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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1898, AT 12 O'CLOCK A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 1st, 1898.

In pursuance of the authority contained in section 265 of the Charter of 1895, meeting in formal session called at the Mayor's Office, Corporation Council, President of the Board and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held in the office of the Mayor on Thursday, December 1, 1898, at 12 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of transacting such business as may be brought before the Board:

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

MEMBERS

Admission of a copy of the minutes of the meeting held at November, 1898.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor;
JAMES S. COLE, Comptroller;
JOHN WHELAN, Corporation Counsel;
RANALPH LUGGESHOWER, President of the Council;
THOMAS J. FEINER, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Present—Robert A. Van Wyck, the Mayor; J. S. Cole, the Comptroller; John Whelan, the Corporation Counsel; Ranalph Luggeshower, the President of the Council; Thomas J. Feiner, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The reading of the minutes of the meetings held January 27, 28, 31; February 1, 3, 4, 5, 11, 15, 18, 28; March 17; April 5, 11, 20, 24, 28; May 12; June 7, 14; July 1, 7, 14, 27; August 8, 22; September 22; October 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 31; November 14, 22, 1898; was dispensed with.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
NEW YORK, November 28, 1898.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:
SIR—As the amount of money appropriated and available for the removal of snow and ice (\$45,000) will very quickly be exhausted, I request that your Board, in pursuance of section 546 of the Charter, will authorize an additional expenditure of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for the removal of snow and ice in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. As there is no unexpended balance of the appropriation of this department for the said Boroughs from which said amount can be paid, I request that revenue bonds be issued and sold in as to make that amount available at once.

Respectfully,
JAMES McCARTNEY, Commissioner,
DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
NEW YORK, November 28, 1898.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:
SIR—I have to request the following transfers: Fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) from the account of "Sweeping," and fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) from the account of "Carting," appropriation of the Department of Street Cleaning for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for the year 1898, making one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), to the appropriation account of "Snow and Ice," for the reason that the balance remaining in the last named account is not sufficient for the present exigency.

Referring to my letter of even date, asking your Board to authorize and direct the issue and sale of Revenue Bonds to meet such additional expenditure, I respectfully request that as soon as said bonds shall have been issued and sold the proceeds thereof shall be used for the restoration to the accounts of "Sweeping" and "Carting" of the respective amounts temporarily transferred therefrom, as requested above.

I respectfully call your attention to the fact that these restorations should be made at an early date, as they will be necessary for the work of the Department under these accounts.

Respectfully,
JAMES McCARTNEY, Commissioner.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) be and the same is hereby transferred to the appropriation made to the Department of Street Cleaning for the year 1898, for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, entitled "Snow and Ice," from the following appropriations made to said Department for said year, for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and as follows:

Sweeping.....	\$50,000 00
Carting.....	50,000 00
Total.....	\$100,000 00

—and
Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue revenue bonds of The City of New York, to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), redeemable from the tax levy of 1899, the proceeds of which shall be applied to refund to said appropriations the amount hereby transferred therefrom.

Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
NEW YORK, November 30, 1898.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:
SIR—I request that your Board, pursuant to section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, authorize an additional expenditure of \$40,000 for the removal of snow and ice from the Borough of Brooklyn, to be paid out of the unexpended balance of the appropriation of the Department of

Street Cleaning for "Cleaning Streets and Removing Ashes," for the Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1898, and that such amount of additional expenditure be raised by the Comptroller by the issue and sale of Revenue Bonds, to be placed to the credit of the Department of Street Cleaning to supply the amount of the deficiency in the above mentioned appropriation, occasioned by such additional expenditure.

Respectfully,
JAMES McCARTNEY, Commissioner.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation for the year 1898, entitled "Interest on bonds and stock to be loaned to 1898," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation for the year 1898 made to the Department of Street Cleaning for the Borough of Brooklyn, entitled "For Cleaning Streets and Removing Ashes," said transfer being made for the purpose of enabling the Department of Street Cleaning to remove snow and ice from the streets of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
November 29, 1898.

Hon. HENRY S. COLE, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. John W. Kellar, Commissioner of Charities, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to make a transfer from the salary appropriation to the appropriation for alterations and repairs for the year 1898, and pursuant to your request I would report as the following:

1. Metal ceilings and painting throughout for the Infants' Hospital on Randall's Island.....	\$14,000 00
2. Asphalting the roads, stopping up mud-holes and furnishing proper sidewalks in Bellevue Hospital grounds.....	12,000 00
3. Changing the old Morgue into Stable and Carriage-house.....	5,000 00
4. Changing the old Stable and Carriage-house into Drug Shop and Clothes-room.....	5,000 00

—would report as follows:

1. Metal ceilings and painting throughout for the Infants' Hospital on Randall's Island.....	\$14,000 00
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It is proposed to cover the ceilings of the building with metal ceilings, join the walls and ceilings three coats, metal work at roof to be painted, new floors to be laid and supplied two mats, twelve wardrobes for women, build new stairs from basement to first story, erect a new dumb waiter from kitchen to first floor, put slate backs behind all bar-tops and deep-sinks, put in two refrigerator safes in doctor's rooms.

At present there is a contract in force for new plumbing and new floors throughout the entire building—the work contemplated being done will put the building in a first-class condition.

The ceilings especially should be repaired, as they are very bad and in a dangerous condition. The interior of the building is also in need of paint. None of this work conflicts with the contract now being completed.

2. Asphalting the roads, stopping up mud-holes and furnishing proper sidewalks in Bellevue Hospital.....	\$12,000 00
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The plans for this work have not been completed, hence I am unable to state definitely what is to be done, but I consider an expenditure for the asphalting the roads, etc., to the grounds of the Bellevue Hospital very necessary, for they have been in a very dilapidated condition for years.

3. Changing the old morgue into stable and carriage-house.....	\$5,000 00
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It is proposed to build a brick foundation under the building and lower it about five feet. Remove the ice-house, take down some of the partition, erect 16 stalls and build a manure pit. This building, which is 60 by 85 feet, when altered will make an excellent stable and carriage-house.

As the new morgue is now being used, the Department have no need for this building as a Morgue, and using it for a stable and carriage-house will not only give better accommodation for the horses and carriages, but will allow the drug shop to be enlarged, which at present is entirely too small.

4. Changing the old stable and carriage-house into drug shop and clothes room.....	\$5,000 00
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The present drug shop is entirely too small from the quantity of drugs they are compelled to carry. It is proposed to take the old stable and portion of the old carriage-house—about 18 feet by 25 feet—remove walls and all fixtures of the stables, seal under the roof trusses, cut two windows through wall on the Twenty-eighth street side, build counters, shelves and racks, as required by Dr. Rice, who has charge of the Drug Department. The remaining portion of the carriage-house, about 25 feet, is to be altered to a clothes room. The stairs from ground floor to second floor is to be removed and an iron enclosed stairway built on the easterly end of the building, so the patients will have access to their quarters without passing through the clothes room. The old fixtures are to be removed, the room fitted up with racks for storage of clothes of the patients while they are in the hospital. The present storage, which is an old frame building, is to be taken down and removed. The enlargement to the drug shop I consider very essential, and by using a portion of the old carriage-house, it will not only give better accommodation for the storage of clothes, but will allow the removal of an old unsightly frame building.

Respectfully,
CLAUDE C. WASHINGTON, Principal Assistant Engineer.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Charities, for the year 1898, entitled "Salaries, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made in the said Department for 1898, entitled "Alterations, Additions and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Mayor presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES—CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, STEWART BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., November 25, 1898.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Public Improvements, held in this city on the 23d instant, a communication from Hon. Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor of The City of New York, in the following words, was received, and referred to the Commissioner of Bridges:

"New York, November 23, 1898.

"To the Board of Public Improvements:

"I request that you will take all action necessary to be taken by your Board before action by the Municipal Assembly, as to location, plans and construction of a bridge over the East river, between the Borough of Manhattan and the Borough of Queens.

"Without recommending any specific location, I suggest that the bridge be so designed as to cross the East river over Blackwell's Island.

"I request that this matter receive prompt attention, so that action by the Municipal Assembly can be taken at an early date.

"(Signed) ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor."

I am in receipt from the Board of Public Improvements of a certified copy of the foregoing, and am prepared to commence the necessary proceedings for the location of a bridge as suggested, and respectfully request that you call a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to provide means for the preliminary work in connection therewith, which will amount approximately to the sum of fifty thousand dollars, for compensation of engineers, computer, draughtsmen, transitmen, levelers, chainmen, axemen, drill borings, instruments, office rent and incidentals.

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., November 30, 1898.

Hon. BRADLEY A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Sir—I am in receipt of your communication of even date, in which you call my attention to the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 1, and notify me that my application for \$50,000 preliminary expenses for proposed bridge between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens will then be deemed of; also that you have recommended that the Board of Public Improvements take immediate steps for the construction of an additional bridge between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, and requesting that I would at once prepare a statement of what business would be created by this Department for preliminary work upon the last mentioned bridge, and present the same to you for action thereon by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at the meeting on December 1.

In reply thereto I beg to state that I will carry out your request as therein made.

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., December 4, 1898.

To the Honorable The Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

MEMORANDUM—The Board of Public Improvements has by resolution adopted at the meeting held on the 21st inst., authorized me to prepare plans, surveys, soundings, etc., for the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, the subject upon which I communicated with His Honor the Mayor under date of November 25, and therein requested that the sum of fifty thousand dollars be provided for the necessary expenses of preliminary work in connection therewith.

My understanding of the resolution of the Board of Public Improvements is that the surveys and soundings necessary to enable me to locate the proposed bridge and determine its character are to the end that I might intelligently report to the various Boards having cognizance of the matter sufficient facts and data for carrying on the work and completing the structure.

The sum asked for is based upon the report of my engineer, to whom I referred the matter. No part of this sum needs to be paid out if not actually necessary, but it should be provided, if my understanding of my duty under the resolution of the Board of Public Improvements is correct.

If I am simply to report on the geographical location of the proposed bridge, a much smaller sum will be sufficient.

A like sum of fifty thousand dollars will, in my opinion be required for preliminary work upon the proposed bridge across the East river, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, which was, by resolution adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 30th of November, 1898, referred to me with authority and direction to make the necessary surveys and soundings and to prepare plans thereon.

Respectfully,

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner of Bridges.

The Commissioners of Bridges and Engineer and Superintendent of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge appeared and made statements in relation thereto.

Whereupon the Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorize the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (deposited for the purpose of providing means to defray the preliminary expenses of preparing plans, soundings, surveys and borings, and performing all work preparatory to the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, as suggested by the Mayor in his letter to the Board of Public Improvements, dated November 25, 1898.)

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and hereby is requested to authorize the loan of said stock for a duration, as provided by section 168 of the Greater New York Charter.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Mayor offered the following:

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorize the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of the City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one hundred and forty-nine thousand six hundred and forty-nine cents (\$149,649.60), for the purpose of providing means to defray the preliminary expenses of preparing plans, soundings, surveys and borings, and performing all work preparatory to the construction of a bridge over the East river, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, as suggested by the Mayor in his letter to the Board of Public Improvements, dated November 25, 1898, and

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and hereby is requested to authorize the loan of said stock, as provided by section 168 of the Greater New York Charter.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Finance for the year 1898, entitled "Salaries—Borough of The Bronx," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects named, to the appropriation made to said department for said year, entitled "Cleaning Markets," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF KINGS COUNTY, BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN, N. Y. CITY, November 22, 1898.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller of New York:

DEAR SIR—Please refer to my communications to the Board of Estimate under date of September 29, and to you September 16 and October 18, 1898, in which reference was made to the probable shortage in the amount appropriated in 1897 for Jurors' Fees for the current year. Based on estimate of the requirements on what was paid out for a similar period in 1897, we find that we shall need \$10,000, in addition to the balance we have on hand, together with the amount still to the credit of the account with you (about \$1,900), to tide us over until the first of next year.

I trust you can arrange to send us this amount promptly, for we have barely sufficient to last until the first of December, including your present balance.

Your immediate attention will greatly oblige.

Truly yours,

JOHN W. KIMBALL, Treasurer of Kings County.

And offered the following: Resolved, That the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation for the year 1898, entitled "Interest on Bonds and Stock to be Issued in 1898," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation for said year, entitled "Jurors' Fees—Kings County," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS, NEW YORK, June 6, 1898.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Sites, in which was referred the following communication:

LAW DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL, NEW YORK, April 4, 1898.

Hon. CHARLES BURLLEY HUBBELL, President, Board of Education:

SIR—I have transmitted to the Comptroller a certified copy of the report of the Commissioners of Estimate in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands on the northerly side of Sixty-fifth street and the southerly side of Sixty-sixth street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward, as a site for school purposes, together with a certified copy of an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 25th day of March, 1898, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 30th day of March, 1898, confirming said report.

The aggregate amount of the awards is one hundred and forty-seven thousand one hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty cents (\$147,116.60), and the costs, charges and expenses of the proceeding, other than the fees of special counsel and expert witnesses, were taxed at the sum of two thousand five hundred and twenty-four dollars (\$2,524).

