Wesley Jones, President of the Volunteer Life Saving Corps of New York Inland Waters, in respect to work of Life Saving Corps, presented the following preamble and resolution which, on motion, were adopted:

Whereas, It appears from the reports of the Volunteer Life Saving Corps of New York Inland Waters, that during the season of four months of the year 1897, the life savers employed by this Department rescued sixty-eight persons, of whom sixty were males and eight were females, from the North and East rivers; and

Whereas, In the opinion of this Board the Life Saving Service should be continued at the following stations:

Old Station, Hell Gate, 2 men, \$80 per month for 4 months	\$640 00
Old Station, Cunder Beds, 1 man, \$80 per month for 4 months	320 00
Old Station, Battery Park, 1 man, \$80 per month for 4 months	320 00
Old Station, Corleone Hook, 1 man, \$80 per month for 4 months	320 00
Old Station, Recreation Pier, East Third street, 1 man, \$80 per month for 4 months	320 00
New Station, New Recreation Pier, East Twenty-fourth street, 1 man, \$80 per month for 4 months	320 00
New Station, New Recreation Pier, Hattero street, 1 man, \$80 per month for 4 months	320 00
Total	\$2,560 00

Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Appropriation be and is hereby respectfully requested to appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred and sixty dollars (\$2,560) to pay the salaries of eight (8) men employed as life savers by this Department, for the period of four months commencing June 1, 1898.

1st. Communication from the Assistant Corporation Counsel, recommending the discontinuance of the suits named in his report.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he hereby is requested to discontinue, without costs, the actions against the following-named persons for violation of the Sanitary Code and of the Tenement-house Law, the Inspector having reported the order therein complied with, or the nuisance complained of abated, a permit having been granted, or violation removed, or the order rescinded, to wit:

Name.	No.	Name.	No.
Lefforge, John	1241	Bash, Leon Z.	404
Fusco, Clementino	1181	Carson, Patrick P.	407
New York Steam Company	1177	Chrysis, David	408
Wild, Joseph	441	Gorch, Arthur	409
Bochman, James	491	Bergin, Morris	409
Carling, Catherine	971	Abram, Isidor	410
Ray, Caspar	961	Wagner, William	410
Began, John	951	Boggs, August	410
Abram, Daniel	941	Wertz, Thomas J.	411
Wainwick, Carl	914	Chrysis, David	411
Bragg, James	907	Rosen, Theodore	411
Boat, John	895	Bachrach, Abraham	412
Norman, John A.	884	Wallach, Karl M.	412
Parks, Charles	882		

SANITARY BUREAU.

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

- 1st. Weekly reports of the Sanitary Superintendent. Ordered on file.
- 2d. Weekly reports from the Willard Parker, Reception, Riverdale and Kingston Avenue Hospitals. Ordered on file.
- 3d. Report on changes in the hospital service.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following changes in the hospital service be and are hereby approved:

Reception Hospital.

Name.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	DATE.
Bridger Dean	Helper	\$114 00	Appointed	May 13, 1898

Willard Parker Hospital.

Name.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	DATE.
John D. Lane	Chiefly	\$750 00	Appointed	May 14, 1898
Philip A. Quinn	Helper	750 00	"	" 14 "
John McGarry	Orderly	500 00	"	" 14 "
Samuel Taffe	Superior	450 00	"	" 14 "

Report of Sanitary Superintendent recommending that contract be made for the removal of dead animals from the Boroughs of Richmond and Queens.

The Secretary was directed to advertise for bids in one of the local papers in each of the said Boroughs.

Report on application of Joseph Campi of Riverdale avenue and Broadway, to conduct the scavenger business.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That upon the report of the Sanitary Superintendent that the application of Joseph Campi of Riverdale avenue and Broadway, near Yonkers line, Borough of The Bronx, to conduct scavenger business meets the requirements of the Department of Health, the Board respectfully recommends that a license be granted.

Report of Sanitary Superintendent transmitting affidavit of Frank Cain in the Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the resolution of May 5, 1898, dispensing with the services of Frank Cain, a Disinfecter in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby rescinded, for the reason that the letter forwarded to the Comptroller in respect to his position, purporting to have been written by the said Cain, was a forgery.

4th. Reports and certificates on overcrowding in the following tenement-houses.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following tenement-houses in The City of New York are so overcrowded that less than four hundred cubic feet of air space is afforded to each occupant in the said houses;

It is Ordered, That the number of occupants in said tenement-houses be and are hereby reduced, as follows:

No. of Order.	ON PREMISES AT	LOCATION OF ROOM.	OCCUPANT.	REDUCED TO	
				Adults.	Children.
1057	31 Park street	2d floor, 1, s. e.	Anton Marano	1	2
1058	"	4th floor, 2, s. e.	A. Anton	4	0
1059	"	Rear, 2d floor, n. e.	V. Manjo	1	0
1060	"	Rear, 2d floor, s. e.	A. Marano	1	0
1061	"	Rear, 4th floor, s. e.	Anton Marano	1	0
1062	"	Rear, 4th floor, s. e.	Joseph Barab	1	0
1063	31 Park street	4th floor, n. e.	S. Parano	4	0
1064	"	Rear, 3d floor, n. e.	Joseph Parano	1	0
1065	"	Rear, 3d floor, s. e.	Antonio Manjo	3	0
1066	"	Rear, 4th floor, s. e.	P. Vialo	3	1
1067	"	Rear, 4th floor, n. e.	S. Manjo	2	2

5th. Certificates in respect to the vacating of premises at Nos. 726 and 728 Boulevard, Borough of Queens; Nos. 113 and 113 1/2 Bowers, Borough of Manhattan, and One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Arthur avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted: Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the buildings situated upon Lots Nos. 726 and 728 Boulevard, Borough of Queens, have become dangerous to life and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereon, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said buildings situated on Lots Nos. 726 and 728 Boulevard, Borough of Queens, be required to vacate said buildings on or before May 24, 1898, for the reason that said buildings are dangerous to life and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereon, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said buildings and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said buildings be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted: Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the buildings situated upon Lots Nos. 113 and 113 1/2 Bowers, have become dangerous to life and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereon, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said buildings situated on Lots Nos. 113 and 113 1/2 Bowers, be required to vacate said buildings on or before May 24, 1898, for the reason that said buildings are dangerous to life and are unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereon, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said buildings and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said buildings be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted: Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon Lot on One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Arthur avenue, has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereon, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants:

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot on One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Arthur avenue, be required to vacate said building on or before May 24, 1898, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the drainage thereon, and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

And further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

6th. Reports on applications for permits.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permits be and are hereby granted as follows:

Table with columns: No., Business Matter or Thing Desired, and On Premises at. Lists various permit applications across different boroughs.

Report on Application for Sale and Hopper Counts for the Sale of Milk.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following permits for the sale and delivery of milk in The City of New York be and the same are hereby granted:

Table with columns: No., Location, No., Location. Lists permit locations for milk sales across various boroughs.

Hoppers.

Table with columns: No., Location, No., Location. Lists hopper locations across different boroughs.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permits be and are hereby denied as follows:

Table with columns: No., Business Matter or Thing Desired, and On Premises at. Lists denied permit applications.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following permits be and the same are hereby revoked:

Table with columns: No., Business Matter or Thing Revoked, and On Premises at. Lists revoked permit applications.

7th. Reports on applications for relief from orders.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following orders be extended, modified or rescinded, as follows:

Table with columns: No. of Order, On Premises at, Date Expired to, Remarks. Lists order modification details.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the following applications for relief from orders be and are hereby denied:

No. of Order.	On Premises at	No. of Order.	On Premises at
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.			
7994	No. 1172 Third avenue.	117	No. 234 Cadwell avenue.
10796	No. 224 West Seventeenth street.	15	No. 146 Railroad avenue.
11278	No. 284 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.	BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.	
1300	No. 222 East Twentieth street.	405	No. 232 Fulton street.
13777	No. 217 East One Hundred and Second street.		
10254	No. 46 Park street.		

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

18. Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Manhattan. Ordered on file.

FIRST DIVISION.

Division of General and Special Sanitary Inspection.

- 21. Weekly reports of the Chief Inspector:
 - (a) Weekly report of work performed by Sanitary Police.
 - (b) Weekly report on sanitary condition of manure dumps.
 - (c) Weekly report on sanitary condition of effal and night-soil trucks.
 - (d) Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses.
 Ordered on file.
- 22. Report on application for leave of absence.

On motion, it was Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

NAME.	FROM.	TO.	REMARKS.
George M. Price	April 4	May 14	

SECOND DIVISION.

Division of Contagious Diseases and Medical Sanitary Inspection.

- 23. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector:
 - (a) Monthly report of charitable institutions.
 - (b) Report of inspection of discharged patients from Riverside Hospital.
 Ordered on file.

THIRD DIVISION.

Division of Food Inspection, Offensive Trades and Mercantile Establishments.

- 4th. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.
- 5th. Report of violations of section No. 63 of the Sanitary Code. The Secretary was directed to notify the persons named in said report that a repetition of the offense will be sufficient cause for the revocation of their permits.
- Report of the Chief Inspector of the Third Division in respect to noises and smoke caused by engines of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad west of West End avenue, between Sixty-third and Eighty-sixth streets.

On motion, it was Resolved, That a copy of the report of the Chief Inspector of the Third Division in respect to noises and smoke made by the engines of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad west of West End avenue, between Sixty-third and Eighty-sixth streets, be forwarded to the President of said railroad company with the request that action be taken to immediately abate the nuisance complained of.

Application of Inspector of Fruits Thomas I. Madge for leave of absence with full pay, during service in United States Navy.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the services of Thomas I. Madge, Fruit Inspector in this Department, Borough of Manhattan, be and are hereby dispensed with from and after May 18, 1898.

FOURTH DIVISION.

Division of Pathology and Bacteriology.

- 6th. Weekly report of the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratories. Ordered on file.
 - 7th. Report on application for leave of absence.
- On motion, it was Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

NAME.	FROM.	TO.	REMARKS.
Frank S. Fielder	May 22		
William J. Falley	May 14		

Report of Herman M. Biggs, M. D., Pathologist, and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratory, in respect to the use of antitoxic serum in the treatment of diphtheria under the supervision of this Department, with statistical data. Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

FIFTH DIVISION.

Division of Medical School Inspection.

- 8th. Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Weekly report from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of The Bronx. Ordered on file.

Report of Assistant Sanitary Superintendent Monaghan, in respect to removal of furniture, etc., from the Criminal Court Building. Referred to the Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Weekly report from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Brooklyn. Ordered on file.

Report of Assistant Sanitary Superintendent Black, in respect to application of D. Blumberg for permit to slaughter chickens. Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Queens. Ordered on file.

Report of Sanitary Inspector McCallum in respect to petition for sewer in Taylor street, Astoria.

On motion, it was Resolved, That a copy of the petition of citizens in respect to sewerage Taylor street, Astoria, and the report of Sanitary Inspector McCallum in relation thereto, be forwarded to the Board of Public Improvements.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Weekly reports from the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent of the work performed in the Borough of Richmond. Ordered on file.

Report of Assistant Sanitary Superintendent Hubbard in respect to delay of papers in office of Assistant Corporation Counsel John J. Walsh of the Borough of Brooklyn. Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

BUREAU OF RECORDS.

The following Communications were Received from the Registrar of Records:

- 1st. Weekly report. Ordered on file.
 - 2d. Report on application to record corrected certificates.
- On motion, it was Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to record corrected certificates relating to—

NAME.	REMARKS.	DATE.
Andree Collette Hortense Lillian de Basset	Born	Dec. 18, 1888
Frederic Auguste Xavier Maurice de Basset	"	Nov. 24, 1889
Uriah M. Friedman	Married	May 2, 1897
Unknown man (Philip Ungler)	Died	Jan. 26, 1898
Richard William Daly	Born	Feb. 18, "
George Washington Broderick	"	" 22, "
Juliette L. Roycourt	"	Mar. 12, "
Ernest Engel	Died	Apr. 12, "
James Lacey	Born	" 24, "
John Henry Bulky	Died	May 3, "
Rachel Graff	"	" 3, "
Frank Porcher	"	" 7, "
Annie Detjen	"	" 8, "
Elizabeth Piper	"	" 12, "
Thomas Duck	"	" 15, "

3d. Report on applications to file delayed and imperfect certificates.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Registrar of Records be and is hereby directed to file in the volume of "Delayed and Imperfect Certificates" the following certificates:

NAME.	REMARKS.	DATE.
Joseph Thomas Jackson	Born	Jan. 1, 1879
Sabino Morena	Married	July 17, 1887
Nicolo Tommaso Alberto Pascale	Born	" 1, 1895
Emma C. Petterson	"	Jan. 2, 1890
Edward Charles Stucker	"	Oct. 25, 1896
Edna Ann Van Aken	"	Apr. 13, 1897
Jessie Ferchland	"	" 12, "
Newell B. Balcan	"	" 7, "
Millicent C. McGinley	"	Mar. 30, "

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

The weekly statement of the Comptroller was received and ordered on file.

Communication from the Comptroller in respect to section 149 of the Greater New York Charter, relating to letting of public contracts. Ordered on file.

Opinion of Corporation Counsel in respect to granting leaves of absence, with full pay, to employees who enlist in the military service of the United States. Ordered on file.

Opinion of Corporation Counsel in respect to communication from New York Cotton Exchange, asking interpretation of chapter 19, Title I, section 1288, Laws of 1897. The Secretary was directed to send a copy of the opinion to the President of the Exchange.