Respectfully yours,

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

—respectfully reports that it appears from the report and order made in said proceeding that the amount of the awards and of the costs, charges and expenses (other than the fees of special counsel and expert witnesses), as confirmed by the Court, is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description of costs and awards, and Amount. Total: \$149,640.60

Your Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Comptroller of The City of New York be and he hereby is requested to issue, with the approval of a majority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, bonds for the purpose of providing the funds to meet the expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the lands on the northerly side of Sixty-fifth street and the southerly side of Sixty-sixth street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan, as a site for school purposes, under the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, for the payment of the awards, costs, charges and expenses (other than the fees of special counsel and expert witnesses), as confirmed by the Court, in the proceeding therefor, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of one hundred and forty-nine thousand six hundred and forty dollars and sixty cents (\$149,640.60), the same to be paid by the said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said bonds, when issued, requisition therefor being hereby made.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on May 25, 1898.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the requisition of the Board of Education by resolution adopted May 25, 1898, for one hundred and forty-nine thousand six hundred and forty dollars and sixty cents (\$149,640.60), to provide for meeting expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the lands on the northerly side of Sixty-fifth street and the southerly side of Sixty-sixth street, between the Boulevard and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan, being for awards \$147,116.60, for costs, charges and expenses, \$2,524; and for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of one hundred and forty-nine thousand six hundred and forty dollars and sixty cents (\$149,640.60).

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS, NEW YORK, June 6, 1898.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Sites, to which was referred the following communication:

LAW DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL, NEW YORK, February 28, 1898.

Hon. CHARLES BURLLEY HUBBELL, President of the Board of Education:

SIR—I have transmitted to the Comptroller a certified copy of the report of the Commissioners of Estimate in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands on Avenue C, Eighth and Ninth streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, as a site for school purposes, together with a certified copy of an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 13th of February, 1898, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 19th day of February, 1898, confirming said report.

The aggregate amount of the awards is \$8,100, and the costs, charges and expenses of the proceeding, other than the fees of the expert witnesses, were taxed at the sum of \$857.15.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

—respectfully reports that it appears from the report and order made in said proceeding that the amount of the awards and of the costs, charges and expenses, other than the fees of expert witnesses, as confirmed by the Court, is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description of costs and awards, and Amount. Total: \$8,957.15

Your Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Comptroller of The City of New York be and he hereby is requested to issue, with the approval of a majority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, bonds for the purpose of providing the funds to meet the expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the lands on Avenue C, Eighth and Ninth streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, as a site for school purposes, under the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, as amended by chapter 35 of the Laws of 1890, and chapters 387 and 890 of the Laws of 1896, for the payment of the awards, costs, charges and expenses (other than the fees of expert witnesses), as confirmed by the Court, in the proceeding therefor, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of eight thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifteen cents (\$8,957.15), the same to be paid by the said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said bonds, when issued, requisition therefor being hereby made.

A true copy of a report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on March 15, 1898.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 740 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approve of the requisition of the Board of Education by resolution adopted March 15, 1898, for eight thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifteen cents (\$8,957.15), to provide for meeting expenditures necessary for the acquisition of the lands on Avenue C, Eighth and Ninth streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, as a site for school purposes, being amount for awards \$8,100, for costs, charges and expenses \$857.15; and, for the purpose of providing means therefor, be it further

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, to the amount of eight thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifteen cents (\$8,957.15).

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following:

OFFICES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, No. 146 GRAND STREET, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, November 25, 1898.

Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to transmit herewith a certified copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education at a meeting held November 23, 1898—

Requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to transfer the sum of \$2,500 from the appropriation contained in the Special School Fund for the year 1898 entitled "Furniture and Repairs of," Borough of Queens, which appropriation is in excess of its requirement, to the appropriation for "Insurance" in the same borough, which appropriation is insufficient for the purposes thereof.

Requesting the Board of Estimate and apportionment to transfer the sum of \$2,500 from the appropriation contained in the Special School Fund for the current year entitled "Furniture and Repairs of," Borough of Richmond, which appropriation is in excess of its requirements, to the appropriation for "Insurance" in the same borough, which appropriation is insufficient for the purposes thereof.

Respectfully,

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation in the Special School Fund of the Board of Education for the year 1898 entitled "Furniture and Repairs of," Borough of Queens, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation for said year in the Special School Fund entitled "Insurance," Borough of Queens, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller offered the following :

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation in the Special School Fund of the Board of Education for the year 1898 entitled "Furniture and Repairs of," Borough of Richmond, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation for said year in the Special School Fund entitled "Insurance," Borough of Richmond, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following :

OFFICES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, }
NO. 146 GRAND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
October 29, 1898. }

To the Board of Education :

The Committee on Finance respectfully reports that the Committee on Buildings has advised that there will be required for the payment of the wages of Inspectors and Draftsmen employed upon new buildings for the last four months of the current year the sum of approximately \$13,000. The bond account appropriation for the purpose is exhausted, and, in view of the fact that it is generally understood that no more School-house Bonds will be issued during the present year, it becomes necessary to provide means of payment of these employees from some other source. In connection herewith the Committee would call attention to the importance of the continuation of the preparations of plans, specifications, etc., for new buildings, etc., to be commenced immediately following the period when the debt limit will have expired by the effluxion of time, or otherwise. Under the circumstances the Committee has concluded to recommend that a resolution be presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment asking authority to expend such necessary sum from the General Repair Fund for the current year for the purposes heretofore indicated. This action is suggested for the reason that it was not originally contemplated that such an expenditure should be made from the particular fund named.

The following resolution is submitted for adoption :

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the payment of thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,000) from the Special School Fund for the current year and from the item contained therein entitled "General Repairs," Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for the purpose of paying the wages of Draftsmen and Inspectors employed in the preparation of plans, specifications, etc., of new school buildings, and to render applicable said "General Repair Fund" for the purposes heretofore mentioned.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education October 26, 1898.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorizes the payment out of the appropriation in the Special School Fund of the Board of Education for the year 1898 entitled "General Repairs, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx," of the sum of thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,000) for payment of salaries and wages of Draftsmen and Inspectors employed in the preparation of plans, specifications, etc., of new school buildings.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following :

LAW DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL, }
NEW YORK, November 18, 1898. }

Hon. BIRD S. COLVIN, Comptroller :

SIR—I enclose herewith the bill of costs of Joseph M. Schenck, taxed by a Justice of the Supreme Court at the sum of \$200, for his services for the months of September and October, 1898, as the Clerk to the Commission in the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands on Houston, Stanton, Pitt, Willett and Sheriff streets for a public park, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 395 of the Laws of 1895, and chapter 320 of the Laws of 1897.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200), to provide means for the payment of a bill of costs of Joseph M. Schenck, taxed by Hon. Abraham R. Lawrence, a Justice of the Supreme Court, First Judicial District, on November 18, 1898, in the proceeding to acquire title to lands required for a public park on Houston, Stanton, Pitt, Willett and Sheriff streets, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 395 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 320 of the Laws of 1897, being for his services as Clerk to the Commission for the months of September and October, 1898.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Comptroller presented the following :

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, }
NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, }
NEW YORK, November 28, 1898. }

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

DEAR SIR—According to the present pay-roll, there will be an unexpended balance of at least \$500 in the appropriation "Salaries—Office of the Deputy Commissioner for the Borough of Richmond, for 1898," which is needed for the work of lowering about 1,000 feet of water-mains of the City's pumping plant at Tompkinsville, in consequence of changes in the street grades, and for other improvements on the property belonging to the pumping plant.

I therefore respectfully ask that your Board will transfer the sum of \$500 from that appropriation to the appropriation for "Pumping Stations—Salaries and Supplies, Borough of Richmond, for 1898."

Very respectfully,

WM. DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Water Supply for the year 1898 entitled "Salaries—Office of Deputy Commissioner, including salary of Deputy Commissioner at one-third of \$5,000, Borough of Richmond," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for the year 1898, entitled "Pumping Stations—Salaries and Supplies, Borough of Richmond," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Mayor presented the following :

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, }
NO. 150 NASSAU STREET, }
NEW YORK, November 11, 1898. }

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

DEAR SIR—On September 3, 1897, the authorities of the Village of College Point made a contract with the Snow Stemm Pump Works for pumping machinery for the water supply of the village. Shortly after this water supply came under the charge of this Department, on January 1, 1898, it was ascertained that the pumping machinery could not be made available without additional large expenditure for grading and preparing the ground, excavating and building foundations, placing water-mains and stop-cocks to connect the pumping plant with the distributing mains, and other incidental work. The Department had received notice that the pumping machinery was completed, but it could not undertake the additional work above referred to until it was ascertained that there existed a sufficient balance of funds or appropriation applicable to the additional work.

By letter of May 20, 1898, I requested the Comptroller to inform me on that point, and by letter of May 24 he replied that the Treasurer of the Village of College Point, in account current rendered, showed a balance to the credit of "Pumping Plant Extension Fund" of \$7,560; also

that he understood from the Treasurer that there would be a probable surplus of \$7,000 or more in the "Water Tower Fund," which was to be transferred to the "Pumping Plant Extension Fund," making an ample balance to meet the requirements of contract when it would appear wise and proper to use such funds.

Acting on this information, the Department proceeded to prepare plans and specifications for the additional work required, and after these were completed, the entire work was advertised for public letting, which was held October 20. The lowest bid received at the letting was \$8,172.75. Before making an award on this bid, I deemed it proper to again ascertain from the Comptroller the exact balance of fund available for the purpose, and, with letter of the 26 instant, he transmitted to me a copy of a report made to him in the matter by Mr. D. C. Tate, Expert Accountant, showing that the funds applicable to the contract amount to the sum of only \$5,350.84.

Under these circumstances no award of contract can be made or contract executed, unless the fund available is supplemented by a transfer. I, therefore, respectfully ask that your Board will transfer the sum of \$3,000 from the appropriation for "Supplying Water to Long Island City, Borough of Queens for 1898," from which the said amount can be spared, to the "Pumping Plant Extension Fund for College Point, Borough of Queens," so as to enable me to make award of the contract, have the contract executed and the work proceeded with, which is necessary not only to place and make available the pumping machinery completed under the contract of September, 1897, but is also necessary to meet increased demands for water supply in that section of the Borough of Queens.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) WM. DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

And offered the following :

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Water Supply for the year 1898, entitled "Supplying Water to Long Island City," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to an appropriation made to said Department for said year, for the Borough of Queens, entitled "Pumping Plant Extension, College Point, Borough of Queens"; the amount hereby transferred being made applicable in partial certification of contracts for said work.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The following communications were received :

CITY OF NEW YORK, }
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, }
OFFICE, NO. 346 BROADWAY, }
NEW YORK, November 29, 1898. }

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

DEAR SIR—In pursuance of an opinion received from the Corporation Counsel's office, dated October 7, 1898, wherein it is advised that the new Charter provides, under section 255, that the care and cleaning of the markets is properly the duty of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, I have to request that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will transfer the item of \$45,000, for cleaning the public markets for the year 1899, from the Department of Finance to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment included the item in the appropriation for the Department of Finance for the year 1898, and the appropriation for the year 1899 is consequently made in a similar manner.

Very respectfully,

HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner.

The Mayor moved that it be referred to the Comptroller.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

CITY OF NEW YORK, }
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, }
OFFICE, NO. 346 BROADWAY, }
NEW YORK, November 29, 1898. }

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

DEAR SIR—I have to ask for the transfer of \$4,000 from the 1898 appropriation for "Salaries" of this Department, in the Borough of Queens, to that for "Supplies and Repairs," in said Borough.

It is necessary to properly equip the new offices in the Hackett Building, recently leased by the City for Municipal Office, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, to make them suitable quarters for the Finance Department and the Department of Taxes and Assessments, and the amount of money is required for that purpose.

The account of "Supplies and Repairs," in the Borough of Queens, is almost exhausted, and there remains a balance in the account for "Salaries," caused by the delay in organizing the Department in the said Borough, in the early part of 1898.

Very respectfully,

HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner.

Whereupon the Comptroller offered the following :

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies for the year 1898, for the Borough of Queens, entitled "Salaries," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to said Department for said year for said Borough, entitled "Supplies and Repairs," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The following communication was received :

CITY OF NEW YORK—COMMISSION OF NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE, }
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, }
November 26, 1898. }

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

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Commission of the New East River Bridge, held on the 25th day of November, 1898, preambles and resolutions requesting your body to provide for the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of one million five hundred thousand dollars (\$1,500,000), the proceeds thereof to be used in the payment of property, contracts and expenses necessary for the construction of the New East River Bridge, were adopted.

I transmit herewith a certified copy of the aforesaid preambles and resolutions, together with an original requisition upon your body for the issue of corporate stock to the amount of one million five hundred thousand dollars (\$1,500,000).

Pursuant to a requisition of the Commission of the New East River Bridge, and in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 7th day of June, 1898, concurred in by the Municipal Assembly, authorizing the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of two million four hundred and eighty-seven thousand eight hundred and twenty-three and sixty-four one-hundredths dollars (\$2,487,823.64), to provide for the necessary expenses of the Commission of the New East River Bridge, as provided by chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, and of that said sum so authorized the Comptroller of the City of New York, having, on the 17th day of August, 1898, issued corporate stock of The City of New York for the sum of \$2,000,000, leaving a balance of \$487,823.64, as provided for under the aforesaid resolution, I am directed by the Commission to notify your body that, at a meeting held on the 25th day of November, 1898, the Secretary was directed to request your body to issue corporate stock for the aforesaid balance of appropriation of the sum of \$487,823.64, in addition to the new requisition for the sum of \$1,500,000.