Eligible list from the Municipal Civil Service Commission, for the appointment of an office boy, Borough of The Bronx, was received and ordered on file.

Communication from Municipal Civil Service Commission, in respect to requisition for appointment of one Bookkeeper, Borough of Manhattan, and one Assistant Veterinarian, two Food Inspectors, one Medical Inspector and one Vaccinator, Borough of Brooklyn. Ordered on file.

Report of regular meeting of Medical Board of Willard Parker and Riverside Hospitals. Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Report of result of examination for appointment of Interns Physicians in the Hospitals of this Department. Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Statement of Mr. E. S. Riddick of New York City in respect to milk. Referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Communication from the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, in respect to appointment of Thomas H. Agnew as a special officer. Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

Communication from the Comptroller requesting statement of liabilities on all outstanding contracts of the former City of Brooklyn. The Secretary was directed to furnish the desired information.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the salaries of the Assistant Chief Clerks of the Borough of Brooklyn, of the Borough of Queens, of the Borough of Richmond and of The Bronx be and are hereby fixed at the rate of two thousand dollars per annum, from May 18, 1898.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the salary of James F. Duffy, a Clerk in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars per annum, from May 18, 1898.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the salary of A. T. Metcalf, a Clerk in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars per annum, from May 18, 1898.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Henry McDonough be and is hereby appointed a helper in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn (Kingston Avenue Hospital), with salary at the rate of six hundred dollars per annum.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Thomas Goodwin be and is hereby temporarily appointed a Food Inspector in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of one thousand dollars per annum.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Henry W. Bernhard be and is hereby temporarily appointed a Medical Inspector in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Salvadore Gomez be and is hereby temporarily appointed a Medical School Inspector in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of thirty dollars per month, to serve to and including June 30, 1898.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Edson S. Chick be and is hereby temporarily appointed a Medical School Inspector in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of thirty dollars per month, to serve to and including June 30, 1898.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Enoch B. Lawrence be and is hereby temporarily appointed a Medical School Inspector in this Department, Borough of Queens, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of thirty dollars per month, to serve to and including June 30, 1898, vice Bloodgood declined.

On motion, it was Resolved, That John J. Higgins, an Assistant Disinfecter in this Department, Borough of Manhattan, be and is hereby promoted to the position of Disinfecter, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of one thousand dollars per annum, vice MacBride removed.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Garrett A. Hendricks be and is hereby temporarily appointed a Bookkeeper in this Department, Borough of Manhattan, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, to date from May 16, 1898.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Alfred C. Voute be and is hereby appointed an Office Boy in this Department, Borough of The Bronx, on probation and subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of three hundred dollars per annum.

On motion, it was Resolved, That Gerda Bergstrom be and is hereby temporarily appointed a Telephone Operator in this Department, Borough of Queens, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of seven hundred and eighty dollars per annum.

On motion, it was Resolved, That the Honorable the Municipal Assembly be and is hereby respectfully requested to approve a resolution, of which the following is a copy, so as to enable the Board of Health to make regulation upon the Comptroller for the sum of six hundred dollars (\$600) from the appropriation set apart for Contingencies of the Department of Health, as follows:

Borough of Brooklyn	\$500 00
Borough of Queens	100 00
Borough of Richmond	100 00
Borough of The Bronx	100 00
Total	\$800 00

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Department of Health, the Secretary of the Board of Health, may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars (\$600), as follows:

Borough of Brooklyn	\$500 00
Borough of Queens	100 00
Borough of Richmond	100 00
Borough of The Bronx	100 00
Total	\$800 00

—the Secretary of the Board of Health may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as the Board of Health may deem it necessary to the extent of the appropriation set apart for contingencies of the Department of Health, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, verified by the Commissioners of the Board of Health, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

The charges against Matthew Smith, Night Stablesman at the Ambulance Stable, East Sixteenth Street, were dismissed.

The report on the use of formaldehyde as a disinfectant was ordered printed in circular form, and copies sent to the "Medical Record" for publication.

The resignation of John M. Donnelly, a Stablesman in this Department, Borough of Manhattan, was received and accepted, to take effect May 19, 1898.

On motion, the Board adjourned to Wednesday, May 25, 1898.

C. GOLDERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
New York, Tuesday, 5 P. M., May 31, 1898.

The Hon. Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor; Brad S. Coker, Comptroller, and Theodore Connelly, Acting Corporation Counsel, the officers designated by section 1546, chapter 578, Laws of 1897, met this day.

The Supervisor of the City Record being absent, by reason of illness, Henry McMullen, Deputy Supervisor, acted as Secretary.

The minutes of May 21 were approved as printed. Exhibits were presented by Alexander J. Casanova, bookbinder, in support of his claim, and, on motion of the Mayor and by the concurrent vote of all the members of the Board, were referred to the Corporation Counsel.

A communication was received from John Jasper, Borough Superintendent, Manhattan and Bronx, Department of Education, asking that newspapers be designated in which to publish advertisements giving notice of the date and place of examination for admission to the High Schools.

On motion of the Mayor, it was

Resolved, That the Board designate the "New York Times," "New York Tribune," "New York Herald," "Sun," "World," "Journal," "Commercial Advertiser," "School," "Morning Journal" (German), "State's Evening," "Daily News" and "Westchester Independent," as the newspapers in which due notice of the date and place of examination for admission to the High Schools may be conveyed to the attention of pupils who are non-attendants at the public schools.

A communication from the Hon. John W. Keller, President of the Department of Public Charities, was received, asking the Board to designate a newspaper in the Borough of Richmond in which to publish advertisements for supplies for the Department of Public Charities for the Borough of Richmond.

On motion of the Mayor, and by the concurrent vote of all the members of the Board, the "Staten Island Star" was designated.

On motion of the Mayor, and by the concurrent action of all the members of the Board, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he is hereby instructed to procure by direct order, that is, without contract let after advertisement, the articles called for by the following requisitions allowed at this meeting, that course being deemed to be for the best interests of the City:

City Clerk.

Requisition No. 1454—1 book for election returns for County of New York, in accordance with Primary Election Law (No. 22966); 1 book arranged on ward lines for returns of jurists outside of County of New York, now enclosed in Greater New York.

Requisition No. 1452—5,000 election certificates, as per sample.

Law Department.

Requisition No. 1577—1 ledger, No. 3; 1 index to ledger, No. 3.

Requisition No. 1381—1 book notice to City Record, 500 pages, M. B. Brown's No. 22818, Book W; 1 book notice to County Clerk, 500 pages, M. B. Brown's No. 21241, Book W; 2 book notice to Inspector, 500 pages, M. B. Brown's No. 22666, Book W; 1 book notice to Comptroller, similar to M. B. Brown's No. 21285, Book W.

Requisition No. 1362—500 orders extending time to complete proceedings, Sample No. 14; 500 notices of claims, Sample No. 15; 500 notices to hear objections, Sample No. 16; 4,000 notices to hear objections, covers, Sample No. 17; 250 letters to County Clerk, Sample No. 18; 500 notices to City Record, Sample No. 19; 250 bookkeepers' affidavits as in cover, Sample No. 20; 500 letters of transmittal to Comptroller, Sample No. 21; 250 notice of taxation, Sample No. 22; 250 bill of costs, Sample No. 23; 750 affidavits of Commissioners as to costs, Sample No. 24.

Municipal Court, Second District (Brooklyn).

Requisition No. 507A—1 free summons docket.

Department of Street Cleaning.

Requisition No. 1436—1 blank book.

Requisition No. 1418—2 dozen 300-page demy quarto records, No. 11206.

Requisition No. 1429—5,000 row measurements, as per copy.

Requisition No. 8995—999 large manila envelopes, same as sample.

Requisition No. 1268—500 "Don't" cards for Borough of Richmond, quality and size as per sample, printed on both sides, 25 per copy attached.

Coroner's Office (Brooklyn).

Requisition No. 1253—1 ream legal cap, 16-pound; 2 quarts Arnold's writing fluid; 1 box Falcon pens, No. 50; 1 dozen penholders; 1 dozen Eagle lead pencils (Capital, No. 2); 6 packages small blotters; 2 large desk blotting pads; 3 boxes rubber bands (14-inch); 1 box paper fasteners; 2 steel ink erasers; 2 rubber erasers; 2 sandbars; 1 large bottle maulage; 2 small maulage holders and brushes.

Department of Sewers (Manhattan).

Requisition No. 1250—1,000 sheets closed ruled paper as per sample, for Chief Clerk's office; 500 sheets (Bookkeeper's) statement paper, as per sample.

Requisition No. 1395—1 sewer record book, 300 pages, ruled as per sample (10 1/2 x 14).

Requisition No. 1414—5 books, 50 pages each, as per sample attached.

Department of Highways.

Requisition No. 1418—50 specifications each, for each of the attached samples; 150 estimates, as per sample; 150 envelopes, as per sample.

Requisition No. 673A—2 dozen lead pencils, Faber No. 3; 2 dozen lead pencils, Eagle, N. Med. Hd.; 1 dozen rubber erasers, ink and pencil, No. 489; 4 dozen penholders, Crown, No. 4; 1 box writing pens (round T. J. Formezler); 1 box Esterbrook steel pens, No. 50; 1 box Esterbrook steel pens, No. 60; 2 boxes McGill's paper fasteners, No. 3; 2 (8-inch) rulers, box-wood; 2 reams legal cap, Whiting's 16-pound; 2 reams Congress foolscap, 16-pound.

Requisition No. 673—24 packages small blotters; 6 packages sheets blue blotters; 6 packages sheets white blotters; 24 packages pads, 4 x 6; 12 packages pads, 7 x 8; 12 packages pads, 8 x 10; 2 quart bottles Stafford's copying ink; 1 quart bottle Encke violet copying ink; 3 quart bottles maulage, G. S.; 2 maulage reservoirs, Wolf; 3 ink stands, 4-inch; 2 steel erasers, 18149, bone; 4 boxes rubber bands, 012, assorted; 1 dozen lead pencils, red and blue; 2 dozen lead pencils, Faber No. 2; 2 quarts Golden Seal carmine.

Requisition No. 1453—500 pay-roll blanks, size 18 1/2 inches x 16 inches, ruled and printed as per attached sample.

Department of Finance.

Requisition No. 1426—100 appropriation balance sheets, as per samples herewith inclosed.

Requisition No. 1451—7,525 "A" warrants, as per samples; 2,000 "B" warrants, as per samples.

Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

Requisition No. 735—1 gross pads, 100 sheets to the pad.

Requisition No. 1439—2 letter-press copying books, 10 inches x 14 inches, 500 pages each; 1 record of vouchers, City Record, No. 1774; 1 book, City Record, No. 21060, Martin B. Brown, No. 188; 1 book, record of electric lights not lighted, book U, No. 19894.

Requisition No. 1445—1 dozen boiler copying pads; 1/2 dozen steel ink erasers (Rogers); 1 pair large shears, 10-inch.

Department of Health.

Requisition No. 1422—1,000 labels, like sample, size to be 1 1/2 x 3 3/8 inches; 500 labels, 171.

Requisition No. 1447—25 copies of contract of specification for the removal of dead animals from the Boroughs of Queens and of Richmond; 1,000 copies of report on the use of formaldehyde as a disinfectant, especially in its practical application to the disinfection of the infested dwellings, bedding, books, etc., adopted by the Board May 11, 1898.

Requisition No. 1421—1,000 Sanitary Codes, 3 C.

Department of Parks (Manhattan and Richmond).

Requisition No. 1419—500 notices in present sureties to Comptroller for examination, as per copy, padded; 500 notices of approval of sureties by Comptroller, as per copy, padded; 500 permit blanks to cross sidewalk with carts and teams, as per copy; 1,000 May party permit blanks, as per copy; 500 cards, permits to enter Central Park with teams and carts.

The Municipal Assembly.

Requisition No. 1450—250 tax warrants for the tax rolls of 1898, as per attached sample.

City Department (Manhattan).

Requisition No. 1425—1 scrap-book, Minutes, 1898 (City Record No. 343).

Department of Taxes and Assessments (Manhattan).

Requisition No. 1449—2 volumes "Record and Guide" for 1897, to be bound.

Department of Bridges.

Requisition No. 1424—500 envelopes; 250 contract blanks; 500 estimate blanks.

Requisition No. 1428—1 rubber stamp, as per Sample No. 1 attached; 1 rubber stamp, as per Sample No. 2 attached; 1 rubber stamp as per Sample No. 3 attached; 1 rubber stamp as per Sample No. 4 attached.

Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Requisition No. 1406—1 pound tube of "climate proof concentrated ink, special purple"; 1 quire typewriter stencil paper, for No. 12 Mimeograph; 1 perforating silk; 1 bottle of Edison Mimeograph varnish. All above for the Edison Mimeograph No. 12.

Court of General Sessions of the Peace.

Requisition No. 1437—5 books of certificates for payment of fees of witnesses, each book to contain 1,000 certificates, and certificates and stubs to be numbered from 1 to 5,000.

Coroner (Manhattan).

Requisition No. 1456—100 stenographer's note books; 2 Mark Twain's scrap books.

Bureau of Licenses, Mayor's Office.

Requisition No. 1379—1 cash book, City Record No. 18.

Department of Parks (Bronx).

Requisition No. 1370—500 receipts, as per sample, marked A; 300 blanks, 70 per cent; payments, marked B; 200 blanks, final payments, marked C.

Municipal Court, Second District (Richmond).

Requisition No. 255A—250 returns of justice, on appeal; 250 undertaking, on appeal; 250 undertaking on removal to Appellate Court; 250 order removing action to County Court; 250 judgment recovery of chattel taken by replevin; 250 judgment for defendant until lien is paid; 200 order to bring prisoners to court; 3,000 summons; 3,000 summons, copy; 1,000 summons, free; 1,000 summons, free, copy; 2,000 summons, alias; 2,000 summons, alias, copy; 500 summons, claim and delivery; 500 summons, with warrant of attachment; 500 summons, with warrant of attachment, copy.

City Magistrate's Court, First Division (Manhattan and Bronx).

Requisition No. 1334—9 record books, C. R. No. 845; 100 stenographers' note books, C. R. No. 854; 3 receipt books, District Attorney, C. R. No. 849; 2 receipt books, Special Sessions, C. R. No. 848; 3 fine books, no number; 2 warrant books, C. R. No. 850.

City Magistrate's Court, Second Division.

Requisition No. 1320—4 reams Whiting superior typewriting paper, legal rl., heavy weight, No. 6; 4 reams Whiting superior typewriting paper, plain, light weight, No. 6; 1/2 dozen Underwood's typewriting ribbons; 2 boxes black Underwood's semi-carbon paper, 8013; 1 dozen pints Selkwell's maulage; 2 pairs 12-inch Seymour's shears; 2 ink stands, banker's, 3-inch; 1 dozen pints blue-black writing fluid, Stafford's; 2 boxes Gillot's Falcon pens; 3 dozen Faber's lead-pencils, No. 3; 1/2 dozen boxes Jackson stub pens, No. 442.

Department of Finance.

Requisition No. 1047—38 certificates of corporate stock of The City of New York, to be engraved and bound in 80 books.

The following was read and ordered placed on file:

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
New York, May 24, 1898.

Hon. WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor of the City Record:

Sir—I have received your letter of January 26, 1898, which reads as follows:

"This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Hon. J. T. Mawson, District Attorney for the County of Kings, calling for supplies of printed matter, blank books and stationery goods.

"This is the first requisition made on this Department from a Kings County officer, and I desire to ask you, in order that I may intelligently lay the matter before the Board of City Record, if it is within the province of the Board of City Record to furnish such supplies for the county officers embraced within the limits of The City of New York."

Plainly this printed matter, blank books and stationery referred to are county expenses.

Section 230 of the Greater New York Charter provides—

"Section 230. The board of estimate and apportionment shall annually include in its final estimate the following items, which shall annually be raised and appropriated:

"Twelfth—Such sums as may be necessary to pay the salaries of county officers within the counties of New York, Kings and Richmond, and likewise all other expenses within said counties and each of them which are county, as distinguished from city charges and expenses."

Hence the Board of Estimate and Apportionment should make an appropriation to cover these expenses, and I assume that under the powers conferred and duties devolved upon the said Board by section 10 of the Charter, such appropriation has been made and is now or presently will be available to meet these charges.

I construe sections 1583 and 902 of the Charter to provide that these county charges to be paid under the same procedure as similar city expenses, and that the payments so made are to be audited by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment so as to enable the Comptroller to submit a definite statement thereof to the Municipal Assembly, that it may assess back such county expenses upon the county. I think that the expression in section 1583: "and shall be paid by The City of New York in the same manner as the salaries of city officers and city charges are paid," does not mean that such expenses are to be met from the same source, and that, so far as these particular charges are concerned, they are not to be paid as provided for similar city expenses in said section 1583. For to hold this would be to disregard the provision cited relative to the appropriations for county purposes by reason of provisions that regulate merely the procedure of payment and audit.

I am of opinion that it is not within the province of the Board of City Record to furnish such supplies, but that they should be obtained through the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN WIALEN, Corporation Counsel.

Adjourned.

HENRY McMULLEN, Secretary pro tem.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York, held on the 10th day of June 1898.

Present—Commissioners York (President), Sexton, and Hess.
The minutes of June 8 were read and approved.

Leave of Absence was Granted to

Captain A. G. Hasslacher, Eighteenth Precinct, twenty days with pay, vacation.

Resolved, That Joseph Frankas be and is hereby appointed Private Secretary to Commissioner Hess, with compensation at the rate of two thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MURRAY STREET,
New York, June 10, 1898.

At 12 o'clock, Commissioners York and Hess being present, and Mr. Ellis, from the Comptroller's office, adjournment was taken until Monday, June 13, at 12 o'clock, noon, for opening proposals for supplying the Police Department with printing, books, etc., and for supplying the Police Department with stationery.

Respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending February 5, 1898.

Deposited in the City Treasury.		
To the Credit of the City Treasury.....	\$1,581,806 68	
" " Sinking Fund.....	264,883 78	
Total.....	\$1,846,690 46	
Warrants Registered for Payment.		
Interest on the City Debt, etc.....	\$4,025 00	
Salaries—Municipal Assembly and City Clerk.....	8,916 46	
Bureau of Municipal Statistics—Salaries.....	291 66	
President of the Borough of Manhattan—Salaries.....	624 99	
The Mayoralty—		
Bureau of Licenses—Mayor's Office.....	\$1,099 99	
Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	2,269 06	
City Chamberlain—		
Contingencies—Chamberlain's Office.....	\$20 06	
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....	2,670 81	
Finance Department—		
Cleaning Markets.....	\$738 09	
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	523 19	
Salaries—Department of Finance.....	22,845 53	
Law Department—		
Contingencies—Law Department.....	\$656 35	
General Contingencies—Law Department.....	400 00	
Salaries—Law Department.....	1,250 00	
The Aqueduct Commission—		
Additional Water Fund.....	17,189 62	
Department of Public Works—		
Aqueduct Repairs—Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$8,298 55	
Armories—Repairs.....	1,575 00	
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	1,100 00	
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	24 62	
Free Floating Baths.....	505 00	
Lamps, Gas and Electric Lighting.....	105,360 53	
Laying Croton Pipes.....	1,700 52	
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street Viaduct—Maintenance and Repairs.....	4,501 75	
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	514 44	
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	164 89	
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	5,520 83	
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	391 00	
Bridge Over the Harlem River at Third Avenue.....	1,477 06	
Bridge Over the Harlem River, First to Willis Avenue.....	377 40	
Croton Water Fund.....	3,844 65	
Fire-hydrant Fund.....	2,028 97	
Repaving—Chapter 475.....	22,144 54	
Repaving—Chapter 87.....	24,805 60	
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	70 85	
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	43,052 73	
Water-main Fund, No. 2.....	996 83	
Department of Public Parks—		
American Museum of Natural History—Construction of West Wing.....	\$13,059 05	
Fund for Street and Park Openings—Construction Rose Hill Place.....	21 00	
Bronx and Pelham Parkway—Extension Through Park.....	134 39	
Cathedral Parkway.....	832 12	
Cedar Park, Improvement of.....	118 13	
Moshulu Parkway.....	10 15	
Public Driveways, Construction of.....	1,188 38	
Pelham Bay Park.....	75 77	
St. John's Park, Improvement of.....	24 00	
St. Mary's Park.....	63 03	
Improving Bronx and Pelham Parkway.....	115 29	
Bronx and Pelham Parkway—Construction of Roadway.....	31 45	
Department of Street Improvements, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—		
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	\$539 06	
Preliminary Surveys and Preparation of Plans, etc.....	495 87	
Standard Bench Marks.....	670 63	
Bridges over the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Depression at Wulton and Gerard Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	218 45	
Bridge Over New York and Harlem Railroad at One Hundred and Fifty-third Street.....	409 36	
Bridge Over Bronx River, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street.....	115 29	
Jerome Avenue Paving.....	532 09	
Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	13,234 34	
Spuynen Duyvil Creek Bridge.....	274 00	
Sisal Beam Structure.....	187 05	
Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....	27,372 95	
Temporary Bridges over Bronx River, etc.....	92 31	
Viaduct at Melrose Avenue, over New York and Harlem Railroad, etc.....	143 52	
Williamsbridge Sewer Fund.....	3,940 96	
Department of Public Charities—		
Department of Public Charities—For Supplies.....	\$3,451 42	
Department of Public Charities—For Distribution of Coal to Out-door Poor.....	8 00	
Department of Public Charities—Building Fund.....	51,023 75	
Department of Correction—		
Department of Correction—For Supplies.....	\$4,329 42	
Department of Correction—Borough of Manhattan—Salaries.....	18,943 43	
Health Department—		
Health Department—For Payment to Board of Police.....	\$5,733 33	
Health Fund—For Antitoxic Fund.....	23 50	
Police Department—		
Contingent Expenses, Central Department and Station-houses.....	\$1,666 66	
Police Station-houses, Alterations, etc.....	4,916 66	
Supplies for Police.....	21,195 16	
Police Fund.....	822,077 26	
Police Fund—Salaries, Clerical Force and Employers.....	13,660 45	
Police Fund—Addition to Mounted Squad.....	2,010 00	
Police Fund—For Constructing and Furnishing Station-houses.....	111 24	

Department of Street Cleaning—		
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Sweeping.....	\$1,997 75	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Carting.....	8,557 73	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Final Disposition of Material.....	15,985 16	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Manhattan and Bronx—Sweeping.....	23,267 74	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Manhattan and Bronx—Carting.....	14,736 85	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Manhattan and Bronx—Final Disposition of Material.....	967 39	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning—Borough of Manhattan and Bronx—Administration.....	12,058 40	
Fire Department—		
Fire Department—Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Salaries.....	\$108,708 89	
Fire Department—New York Fire Department Relief Fund.....	19,916 72	
Fire Department—Fire Department Fund—Sires, Buildings, etc.....	400 00	
The College of The City of New York—		
College of The City of New York.....	12,885 74	
Department of Buildings—		
Department of Buildings—Special Fund.....	50 00	
The Normal College—		
The Normal College.....	10,251 71	
The Board of Education—		
Public Instruction—For Salaries of Teachers in Grammar, Primary and High Schools.....	\$4,100 62	
Public Instruction—For Buildings, Contingent Fund.....	2,358 00	
Public Instruction—Public School Library Fund.....	73 22	
Public Instruction—School-house Fund, No. 2.....	60,844 94	
The Department of Taxes and Assessments—		
Department of Taxes and Assessments—Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx—Salaries.....	\$13,254 10	
Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	150 00	
Salaries—Board of Assessors.....	2,144 62	
The Judiciary—		
Salaries—Judiciary.....	\$87,952 72	
City Magistrates' Court—First Division.....	13,267 78	
County Clerk, New York County—		
County Clerk, New York County—Salaries.....	\$7,937 78	
For the Preservation of Public Records—County Clerk's Office.....	1,169 63	
Commissioner of Jurors—		
Commissioner of Jurors—New York County—Salaries.....	2,816 59	
The Board of City Record—		
City Record—Salaries.....	793 80	
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institutions—		
Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society.....	\$6,826 65	
New York Foundling Hospital.....	24,660 52	
Civil Service of The City of New York—		
Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of.....	3,441 05	
The Bureau of Elections—		
Election Expenses.....	5,275 00	
Surrogates' Courts—		
Surrogates' Courts—New York County—Salaries.....	\$11,789 61	
For the Preservation of Public Records—Surrogates' Courts.....	925 00	
The Sheriff—		
Salaries—Sheriff's Office.....	\$8,007 31	
Salaries—County Jail.....	1,697 83	
The Commissioners of Accounts—		
Commissioners of Accounts—Salaries.....	4,401 41	
Board of Excise—		
Excise Taxes.....	1,749 98	
Department of Docks—		
Dock Fund.....	46,316 00	
Miscellaneous—		
Armories and Drill Rooms—Wages, etc.....	\$7,409 00	
Fees of Witnesses.....	2,000 00	
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	301 66	
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	500,000 00	
For Payment of Claim of Francis J. Landry.....	2,310 35	
Additional Public Park Fund.....	2,300 00	
Block Tax Assessment Map Fund.....	774 98	
Change of Grade Damage Commission, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,208 33	
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	37,058 48	
New Park Fund.....	352 42	
New East River Bridge Fund.....	1,649 84	
Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments.....	44 29	
Revenue Bond Fund—Readjustment of Water Pipes, Forty-second Street Reservoir.....	238 12	
Revenue Bond Fund—Alterations and Changes to City Hall.....	46 00	
Revenue Bond Fund—Expert Accountants.....	4,379 39	
Revenue Bond Fund—Burnside Avenue Archways.....	112 50	
Revenue Bond Fund—Public Park, East One Hundred and Ninety-second Street.....	59 04	
Revenue Bond Fund—Bridge Over Harlem River, Pelham Avenue and Harlem Railroad.....	64 57	
Revenue Bond Fund—Bridge over Bronx River at Westchester Avenue.....	119 28	
Rapid Transit Fund, No. 2.....	5,666 65	
Street Improvement Fund, Borough of Manhattan.....	2,764 84	
Street Improvement Fund, Borough of The Bronx.....	2,115 50	
Street Improvement Fund—Awards.....	1,700 00	
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	38 80	
Total.....	\$2,485,714 94	

REDUCTION AND CANCELLATION OF TAXES.

Certificates of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, Reducing Taxes of 1897 on Real Estate, as follows:

WARD No.	Block No.	WARD MAP No.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	CORRECTED VALUATION.	TAX REMITTED.
Twenty-sixth.....	27	36	\$1,800 00	\$4,372 00
Thirtieth.....	200	3	2,000 00	1,000 00	\$10 39
Twenty-seventh.....	70	100	2,700 00	1,000 00
Sixteenth.....	11	8	2,500 00	2 00	\$1 33
Twenty-ninth.....	60	40	500 00	425 00
Seventh.....	50	3	2,000 00	2,000 00	\$7 42
Fifth.....	27	45	2,500 00	2,660 00
Thirtieth.....	55	4	2,800 00	2,500 00	\$7 45

Certificates for Cancellation of Taxes on Real Estate, as follows:

Table with columns: District, Block No., Ward No., Assessed Valuation, Corrected Valuation, Tax Required.