Respectfully,

SMITH E. LANE, Commissioner and Secretary.

COMMISSION NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE—CITY OF NEW YORK.

Whereas, By chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895 of the State of New York, and by the Charter of The City of New York, it is provided that after the first day of January, 1898, all the expenses authorized by said chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, and the acts amendatory and supplementary to the same, shall be met by the sale of bonds of The City of New York, the proceeds of said sale to be paid into the office of the Chamberlain of said City and paid out as provided by said chapter 789, Laws of 1895; and

Whereas, The sum of one million five hundred dollars (\$1,500,000) is required for the purposes aforesaid to be expended by the Commission of the New East River Bridge, said bonds to be issued immediately.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the New East River Bridge request the proper officers of The City of New York to issue one million five hundred thousand dollars of bonds as aforesaid, dispose of same, and place the proceeds of such bonds with the proper financial officers of said City, to be drawn out in accordance with the act authorizing the same, and that a

report to be prepared and presented to the Mayor of The City of New York for his approval of the plans of the international bridge, the proceeds thereof to be used in the payment of property, contracts and expenses necessary for the construction of the New East River Bridge.

Letter from the Minutes of the meeting of the Commission of the New East River Bridge held on the 25th day of November, 1898.

SMITH E. LANE, Commissioner and Secretary.

COMMISSIONERS NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE—CITY OF NEW YORK.

Resolved: That the minutes and resolution adopted by the Commission of the New East River Bridge at a meeting held on the 25th day of November, 1898, a copy of which is hereto annexed, be and the same be and is hereby made a part of the records of the Commission of the New East River Bridge, do hereby make regulation upon The City of New York on the 28th day of December, 1898, as follows:

That nothing here provided contained herein be intended to be issued immediately.

Dated New York, December 25, 1898.

LEWIS MINOR, President. JEWAN G. FAIRCCHILD, Treasurer.

Public Printing, Printing and Stationery.

To the Honorable Mayor of New York, Mayor of the City of New York.

The Mayor asked that the following be referred to the Comptroller, which was adopted by the following vote: AYe—12; Nays—4; Absent—1. Corporation Counsel, President of the Council, and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5.

The Corporation Counsel moved that this Board do now adjourn. Which was adopted by the following vote: AYe—12; Nays—4; Absent—1. Mayor, Comptroller, Corporation Counsel, President of the Council and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—5. THOS. L. FEINER, Secretary.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, New York, Wednesday, December 21, 1898.

The Hon. Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor; Hon. S. Edson, Comptroller, and John Whalen, Corporation Counsel, the officers designated by section 1230, chapter 375, Laws of 1897, met this day.

The minutes of the meeting of December 16, 1898, were approved as printed. Mr. John Whalen, Deputy Superintendent of the City Record, reported to the Board that the Hon. William A. Borah, Senator of the City Council, is desirous to purchase by direct order a copy of the City Record for the year 1898.

On motion of the Mayor, and by the concurrent action of all the members of the Board, the Deputy Superintendent was appointed to act as secretary of the Board during Mr. Borah's absence.

In accordance with the resolution of the Board given at the meeting held on December 16, 1898, the Secretary presented a tabular statement for "Printing, Publishing, Binding and Distributing the year 1898 as the City Record for the year 1898."

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

Resolved: That the City of New York order the Maria Johnson Company, for "Printing, Publishing and Distributing the year 1898 as the City Record for the year 1898," as provided in the tabular statement prepared by direction of the Comptroller of the City Record, be and is hereby accepted, and so be it.

Resolved: That the contract for "Printing, Publishing, Binding and Distributing the year 1898 as the City Record for the year 1898," be and is hereby awarded, under the terms of the specifications provided by the Board to the Maria Johnson Company, at the price given in the tabular statement submitted to and approved by this Board, and that the purchase of the City Record be directed to the said Maria Johnson Company at the award of this contract, and so be it.

Resolved: That the party to whom the contract has been awarded be required to furnish within the period provided by the Comptroller in time for the final execution of this contract, within the specified time from the receipt of the award.

On motion of the Mayor and by the concurrent action of all the members of the Board, the Secretary was directed to refer to the Corporation Counsel for final approval as to form, three copies of the contract above specified.

The Secretary reported that he was present at the office of the Comptroller of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, Borough of Manhattan, on Tuesday, December 22, 1898, at one o'clock P. M., the hour appointed for the opening of the bids for furnishing printed matter, stationery, supplies and blank books for the use of the Supreme Court, First Department, during the coming year, and that the said Comptroller of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies had received the bids of the persons and firms proposed, owing to the fact that the purchase of the said supplies and blank books for the use of the said Supreme Court, First Department, was being furnished such supplies for the use of the said Supreme Court, First Department, during the year 1898.

The Secretary further advised the Board as to the bill for the delivery of such supplies to the said Supreme Court, First Department, at the beginning of the year 1898, and asked for instructions. On motion of the Corporation Counsel, and by the concurrent action of all the members of the Board, the following was adopted:

Resolved: That the Secretary of the City Record, be and he is hereby directed to obtain from the Comptroller of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies the regulations of the Supreme Court, First Department, for the coming year, and so be it.

Resolved: That the Secretary of the City Record, be and he is hereby authorized to procure by direct order, that is without contract, by advertisement—the copies called for by the regulations of the said Supreme Court, First Department, that same being deemed to be for the use of the City of New York.

Adopted. SOLOM BERENICK, Acting Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, New York, November 21, 1898.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present: Commissioners Michael G. Murphy, John B. Cady, M. D., the President of the Board of Health.

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:

Table with columns: NAME, AMOUNT, CHECK, AMOUNT. Lists various vendors and their respective bills.

The Sanitary Committee presented the following Reports:

Communication from the Assistant Corporation Counsel, recommending the discontinuance of the suit named in his report.

On motion, it was Resolved: That the Corporation Counsel be and hereby is requested to discontinue, without costs, the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code and of the Tenement-house Law, the Inspectors having reported the order therein complied with, or the

violation complained of abated, a permit having been granted on violations removed, or the order rescinded, to wit:

Table with columns: Name, No., Name, No. Lists names and numbers of cases.

Report in respect to the neglect of Dr. H. B. Douglass to report a case of diphtheria at the Knickerbocker Athletic Club, Madison avenue and Forty-fifth street, recommending that no further action be taken. The report was approved and ordered on file.

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, Riverside and Kingston Avenue Hospitals. Ordered on file. 3d. Report on change in the hospital service. On motion, it was Resolved: That the following change in the hospital service be and is hereby approved:

Riverside Hospital.

Table with columns: NAME, PAYMENT, SALARY, AMOUNT, DATE. Lists names and financial details.

Report on Order No. 24687, recommending that the extension of time granted by the Board November 9, 1898, to December 1, 1898, be rescinded.

On motion, it was Resolved: That the resolution of the Board passed November 9, 1898, granting an extension of time to December 1, 1898, on Order No. 24687, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

4th. Report on application for leave of absence. On motion, it was Resolved: That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

Table with columns: NAME, FROM, TO, RESUME. Lists names and dates of leave.

5th. 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 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:

Table with columns: No. of House, Locality or Block, Name, Reported to, Adults, Children. Lists house numbers, locations, names, and occupancy.

6th. Certificate in respect to the location of premises at No. 222 Delancey street (stable), No. 448 West Thirty-eighth street (stable), No. 152 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, and west side Canal street, about 60 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Borough of The Bronx.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted: Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 222 Delancey street (stable), Borough of Manhattan, has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and the same is in violation of section 1312, chapter 375, Laws of 1897.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 222 Delancey street (stable), Borough of Manhattan, be required to vacate said building on or before November 30, 1898, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants, and because the same is in violation of section 1312, chapter 375, Laws of 1897.

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.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted: Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 448 West Thirty-eighth street (stable), Borough of Manhattan, has become dangerous to life and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises which is likely to cause sickness among its occupants, and the same is in violation of section 1312, chapter 375, Laws of 1897;

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 448 West Thirty-eighth street (stable), Borough of Manhattan, be required to vacate said building on or before November 30, 1898, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants; and because the same is in violation of section 1312, chapter 375, Laws of 1897.

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.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted: Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 152 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, has become dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, and because of the existence of a nuisance among its occupants;

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 152 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, be required to vacate said building on or before November 30, 1898, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof, 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.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted: Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot west side Courtland avenue, about 60 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Borough of The Bronx, has become dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof 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 west side Courtland avenue, about 60 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Borough of The Bronx, be required to vacate said building on or before November 30, 1898, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life, and is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof 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.

7th. Report on compliance with certain orders to vacate premises, etc.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby rescinded for the reason that the causes for the same have been removed:

Vacations.

Table with 4 columns: No. of Order, Location, No. of Order, Location. Lists various orders for vacating premises in the Borough of Manhattan.

8th. Reports on applications for permits.

On motion, it was

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

Table with 3 columns: No., Business Matter or Thing Granted, On Premises at. Lists various permits granted for different types of businesses and structures.

Reports on Applications for Store and Wagon Permits for the Sale of Milk in New York City.

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 4 columns: No., Location, No., Location. Lists various locations where milk permits have been granted.

On motion, it was

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

Table with 3 columns: No., Business Matter or Thing Denied, On Premises at. Lists various business matters that were denied.

On motion, it was

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

Table with 3 columns: No., Business Matter or Thing Revoked, On Premises at. Lists various business matters that were revoked.

Table with 3 columns: No., Business Matter or Thing Revoked, On Premises at. Lists various business matters that were revoked.

9th. Report on applications for relief from taxes.

On motion, it was

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

Table with 4 columns: No. of Order, On Premises at, Time Extended to, Remarks. Lists various orders regarding tax relief and their modifications.

On motion, it was

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

Table with 4 columns: No. of Order, On Premises at, No. of Order, On Premises at. Lists various applications for relief that were denied.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

1st. 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.

2d. 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 soil and night-soil.
(d) Weekly report on sanitary condition of slaughter-houses.

Ordered on file.

3d. Report on application for leave of absence.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows:

Table with 4 columns: Name, From, To, Remarks. Lists the name of the person granted leave and the dates.

SECOND DIVISION.

Division of Contagious Diseases and Medical Sanitary Inspection.

4th. Weekly reports of the Chief Inspector:

- (b) Report of inspection of discharged patients from Riverside Hospital. Ordered on file.

5th. 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
Michael J. Perry	November 2	November 22	
A. Campbell White	December 1	" 20	

Report in regard to the death of Assistant Disinfecter John Cameron November 17, 1898. Ordered on file.

Report in regard to the failure of certain charitable institutions to forward monthly medical reports for October, 1898. The Secretary was directed to notify the said institutions to forward their reports at once.

THIRD DIVISION

Division of Food Inspection, Offensive Trades and Mercantile Establishments.

19th Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

20th. Report on violation of Section No. 87 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 in regard to the second conviction for selling adulterated milk of Louis Fior, No. 176 East Seventy-seventh street and Philip Christ, No. 433 West Forty-first street.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Permits Nos. 277 at No. 176 East Seventy-seventh street, and 1277 at No. 433 West Forty-first, to sell and deliver milk, be and the same are hereby revoked.

Report in respect to the seizure of a carcass of a cow beef affected with tuberculosis.

The Secretary was directed to notify the State Board of Health.

Report in respect to the progress made in the work of complying with the orders of the Board by the New York Sanitary Utilization Company at Barren Island. Ordered on file.

FOURTH DIVISION

Division of Pathology and Bacteriology.

26th. Weekly report of the Pathologist and Director of the Bacteriological Laboratories. Ordered on file.

16th. 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
Mary A. Cloninger	November 23		

FIFTH DIVISION

Division of Medical School Inspection.

19th Weekly report of the Chief Inspector. Ordered on file.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN

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

Report from Assistant Chief Clerk Jennings in respect to the failure of Dr. H. N. Hoople a Medical School Inspector, to perform his work since November 1, 1898.

The Secretary was directed to notify Dr. Hoople to report to the President forthwith.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS

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

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND

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

Report on samples of drinking water, together with analyses of same, taken from wells in the neighborhood of Public School No. 25 at Bloatfield, N. Y.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a copy of the analysis of water from wells at Public School No. 25, Bloatfield, Staten Island, of date of October 12 and November 9, 1898, be forwarded to the Board of Education of the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, with the request that the use of the water from said wells for drinking purposes be discontinued.