Certificates for Cancellation of Taxes on Personal Property, as follows:

Table with columns: Name, Address, Assessed Valuation, Corrected Valuation, Tax Required.

Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, etc.

Table with columns: Case No., Name of Plaintiff, Amount, Nature of Suit, Attorney.

Table with columns: Case No., Name of Plaintiff, Amount, Nature of Suit, Attorney.

Claims Filed

Table with columns: Date, Name of Claimant, Amount, Nature of Claim, Attorney.

CONTRACTS EXECUTED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898, AND REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 5, 1898.

Table with columns: No., Name of Contractor, Description of Work, Amount of Bond, Name of Surety, Cost.

Table with 8 columns: No., Date of Contract, Department, Names of Contractors, Names of Sureties, Amount of Bond, Description of Work, Cost. Contains multiple entries for Public Works and Public Parks.

CONTRACTS EXECUTED SINCE JANUARY 1, 1898, AND REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 5, 1898.

Table with 8 columns: No., Date of Contract, Department, Names of Contractors, Names of Sureties, Amount of Bond, Description of Work, Cost. Contains one entry for Board of Education.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representation, attended the opening of bids at the following Departments, namely: January 31- For furnishing lumber and supplies for Charities Department. February 1- For furnishing groceries and supplies for Charities Department. February 4- For repairing and extending Pier foot of West Fifth street.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals: February 2. Furnishing liquors for Department of Charities. February 2. Furnishing meats for Department of Charities. February 2. Furnishing tea for Department of Charities.

February 2. Furnishing hospital supplies for Department of Charities. February 3. Constructing sewer in One Hundred and Eighty-second street. February 4. Furnishing poultry for Department of Correction. February 4. Furnishing gas for Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies. February 5. Constructing sewer in One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, June 17, 1898.

Supervisor, City Record: The following appointments, etc., in this Department, from June 10 to date, are forwarded for publication in the City Record, pursuant to resolution adopted by the Board of Police on January 10, 1898. June 10. Joseph Franken, appointed Private Secretary to Commissioner Hoxs, at \$2,500 per annum. Appointments of Special Patrolmen Reinstated. June 13. Davis W. Wiegand. June 13. Richard C. Phelan. Resignation Accepted. June 13. William A. Terwilliger, as Special Patrolman. Appointed Special Patrolmen. June 13. John T. Thompson, for J. J. Adams & Co. June 13. John McCreedy, for V. Kodin. June 13. Theo. Kunalld, for John Pisterm. June 13. Paul A. Stusley, for Strong & Cadwalladera. Appointed Special Patrolmen in the Service of Robert A. Pinkerton. June 13. John Peterson. June 13. Michael Talent. June 13. George F. Bryan. June 13. E. D. Clarke. June 13. William E. Parsons. June 13. G. W. Vanderbilt. June 13. H. B. Newkirk. June 13. J. A. Seymour. June 13. C. W. Breitheld. June 13. C. M. Clarke. June 13. Owen McNally. June 13. J. J. Fallon. June 13. Edward D. Hughes. June 13. George Faust. June 13. Michael Walsh. June 13. W. H. Minster. June 13. Edward Mulry. Reinstated. June 13. Charles W. Sturges, as Patrolman. Appointed Special Patrolmen. June 15. Jacob Cassel, for Michael Miller. June 15. Alex. J. Lindsey, for Gus Brown, etc. June 15. John Schuntermund, for Joseph M. Tyman. June 15. Dennis McLaughlin, for L. Rudelsheimer. June 15. Dennis W. Day, for Daniel A. Penton. June 15. Matthew Kirby, for A. W. Siefly. Resignation Accepted. June 15. Frederick Steffen, as Special Patrolman. Reinstated. June 15. John Hill, as Patrolman. Appointed Doormen. June 15. Frank J. Fuchs. June 15. Jerome H. Johnston. Very respectfully, WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX

IN BOARD OF EXAMINERS, MAY 31, 1898.

The Board of Examiners met (this day) at 2:40 P. M. The roll was called, with the following result: Present—Thomas J. Brady, Commissioner of Buildings for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, in the chair, and Messrs. Gibbs, Fryer, Moore, Benson, O'Reilly, McMillan, Conover. Absent—Mr. Post. The minutes of May 24 were read and, on motion, approved. Petitions were then submitted for approval, as follows: Plan 189A, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the J. W. Rapp system of fireproof floor construction to be used for the first floor of building, as stated in petition; southeast corner of One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Courtlandt avenue. Petitioner, Edward Weisz. Approved, on condition that the soffits of iron beams are protected by wire lath and plaster. Mr. Fryer voting no. Plan 304, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the J. W. Rapp system of fireproof floor construction to be used for the first floor of building, as stated in petition; south side of Ninety-ninth street, 325 feet west of Central Park, West. Petitioner, George Frest Williams. Approved, on condition that the soffits of iron beams are protected by wire lath and plaster. Mr. Fryer voting no. Plan 338, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow walls forming first-story hallway to be constructed of 4-inch I beams, 30-inch centres, braced at top and bottom, filled with 2-inch thick hollow burnt clay blocks and wire lathed and plastered on both sides; ceiling of hallway to be of 2-inch tees, 24-inch centres, filled with 2-inch thick terra cotta blocks and wire lathed and plastered; westerly wall of stair hall and around outside of dumbwaiter, which are non-bearing walls, will be made 20 inches thick, brick in cellar, 16 inches on first and 12 inches on upper stories, as stated in petition; Nos. 250 and 252 Monroe street. Petitioner, Michael Bernatein. Approved. Plan 341, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow first-story main hall partitions to be constructed of 4-inch T and L irons, properly braced, set not more than 30 inches from centres, and filled in between with burnt fire-clay blocks solid, and plastered on both sides; ceilings to be constructed of 2-inch T and L irons, well braced, set not more than two feet apart, and filled in with burnt clay blocks and plastered; also to allow row of steel girder beams and columns, supporting first-story floor beams on rear part of corner house in basement to remain same as shown on plans, instead of 8-inch brick partition wall, all as stated in petition; Nos. 2 to 10 Rutgers place. Petitioner, Charles Rentz. Approved, on condition that ceiling blocks are 2 inches thick and partition blocks 4 inches thick, of burnt clay. Plan 426, New Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow reconsideration of decision of Board at meeting held May 24, 1898, so as to permit entrance hall partitions to be constructed of I beams, 3 inches thick, filled in solid with fireproof blocks, 3 inches thick by 30 inches long, roofed over with 2-inch thick fireproof slabs, resting on 2 1/2-inch T irons, 30 inches c/c, all to be plastered both sides; partitions of upper hall to be constructed of 4 inch thick fireproof blocks, resting directly upon flanges of floor beams that are especially framed for the purpose; partition inclosing water-closet to be 3 inches thick, fireproof; also walls at first story marked A and B adjoining stairs to be 12 inches thick instead of 10 inches, they being non-bearing and securely braced by cross or buttress walls, all as stated in petition; east side Gouverneur street, 52 feet 4 inches north of Monroe street. Petitioner, Lorenz F. J. Weiber, Jr. Reconsidered and approved, on condition that side light shaft walls at stairs are 20 inches thick in cellar, 16 inches thick in first story and 12 inches from thence to roof; that cross partition walls inclosing stairs, marked "A"

on drawings are 12 inches thick in first story and 8 inches above, and that partition blocks are of burnt clay, three inches thick.

Plan 426, New Buildings, 1897—Petition to allow one 3-inch cast-iron column, 30-inch metal and 8-inch 54-pound per yard steel girder over same to be used in rear portion of basement, in place of an 8-inch brick partition wall, as shown on plan and as stated in petition; north side of Nassau-street, 421 feet east of Columbus avenue. Petitioner, George Paul Fulham. Approved.

Plan 427, New Buildings, 1897—Petition to allow the J. W. Rapp system of fireproof floor construction to be used for the first floor of building, as stated in petition; southwest corner of Bentley and One Hundred and Fifth street. Petitioner, Andrew J. Kerwin, Jr. Approved, on condition that the joints of iron beams are protected by wire lath and plaster. Mr. Fryer voting no.

Plan 428, Alterations, 1898—Petition to allow a third story extension, constructed of steel, 4-inch tee and angle iron on walls, set not more than 30 inches from centres; floor to be constructed of steel I-beams and channels, placed not over 4 feet from centres, filled in between with 4-inch brick arches; rear portion of extension will be supported on a brick pier at party wall and columns of two angle irons at each corner of extension; pier and columns supporting rear portion will rest on floor and lift brick walls of present one-story extension, leaving second story open for light and ventilation for first and second stories of present building; extension framing will be braced to make extra strong and be thoroughly secured to main building; walls of extension will be filled in between angles with terra cotta and covered on outside with corrugated galvanized sheet iron; over brick floor arches will be filled with cement concrete, as stated in petition; Nos. 1020 and 1022 Lexington avenue. Petitioner, G. A. Schellenger. Laid over for amended drawings and application.

Plan 433, Alterations, 1898—Petition to allow a bay-window to be erected of wood, as shown on plan and as stated in petition; No. 43 West Forty-ninth street. Petitioner, Raleigh C. Gilder. Laid over. Mr. Moore was here examined.

Plan 505, Alterations to Buildings, 1898—Petition to allow the J. W. Rapp system of fireproof floor construction to be used for the first floor of building, as stated in petition; southeast corner of First avenue and Elgin-street. Petitioner, Hubert Drosner. Approved, on condition that the joints of iron beams are protected by wire lath and plaster. Mr. Fryer voting no.

Petition to allow the use of a party wall between Nos. 492 and 494 Grand street, 12 inches thick in front portion (between light shaft and front line) in third story, instead of 16 inches, as required for warehouse walls, sixty feet high, as stated in petition; Nos. 494, 495 and 498 Grand street. Petitioner, John B. Snook & Sons. Approved.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the north and east side of sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth stories of building, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 1 Maiden Lane. Petitioner, C. F. H. Gilbert. Fire shutters or wire glass in fireproof frames required at the opening on the north side at sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth stories.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the north and south walls of two stories of building, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 151 Essex street. Petitioner, H. Freeman. Fire shutters or wire glass in fireproof frames required at all openings on the two tiers of windows nearest to the dwellings fronting on adjoining lots.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on south side of building, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 127 Lewis street. Petitioner, Mrs. Bertha Epstein. Window openings on south side must be protected by wire glass in suitable fireproof frames or fire shutters.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on the north light court walls at the ground to tenth meridian floor inclusive, for reasons as stated in petition; No. 149 Broadway. Petitioner, Ernest Flagg. Laid over for examination and report.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on windows of east side of building, for reasons as stated in petition; Nos. 9, 11, 13 and 15 Murray street. Petitioners, Clinton and Russell. Referred to Mr. McMillan for examination and report.

Petition for exemption from fireproof shutters on rear windows of the upper stories of building, for reasons as stated in petition; Nos. 188 to 192 Mott street. Petitioner, The H. Herman Lumber Company. Referred to Mr. O'Reilly for examination and report.

On motion, the Board then adjourned, 4:15 P. M.

WILLIAM H. CLASS, Clerk to Board.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR. June 16, 1898.

The Supervisor of the City Works, City Hall, New York:

DEAR SIR—I am directed by the Mayor to transmit to you herewith, for publication in the CITY RECORD, a copy of an order concerning the Bureau of Licenses made by him yesterday. Very respectfully yours,

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Secretary.

Pursuant to the provisions of an "Ordinance to provide for the issuing of licenses in the City of New York," approved February 9, 1898, I hereby certify that it is necessary for the public convenience and for the efficient transaction of the business of the Bureau of Licenses that a branch of the said Bureau be established in each of the boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, and I hereby order and designate that a branch of said Bureau be and the same is hereby established in each of said boroughs, and until further action is taken I do hereby organize said branch offices and direct that there shall be in each of said branch offices a Deputy Chief and a Cashier, and I hereby fix the salaries of such persons as follows: That of the Deputy Chief in the Borough of Brooklyn, at \$2,000 a year, and that of the Deputy Chief in the Borough of Queens and in the Borough of Richmond, respectively, at \$1,500 a year; and that of the Cashier in the Borough of Brooklyn, at \$1,600 a year, and that of the Cashier in the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, respectively, at \$1,200 a year.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 15th day of June, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE MAYOR.

JUNE 15, 1898.

William H. Jordan to be Deputy Chief in the branch office in the Borough of Brooklyn of the Bureau of Licenses, at a salary of \$2,000 per annum.

George E. Glendinning, to be Cashier in the branch office in the Borough of Brooklyn of the Bureau of Licenses, at a salary of \$1,600 per annum.

New York, June 16, 1898.

The Supervisor of the City Record, City Hall, New York:

DEAR SIR—The Mayor directs me to transmit to you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, the above list of appointments made by him yesterday.

Very respectfully yours, ALFRED M. DOWNES, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

The Department of Water Supply hereby publishes, in compliance with section 513, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, the following abstract of the expenditures made and the liabilities incurred during the month of May, 1898:

Table with columns for Expenditures for May, 1898 and Liabilities for May, 1898. Items include Pay-rolls, Taxes, Lay mains, Car-fares and horse and wagon, Coal and wood, Supplies, Repairs, and various other expenses.