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	Return	Date
Georgy H. Amsterdam	Born	Apr. 24, 1887
Julietta La Ronge	"	Mar. 2, 1890
Elizabeth Nelson	"	Sept. 19, "
William B. Hyman	Died	Oct. 22, 1896
Edward Green	"	June 28, 1898
John Joseph Webster	Born	Sept. 3, "
Female infant de Villegas	"	" 10, 1875
Joseph Volonino	Died	Oct. 9, 1898
Charles Firestein	"	" 20, "
Jennie Clark	"	" 30, "
Patrick Stacey	"	" 30, "
Abraham Jerusalem	"	" 31, "
Thomas Radford	"	Nov. 8, "
David Mulroland	"	" 15, "
Emil Zirnibel	"	" 15, "
Patrick Gillen	"	" 15, "
Joseph Masterson	"	" 17, "
Unknown woman (N. ex F. O'Hara)	"	" 20, "

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	Return	Date
August Tanquetey	Born	Jan. 26, 1883
Alexander Becht Morris	"	Mar. 16, 1889
Francis A. Hutchinson	"	Sept. 20, 1887
Sam Fishel	"	June 3, 1896

Miscellaneous Reports, Communications, etc.

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

Communication from National Provisioner Publishing Company in respect to the importing of veal into New York City under the Miles Law.

Referred to the Secretary to answer.

Applications to keep and kill chickens at No. 416 East Third street; No. 376 East Houston street; No. 410 East Third street; foot of Third street, East river; and Tompkins-street, between Rivington and Stanton streets, were received and, on motion, laid on the table.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the salary of John E. Walsh, a Diagnostician in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of one thousand eight hundred dollars per annum, from December 1, 1898.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the salary of Walter Bessel, a Medical Inspector in this Department, Borough of Manhattan, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, from December 1, 1898.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That W. C. Schirmer be and is hereby transferred from the position of Medical Inspector in the position of Medical School Inspector in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of thirty dollars per month, from December 1, 1898.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Elbert J. Decker be and is hereby temporarily appointed a Veterinarian in this Department, Borough of Queens, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of nine hundred dollars per annum, from December 1, 1898.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Chris Anderson 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, from December 1, 1898.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the resolution of this Board dispensing with the services of William McCauley as Helper in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, adopted November 16, 1898, be and is hereby rescinded.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the salary of Walter Thompson, an Engineer in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of one thousand three hundred dollars per annum, from December 1, 1898.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the salary of John T. White, a Driver in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of one thousand dollars per annum from December 1, 1898.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of this Department for the month of November be and are hereby approved, and the President and Secretary directed to sign certificates and forward the same to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the following sum of money, which is required to enable the Board of Health to pay to the Board of Police for the month of November, the following amount for the salaries of officers and men detailed to the Board of Health, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 188, Laws of 1889, chapter 567, Laws of 1895, and sections 209 and 1324, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, being one-twelfth part of the amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Sanitary Company of Police during the current year, to wit:

2 Haulsmen, from November 1 to November 30	\$375 00
47 Patrolmen, from November 1 to November 30	5483 33
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	\$5,858 33

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following-named Medical School Inspectors be and are hereby transferred to the position of Medical Inspector in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, from December 1, 1898:

Paul E. Pyburn	William J. Collan	Thomas F. Mylod
Leon M. Fiesinger	James I. H. Blakenny	Eugene J. Kenney
James T. Gallagher	Thomas A. York	Moses Mintz

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the following-named Medical School Inspectors be and are hereby transferred to the position of Sanitary Inspector (Medical) in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, from December 1, 1898:

George V. Conroy	Charles B. Curran	Charles W. Berry
George R. Hill	Hugh A. Newman	

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Louis C. Ager be and is hereby transferred from the position of Medical School Inspector to the position of Vaccinator in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of one thousand two hundred dollars per annum, from December 1, 1898.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Henry A. Higley be and is hereby transferred from the position of Vaccinator to the position of Medical School Inspector in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of thirty dollars per month from December 1, 1898.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That L. P. A. Magilligan be and is hereby transferred from the position of Sanitary Inspector (Medical) to the position of Medical School Inspector in this Department, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with salary at the rate of thirty dollars per month from December 1, 1898.

On motion, the Board adjourned to Wednesday, November 30, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH-CITY OF NEW YORK, November 28, 1898.

The Board met pursuant to notice.

Present—President M. C. Murphy, Commissioner J. B. Cosby, M. D., and Commissioner B. J. York.

A communication from His Honor the Mayor, transmitting a report made by a special committee to the members of the "Anti-Barren Island League," of date September 15, 1898, in respect to certain business carried on at Barren Island, and calling the attention of the Board to the fact that during the past summer complaints were of daily occurrence at his office, was received and considered.

Report of Chief Inspector Martin in respect to the progress of work of the New York Sanitary Utilization Company at Barren Island in complying with the orders of the Board. Ordered on file.

De Laocoy Nicoll, representing the New York Sanitary Utilization Company, appeared before the Board and made a statement. Also Thomas F. White and E. J. Kckaver were heard in respect to the condition of the different plants at Barren Island and the progress made, in complying with the orders of the Board.

On motion, the consideration of the subject was laid over until the next meeting.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Docks, held Friday, December 2, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Present—The full Board.

The Board proceeded to open estimates on Contracts Nos. 640 and 641, a representative of the Comptroller being present.

Contract No. 640.

Seven estimates were received, as follows:

	CLASS I.		CLASS II.	
	Header and Stretcher (tons)	Coping Stones.	Header and Stretcher (tons)	Coping Stones.
Per cu. ft.				
Everett S. Drake, with security deposit of \$500	\$1 08	\$1 08		
P. J. Carlo	" 08	" 07		
Charles E. Ferguson	" 07	" 07		
Michael McGrath	" 07	" 07		
Bouch Brothers and Hurricane Isle Granite Company, with security deposit of \$500	" 10	" 09		
Barr. Dunn, with security deposit of \$500	" 08	" 08		
A. C. Gildersleeve	" 07 1/2	" 07 1/2		

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending August 13, 1898.

Deposited in the City Treasury.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'To the Credit of the City Treasury' and 'To the Credit of the Sinking Funds'.

Stock Fund.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'Three per cent. Stock'.

Warrants Registered for Payment.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes 'Appropriation Accounts "A"', 'Bond (Special and Trust) Accounts "B"', and 'Additional Water Fund Accounts "C"'.

Summary table for Warrants Registered for Payment with a total amount.

Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, etc.

Main table listing court cases with columns: COURT, NAME OF PLAINTIFF, AMOUNT, NATURE OF SUIT, and ATTORNEY.

Continuation of the court cases table from the previous page, listing various suits and their details.

Cases Filed.

Table listing filed cases with columns: DATE, NAME OF CLAIMANT, AMOUNT, NATURE OF CLAIM, and ATTORNEY.

DATE	NAME OF CLAIMANT	AMOUNT	NATURE OF CLAIM	ATTORNEY	DATE	NAME OF CLAIMANT	AMOUNT	NATURE OF CLAIM	ATTORNEY
1898 Aug. 22	.....	.....	For services rendered Board of Education in various school districts, Richmond County, as follows:	M. L. Ryan	1898 Aug. 22	Joseph R. Duggin	\$42 75	For payment of difference in rates of wages as Carpenter in Park Department	Hennessey, Glynn & Munday
	Mary McQuinn	\$42 00				Henry McGuinness	7 00	For payment for services rendered various Long Island City departments, as follows:	T. P. Burke
	Wm. E. Hendrickson	30 40				Thomas J. Fahey	10 00		
	Minnie Cleveland	47 40				John Lawler	20 00		
	Wm. H. Taylor	75 00				Eust. Bahn	20 50		
	E. J. Brown	65 00				Daniel Liebman	2 00		
	R. Ward Sisk	75 00							
	Anna Burger	51 25							
	Walter Mathews	12 00							
	Lucas Kern	33 00							
	Sol. and B. Curry	13 20							
	Lawrence Dwyer	43 25							
	George C. Griffin	15 00							
	John L. Patrick	4 00							
	J. Hines	2 00							
	.....	0 00							
	James Davis	100 00							
	C. W. Vandenbrouck	27 00							
	Benjamin Brown	100 00							
	"	30 00							
	"	50 00							
	"	20 00							
	Benjamin R. Smith	75 00							
1898 Aug. 23	.....	.....	For payment of warrants issued by Long Island City departments, as follows:	Foster & Fahey					
	George S. Hill	\$1 00							
	John E. Gerken	100 00							
	Charles E. Van Name	320 00	Program for inc. additional services rendered Village of West Richmond	C. E. Van Name					

CHANGE OF GRADE AWARDS.
Certificate of Awards for Change of Grade Damage, as follows:

Street	Name	Award	Concess. Fees
Elm Avenue	Hugh Mulholland	\$750 00	\$40 00
Vanvorst Avenue, East	Joseph Welby	400 00	75 00
"	John S. Coffey	530 00	40 00
"	John L. Mead	775 00	40 00
"	James Rosenstein	950 00	40 00
"	Yellott D. Dickert	1,000 00	50 00
"	Benjamin Wachter et al.	2,000 00	50 00
"	Maria Larkin et al.	1,850 00	75 00
"	The Northern Improvement Co.	10,000 00	100 00
"	"	12,000 00	100 00

CONTRACTS EXECUTED SINCE JANUARY 1, 1898, AND REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 13, 1898.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT	DISPOSER	DISTRICT	NAME OF CONTRACTOR	NAME OF CLAIMANT	AMOUNT OF BIDD.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK	COST
20	May 20 1898	Education	Queens	George W. Mehal	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	200 00	For furnishing and delivering about 200 cords of oak and pine wood for the several schools in the Borough of Queens, from date of contract in May 1, 1898..... Price per cord	\$5 25
21	" 20 "	"	Brooklyn	C. Daly	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	704 75	For furnishing and delivering about 150 cords oak and pine wood for the several schools in the Borough of Brooklyn during the year ending May 1, 1898..... Price per cord	10 14
22	" 20 "	"	Brooklyn	George W. Mehal	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,064 00	For furnishing and delivering about 300 cords of oak and pine wood for the several schools in the Borough of Brooklyn during the year ending May 1, 1898..... Price per cord	8 35
23	" 20 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Franklin Bunn	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,268 00	For furnishing and delivering about 300 cords of oak and pine wood for the several schools in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx during the year ending May 1, 1898..... Price per cord	7 08
24	July 13 "	"	Brooklyn	F. J. Gartin, F. W. Carlin and John J. Carlin, composing the firm of F. J. Gartin & Co.	M. F. McGuinness	1,012 00	For alterations, stone animals for Public Schools Nos. 44, 45, 47 and 48, Borough of Brooklyn	10,215 00
25	" 20 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	William H. Wright and William J. Wright, composing the firm of William H. Wright & Son	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	77 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 50, Borough of The Bronx	3,375 00
26	" 20 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	William Jaeger	American Surety Company of New York	125 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 47, Borough of Manhattan	1,232 00
27	" 14 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	M. J. Mahony and Daniel F. Mahony, composing the firm of Mahony Brothers	Daniel Cunningham	2,000 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 82 and 120, Borough of Manhattan	3,077 00
28	" 16 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	J. J. Hanson	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	403 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 58, Borough of Manhattan	3,443 00
29	" 21 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	C. C. Latham	National Surety Company	310 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 30, Borough of Manhattan	3,085 00
30	" 21 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	The Consolidated Lath and Shingle Company, Limited	American Surety Company of New York	1,054 00	For supplying furniture, Item 4, for new Public School No. 1, on south side of Henry street, between Oliver and Catharine streets, Borough of Manhattan	5,712 14
31	" 13 "	"	Brooklyn	K. W. Murphy	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company of Maryland	110 00	For alterations, stone animals for Public School No. 64, Borough of Brooklyn	4,040 00
32	" 24 "	"	"	Edward J. Bulford and Matthew A. Belmont, composing the firm of Bulford Brothers	F. W. Estlin	1,200 00	For alterations, stone animals for Public Schools Nos. 4, 6, 15, 20, 21 and 22, Borough of Brooklyn	5,574 00
33	" 11 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Richmond School Furniture Company	M. J. Mahony	2,100 00	For supplying new school furniture, Item 2, for old school buildings	6,810 00
34	" 15 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	The Consolidated Lath and Shingle Company, Limited	American Surety Company of New York	50 00	For supplying blue blockboards for addition to Public School No. 30, Borough of Manhattan	358 00
35	" 15 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	John P. Hanson	Hannah Johnson	2 00 20	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 52, Borough of Manhattan	1,785 00
36	" 16 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	C. H. Bennett	American Surety Company of New York	2,575 00	For supplying furniture, Item 3, for new Public School No. 1, on south side of Henry street, between Oliver and Catharine streets, Borough of Manhattan	1,575 00
37	" 16 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	The Consolidated Lath and Shingle Company, Limited	American Surety Company of New York	25 00	For supplying new furniture, Item 2, for addition to Public School No. 34, Borough of Manhattan	706 75
38	" 16 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Richmond School Furniture Company	M. J. Mahony	2,000 00	For supplying furniture, Item 5, for new Public School No. 1, on south side of Henry street, between Oliver and Catharine streets, Borough of Manhattan	6,042 00
39	" 15 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	C. Kohn & Sons	American Surety Company of New York	1,548 00	For supplying furniture, Item 2, for new Public School No. 1, on south side of Henry street, between Oliver and Catharine streets, Borough of Manhattan	1,548 00
40	" 14 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Narragansett Machine Company	American Surety Company of New York	320 00	For supplying new furniture, Item 3, for addition to Public School No. 34, Borough of Manhattan	820 00
41	" 16 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Narragansett Machine Company	American Surety Company of New York	1,150 00	For supplying furniture, Item 5, for new Public School No. 1, on south side of Henry street, between Oliver and Catharine streets, Borough of Manhattan	1,150 00
42	" 11 "	"	Manhattan and Richmond	The Seiler Asphalt Paving Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,000 00	For paving with asphalt the sidewalk adjoining East River Park in East End Avenue (Avenue B), Eighty-sixth street, in The City of New York	1,994 75
43	" 11 "	"	Manhattan and Richmond	T. Hugh Brennan	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company of Maryland	2,000 00	For the improvement of East River Park, bounded by Eighty-fourth street, East End Avenue (Avenue B), Eighty-sixth street and the East River, in The City of New York	3,985 50
44	" 21 "	"	Brooklyn and Queens	Brooklyn Asphalt Company	The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City	3,500 00	For resurfacing with asphalt part of the Coney Island Causeway, between Urban Parkway and West Fifth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn	40,204 50
45	" 21 "	"	Manhattan and Richmond	Theo. P. Hoffman and James O'Brien, composing the firm of Theo. P. Hoffman & Co.	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,500 00	For furnishing and delivering 60,000 lbs. of 245,000 pounds hay, 100,000 pounds red clover hay, 24,000 pounds eye straw, 7,000 bushels oats, 25,000 pounds No. 2 corn, 5,000 bran..... Total	4,381 50
46	June 7 "	Street Cleaning	Queens	James Deegan	.....	.....	For cleaning all the paved streets, avenues and public places in the Fourth Ward of Long Island City, from June 7 to September 7, 1898, inclusive	975 00