E. BEARDSLEY, General Bookkeeper.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM MAY 30 TO JUNE 4, 1898, INCLUSIVE.

MAY 31, 1898.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Respecting the appointment of Temporary Assistant Fire Marshals, Borough of Manhattan.

From the Chief of Department— 1. Reporting that the second floor of the former Town Hall of Gravesend is required by the Department, and recommending that the suggestion of the Deputy Commissioner that the Municipal Assembly be requested to assign the same for its use, be approved. Recommendation approved and application made.

2. Recommending that the application of Chief of Battalion James W. Connell, Borough of Brooklyn, for retirement, be denied. Recommendation approved and application denied.

From the Chief Instructor, School of Instruction—Forwarding list of probationary members who have completed term at school and are recommended for service.

From Fireman 1st grade Bartholomew McElernott, Hook and Ladder 21—Applying for promotion to the rank of Assistant Foreman.

From Fireman 1st grade John F. Deitsch, Engine 53 (Theatre Detail)—Reporting slight fire at Columbus Theatre on the 28th instant.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 26—Reporting fat boiling, without a permit, in basement of premises No. 693 Sixth avenue, used as a bakery. To the Department of Health.

From the Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Submitting list of officers and members of the uniformed force for transfer and recommending that the same be approved. To the Chief of Department.

From Company Commanders, Borough of Manhattan—Reporting chimney fires at No. 727 Columbus avenue, No. 1683 Third avenue and No. 55 Vandam street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

PAY-ROLLS AUDITED. Borough of Brooklyn.

Schedule 13 of 1898 \$110,393 93

Borough of Queens.

Schedule 2 of 1898 \$2,350 79

EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED.

Borough of Manhattan.

Table of expenditures for Borough of Manhattan including Locker with desk top, Fire Marshal's Bureau, Subway material and construction, Stall repairs, quarters Engine 4, Gas-fitting, quarters Engine 1, Bookcases, quarters Hook and Ladder 20, Flagpole for Headquarters, and Cleaning cesspool, quarters Engine 48.

Borough of Brooklyn and Queens.

Table of expenditures for Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens including Awnings, Oak and hickory spokes, Buttons, Lard oil, Repairs to tools, clocks, etc., Rubber matting, Paints and brushes, Typewriting machine and desk, Repairing sidewalks, and Incidental expenses, Bureau Fire Marshal, quarter ending June 30, 1898.

JUNE 1, 1898.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission (Labor Bureau)—Certifying that John J. Keelon is eligible for reinstatement as Machinist.

From the Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Transmitting report of trial of Foreman James Gannon, Engine 9, for "intoxication," with recommendation that the charge be dismissed, and his application for retirement on half pay approved. Recommendation approved and application granted.

PRESENTATION OF MEDALS.

The annual presentation of the Bennett, Bonner and Strong medals to members of the uniformed force who, during the past year, distinguished themselves for heroism, meritorious performance of duty and good work in saving human life, and the Stephenson medal to the Foreman who, as a commanding officer, distinguished himself for general efficiency, took place at these Headquarters at noon this day. The recipients were as follows:

- Bonner Medal—Assistant Foreman John P. Howe, Engine 21. Bennett Medal—Fireman 1st grade James Pearl, Hook and Ladder 7. Strong Medal—Fireman 1st grade James J. Crawford, Engine 24. Stephenson Medal—Foreman John J. Riordan, Hook and Ladder 6.

REINSTATED.

In Accordance with Regulation 43 of the Municipal Civil Service Regulations, Approved March 5, 1898.

John J. Keelon, as Machinist in the Repair Shops, with compensation at the rate of \$3 per diem, from this date.

RESIGNED.

Martin J. Conoran, Temporary Oil Collector, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, from 4 P. M. this date.

RETIRED.

Foreman James Gannon, Engine 9, Borough of Brooklyn, on his own application, on half pay, after more than twenty years' service, to take effect from and after the 9th instant.

JUNE 2, 1898.

TRIALS.

Fireman 1st grade John F. Reilly, Engine 37, "under the influence of liquor" and "absent without leave." Dismissed the service from 8 A. M. 3d instant.

Fireman John S. Molster, Hook and Ladder 4, "absence without leave" (two specifications). Fined ten days' pay.

Fireman 4th grade Thomas Heffernan, Engine 6, "absence without leave." Being first offense, charge dismissed.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission (Labor Bureau)—Certifying that Robert Burlinson is eligible for reinstatement as Groundman.

From the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—Respecting lease of upper floor of former Town Hall of Gravesend for Fire Department purposes. Notified that, on the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, application has been made to the Municipal Assembly for the assignment of said premises.

From the Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Recommending the reinstatement of ex-Assistant Foreman Martin Conoran, who resigned June 3, 1897. Recommendation approved.

From the Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Reports of operations of Bureau for the weeks ending 21st and 28th ultimo.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 1—Reporting reinspection of "Pearl Hotel," No. 475 Pearl street, with recommendation of the Chief of Department that all proceedings be discontinued, the law having been complied with. Recommendation approved, and Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, notified.

From Driver George McArdle, Repair Shops—Requesting that he be allowed pay during the period of his enlistment in the United States Army. Application denied.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 25—Reporting no fire escapes at Nos. 204, 206, 210, 212, 216, 218, 220, 224, 226, 238, 242 and 264 West Fourth street. To the Department of Buildings.
From the Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting violations of law (chimney fires), Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Back, with directions to enforce collection of penalties.
From S. Schendel & Co.—Requesting illegal use of hatchway at No. 85 Walker street. To the Fire Marshal.
From Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers—Transmitting check for \$716.13, net proceeds of sale of condensed material at Repair Shops and Eldridge Street Steamhouse on 19th ultimo. To the Bookkeeper, with directions to place the same to the credit of the Relief Fund.

SUPPLEMENTAL PAY-ROLL AUDITED.

Borough of Manhattan.

Schedule 22 of 1898..... \$50 00

EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED.

Borough of Manhattan.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Amount. Includes Whips, Brass snaps, Water coolers and stands, Whitewashing, quarters Hook and Ladder 4, etc.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens

—with the approval of the Deputy Commissioner.
Miscellaneous supplies..... \$500 00

REINSTATED

In accordance with Regulation 23 of the Municipal Civil Service Regulations Approved March 5, 1898:

Martin Corcoran, as Assistant Foreman, Borough of Brooklyn, from this date, with compensation at the rate of \$1,166.66 per annum.
Robert Barilison, as Groundsman, Telegraph Branch, Borough of Manhattan, with compensation at the rate of \$2 per diem, from this date.

JUNE 3, 1898.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission (Labor Bureau)—Certifying that John Saul is eligible for reinstatement as Painter.
From the Foreman in charge of the Repair Shops—Reporting receipt of 4,000 feet of hose from the Gatta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company, in conformity with the specifications.
From the Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables—Recommending sale of horses Nos. 352, 520, 680, 788 and 850, no longer fit for the service. Recommendation approved, and sale ordered by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, on 14th instant.
From Foreman Engine 40—Reporting death of Fireman 1st grade James A. McCormick of his command, at the City Hospital, Blackwell's Island, on the 2d instant.
From Assistant Foreman Martin Morrison, Engine 16—Applying for promotion to the rank of Foreman.
From Hyacinthe Ringrose, Attorney—Requesting application to rehear and determine the charges against ex-Fireman John J. Driscoll, with a view to his reinstatement. Application denied.
From Ramsey & Co. (Limited)—Requesting copies of specifications and forms of proposal for furnishing Hook and Ladder Trucks, bids for which are to be opened on the 8th instant. Copies furnished.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine 26—Reporting defective hose at No. 264 West Fourth street. To the Fire Marshal.

EXPENDITURE AUTHORIZED.

Borough of Manhattan.

Furniture repairs, Headquarters..... \$28 50

REINSTATED.

In accordance with Regulation 23 of the Municipal Civil Service Regulations, approved March 5, 1898.

John Saul, as Painter at Repair Shops, with compensation at the rate of \$3 per diem, from this date.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Requesting names of persons appointed since January 1, 1898, with their salaries. Reply communicated.

TRANSFERRED.

With the approval of the Commissioner, transfers from one company to another of four Foremen and nine Firemen were ordered, to take effect from 8 o'clock A. M., 1st instant.

ASSIGNED.

By Order of the Chief of Department.

Chief of Thirty-second Battalion John J. Fanning, temporarily relieved from the command of said battalion and detailed as Acting Deputy Chief of Department; assigned to Eighth Division, from 8 o'clock A. M., 4th instant.

Chief of Battalion John O'Hara to the command of the Thirty-second Battalion, from 8 o'clock A. M., 4th instant, until otherwise ordered.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

BOARDS OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, LONG ISLAND CITY, May 13, 1898.

Councilmen David Van Nostrand and Joseph Cassidy, with Aldermen William F. James and Joseph Geiser, and President of the Borough Frederick Bowley, constituting the Local Board, held a meeting at the above place and date.

Reading of minutes of previous meetings dispensed with.
In the matter of hearing set for this date of Friedman against Modry, the complainant was present with his counsel, James Ridgway, Esq., and the defendant appeared with Robert Davidson, Esq., as his counsel.

The both principals were sworn by the President and gave their testimony, whilst the statement of witnesses was taken without being first put under oath—all of which is duly recorded and on file in this office and are part of the minutes of this meeting; after which the Board decided to make application to the Corporation Counsel for his opinion as to its powers in the premises, and so ordered.

In accordance with public notice given, hearing was had on the petition as filed with the President:

First. That the map of Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, may be altered so as to make the width of Van Alst avenue, from Main street north to the city boundary, one hundred instead of one hundred and fifty feet.

Second. That Van Alst avenue, from the northerly side of Main street to the northerly side of Winthrop avenue, be opened, graded, flagged, curbed and guttered.

Third. That Winthrop avenue, from the easterly side of Van Alst avenue to the westerly line of Steinsway avenue, be opened, graded, flagged, curbed and guttered.

Charles Beener, Esq., who appeared in behalf of the petitioners, addressed the Board. Mr. Rudolph Hoarck made inquiry as to in whom title would revert to the fifty feet of land on Van Alst avenue, by which same would be reduced in width as petitioned for, and suggested that same should first be guaranteed to the owners of premises along which same fronts, otherwise the former owners might lay claim thereon, and thereby the frontage now to premises of present owners of abutting properties.

On motion, the further hearing was postponed to next meeting of this Board. D. S. Jones & Co. filed a supplemental and more detailed statement of grievances, in which the Long Island Railroad Company appears.

The same, after being read, was ordered received and placed on file, and the Secretary was directed to notify such company thereof and of the hearing, which was set down for the next meeting of the Board.

Complaint of Louis Niedersten, of Middle Village, as to the disgraceful condition of Satter avenue, as transmitted to this Board by the Board of Public Improvements, was read and placed on file, and the Secretary directed to notify the Deputy Commissioner of Highways thereof.

The committee which was appointed to investigate the matter complained of by Friedman against Modry reported that they had viewed the premises, that the fence is unsightly and a nuisance. Which was accepted.

Meeting adjourned to May 27, 1898.

JOSEPH FIEBEL, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK, CENTRE, ELM, WHITE AND FRANKLIN STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, June 16, 1898.

Supervisor, City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of section 1546 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I beg to transmit herewith, for publication in the CITY RECORD, the following appointments by the Department of Health of The City of New York:

Table with 4 columns: NAME, BOROUGH, POSITION, SALARY. Lists various employees like John Collins, Adolph Kessler, M. D., etc.

Very respectfully, C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, CITY OF NEW YORK, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, STEWART BUILDING, MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., June 16, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—You are hereby notified that William Daley, of No. 193 Hamilton place, New York City, Bridge-tender in this Department, Borough of Manhattan, on the Macomb's Dam Bridge, has been discharged from service in this Department, to date from May 12, 1898, in consequence of continuous absence from duty without leave.

Respectfully, JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner of Bridges.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, CITY OF NEW YORK, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, STEWART BUILDING, MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., June 16, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—You are hereby notified that James Finland of Nelson avenue, Highbridge, New York City, Laborer in this Department, Borough of Manhattan, on the Madison Avenue Bridge, has been discharged from service in this Department, to date from June 14, 1898, in consequence of continuous absence from duty without leave.

Respectfully, JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner of Bridges.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER FOR THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, ZIBOWSKI MANSION, CLAREMONT PARK, June 16, 1898.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Pursuant to section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby notify you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, that the Commissioner has this day made the following appointments in this Department, to take effect on the 18th instant:

Toolmen, at \$1.75 Per Day.

Edward Pendergast, No. 1075 Dawson street, Robert Parker, One Hundred and Forty-first street and Locust avenue. John Flanagan, No. 630 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street. James McGinn, No. 306 Locust avenue. Joseph F. Flanagan, No. 633 East One Hundred and Forty-first street.