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	BOROUGH.	NAME OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SOCIETIES.	AMOUNT OF BIDS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
394	July 24, 1898	Correction	Brooklyn	United States Trading Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company American Surety Company of New York	\$800 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies for the Kings County Penitentiary, viz.: 2 tons first-class broom corn, 1 ton first quality white broom corn, 500 lb broom handle, 2,000 No. 2, 2, 50 No. 1, 1,000 No. 5, 5,000 lb broom hair, 1,000 pounds No. 12 broom wire, 500 pounds red and green broom twine, 2 broom cover band wire etc., 1,000 pounds split bamboo, 3,000 tops for 8 rub m. no. 2 with brushes, 500 pairs horse hair, 2 dozen broom needles, 2 dozen brushmakers' drills, assorted, 15,000 pounds No. 20 mattress wire, etc., Total	\$1,340 82
395	" 26 "	"	"	Peter J. Constant	Henry Frank Max Frank	500 00	For furnishing and delivering supplies for manufacturing purposes for the Kings County Penitentiary, viz.: 5,000 feet 5 ounce oil grain leather, 8 grains western tan 4, 000 pounds gum rollers, 1 Web's shoe stitching stand about 15 yards, 2,000 lb bestier leather shank, 2,000 No. 12 Whistler & Whistler sewing machine needles (assort. d), 100 sewing awls (assort.), 1 dozen No. 2 skinning knives, 1 dozen cutter blades, 1 dozen beel bay s, Nos. 2, 5 and 7 - nail & Albertson's; 50 pounds round lasting tacks, 10 gallons white shoe dressing for oil grain, 10 gallons shoemakers' line (Ly-o-Burnish), 2 gallons cutters' board dressing, 1 dozen edge straps, 5 pounds white wax, etc., Total	994 80
396	" 28 "	Fire	Brooklyn and Queens	Manchester Locomotive Works	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	1,800 00	For furnishing and delivering one fourth-size steam-engine	5,500 00
397	" 26 "	"	Brooklyn and Queens	The Peter Barrett Manufacturing Company	Reuben Beck C. W. Schleicher	1,400 00	For furnishing and delivering four first-size hose wagons	2,000 00
398	" 12 "	Education	Manhattan and The Bronx	Samuel H. E. Jennings and Thomas Weststead, composing the firm of Jennings & Weststead	Henry F. Stevens, Jr. The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	300 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School No. 29, Borough of Manhattan	1,085 00
399	" 20 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Herman Hartman and Cornelius J. Hagan, composing the firm of Hartman & Hagan	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 53, Borough of Manhattan	1,485 00
400	June 29 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Archibald Erskine and Robert McGregor, composing the firm of Erskine & McGregor	H. W. Richardson American Surety Company of New York	110 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 73, Borough of Manhattan	395 00
401	" 28 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	J. Hoffman	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company Moses Goldman	800 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 43, Borough of Manhattan	2,171 00
402	" 29 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Christopher Nally Company	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	750 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 79, Borough of Manhattan	2,700 00
403	" 28 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Patrick Sullivan	Ensign O. Beale National Surety Company	1,000 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 26, Borough of Manhattan	2,098 00
404	" 28 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Murdo Tolmie	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	2,100 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 36, 72, 73, 92 and 93, Borough of Manhattan	7,110 00
405	" 29 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	William Klein	George Weis The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	150 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 22, Borough of Manhattan	688 00
406	" 30 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	John H. Greenbaum	Conrad Weber The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	2,400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 77, Borough of Manhattan	4,223 00
407	" 29 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Christopher Nally Company	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	200 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School No. 149, Borough of Manhattan	1,000 00
408	" 28 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	M. J. Mahony and Daniel F. Mahony, composing the firm of Mahony Brothers	Daniel Cunningham Henry Campbell	1,000 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 126 and 125, Borough of Manhattan	2,722 00
409	July 6 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	C. C. Lougham	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	480 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 5, Borough of Manhattan	1,440 00
410	June 28 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Patrick Sullivan	Ensign O. Beale National Surety Company	2,000 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 69, 114 and 117, Borough of Manhattan	3,241 00
411	July 6 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Andrew Brown and John G. Mackay, composing the firm of Brown & Mackay	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	1,000 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 18, 27 and 245, Borough of Manhattan	4,251 00
412	" 10 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	John J. Dowling	American Surety Company of New York Henry D. Lyman	1,000 00	For sanitary improvements at Public Schools Nos. 7 and 26, Borough of Manhattan	2,000 00
413	June 26 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	W. W. Ryan and James McFerran, composing the firm of Ryan & McFerran	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 109, Borough of Manhattan	1,350 00
414	" 29 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Christopher Nally Company	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	720 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School No. 16, Borough of Manhattan	2,160 00
415	July 14 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	James Hamilton	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	404 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School No. 95, Borough of Manhattan	1,000 00
416	" 24 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	John Spence	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	177 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School No. 27, Borough of Manhattan	1,380 00
417	June 29 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Archibald Erskine and Robert McGregor, composing the firm of Erskine & McGregor	H. W. Richardson American Surety Company of New York	1,400 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School No. 55, Borough of Manhattan	4,070 00
418	" 29 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Archibald Erskine and Robert McGregor, composing the firm of Erskine & McGregor	Thomas Swain American Surety Company of New York	1,450 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 14, Borough of Manhattan	4,200 00
419	" 29 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Archibald Erskine and Robert McGregor, composing the firm of Erskine & McGregor	Thomas Swain American Surety Company of New York	450 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School No. 55, Borough of Manhattan	2,350 00
420	July 2 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Samuel H. E. Jennings and Thomas Weststead, composing the firm of Jennings & Weststead	Henry F. Stevens, Jr. The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	105 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 124, Borough of Manhattan	370 00
421	June 26 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	John Spence	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	281 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School No. 36, Borough of Manhattan	849 00
422	" 29 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Murdo Tolmie	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	340 00	For sanitary improvements at Public School No. 92, Borough of Manhattan	1,500 00
423	July 14 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Joseph Kelly	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	900 00	For sanitary improvements at Public Schools Nos. 18 and 72, Borough of Manhattan	2,594 00
424	" 28 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Christopher Nally Company	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	524 00	For sanitary improvements at Public Schools Nos. 5 and 82, Borough of Manhattan	2,072 00
425	June 29 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Daniel J. Dwyer	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	180 00	For sanitary improvements at Public Schools Nos. 13 and 35, Borough of Manhattan	1,430 00
426	" 15 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	J. Hoffman	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	4,060 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 22 and 23, Borough of Manhattan	4,060 00
427	" 14 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	C. C. Lougham	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	1,370 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 45, 46, 52 and 50, Borough of Manhattan	4,120 00
428	" 24 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Murdo Tolmie	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	701 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 8, Borough of Manhattan	2,200 00
429	" 14 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	"	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	731 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 27, Borough of Manhattan	2,192 00
430	" 16 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Frank Dobson	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	771 00	For heating and ventilating apparatus at Public Schools Nos. 16 and 27, Borough of Manhattan	2,318 00
431	" 25 "	"	Manhattan and The Bronx	Neptune B. Smyth	National Surety Company Ensign O. Beale	701 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 96 and 125, Borough of Manhattan	2,100 00

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	Borough.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BIDS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	Cost.
48	JULY 20, 1898	Education	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Henry Archibald and Thomas Archibald, composing the firm of Archibald Brothers.	American Surety Company of New York, Henry D. Lyman.	\$250 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 42, Borough of Manhattan.	\$1,000 00
49	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	J. P. Hansen.	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	275 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Annex to Public School No. 43, Borough of Manhattan.	315 00
50	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Alfred Nagant and John P. Nagant, composing the firm of Alfred Nagant & Son.	L. Herdendorf, The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	1,200 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 47, Borough of Manhattan.	1,275 00
51	"	"	Richmond.	John Miller.	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	820 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., in Public School No. 33, Borough of Richmond.	1,045 00
52	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	C. U. Leaphon.	National Surety Company, Ensign O. Beale.	700 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 5 and 46, Borough of Manhattan.	1,000 00
53	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	John J. Sheridan.	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.	575 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 39, Borough of Manhattan.	1,700 00
54	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	William Klein.	George W. White, The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	450 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at the Mixed High School, Borough of The Bronx.	1,100 00
55	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Christopher Kelly, Comptroller.	National Surety Company, Ensign O. Beale.	525 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 104, Borough of The Bronx.	1,735 00
56	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Thomas McKenna.	National Surety Company, Ensign O. Beale.	500 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 136, Borough of Manhattan.	1,075 00
57	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	William Klein.	George W. White, The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	750 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 43, Borough of Manhattan.	1,000 00
58	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	James Hamilton.	Ensign O. Beale, National Surety Company.	1,100 00	For building covering walk grading, etc., at Mixed High School, Borough of The Bronx.	1,075 00
59	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Henry White, Jr.	Hillard Clark, The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	500 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 36, Borough of Manhattan.	775 00
60	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Edward J. Bell.	National Surety Company, Ensign O. Beale.	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 7, Borough of Manhattan.	825 00
61	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Wm. J. Smith.	National Surety Company, Ensign O. Beale.	500 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 14, Borough of The Bronx.	1,097 00
62	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Thomas McKenna.	National Surety Company, Ensign O. Beale.	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at the Truant School, Borough of Manhattan.	875 00
63	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	V. B. Benedict.	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.	1,345 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School No. 36, Borough of Manhattan.	1,545 00
64	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	W. Morris, Richard P. Williams and Alexander Y. Fraser, composing the firm of W. Morris & Co.	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, James E. Morris.	1,000 00	For supplying glass for the public schools in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.	1,175 00
65	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	John J. Sheridan.	National Surety Company, Ensign O. Beale.	450 00	For repairs to roofs at Public Schools Nos. 8, 10, 12, 16, grand 36, Borough of Brooklyn.	700 00
66	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	James White.	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, Howard J. Smith.	755 00	For repairs to roofs at Public Schools Nos. 4, 5 and 203, Borough of Brooklyn.	1,055 00
67	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	John J. Sheridan.	National Surety Company, Ensign O. Beale.	97 00	For water-closets, drinking-fountains, etc., at Public Schools Nos. 2 and 3, Borough of Brooklyn.	348 00
68	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Wm. J. Smith, Richard P. Williams and Alexander Y. Fraser, composing the firm of W. Morris & Co.	John Bennett, Peter Lamm.	50 00	For painting and whitening roof in the headquarters of the School Board in Brooklyn.	80 00
69	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	James White.	American Surety Company of New York, Henry D. Lyman.	1,000 00	For "Albion" stone curbs for Public Schools Nos. 10, 12, 16, 25, Borough of Brooklyn.	1,000 00
70	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	John J. Sheridan.	Patrick Ryan, Nicholas C. Swoboda.	50 00	For water-closets, drinking-fountains, etc., at Public School No. 102, Borough of Brooklyn.	54 94
71	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	Alfred E. Long.	John East, United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.	1,045 00	For painting, whitening, etc., Public Schools Nos. 3, 4, 7, 13 and 76, Borough of Brooklyn.	2,000 00
72	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	James W. Schuchter.	United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.	475 00	For painting, whitening, etc., at the Girls' High School, Borough of Brooklyn.	750 00
73	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	John J. Sheridan.	Irish Kennel, William Gally.	750 00	For materials and labor required in furnishing and setting in place 712 steam pipe tables and necessary iron work for use in doing rooms of male and female Almshouse Barracks at Blackwell's Island.	1,075 00
74	"	"	Manhattan and The Bronx.	James A. Williams, Jr., composing the firm of James A. Williams & Co.	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, American Surety Company of New York.	15,000 00	For materials and work required for the installation of new steam-heating apparatus and alterations and additions to present apparatus in Bellevue Hospital, and installation of new steam-heating apparatus in Nurses' Homes, City and Metropolitan Hospitals, Blackwell's Island.	18,225 00

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representatives, attended the opening of bids at the following Departments, namely: 1898. August 10. Paving (by selective surface); submersible electrical conductors; forge—Brooklyn; forge—Richmond; forge—Manhattan and The Bronx—Police Department.