Painter, \$1.50 Per Day. Arthur T. Flynn, No. 370 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.
Tramcar with Team, \$4.50 Per Day. Joseph Miller, No. 1341 Webster avenue.
Respectfully yours, MAX K. KAHN, Private Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office. No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor. ALBERT M. DOWNES, Private Secretary.
Bureau of Licenses. No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID J. KOCH, Chief. GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS. Room 200, Stewart Building, 110 floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. RYAN, MAURICE J. FOWLER, WILLIAM H. TEN YUCK, and THE MAYOR, and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HENRY W. WALKER, Secretary; A. FRYLEY, Chief Engineer.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS. Rooms 214 and 215, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN C. HARTLE and EDWARD OWEN.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS. THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary. Address THOMAS L. FRYBURN, Stewart Building. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

THE COUNCIL. RANDOLPH GOODENOUGH, President of the Council. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk. Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

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

BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

Borough of Manhattan. Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 10, 11 and 12, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
AGNESTUS W. PETERS, President. IRA EDGAR RYAN, Secretary.
Borough of the Bronx. Office of the President of the Borough of the Bronx, 109th Third Avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
LOUIS F. HAYES, President.

Borough of Manhattan.
President's Office, New City Hall, 125 N. W. 11th St., New York, N. Y., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD McLELLAN, President.

Borough of Queens.
President's Office, 100-10th St., New York, N. Y., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
S. A. McLELLAN, President.

Borough of Richmond.
President's Office, 100-10th St., New York, N. Y., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
S. A. McLELLAN, President.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
No. 110 Nassau Street, 2 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. HARRIS, Public Administrator.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.
No. 100 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 P. M.
MORRIS F. ROSS, President.
JOHN H. MURPHY, Secretary.

Department of Highways.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KELLY, Commissioner of Highways.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Deputy Commissioner of Highways.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Commissioner of Highways.
JAMES H. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner of Highways.
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Department of Sewers.
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Department of Water Supply.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Commissioner of Water Supply.
JAMES H. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply.
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Department of Public Buildings.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Commissioner of Public Buildings.
JAMES H. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner of Public Buildings.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Commissioner of Public Buildings.
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Department of Street Cleaning.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KELLY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
JAMES H. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
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Department of Parks.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KELLY, Commissioner of Parks.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Deputy Commissioner of Parks.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Commissioner of Parks.
JAMES H. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner of Parks.
HARRY V. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner of Parks.
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Department of Finance.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KELLY, Commissioner of Finance.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Deputy Commissioner of Finance.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Commissioner of Finance.
JAMES H. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner of Finance.
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Department of Buildings.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KELLY, Commissioner of Buildings.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Deputy Commissioner of Buildings.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Commissioner of Buildings.
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Department of Taxes and Assessments.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KELLY, Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Deputy Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments.
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Board of Assessors.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KELLY, Chairman of Board of Assessors.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Deputy Chairman of Board of Assessors.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Chairman of Board of Assessors.
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Bureau of Municipal Statistics.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KELLY, Commissioner of Municipal Statistics.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Deputy Commissioner of Municipal Statistics.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Commissioner of Municipal Statistics.
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Municipal Civil Service Commission.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KELLY, Chairman of Municipal Civil Service Commission.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Deputy Chairman of Municipal Civil Service Commission.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Chairman of Municipal Civil Service Commission.
JAMES H. McLELLAN, Deputy Chairman of Municipal Civil Service Commission.
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Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. KELLY, Chairman of Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
WILLIAM S. SCOTT, Deputy Chairman of Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
THOMAS H. BURTON, Deputy Chairman of Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
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James F. Fox, Commissioner for Richmond.
Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 P. M.
Office Hours, 9:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
Central Office.
No. 100 Mulberry Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BENJAMIN J. YORK, President of the Board; JOHN B. McLELLAN, JAMES HARRIS, Commissioners.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 P. M.
Headquarters.
Nos. 127 and 129 East Sixth Street, seventh street.

JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.
JAMES H. TULLY, Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
ANTHONY T. DICICCIOTTI, Secretary.
HENRY BROWN, Chief of Department, and in Charge of Fire Alarm Telegraph.
JAMES MAHEU, Deputy Chief in Charge of Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
DANIEL E. McLELLAN, Inspector of Combustibles.
PETER SERRA, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.
JOHN M. O'NEAL, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
GRANT H. McLELLAN (Temporary), Assistant Fire Marshal, Borough of Manhattan.
Central Office open at all hours.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.
Central Office.
No. 142 East Twelfth Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANCIS J. McLELLAN, Commissioner.
S. D. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner.
LESLIE J. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner for Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
Board of Education.
No. 125 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan.
CHARLES McLELLAN McLELLAN, President; ALFRED McLELLAN, Secretary.
School Board for the Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.
No. 142 East Twelfth Street, Borough of Manhattan.
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School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn.
No. 125 Nassau Street, Borough of Brooklyn.
J. McLELLAN, President; GRANT H. McLELLAN, Secretary.
School Board for the Borough of Queens.
No. 125 Nassau Street, Borough of Queens.
J. McLELLAN, President; GRANT H. McLELLAN, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Richmond.
No. 125 Nassau Street, Borough of Richmond.
J. McLELLAN, President; GRANT H. McLELLAN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.
New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL C. McLELLAN, President, and WILLIAM T. McLELLAN, M. D., JOHN B. McLELLAN, M. D., The President of the Police Board, and the HEALTH OFFICERS OF THE PORT, are Officers, Commissioners; LAURENCE McLELLAN, Secretary.

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Pier "A," N. R., Battery Pier.
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Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.
Arsenal Building, Central Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 P. M.
GEORGE C. McLELLAN, President, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.
GEORGE V. McLELLAN, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.
ALFRED McLELLAN, Commissioner in Borough of the Bronx, Zoroastrian Mission, Clermont Park.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.
Main Office, No. 125 Fourth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan.
THOMAS J. McLELLAN, President of the Board of Buildings and Commissioner for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
JOHN McLELLAN, Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn.
DANIEL McLELLAN, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.

Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.
No. 125 Nassau Street, West New Brighton, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond; Branch office, Room 3, second floor, Town Hall, Jamaica, Long Island, Borough of Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS L. McLELLAN, President of the Board; EDWARD C. McLELLAN, ARTHUR C. McLELLAN, THOMAS J. McLELLAN and WILLIAM McLELLAN, Commissioners.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.
Office, No. 100 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD McLELLAN, THOMAS A. McLELLAN, JOHN McLELLAN, EDWARD McLELLAN and PATRICK M. McLELLAN, Board of Assessors.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.
No. 125 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES P. McLELLAN, Commissioner of Municipal Statistics.
WILLIAM S. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner of Municipal Statistics.
THOMAS H. McLELLAN, Deputy Commissioner of Municipal Statistics.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.
Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, between Franklin and White Streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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The Mayor, Chairman; THOMAS L. McLELLAN, President, Department of Taxes and Assessments; Secretary; the COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE COMMONS, and the COMPTROLLER GENERAL, Members; CHARLES V. McLELLAN, Clerk.
Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Stewart Building.

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Office of Secretary, Room No. 112, Stewart Building.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.
Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS J. McLELLAN, Sheriff; HENRY P. McLELLAN, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.
East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ISAAC McLELLAN, Register; JOHN McLELLAN, Deputy Register.

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

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
No. 125 Fifth Avenue.
H. W. McLELLAN, Commissioner.

N. Y. COUNTY JAIL.
No. 70 Ludlow Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PATRICK H. McLELLAN, Warden.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.
Nos. 2 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM McLELLAN, County Clerk.
GEORGE H. McLELLAN, Deputy.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.
And Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Book Binding.
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 P. M.
WILLIAM A. McLELLAN, Supervisor; SIMON McLELLAN, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. McLELLAN, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ASA McLELLAN, District Attorney; WILLIAM J. McLELLAN, Chief Clerk.

NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.
Commissioner's Office, Nos. 40 and 42 Chambers Street, New York, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LEWIS McLELLAN, President; JAMES W. McLELLAN, Vice-President; SAMUEL E. McLELLAN, Secretary; JAMES H. McLELLAN, Treasurer; JOHN W. McLELLAN, THOMAS S. McLELLAN and THOMAS McLELLAN, Commissioners.
Chief Engineer's Office, No. 24 Broadway, Brooklyn, E. D., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.
Room 25, Schermerhorn Building, South Broadway.
Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M.
DANIEL McLELLAN, Chairman; JAMES M. McLELLAN, WILLIAM E. McLELLAN, Commissioners.
LAURENCE McLELLAN, Clerk.

CORONERS.
Borough of Manhattan.
Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all hours of day and night.
EDWARD J. McLELLAN, JAMES E. McLELLAN, EDWARD W. McLELLAN, ANTHONY McLELLAN.
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ANTHONY McLELLAN, THOMAS M. McLELLAN.
Borough of Brooklyn.
ANTHONY J. McLELLAN, GEORGE W. McLELLAN.
Borough of Queens.
PHILIP T. McLELLAN, DE S. McLELLAN, GUY, JR., LAWRENCE McLELLAN, JR., JAMES L. McLELLAN.
Borough of Richmond.
JOHN McLELLAN, GEORGE C. McLELLAN.

SURROGATES' COURT.
New County Court-house, Court opens at 10:30 A. M. adjourns 4 P. M.
FRANK T. McLELLAN and JOHN H. McLELLAN, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. McLELLAN, Chief Clerk.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.
Rooms 24, 25 and 26, No. 125 to 127 Church Street.
President, GEORGE H. McLELLAN, Secretary, JAMES E. McLELLAN; Treasurer, JOHN McLELLAN; HOWARD McLELLAN, F. J. McLELLAN, GEORGE McLELLAN.
Meet every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9 A. M.

SUPREME COURT.
County Court-house, 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Special Term, Part I, Room No. 12.
Special Term, Part II, Room No. 13.
Special Term, Part III, Room No. 14.
Special Term, Part IV, Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part V, Room No. 16.
Special Term, Part VI, Room No. 17.
Special Term, Part VII, Room No. 18.
Special Term, Part VIII, Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IX, Room No. 20.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 26.
Yeates—ABRAHAM R. McLELLAN, CHARLES H. McLELLAN, CHARLES F. McLELLAN, FREDERICK McLELLAN, JAMES D. McLELLAN, MILES McLELLAN, ROGER A. McLELLAN, LEONARD A. McLELLAN, HENRY W. McLELLAN, HENRY McLELLAN, JR., JOHN J. McLELLAN, WILLIAM N. McLELLAN, F. McLELLAN, DAVID McLELLAN, HENRY R. McLELLAN, McLELLAN, ARTHUR A. McLELLAN, FRANCIS M. McLELLAN, WILLIAM McLELLAN, Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin Streets. Court opens at 11 o'clock.
RUFUS B. McLELLAN, City Judge; JAMES McLELLAN, Judge of the Court of General Sessions; JOHN W. McLELLAN, Recorder; JOSEPH E. McLELLAN and MARTIN T. McLELLAN, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. JOHN F. McLELLAN, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Supreme Court, Part I, Criminal Trial Term.
Held in the building for Criminal Courts. Court opens at 10:30 A. M.
JOHN F. McLELLAN, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.
Court-room, No. 125 Fifth Avenue, corner Eighteenth Street. Court opens at 1 P. M.
CHARLES H. McLELLAN, Presiding Justice; GEORGE C. McLELLAN, CHAMBERLAIN McLELLAN, EDWARD McLELLAN, MORGAN J. McLELLAN, GEORGE L. McLELLAN, WILLIAM McLELLAN, JAMES, ALFRED McLELLAN, Wm. LAMAR, JR., Deputy Clerk.

CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.
New Criminal Court Building, Centre Street. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
JOHN F. McLELLAN, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
General Term.
Trial Term, Part I.
Part II.
Part III.
Part IV.
Special Term Chambers will be held at 2 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, brown-stone building, No. 32 Chambers Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES H. McLELLAN, Chief Justice; JOHN H. McLELLAN, LEWIS J. McLELLAN, EDWARD F. McLELLAN, JOHN F. McLELLAN and W. M. K. McLELLAN, Justices; THOMAS J. McLELLAN, Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Building for Criminal Courts, Centre Street, between Franklin and White Streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10:30 A. M.
Justice, First Division—ELIOTT B. McLELLAN, WILLIAM McLELLAN, EDWARD A. McLELLAN, JOHN McLELLAN, WILLIAM C. McLELLAN. WILLIAM M. McLELLAN, Clerk; JOSEPH H. McLELLAN, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second Division—Trial days—Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock. Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock. Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.
Justice, Second Division—HOWARD J. McLELLAN, JOHN H. McLELLAN, JOHN McLELLAN, THOMAS W. McLELLAN, JOSEPH L. McLELLAN, Clerk; CHARLES F. McLELLAN, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.
Borough of Manhattan.
First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall Street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands. Court-room, No. 32 Chambers Street (Brown Stone Building).
WARDEN McLELLAN, Justice. FRANK L. McLELLAN, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall Street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre Streets.
WARDEN McLELLAN, Justice. FRANCIS McLELLAN, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth Avenue and West Tenth Street. Court opens daily (Saturdays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Wm. F. McLELLAN, Justice. DANIEL McLELLAN, 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. McLELLAN, Justice. JOHN E. McLELLAN, Clerk.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 124 Clinton Street.
HENRY M. McLELLAN, Justice. JOSHUA McLELLAN, 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. McLELLAN, Justice. ABRAHAM McLELLAN, Clerk.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 25 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 H. McLELLAN, Justice. PATRICK McLELLAN, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third Street and Eighth Avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.
Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays.
JOSEPH H. McLELLAN, Justice. THOMAS McLELLAN, 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. 210 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 F. McLELLAN, Justice. WILLIAM J. McLELLAN, 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. 125 West Fifty-fourth Street. Court opens daily (Saturdays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES A. McLELLAN, Justice. JAMES J. McLELLAN, 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-seventh Street and Columbus Avenue. Court opens daily (Saturdays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANCIS J. McLELLAN, Justice. AUGUST N. McLELLAN, Clerk.