Official Designation.

August 12. Michael T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller from Friday, August 12, to Saturday, August 20, 1898, both days inclusive.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller has approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, namely: 1898.

- August 9. Alterations to steam hooper "Underella," Street Cleaning Department. M. J. Corley, No. 103 Hopkins avenue, Jersey City, Principal. City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company, No. 160 Broadway, The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway. } Sureties.
- August 9. Furnishing stone coping in Prospect Park, Brooklyn, Park Department. Eastern Stone Company, No. 123 West Forty-fifth street, Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway. } Sureties.
- August 9. American Surety Company, No. 100 Broadway. } Sureties.
- August 10. Electric light, Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies. Edison Electric Manufacturing Company of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, N. Y., Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, The Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street. } Sureties.
- August 11. Cement, Department of Highways. James Lyons, Evanger's, Long Island, Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, Fidelity and Casualty Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street. } Sureties.

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- August 11. Paving Winthrop street, Department of Highways. Norton & Gorman, No. 301 Douglas street, Brooklyn, Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway. } Sureties.
- August 12. Broken stone, Department of Highways. Norton & Gorman, No. 301 Douglas street, Brooklyn, Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, The City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway. } Sureties.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Police of the Police Department of The City of New York, held on the 16th day of December, 1898. Present—Commissioners York (President), Saxton, Hess and Abell. The minutes of December 14 were read and approved.

The following Mask Ball Permits were Granted:

- Ernest Dorval, at Madison Square Garden, January 18, fee \$100.
- Archie D'Angelo, at Grand Central Palace, February 14, fee \$25.
- James Thompson, at Saengerbund Hall (Brooklyn), December 20, fee \$10.
- Hugh McCrudden, at Columbia Hall (Queens), January 23, fee \$50.
- Resolved, That the following applications for permits to hold mask balls between eight and twelve o'clock be granted, and the Chief required to direct the commanding officer of the precinct in which such ball is to be held to see that such ball ceases at twelve o'clock midnight: Stephen D. Cooper, at Grand Central Palace, January 14, fee \$25.
- Albert Kuntz, at Central Opera House, December 31, fee \$25.
- A. Kortuski, at Arlington Hall, December 24, fee \$25.
- Ernest Richter, at Arlington Hall, December 31, fee \$25.

THE FOLLOWING REPORTS, ETC., WERE ORDERED ON FILE:

- Corporation Counsel—Approving form of contracts for repairs to the Sixth, Eleventh and Eighteenth Precincts.
- Corporation Counsel—Approving form of agreement with the M. B. Brown Company to furnish official ballots.

Board of Surgeons—Disabilities for November, 1898: Contagious disease in family of Patrolman William Rouskey, Thirty-eighth Precinct. Death of Patrolman James Maloney, Second District Court, at 11 P. M., December 14. Thomas Tieran—Asking reinstatement as Patrolman.

Sent Copies.

Inspector Campbell—On petition of Joseph H. Mayer, representing residents and taxpayers near Vanderveer Park, Brooklyn. To Mayor. Bureau of Information—Inquiry of Mrs. Spain as to Mr. Brumahan.

The following Applications for Pension were Referred to the Committee on Pensions: Mary A. Terwilliger, Kate McArdle, Anna Gear and Katie Wohlhoff.

The following Communications were Referred to the Chief Clerk in Answer:

Corporation Counsel—Adding information in cases of Walter R. Ballard and Louis Wagner. J. A. Dunay—Asking address of Patrolman James Fitzsimmons.

THE FOLLOWING COMMUNICATIONS WERE REFERRED TO THE CHIEF OF POLICE:

Lorenz Bayer—Relative to bonfires in streets. Tenants—Complaint of disorderly women at No. 27 Market street.

For Report:

Mrs. Lewis Helmer—Asking information as to Hen News Company. Ludwig Hess—Asking appointment of Jacob A. Johnson as Special Patrolman.

The following Applications were Denied:

John P. Smith—Asking restoration to duty as Roundsmen. John T. Sharples—Demand for restoration as Patrolman. Elizabeth Maxwell, Mary Stewart, Elizabeth Doncomb and Elizabeth Gaine, for pension. Communication from E. Menckelbom, relative to furnishing the Department with light, was referred to the Superintendent of Telegraph for report. Application of Roundsmen J. H. Higgins, Seventy-sixth Precinct, to be paid the salary of Roundsmen, was referred to the Corporation Counsel for opinion as to whether the officer is entitled to become a Roundsmen as demanded.

The following Law Cases were Referred to the Corporation Counsel:

Supreme Court, Queens County—The People ex rel. Edward A. Neuman, John J. Barnes, Edward W. Selligs, Rockaway Beach. Notice of motion for mandamus and order to show cause.

The following Applications for Reinstatement were Referred to the Board of Surgeons for Report:

Patrolman Eugene D. Grosjean, First Precinct. Charles Mayer, Twenty-eighth Precinct. Reports of the suspension of the following officers were approved, ordered on his and the suspension continued: Patrolman Peter J. Kolan, Sixty-fourth Precinct. Frederick Wagner, Sixth Precinct. Charles L. Savage, Seventy-sixth Precinct.

Communication having been received from Hon. Rud S. Cady, Comptroller, in reference to a judgment obtained by John De Fais against The City of New York, in the sum of \$800, such judgment being chargeable to the construction of a station-house, etc., for the Twelfth Precinct for the year 1895, and accompanying said communication there being a warrant from the Comptroller, assigned, to the order of John De Fais, the Board respectfully returns said communication to the said Comptroller, for the reason that the same being a judgment against The City of New York, does not require, in the judgment of this Board, any action by it, unless such Comptroller shall determine that the said judgment is a claim against the Police Department, and require this Department to make requisition upon the Comptroller as against the appropriation for said station-house for 1895. The Board has no objection, and, if necessary, consents that said claimant judgment be charged against the appropriation referred to in the communication of the Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Board of Surgeons be directed to examine the following officers and report as to their physical condition, with a view to retirement:

Patrolman Daniel Archibald, Eighth Precinct. Robert Allison, Sixty-second Precinct. Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to the following officers: Patrolman Henry P. Griffin, Bicycle Squad, from May 25 to September 26, 1898. Patrick J. Reid, Twenty-first Precinct, from October 14 to December 1, 1898.

Resolved, That Abraham J. Hoag, be and is hereby appointed Special Patrolman in the vice of Mary White Overington. Resolved, That the Complaint Clerk be directed to place all of the charges against Officer Savage on the calendar for Tuesday next, and that the commanding officer of the precinct bring Savage, under requirement of the Chief, to the trial room on that day.

Resolved, That Patrolman Owen Wheeler, Sanitary Company, be referred to the Board of Surgeons for examination as to his physical disability.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the opinion of the Corporation Counsel, resolved by the Board on the 14th inst., that the Superintendent of Elections cause to be made only two copies of the Primary Election declarations for the parties casting the highest and next highest number of votes at the last election, and such work having been completed, the Temporary Clerks assigned to the Bureau of Elections be discharged.

Resolved, That the Chief be requested to take such measures as are necessary to provide accommodations, temporarily, for the horses now quartered in the Thirty-seventh Precinct, during the making of alterations to the grading of the street and erection of buildings adjoining, which have made such building unsafe for occupancy by the Department.

Communication having been received from Honorable Michael C. Murphy, President of the Board of Health, in which he requests the co-operation and assistance of the Police Board in the extermination of the use of soft coal within the territory of The City of New York, it is

Resolved, That the said communication be and is referred to the Chief of Police with directions to take any and all measures that are necessary to aid and assist the Department of Health in abating the nuisances complained of in the said communication of the President of the Health Board, and that the Chief require the commanding officers of the respective precincts to cause the officers of their commands to carefully observe and to report to such commanding officers, who in turn shall report to the Chief, who in turn will report to the Board of Health and to this Board the places where such nuisances may exist.

On reading and filing order of Appellate Division, First Department, Supreme Court: Resolved, That John B. Sampson be restored to membership in the Police Force. Chief to assign. Order of Court filed in the Treasurer's office.

Resolved, That Patrolman Artimas W. Bessard, Nineteenth Precinct, be granted permission to receive a reward of fifty dollars (subject to the deduction under the rule) from Edward V. Kessler for recovery of opera glasses.

Resolved, That the tri-monthly gas reports made by precincts be discontinued, and that the commanding officers of precincts be directed to make report on the form provided at the time the register of the gas meter is taken by the representative of the gas company. Care must be taken to see that the dials are correctly transcribed on the report, and a Sergeant will accompany the gas company's agent to the meter when the register is taken for the purpose stated.

Retired Officers—(on Application).

Captain Francis A. Early, Sixty-fourth Precinct, \$1,375 per year. Resolved, That Annie E. Smith, widow of James H. Smith, late Detective Sergeant, be and is hereby awarded and granted a pension of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, from and after December 16, 1898.

Resolved, That Mary Griffin, widow of Daniel J. Griffin, late Patrolman, be and is hereby awarded and granted a pension of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, from December 16, 1898.

Resolved, That Bridger Mulholland, widow of Wm. P. Mulholland, late Patrolman, be and is hereby awarded and granted a pension of two hundred and fifty dollars per annum, from December 16, 1898.

Resolved, That Bertha Baker, widow of Thomas Baker, late pensioner, be and is hereby awarded and granted a pension of two hundred dollars per annum, from December 16, 1898.

Resolved, That Mary Ann Foley, widow of Thomas Foley, late pensioner, be and is hereby awarded and granted a pension of two hundred and fifty dollars per annum to widow and fifty dollars per annum for Adelaide, child of said Thomas Foley, until she shall arrive at the age of eighteen years, from December 16, 1898.

Resolved, That Katie C. Kellest, widow of Henry Kellest, late pensioner, be and is hereby awarded and granted a pension of one hundred dollars per annum to widow, and fifty dollars each per annum to Henrietta and Genevieve Kellest, children of said Henry Kellest, until they shall arrive at the age of eighteen years, respectively, from December 16, 1898.

The following Applications for Advance to Grades were Denied:

Patrolman Frederick J. Wilday, Eighteenth Precinct. Charles Smith, Twenty-first Precinct. Thomas H. Lynch, Thirtieth Precinct. Daniel E. Hawkins, Sixty-ninth Precinct.

Resolved, That the following officers be and are hereby advanced to grades, their efficiency and conduct having been satisfactory:

- Patrolman George A. Westrow, Sixteenth Precinct, to Second Grade, December 12, 1898. James A. Hartington, Seventeenth Precinct, to Second Grade, December 8, 1898. Oscar B. Spencer, Seventeenth Precinct, to Second Grade, December 11, 1898. John W. Croker, Nineteenth Precinct, to Second Grade, December 5, 1898. James E. Troy, Nineteenth Precinct, to Second Grade, December 5, 1898. Michael Kochersberger, Twenty-first Precinct, to Second Grade, December 12, 1898. James A. Donoghue, Twenty-second Precinct, to Second Grade, December 7, 1898. Lawrence J. McMahon, Twenty-fifth Precinct, to Second Grade, December 7, 1898. James M. McNorrey, Twenty-fifth Precinct, to Second Grade, December 12, 1898. Charles H. Decline, Thirty-third Precinct, to Second Grade, December 7, 1898. George P. Young, Thirty-fifth Precinct, to Second Grade, December 5, 1898. Charles E. Forrest, Jr., Bicycle Squad, to Second Grade, December 13, 1898. William J. Hanley, Bicycle Squad, to Second Grade, December 5, 1898. Walter H. Burrell, Sixteenth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Joseph A. Conboy, Sixteenth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. John A. Underwood, Sixteenth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Peter F. Reid, Seventeenth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Joseph P. Cavanaugh, Nineteenth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Thomas C. Flynn, Nineteenth Precinct, to Third Grade, November 2, 1898. William Forbes, Nineteenth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. John D. Barrett, Twentieth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Richard Golding, Twenty-first Precinct, to Third Grade, November 17, 1898. Ellworth E. Daly, Twenty-second Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Thomas J. Moore, Twenty-second Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Peter McEneaney, Twenty-second Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Edwin F. Warfield, Twenty-fourth Precinct, to Third Grade, November 2, 1898. James A. Turpey, Twenty-fourth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Louis C. Wagner, Twenty-sixth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 12, 1898. John Doherty, Twenty-sixth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Albert Larker, Twenty-eighth Precinct, to Third Grade, September 26, 1898. Edward J. Cashman, Twenty-ninth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Thomas P. Farley, Twenty-ninth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Edward A. Larkin, Thirtieth Precinct, to Third Grade, November 2, 1898. George W. Burgess, Thirty-fourth Precinct, to Third Grade, August 15, 1898. Patrick S. McCarthy, Thirty-fifth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. William E. Keegan, Thirty-sixth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Edward F. Hughes, Seventy-sixth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. William E. Pfeiffer, Twenty-fourth Precinct, to Third Grade, December 3, 1898. Christopher White, Thirtieth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, April 15, 1897. William Marshall, Fifty-third Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. James McAuley, Fifty-fourth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. William F. Mader, Fifty-fourth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, April 21, 1898. Frank H. Moore, Fifty-fifth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. Peter E. O'Hara, Fifty-fifth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. Charles E. Mason, Fifty-fifth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. William Thompson, Fifty-fifth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, April 20, 1898. James J. Meenan, Fifty-sixth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, October 18, 1898. John E. Noonan, Fifty-sixth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. John W. O'Keefe, Fifty-sixth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. Charles C. Peterson, Fifty-sixth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, August 15, 1898. Richard McHenry, Fifty-seventh Precinct, to Fourth Grade, April 21, 1898. Patrick Quide, Fifty-seventh Precinct, to Fourth Grade, April 21, 1898. Richard Owens, Sixtieth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, April 21, 1898. John F. Monahan, Sixty-third Precinct, to Fourth Grade, October 15, 1898. Frank Isabel, Sixty-fifth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, May 2, 1898. William J. Murphy, Sixty-sixth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. William C. Kepper, Sixty-sixth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, April 22, 1898. James W. Devens, Sixty-sixth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. Charles P. Matthews, Sixty-seventh Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. Andrew Brown, Sixty-ninth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. Matthew F. Kennedy, Sixty-ninth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, April 20, 1898. Philip Ullendush, Sixty-ninth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, October 20, 1898. Frank B. Paschall, Sixty-ninth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, August 1, 1898. Edmund O. Madews, Sixty-ninth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. Charles O. Hamilton, Sixty-ninth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. Felix McGinnis, Seventy-first Precinct, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. George E. McMahon, Seventy-first Precinct, to Fourth Grade, October 18, 1898. Alexander Simakoff, Eighty-ninth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, September 13, 1898. Thomas C. Coosidine, Eighty-ninth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, February 28, 1898. John Finan, Eighty-ninth Precinct, to Fourth Grade, December 15, 1898. Charles S. Cronan, Detective Bureau, to Fourth Grade, July 8, 1898. James J. Rooney, seventy-fifth Precinct, to Fifth Grade, May 31, 1898. Amos R. Curtis, Seventy-ninth Precinct, to Fifth Grade, July 31, 1898.

Resolved, That in the matter of charge against Patrolman John T. Kees, Forty-sixth Precinct, violation of rules, tried before Commissioner York, and referred to the Board for its decision, the said Board find him guilty of said charge and order that he be fined twenty days' pay. Trial was had of charges against members of the force before Commissioner York, and Commissioner York reported the disposition of said trials, as follows:

Fines Imposed.

- Patrolman Henry L. Toole, Fifty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay. John Bennett, Fifty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, one-half day's pay. Daniel Delahanty, Fifty-fifth Precinct, violation of rules, one-half day's pay. William H. L. Morgan, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, reprimand.

Trial was had of charges against members of the force before Commissioner Abell, and Commissioner Abell reported the disposition of said trials, as follows:

Fines Imposed.

- Patrolman Peter S. Lind, Forty-fifth Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay. James J. Mansell, Forty-ninth Precinct, violation of rules, two days' pay. James Burke, Forty-ninth Precinct, violation of rules, five days' pay. Doorman Charles W. Sprague, Fifty-third Precinct, violation of rules, twenty days' pay. Charles W. Sprague, Fifty-third Precinct, violation of rules, ten days' pay. Patrolman George J. Kerwin, Fifty-sixth Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay. Francis P. Dolan, Sixty-eighth Precinct, violation of rules, three days' pay. Francis P. Dolan, Sixty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay. Francis P. Dolan, Sixty-eighth Precinct, violation of rules, five days' pay.

Adjourned. WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Police of the Police Department of The City of New York, held on the 19th day of December, 1898.

Present—Commissioners York (President), Hess and Abell. The minutes of December 16 were read and approved.

Mask Ball Permit was Granted to:

Minnie Fricke, Central Hall, Corona, January 21, fee \$5.

Leave of Absence was Granted to:

Patrolman Albert Werner, Sixth Precinct, sixty days' half-pay, sick.

THE FOLLOWING REPORTS, ETC., WERE ORDERED ON FILE:

- J. H. Sorphen, County Clerk, Queens—Acknowledgment, etc. Board of Surgeons—Reports relative to cases of Patrolman Owen Wheeler, Sanitary Corps; John Conovan, Twenty-second Precinct, and Robert H. Ellis, Thirty-fifth Precinct, and Roundsmen Michael J. Leahy, Forty-sixth Precinct, and asking that action be deferred in their cases. Contagious disease in family of Patrolman Michael O'Sullivan, Twenty-sixth Precinct. Death of Sergeant George W. Rogers, Fifty-second Precinct, at 10.30 P. M., December 18. Death of Patrolman Wm. Keane, Twenty-first Precinct, at 11.15 P. M., December 17.

Sent Copy.

Twelfth Precinct—On complaint of Samuel Schwartz of disorderly house, No. 76 Allen street. Sixty-second Precinct—On complaint of W. P. Jones of refuse being dumped at Bedford avenue and Berry street, Brooklyn.

The following Communications were Referred to the Treasurer:

Bond of Inspector James Kane.
Case of John B. Sampson—Notice of filing power of Attorney, etc.
Col. Kimball—Inclosing check for \$4 for boiler inspection. To be paid into Pension Fund.
Hall permits, week ending December 17, 1898. To be paid into Pension Fund.

The following Communications were Referred to the Committee on Pensions:

Sylvester Rogers—Asking for increase of pension.
Board of Surgeons—Certificates as to physical disability of Patrolmen Eugene D. Grosjean, First Precinct, Daniel Archibald, Eighth Precinct, and Christian Gold, Thirty-seventh Precinct.

The following Law Cases were Referred to the Corporation Counsel:

Supreme Court, Queens County—People ex rel. Edward A. Neumann and John J. Barnes Affiliates and notice of motion for mandamus.
Report as to physical condition of Patrolman Patrick Keenan, Sixty-seventh Precinct, was referred to Board of Surgeons for report as to whether disability is permanent.

THE FOLLOWING COMMUNICATIONS WERE REFERRED TO THE CHIEF OF POLICE:

Richard Stockton—Stating he would be pleased to present a photograph of the late Patrolman Harry H. Haywood, First United States Volunteer Cavalry, in his station-house. Chief to accept the photograph in the name of the Department, and to place it in the station-house of the precinct to which Officer Haywood was attached.
Patrolman E. J. Lake—Asking to be promoted to Roadman.

P. W. Woolworth & Co.—Petition for detail of uniformed officers at their store. To make detailment on payment of salary.

For Report:

Morris E. Sterne et al.—Petition that honorable mention be granted to Patrolman Henry E. Pfeiffer for heroic conduct.

G. L. Olney—Asking for better police protection.
G. D. Smith—Acknowledgment, and stating that the officer's name who has his watch, etc., is Edward J. Armstrong. Letter of December 1 attached and referred to Chief for immediate examination and report.

George V. Brower, Park Commissioner, Brooklyn and Queens—Complaints concerning the policing of parks and boulevards.
McPartland & O'Flaherty—Asking appointment of Thomas Argen as Special Patrolman.

The following Communications were Referred to the Chief Clerk in Answer:

L. A. Dixon, Librarian, University of Chicago—Asking for reports of Department.
Charles K. Simpson—Asking blank application for Patrolman.
W. S. Griswold—Asking blank application for Patrolman.
William Mitchell—Asking blank application for Patrolman.
William Hale—Asking relative to appointment in this Department.

Report of Inspector Rhodes, relative to complaint of George W. Wells, No. 166 Dean street, Brooklyn, against Special Patrolman Matthew Casper, was set down for hearing on Friday, December 23, 1898, at 10 a. m. Complainant and officer to be notified to appear.

On reading and filing agreement with John Fox to board and stable horses attached to the Thirty-seventh Precinct, Nos. 1888 and 1890 Washington avenue, for the sum of \$10 per head, per month, including storage of vagans, now attached to said precinct, the same is approved, and the Chief directed to make necessary transfer.

Resolved, That the rule requiring special officers to wear uniform be waived in the case of William Robertson, Special Patrolman for Walter J. Robertson.

Resolved, That Thomas P. Campion be and is hereby appointed Special Patrolman in the service of H. Bunelle, Third Avenue Theatre.

Resolved, That Theatrical License be granted to Crowell Hadden, Brooklyn Academy of Music, No. 176 Montague street, to May 1, 1899. Fee five hundred dollars.

Resolved, That full pay, while sick, be granted to Patrolman John C. Palmer, Thirtieth Precinct, from September 26 to November 22, 1898.

The following Applications were Denied:

Mary E. Wingate, petition for pension.
Mary Maloney, petition for increase of pension.
Dentman Edwin F. Lawrence, Forty-eighth Precinct, for full pay while sick.
Patrolman William J. Dressel, Sixty-first Precinct, for full pay while sick.
Charles Mayer, Twenty-eighth Precinct, for retirement.

Resolved, That Lena Hummel, widow of Adolph Hummel, late pensioner, be and is hereby awarded and granted a pension from the Police Pension Fund, of the annual sum of three hundred dollars, to date from December 19, 1898.

The following Amounts were Ordered to be Paid by the Treasurer:

Patrolman Frederick Snyder, \$7.72, sick time correction on payroll.
City Chamberlain, \$8,187.74, credit account clerical salaries, 1897.
City Chamberlain, \$41.20, credit account Commissioners of Police, 1897.
On recommendation of the Auditor, it was
Resolved, That the following bills be approved and transmitted to the Comptroller, City of New York, for payment:

Borough of Manhattan.

Table with 2 columns: Description of bills and Amount. Includes American Steel House Company, Martin B. Brown Company, Fulton Publishing Company, Hoffman Bros., John Ryan & Son, New York Telephone Company, August F. Clausen.

\$22,743 75

Account primary election expenses—
American Steel House Company, carriage on steel houses, \$197 00
J. W. Pratt Company, enrollment books, 1,493 31

\$1,690 31

Resolved, That the following bills be approved and transmitted to Wm. McKinney, Auditor, for payment:

Borough of Brooklyn.

Table with 2 columns: Description of bills and Amount. Includes Brooklyn Warehouse and Storage Company, Peter F. Kelly.

\$245 21

Account primary election expenses—
A. Richardson, refreshments, \$31 50

\$31 50

Resolved, That the following bill be approved and transmitted to Francis R. Clair, Auditor, for payment:

Borough of Queens.

Account general election expenses—
James C. Archer, use of soap, \$15 00

\$15 00

On recommendation of the Auditor, it was
Resolved, That the following bills be approved, and ordered paid by the Treasurer:

Table with 2 columns: Description of bills and Amount. Includes Baker, Vourhis & Co., Martin B. Brown, Fred. F. Fleck, John Kelly, Flatbush Gas Company, John F. Nolan, Perry & Thompson, etc.

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Main table with 2 columns: Description of bills and Amount. Includes American Rubber Company, Peters & Heims, Gwynne & Richardson, Thomas C. Duniam, E. P. Gleason Manufacturing Company, Alfred Gaskel, Frederick R. Heisenberg, Hull, Grippen & Co., International Oil Works, Jerome Paper Company, George T. Johnson, L. B. Loudon, George Reichard & Son, Julia E. Tillman, P. W. Valley, John Wamtonker, Wilcox Brothers, Dr. Charles A. Mackey, New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, India Rubber and G. P. Ins. Company, Philips Ins. Wire Company.

\$2,170 40

Account of Supplies—
Manhattan Supply Company, submarine cable, \$1,525 00

Resolved, That the following officers be and are hereby advanced to grades, their efficiency and conduct having been satisfactory:

To Second Grade (\$1,500).

Patrolman Ernest Wechner, Seventh Precinct, December 8, 1898.
Patrolman Wilbur J. Taylor, Twelfth Precinct, December 7, 1898.
Patrolman Andrew Robinson, Central Office, December 5, 1898.

Second Grade (\$1,350).

Patrolman Henry D. C. Hasselbrook, Sixty-eighth Precinct, August 15, 1898.

Advanced to Third Grade.

Patrolman George A. Henneck, First Precinct, December 12, 1898.
Patrolman Daniel O'Sullivan, Second Precinct, December 12, 1898.
Patrolman Henry J. F. Leighley, Second Precinct, December 12, 1898.
Patrolman Carl A. Nilsson, Sixth Precinct, November 17, 1898.
Patrolman James J. O'Brien, Sixth Precinct, September 29, 1898.
Patrolman Albert Werner, Sixth Precinct, December 3, 1898.
Patrolman Charles H. Perry, Sixth Precinct, November 17, 1898.
Patrolman John J. Noble, Seventh Precinct, December 3, 1898.
Patrolman Michael J. Fitzgerald, Tenth Precinct, December 3, 1898.
Patrolman Bertis E. S. Thompson, Twelfth Precinct, December 3, 1898.
Patrolman Charles Schlip, Twelfth Precinct, December 12, 1898.
Patrolman Adolph Quane, Fourteenth Precinct, December 3, 1898.
Patrolman William H. Kiefer, Fifteenth Precinct, December 3, 1898.
Patrolman William C. Riley, Thirty-seventh Precinct, December 3, 1898.
Patrolman Joseph A. Faunt, Detective Bureau, December 3, 1898.