Borough of the Bronx.
First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 123 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Westchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main Street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Saturdays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM W. McLELLAN, Justice. JOHN N. McLELLAN, Clerk.

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

Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—Competing First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn.
JACOB McLELLAN, Justice. EDWARD McLELLAN, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 734 Broadway, Brooklyn.
GERARD B. McLELLAN, Justice. WILLIAM H. McLELLAN, Chief Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

WILLIAM SCHMIDTBAHN, Justice. CHARLES A. COBURN, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 4 Nassau street.
ALBERT H. ANDERSON, Justice. HERBERT GOULDING, Clerk; JAMES R. ANDERSON, 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).
CONRAD FREDERSON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Borough of Queens.
First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly comprising five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).
THOMAS C. KADON, 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 Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. J. C. ANDERSON, Elmhurst, New York. WILLIAM T. MONTGOMERY, Justice. HENRY WALTON, Jr., Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.**

Third District—JAMES E. McLEOD, Justice.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, James Village Hall, Lafayette street and Second street, New Brighton.
JOHN J. KENNEDY, Justice; FRANK F. LEVAM, Clerk.
Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Wards (Towns of Middleburgh, Southold and Westford). Court-room, former Edgeview Village Hall, Stapleton Park, Stapleton.
ALBERT RYAN, Justice; PAUL TRIEDMAN, Clerk.
Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 9 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. SHANK, ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEO B. CRANE, JAMES M. DELANEY, CHARLES A. FLANNAGAN, THOMAS C. RYAN, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH PAUL, CHARLES R. SUDAS, JR., THOMAS F. WAGNER, W. H. COLMISTEAD, ERNE DEMAREE, Secretary.

First District—Criminal Court Building.
Second District—Johnston Market.
Third District—No. 45 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

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

Second District, Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—No. 100 Adams street. JAMES HARRISON, Magistrate.

Second District—Clerk and Dotter streets. HENRY BROWN, Magistrate.

Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. HAZEN, Magistrate.

Fourth District—Nos. 3 and 5 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KNABE, Magistrate.

Fifth District—Evan and Powers streets. ANDREW LEON, Magistrate.

Sixth District—Gates and Rod avenues. LEWIS R. WHEAT, Magistrate.

Seventh District—No. 31 Ogan street. FRANK ACKER, Magistrate.

Eighth District—Conny Island. J. JERRY NORTBANK, Magistrate.

Borough of Queens.
First District—Nos. 32 and 34 Jackson avenue, Long Island City. MATTHEW J. SHIFF, Magistrate.

Second District—Flushing, Long Island. LOUIS J. CONNOR, Magistrate.

Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. RICHARD J. HASKY, Magistrate.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. JAMES CROSS, Magistrate.

Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. NATHANIEL MANN, Magistrate.
Secretary to the Board, CHARLES B. GRANT, 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,
Superintendent, City Record.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK,
June 17, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH THE TITLE OF THE WORK AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER OR BIDDERS INTERESTED THEREIN, WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE PARK BOARD, AT ITS OFFICES, ARSENAL BUILDING, SIXTY-FOURTH STREET AND FIFTH AVENUE, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK CITY, UNTIL AT 12 O'CLOCK A. M. OF

THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1898,
for the following work in the **Borough of Brooklyn.**
RESURFACING A PART OF THE CONEY ISLAND CONCOURSE, BETWEEN THE OCEAN PARKWAY AND WEST FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, WITH ASPHALT OF THE QUALITY KNOWN AS STANDARD PAVING MIXTURE OF PUGH LAKE, TRIMPAD ASPHALT, AND KEEPING THE SAME IN GOOD REPAIR FOR FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE OF ACCEPTANCE OF THE COMPLETED WORK. In accordance with the specifications and plans for this work on file in the office of the Commissioner of Parks at the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Lincoln Mansions, Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn, and at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan.

Bidders must state the price of completed work per square yard, this price to include the maintenance of the pavement in good repair for a period of five years, it being expressly understood that all measurements of this work shall be taken after the pavement has been laid, and that the above price covers the furnishing of all materials and labor used or employed in the maintenance of said pavement in good

repair for five years, and the performance of all work mentioned in the specifications.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be fifteen consecutive working days.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, in any part thereof, shall be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof, shall be one hundred dollars per day.

The amount of the security required is Three Thousand and Five Hundred Dollars.

Bidders are required to thoroughly inform themselves by inspection of the place and specifications for this work, and also by a personal examination of the location of the proposed work, as to the nature and extent of the work to be performed, and the materials to be furnished therefor, and shall not, any time after the submission of an estimate or bid, dispute or complain of such requirements, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding relative to the nature or extent of the work to be performed or materials to be furnished.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for his faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be 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 27 of chapter 2 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 received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited to 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 to execute the same 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.

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The Park Board reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the City so to do, and to receive more satisfactory bids or proposals than be received, but the contracts when awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Bids for proposals and items of the several contracts which the aforesaid bidder will be required to execute, can be had, the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park and at the office of the Commissioner of Parks of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Lincoln Mansions, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,
AUGUST MOEBUS,
GEORGE V. BROWER,
Commissioners of Parks of the City of New York.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
NEW YORK CITY, JUNE 17, 1898.

ON MONDAY, JUNE 27, AT 3 P. M., AT THE PROSPECT PARK WORKS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THOMAS A. KERRIGAN, 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:

- 10 Philadelphia Hand Lawn Mowers, style "A."
- 30 Philadelphia Hand Lawn Mowers, old style.
- 30 Bailey Hand Lawn Mowers.
- 15 Chaffron & Caldwell Horse Lawn Mowers.

1,000 notices, most or less, of Lawn Mower fittings.

Purchasers 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 award.

DAMAGE COMM.—23-24 WARDS.
PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 527 OF THE LAWS OF 1897, ENTITLED "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR ASCERTAINING AND PAYING THE AMOUNT OF DAMAGES TO BARRIS AND BUILDINGS SUFFERED BY REASON OF CHANGES OF GRADE OF STREETS OR AVENUES, MADE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 721 OF THE LAWS OF 1887, PROVIDING FOR THE DEPRESSION OF RAILROAD TRACKS IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OR OTHERWISE," AND THE ACTS AMENDATORY THEREOF AND SUPPLEMENTAL THEREIN, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PUBLIC MEETINGS OF THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED PURSUANT TO SAID ACTS, WILL BE HELD AT ROOM 58, SCHAEFERMAN BUILDING, NO. 96 BROADWAY, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY OF EACH WEEK, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M., UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

Dated New York, October 30, 1897.

DANIEL LORD, JAMES M. VARNUM, WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Commissioners.
LAMONT McLEOD, Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

New York, June 17, 1898.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING
The Department with the articles below specified will be received by the Fire Commissioner, at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 122 and 124 West Fifty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 12 o'clock P. M. of

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 1898,
at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

- 275,000 pounds No. 1 Hay.
- 100,000 pounds No. 1 Rye Straw.
- 300,000 pounds, net weight, No. 2 white clipped Oats, to weigh out less than 24 pounds to the standard bushel.
- 45,000 pounds, net weight, fresh, clean, sweet Hops.

To be delivered at all of the various houses of the Department, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and in Long Island City, Borough of Queens, at such times and in such quantities as may be required. The articles to be measured and weighed at the several places of delivery by the officer or other employes in charge. The weight to be upon team scales maintained by the Department and transported by the contractor.

All of the hay, straw and oats shall be subject to inspection by a *Produce Exchange Inspector* at any time specified by the Department, not exceeding three times during the delivery under this contract, the expense of which inspections shall be borne by the contractor.

No estimate will be required or considered otherwise than in writing.

The forms of the agreements, with specifications showing the manner of payment for the articles, and list showing locations and points of delivery, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per unit, for Hay, Straw, Oats and Hops.

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

The award of the contract will be made at once, at a public sale after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope to said officer, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be labeled 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 Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates, as may be deemed to be for the public interest.

No bid or estimate will be received from, or contract awarded to, any person who is an officer of the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a creditor as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for his faithful performance in the sum of Four Thousand Dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before 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 Hundred Dollars. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited to 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 to execute the same 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 them, or to propose, 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.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,
Commissioner.

NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1898, AT THE NORMAL COLLEGE, AT THE HALL OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, NO. 125 GRAND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, UNTIL 3 O'CLOCK P. M. OF

JUNE 20, 1898,
for Making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at the College Buildings, Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, Lexington and Park avenues.

Plans and specifications may be seen and sealed proposals obtained at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, No. 515 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 person proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on each proposal.

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

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedents conflict with the Board of Education's policy of maintaining a high standard of efficiency in its personnel.

It is required as a condition precedent to the receipt of any consideration of any proposal, that a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Normal College, shall accompany the proposal to the amount of one per centum of the estimated cost of each proposal, which amount is to be forfeited to the Normal College, and to be a part of the deposit of checks and certificates of deposits 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 to execute the same, within five days after notice has been given that the contract is ready for execution, to execute the same, the amount of his or their deposit of check or certificates of deposit made by him or them shall be forfeited to and retained by the Board, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall be paid to the City of New York, in the credit of the sinking fund of the City of New York, but if the 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 certificates of deposit shall be returned to him or her.

JACOB M. JACK,
JOHN C. AGAR,
WILLIAM GIBSON,
JOHN J. HARRIS,
WALTER A. PRESTISS,
HELEN A. HARRIS,
FRANK A. SWANSTROM,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
THOMAS HENNER,
Executive Committee of the City of New York,
at the Normal College,
Hall of the Board of Education, June 17, 1898.

A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
will be held at the College Building, 125 Grand Street, Borough of Manhattan, on Thursday, June 18, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

CLARE HURLEY HUBBELL,
Chairman.

A. DENNIS PALMER,
Secretary.
Dated Borough of Manhattan, June 17, 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 16, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of considering communications from the Executive Committee.

CLARE HURLEY HUBBELL,
Chairman.

A. DENNIS PALMER,
Secretary.
Dated Borough of Manhattan, June 15, 1898.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ALL HOMES AND LOTS, IMPROVED OR UNIMPROVED LANDS AFFECTED THEREBY, THAT THE FOLLOWING PROPOSED ASSESSMENTS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED AND ARE HELD IN THE OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR EXAMINATION BY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED, VIZ:

Borough of the Bronx.

List 3222, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Valley avenue, from East road avenue West, to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, together with a bill of costs for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 3223, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Boston avenue, from East road avenue to Madison street.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, poles and parcels of land situated as follows:

No. 7. Both sides of Teller avenue, from Railroad avenue West, to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Frigate avenue, from the southern Boulevard to Myrtle Parkway, 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. 125 Broadway, New York, on or before July 14, 1898, at 12 o'clock P. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received as hereinafter directed.

EDWARD McLELL,
EDWARD GAHLL,
THOS. A. WILSON,
JOHN DELMAR,
PATRICK McHAVERTY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JEFFERSON,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
City of New York, Borough of Manhattan,
June 17, 1898.

CORPORATION NOTICE.
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Borough of the Bronx.

List 3222, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and laying crosswalks in Wall street, from Union street to Sedgwick avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 3223, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Boston avenue, from East road avenue to Madison street, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 3224, No. 2. Paving Webster avenue, from the New York and Harlem Railroad Bridge at One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street to the north side of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, with granite-block pavement and laying crosswalks.

List 3225, No. 4. Paving Railroad avenue, West from

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List 3225, No. 4. Paving Railroad avenue, West from

One Hundred and Sixty-second to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets, with grass-sock pavement and laying curbs.

The lots 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 Sedgwick avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Duane street, from Bailey avenue to Sedgwick 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 19, 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 MCGUIRE,
EDWARD CARRILL,
THOMAS A. WILSON,
JOHN DELMAR,
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JONES,
Secretary,
No. 300 Broadway,
City of New York, Borough of Manhattan,
June 17, 1898.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owners and tenants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved, that all the several assessments proposed to be levied upon the premises, and are subject to the office of the Board of Assessors for estimation of the amount of the same.

Lot 1001, No. 1. Equipping, covering, curbing and paving and laying curbs and sidewalks on One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, West, together with a lot of earth for drainage purposes, to a width of 40 feet.

Lot 1002, No. 2. Paving, curbing, covering and laying curbs and sidewalks on One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, West, together with a lot of earth for drainage purposes, to a width of 40 feet.

Lot 1003, No. 3. Paving, curbing, covering and laying curbs and sidewalks on One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, West, together with a lot of earth for drainage purposes, to a width of 40 feet.

Lot 1004, No. 4. Paving, curbing, covering and laying curbs and sidewalks on One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, West, together with a lot of earth for drainage purposes, to a width of 40 feet.

EDWARD MCGUIRE,
EDWARD CARRILL,
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JOHN DELMAR,
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Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JONES,
Secretary,
No. 300 Broadway,
City of New York, Borough of Manhattan,
June 17, 1898.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
COMMISSIONERS: EDWARD MCGUIRE and THOMAS A. WILSON.
New York, June 18, 1898.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following examinations will be held at the office of the Commission for the following purposes, on the dates specified:

- Wednesday, June 15, BACTERIOLOGIST, subjects as announced. Technical knowledge, experience.
- Thursday, June 16, BARBER ON AQUEDUCT, Public health, engineering and architecture.
- Friday, July 2, ASSISTANT DISINFECTOR, Technical knowledge, experience.
- Wednesday, July 2, STEWARD, Duties, experience, aptitude for office.
- Thursday, July 7, COLLECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, Duties, experience, aptitude for office.
- Friday, July 8, TOPOGRAPHICAL DRAUGHTSMAN, Technical knowledge, mathematics, experience, handwriting.
- Monday, August 1, EXAMINER, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION. Candidates will be required to take the "Basic" examination, one of the "Group" Subjects of Public Examination. Subjects of teaching, English, Latin and mathematics, experience, one Wednesday, August 1.
- Wednesday, August 3, EXAMINER, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION. Subjects as Group examination: I. Language; II. Mathematics; III. Science; IV. History, physical geography, etc.

L. E. PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June 17, 1898.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following horses will be sold at Public Auction, at the subrogeons of Messrs. Van Tassel & Keatinge, No. 120 East Thirtieth street, on

FRIDAY, JULY 1, 1898,
at 10 A. M., viz: 1. "Flurry-English Pedigree" Major, No. 1; 1 "Millen" No. 11; 1 "Judge," No. 45.
Furrier Pedigree—"New," No. 84; 1 "Soldier," No. 32; 1 "Tomboy," No. 75.
English Pedigree—"Fantom," No. 244.
Thirty-third Pedigree—"Judge," No. 24.
By order of the Board of Police.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Esoumery will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock A. M., on

FRIDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF JULY, 1898.
The person or persons making an estimate shall fur-

ish the same in a sealed envelope, marked "Estimates for Supplying Esoumery," and with his or her 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 particular 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 of 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 esoumery, in accordance with the specifications therefor. The Police Department reserves the right to purchase by the entire schedule or to contract for each item.

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

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

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

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making a estimate for the same purpose, and is to 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, stenographer or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the execution or work in which it relates or in any portion of the profits therefrom. The estimate must be verified by the sworn or writing of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested in a estimate that the estimate be made and verified by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the receipt, in duplicate, of two members of the Corporation or the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences, to the effect that the estimate is genuine and that the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as a contractor, or in default of performance, and that if he shall fail to fulfill the estimate, he will be liable to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded or to any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimate submitted in the work which the bid is made. The person or persons making the estimate shall be accompanied by the receipt, in duplicate, of two members of the Corporation or the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences, to the effect that the estimate is genuine and that the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as a contractor, or in default of performance, and that if he shall fail to fulfill the estimate, he will be liable to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded or to any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimate submitted in the work which the bid is made. The person or persons making the estimate shall be accompanied by the receipt, in duplicate, of two members of the Corporation or the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences, to the effect that the estimate is genuine and that the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as a contractor, or in default of performance, and that if he shall fail to fulfill the estimate, he will be liable to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded or to any subsequent letting, the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimate submitted in the work which the bid is made.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded refuse to accept the contract within five days after the date that the same has been awarded to him or them, he or they shall be considered as having defaulted and shall be liable to the Corporation, and the contract shall be re-advertised and re-let, as provided by law.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon any 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 estimate required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must be retained in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-Box; and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the person making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after the date that the contract has been awarded to him to estimate the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and he shall be liable to the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time specified, the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

Samples of all goods, materials, supplies, etc., estimated on and for which bids are solicited 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. JONES,
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. 4, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amounts money taken from prisoners and found by Patrons of this Department.
JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 2082 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:

RECORD OF THE BOARD.
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 in Webster Avenue, and to the extent of half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

RECORD OF THE BOARD.
TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.
CAMMAN STREET—REGULATING GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND FENCING, between Harlem River terrace and Fordham road. Area of Assessment: Both sides of Camman street, between Harlem River terrace and Fordham 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 within the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 2084 of said Greater New York Charter, and 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 5 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 17, 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 2082 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 assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, viz:

RECORD OF THE BOARD.
TWELFTH WARD.
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET—PAVING, between Claremont avenue and Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Claremont avenue and Boulevard, and to the extent of half the blocks on the terminating avenue.

—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 within the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 2084 of said Greater New York Charter, and 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."

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Comptroller's Office, June 14, 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, 1898, on the Coupon Bonds and Stocks of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 26 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. 40 Court street.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller,
City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, June 7, 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 254, Laws of 1893, notice is hereby given that "any tax herebefore levied for city, ward, state and county purposes, and all water rates and rents in 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 tax, price 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, 1898, which has been heretofore sold for unpaid taxes and water rates or rents where the same was bid in to 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 payments to be made prior to the 1st 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 5 P. M.
DAVID E. AESTEN,
Receiver of Taxes.

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., on

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, \$2,000 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, \$2,000 per annum.

Lot 3. To and from the foot of Canal 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, \$2,000 per annum.

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

The leases will be sold subject to the approval of the terms thereof by the Commissioners of the Docking 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 balance of the amount of the annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which 5 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 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 cancellation 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 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, racks, tenders, bridges and other fixtures of the landing places, and in the event of any damage to the hulls 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 be used 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 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 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 waterfront 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 seven returns of the amounts of ferry receipts shall be made to the Board of Docks when required

Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, provided the owner or owners of the wharves of said piers owned by private parties shall join with the Department's lessee in the application for same. Said wharves to revert to and become the property of the City on the expiration or sooner termination of the lease.

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.

Let 2. The bulkhead extending from a point 24 feet north of the northerly side of Pier, new 29, North river, southerly to a point 25 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.

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.

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

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

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale, in addition to the amount of the annual rent, to deposit with the Department of Docks and Ferries, twenty-five per cent. of the amount of annual rent, as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. deposit 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 securities, 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 resell the lease so premises bid for, by those failing, refusing or neglecting to comply with these terms and conditions, the party so failing, refusing or neglecting to be liable to the City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such resale.

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 in 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 thereon.

Not less than two sureties, each 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 so to do, execute a lease, with sufficient security as aforesaid, the printed form 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 or 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, as surety 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 10, 1898. J. SERGEANT CRAM, CHARLES F. MURPHY, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners of Docks.

PHILIP A. SMYON, 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. on

MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1898.

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

Let 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.

Let 2. To and from Desbrosses street, North river, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, to and from 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.

Let 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 wharfage 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 23, 1874, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund April 27, 1871, then and in that case the lessee shall have the privilege of renewal of the ferry franchise, described as Lot 1, 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 wharfage 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 West street, extended westerly, northerly to the point where same is intersected by the southerly line of West 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 23, 1874, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, April 27, 1871, 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 capacious boats and sufficient 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 boats, racks, ladders, bridges and other fixtures of the landing places, and in the event of any damage to the bulkheads or piers from collision by the ferryboats or otherwise from any accident or negligence on their part, they will immediately repair and restore said 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 lessees shall surrender and vacate the premises without any claim upon the City for any damages whatever, upon written notice being given to the lessees three months in advance of the expiration of said lease; 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 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 relinquish will be made from the rent reserved by said lease; that seven returns of the amounts of ferry receipts shall be made in 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 wharfage 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 10, 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 or 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 names 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 500 tons will be required to be delivered at the West Fifty-seventh Street Yard at the Department of Docks and Ferries, and that about 200 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 wharfage 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 therein, 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 2240 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 200 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 balances to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for fulfillment thereof has expired, viz. 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 performance 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 to 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 relet, 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 no other person has 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 modification or partial grants 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, directly or indirectly interested in this estimate, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, 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.

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

Bidders are informed that no objection 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 10, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, New York, June 14, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS AT KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL AND ALMSHOUSE, FLATBUSH, BOROUGHS 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 above-mentioned 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. on

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, Boroughs 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 reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 419, CHAPTER 278, 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 has interested the estimate shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any consultation 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 any other officer of the Corporation, directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, has 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 by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as 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 the contract may be obligated to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded and any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, 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 for whom he consents to become surety, the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, or that 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 relet, as provided by law.

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

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

Specifications can be obtained at No. 66 Third Avenue, New York City, and No. 54 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 SIMS, Jr., Commissioner. JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner. Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGHS 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. 7 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above-mentioned 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 so 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 so 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. McSWEENEY, M. D.
Committee on Sites and Buildings.

SCHOOL BOARD, 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. 731 Livingston street, until 4 o'clock P. M.

TUESDAY, JUNE 22, 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 22, 1898.

JOHN McNAMEE,
Chairman Committee on Buildings.

SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROUGHS.

OFFICES, No. 416 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. 525 Broadway, eleventh floor, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M.

MONDAY, JUNE 20, 1898.

For Making Alterations, Repairs, etc., in Public Schools Nos. 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, and 101; also for Altering and Repairing the Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Public Schools Nos. 47 and 82.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained, at the Annex of the Hall of the Board of Education, Estimating Room, No. 123 Broadway, seventh 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 place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of the 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 to an amount of not less than three 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 so 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 so 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. McSWEENEY, M. D.
Committee on Sites and Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET,
New York, April 25, 1898.

NOTICE.

WATER TAXES.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE

Greater New York Charter, Laws of 1897, chapter 278, section 469, 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 31, 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 1, 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 thirty 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 3 P. M., and on Saturdays till 11 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,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
No. 142 EAST TWENTY-NINTH 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. 142 East Twentieth Street, until

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

Goods to be delivered to Dr. Chas. Rice, Chemist, Department of Public Charities, General Drug Department, Holloway Hospital, East Twenty-ninth Street, for the Department of Correction.

280 pounds, more or less, Potassium Iodide, U. S. P., in 3 lb. bottles.
100 ounces Trional, *res. orig. cart.*
50 Salsol, U. S. P., 1/2 lb. bottles.

To be delivered in installments, 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 explained in section 44, CHAPTER 416, LAWS OF 1896.

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 in 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 him 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 \$500 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; and that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects for and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate of \$1,000 or over shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or security, trust or deposit companies in The City of New York with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as guarantors for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, the amount in such case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bid is raised. 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 32 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 sufficiency and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Commissioner of The City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and retold 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, or 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 such 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 27, 1898, AT TWO O'CLOCK P. M.

SALE TO BEGIN AT WHITEPLAINS AND TO CONTINUE UNTIL PROPERTY IS ALL 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 Katonah, Westchester County, New York:

KATONAH.

Parcel No.	FORMER OWNER.	DESCRIPTION.	Minimum Price.
206	Est. B. Travis,...	House, frame,...	\$20 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	15 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
207	Sarah J. Hoyt,...	House, frame,...	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
208	W. F. Gregory,...	House, frame,...	25 00
212	Emily J. Flewelling,	" " " " " " " "	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
213	Mary E. Howells,	House, frame,...	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
214	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
215	J. M. Lynn,...	House, frame,...	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
216	F. W. Goddard,...	House, frame,...	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
217	Hoyt Brothers,...	House, frame,...	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
218	Albert Lynn,...	House, frame,...	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
219	Mary Rogers,...	House, frame,...	25 00
220	H. W. Kollogg,...	" " " " " " " "	25 00
221	J. J. Woodcock,...	" " " " " " " "	25 00
222	Avery, Cox & Tidd,	" " " " " " " "	25 00
223	James Cox,...	" " " " " " " "	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
224	Avery & Tidd,...	House, frame,...	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
225	D. W. C. McClintock,	House, frame,...	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
226	D. W. C. McClintock,	House, frame,...	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00

TERMS OF SALE.

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

Second—The buildings will be sold to the stone foundations.

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

Fourth—No building will be sold 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 buildings so left, and also in the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale, and the Aqueduct Commissioners may, at any time on or after the first day of October, 1898, resell 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. WALKER,
Secretary.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1898, AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M.

SALE TO CONTINUE UNTIL PROPERTY IS ALL 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 Golden's Bridge, Westchester County, New York:

Parcel No.	FORMER OWNER.	DESCRIPTION.	Minimum Price.
419	Edward H. Brady	Store, frame, with shed and scales,...	\$250 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	20 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	5 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	75 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	10 00
421	Laura J. Demko,...	House, frame,...	30 00
422	Edward B. Brady	" " " " " " " "	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	20 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	5 00
423	A. B. Whitlock,...	Store, frame,...	100 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	15 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	20 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	2 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	10 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	5 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	25 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	15 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	5 00
	" " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " "	20 00

TERMS OF SALE.

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Second—The buildings will be sold to the stone foundations.

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

Fourth—No building will be sold 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 so left, and also in the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale; and the Aqueduct Commissioners may, at any time on or after the first day of October, 1898, resell 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. WALKER,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
No. 346 BROADWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, desiring it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Edgewood street, between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth 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. 346 Broadway, on the 24th day of June, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. 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 10th day of June, 1898, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:—

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 47, of chapter 28, Laws of 1897, desiring it for the public interest so to do, propose to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Edgewood street, between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and the center line of Edgewood street, elevation 104.17 feet; thence northwesterly and along the center line of Edgewood street, distance 285.4 feet; thence northwesterly and along the center line of Edgewood street, distance 100 feet; thence northwesterly and along the center line of Edgewood street, distance 124.27 feet; thence northwesterly and along the center line of Edgewood street, distance 124.27 feet; thence northwesterly and along the center line of Edgewood street, distance 124.27 feet.

All alterations above City Datum One.

Resolved, That the Board consider the proposed change of grade of the above-named street at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 346 Broadway, on the 24th day of June, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grades of the above-named street will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 24th day of June, 1898.

Dated New York, June 10, 1898.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Secretary.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
No. 346 BROADWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, desiring it for the public interest so 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 Walker place, in Van Cortlandt place, from Kingsbridge avenue to a point one hundred and fifty feet from Kingsbridge avenue, thence northwesterly and westerly from Jacobus place; and 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. 346 Broadway, on the 24th day of June, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grades will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 10th day of June, 1898, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:—

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