Advanced to Fourth Grade.

Patrolman Charles A. Hultigrew, Fourth Precinct, November 19, 1898.
Patrolman David Dorn, Fourth Precinct, November 19, 1898.
Patrolman George Steilar, Fourth Precinct, November 17, 1898.
Patrolman Bernard A. Smith, Fourth Precinct, December 12, 1898.
Patrolman Walter C. Archbold, Fourth Precinct, November 20, 1898.
Patrolman Jeremiah Butler, Fourth Precinct, November 19, 1898.
Patrolman Denis Shea, Fourth Precinct, November 17, 1898.
Patrolman Julius F. Schale, Sixth Precinct, November 18, 1898.
Patrolman James H. Dougherty, Tenth Precinct, November 18, 1898.
Patrolman Charles West, Tenth Precinct, November 18, 1898.
Patrolman John H. Nielsuhr, Thirteenth Precinct, December 2, 1898.
Patrolman Robert P. Thurston, Forty-ninth Precinct, April 19, 1898.
Patrolman William J. Hayes, Fiftieth Precinct, April 23, 1898.
Patrolman Gustavus F. Van Duser, Fiftieth Precinct, October 18, 1898.
Patrolman William O'Shaughnessy, Fifty-first Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman Andrew H. Toubey, Fifty-first Precinct, April 22, 1898.
Patrolman John Dugan, Fifty-first Precinct, October 18, 1898.
Patrolman James A. Dunlop, Fifty-first Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman James R. Dawson, Fifty-third Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman Joseph H. Rosenar, Fifty-fourth Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman John F. Stoler, Fifty-fourth Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman William T. Wagner, Fifty-fourth Precinct, October 18, 1898.
Patrolman Joseph Leppert, Fifty-fifth Precinct, July 9, 1898.
Patrolman Edward Schryver, Fifty-fifth Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman William H. Guna, Fifty-fifth Precinct, April 20, 1898.
Patrolman John P. Shea, Fifty-fifth Precinct, April 20, 1898.
Patrolman Albert D. Schultz, Fifty-fifth Precinct, April 21, 1898.
Patrolman John F. Rhatigan, Fifty-sixth Precinct, April 23, 1898.
Patrolman Elmer E. Glans, Fifty-sixth Precinct, April 23, 1898.
Patrolman Thomas Smith, Fifty-sixth Precinct, October 15, 1898.
Patrolman Robert T. Whitman, Fifty-sixth Precinct, July 10, 1898.
Patrolman John M. Thompson, Fifty-sixth Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman Daniel Whitaker, Fifty-sixth Precinct, October 20, 1898.
Patrolman Frederick Collins, Fifty-seventh Precinct, April 22, 1898.
Patrolman George English, Fifty-eighth Precinct, April 22, 1898.
Patrolman Thomas B. Fny, Fifty-eighth Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman Louis Cohen, Fifty-eighth Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman Joseph T. Fagan, Fifty-eighth Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman Munroe Green, Fifty-eighth Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman James Edward, Fifty-ninth Precinct, April 19, 1898.
Patrolman William Culbert, Fifty-ninth Precinct, April 20, 1898.
Patrolman George W. Walden, Fifty-ninth Precinct, April 19, 1898.
Patrolman John E. Scheipp, Fifty-ninth Precinct, April 23, 1898.
Patrolman William J. Mills, Fifty-ninth Precinct, April 19, 1898.
Patrolman Peter A. Smith, Sixtieth Precinct, April 21, 1898.
Patrolman Theo. Soedeker, Sixtieth Precinct, April 23, 1898.
Patrolman Harry B. Gorsuch, Sixtieth Precinct, October 17, 1898.
Patrolman James H. Gillen, Sixtieth Precinct, July 8, 1898.
Patrolman Gustave Knoblock, Sixtieth Precinct, October 21, 1898.
Patrolman William Drinkwater, Sixty-third Precinct, October 20, 1898.
Patrolman George Selby, Sixty-third Precinct, October 22, 1898.
Patrolman George A. Klein, Sixty-third Precinct, October 17, 1898.
Patrolman William F. Gredel, Sixty-third Precinct, April 21, 1898.

MICHAEL J. MURPHY, President, and WILLIAM T. JACKSON, M. D., JOHN B. VANCE, M. D., Secs. President on the Board of Health and the Health Officers on the Public Health Commission; EUGENE LEACH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
Board of Education.
WILLIAM BRADY, President, Borough of Manhattan.
LUCAS BRADY, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

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Board of Education, Borough of Richmond.
President, BRADY, LUCAS.
Secretary, BRADY, WILLIAM.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.
Assoc. Building, Central Park, N. Y.
President, BRADY, WILLIAM.

DEPARTMENT OF TRUCKS AND FERRIES.
President, BRADY, WILLIAM.

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES.
President, BRADY, WILLIAM.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSIGNMENTS.
President, BRADY, WILLIAM.

BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.
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BOARD OF ASSESSORS.
President, BRADY, WILLIAM.

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WILLIAM A. BORTON, Supervisor; SEYMOUR HENRIK, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COVENS, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.
Commissioners' Office, Nos. 22 and 23 Chambers Street, New York, N. Y.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, N. Y.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

COMMISSIONERS.
Borough of Manhattan.

COMMISSIONERS.
Borough of The Bronx.

COMMISSIONERS.
Borough of Richmond.

SUBROGATES COURT.
New County Courthouse, Court opens at 10:30 a.m.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.
Borough of Manhattan.

SUPREME COURT.
County Courthouse, Court opens at 10:30 a.m.

CITY COURT.
Borough of Manhattan.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Holding for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Houston and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between White and Franklin streets.

CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.
New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10:30 a.m.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.
Court-house, No. 111 Fifth Avenue, corner Rightmost Street. Court opens at 10 a.m.

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CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
First District—Henry A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CHURCH, LEON B. GRACE, JOSEPH M. DRING, CHARLES A. PLAMMER, HERMAN C. KENDRICK, CLARENCE W. MORGAN, JOHN E. MOY, JOSEPH POOL, CHARLES F. SMITH, JR., THOMAS F. WESTBROOK, W. H. OLSON.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Second District—Court and Butler streets. DAVID HUNTER, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Third District—Myrtle and Vandewater avenues. CHARLES E. TEAL, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Fourth District—No. 1 and 2 East Avenue. WILLIAM KECKLA, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Fifth District—East and Powers streets. ALFRED LARSON, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Sixth District—Cane and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WORTH, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Seventh District—No. 32 Grant street, Flatbush. ALFRED E. STROOK, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Eighth District—Coey Island. J. LOFT NORTHMAN, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Borough of Queens.
First District—Nos. 21 and 23 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City. MATTHEW J. SERRA, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Second District—Flushing, Long Island. LEWIS J. CONNOR, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. FREDERICK J. HEAR, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Borough of Richmond.
First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. JOHN CHASE, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. NATHANIEL WARD, Magistrate.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Borough of Manhattan.
First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying east of Broadway and West 14th street, including Roosevelt Island, Rikers' Island, Ellis Island and the Outer Islands. New County Courthouse, No. 105 Prince street, corner of Water street.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Tenth Wards and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and West 14th street, corner of Grand and Centre streets.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Third District—Ninth and Eleventh Wards. Court-room, southeast corner Sixth Avenue and West 14th street. Court opens daily. Sundays and legal holidays excepted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Fourth District—Tenth and Twelfth Wards. Court-room, No. 27 Third street, corner Grand Avenue. Court opens daily. Sundays and legal holidays excepted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 24 Union street. Hours: M. DORRANCE, Justice. JEROME HAYES, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second Avenue. Court opens daily. Sundays and legal holidays excepted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Seventh 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. 270 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.

Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 724 Broadway, Brooklyn.

Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house, Nos. 2 and 8 Lee Avenue, Brooklyn.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 24 Howard Avenue.

Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on Bath Avenue and Day Twenty-second street, Bath Beach.

Sixth District—First Ward of all of Long Island City, County Court-house located temporarily.

Seventh District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.

Eighth District—Fourth and Fifth Wards (Port of Canlinton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette Avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

Ninth District—Sixth and Seventh Wards (Port of Canlinton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette Avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

Tenth District—Eighth and Ninth Wards (Port of Canlinton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette Avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

Eleventh District—Tenth and Eleventh Wards (Port of Canlinton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette Avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

Twelfth District—Twelfth Ward (Port of Canlinton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette Avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

Official Papers.

Department of Street Cleaning.

Public Notice.

Contract for the Privilege of Loading and Unloading.

Bids on Estimates for the Contract.

Friday, the 4th Day of January, 1899.

At which time and place the said bids or estimates will be publicly opened and read.

The work under the contract for which these bids or estimates are to be received is to be begun on the Monday following the date of execution of said contract.

The said contract is to be for a term of one year, with the provision, however, that it may at any time be terminated by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning on ten days' notice to the contractor.

The person or persons to whom the said contract may be awarded will be required to execute said contract within five days of the receipt of a notice to do so, or else they will be considered as having abandoned said contract, and as in default to the Corporation, whereupon the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may reawaken and refer the privilege, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed.

State of New York, to be held in and for the Second Judicial District to the Court-house, in the City of New York.

Dated New York, December 1, 1898. JOHN WEALEN, Corporation Counsel.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE. NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1038 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS, as follows:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. TWELFTH WARD. ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREETS - SEWERS...

From street, from Atlantic avenue to Eastern Parkway; fourth installment. Boarder avenue, from Liberty avenue to Duane street; fourth installment.

Chapter 373, Laws of 1888, title 7, section 10, and title 17, section 9, as amended by chapter 209, Laws of 1893...

On all taxes and on all assessments except assessments for grading and paving, which shall hereinafter be paid to the Collector, before the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall become due and payable...

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller. EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE - CITY OF NEW YORK. BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Rolls for the "Second Installment" in the following-entitled matters have been completed...

- Forty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line. Forty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line. Forty-third street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.

Also for Grading and Paving. Forty-third street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.

- Forty-fifth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue. Forty-sixth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue. Forty-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Also for Opening, Grading and Paving. Forty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

- Forty-second street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue. Forty-third street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue. Forty-fourth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Also for Grading. Forty-second street, from Seventh avenue to the old city line.

- Forty-first street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue. Forty-second street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue. Forty-third street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue.

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EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. M. O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE. BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS who have omitted to pay their taxes in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx for the year 1898...

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

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

THE INTEREST DUE JANUARY 1, 1899, ON the Registered Bonds and Stocks of the former City of New York...

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller. EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEPALED ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and making and completing Alterations, General Repairs and Improvements to the Station-house of the Sixth Precinct...

FRIDAY, THE 30TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1898.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Alterations, etc., Eighth Precinct Station-house"...

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications...

No estimates will be accepted from, or a 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 entire work is to be completed within sixty (60) days from the date of the contract.

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 Five 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 an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud...

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...

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, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller...

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, in money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required...

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless a written permission shall previously have been obtained from the Board of Police.

WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk. New York, December 26, 1898.

CONTRACTORS. PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

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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 Five Thousand Dollars.

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...

Department or departments in which bids are offered.

The making and delivery of all the books must be completed within one hundred and twenty days from the execution of the contract...

For particulars of the quantities of books required resort must be had to the specifications on file in the office of the Comptroller...

By order of ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor; JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel; BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

Office of the City Record, No. 2 City Hall, New York, December 28, 1898.

PROPOSALS TO SUPPLY PRINTED, LITHOGRAPHED OR STAMPED FORMS, BLANKS, PAMPHLETS AND STATIONERY, OFFICIAL WRITING PAPER AND ENVELOPES TO THE COURTS AND THE DEPARTMENT AND BUREAUS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1899.

TO PRINTERS AND LITHOGRAPHERS.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE City Government with Printed, Lithographed or Stamped Forms, Pamphlets and Stationery...

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1898. The said estimates will be publicly opened and read at a meeting of the Board of City Record...

Each person making an estimate shall include it in an envelope sealed with sealing-wax, addressed to Estimate for Furnishing Printed, Lithographed or Stamped Matter...

Each estimate shall state the name and place of residence of the person making it, if there are more than one such person, their names and residence must be given...

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by three copies in writing of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York...

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held at the office of this Commission for the following positions...

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS. Department of Highways, Comptroller's Office, No. 120 Nassau Street, New York, December 25, 1898.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLUDED IN A sealed envelope, with a title of the work and the name of the bidder...

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1898. The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department...

RECALL OF MANHATTAN. No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION...

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or several items each involving the expenditure of a like sum, in which case a contract or contracts will be made with the lowest bidder...

The printed or lithographed blanks, etc., must be folded, and be put up in packages by the contractor...

The contractor or contractors must complete the delivery of the blanks, etc., at the office of the City Record within one hundred and twenty days...

From the operations of this rule are excepted the calculation cards for the Department of Taxes, and other blanks...

As many of the printed forms would be made worthless by typographical errors, or by mistakes in the preparation of samples, proofs must be furnished...

Particular care must be taken that the names of the new incumbents at offices are put upon the blanks...

The delivery of the work must begin within five days from the execution of the contract...

For particulars as to the quantities and kinds of Printing and Lithographing, reference must be had to the samples and specifications on file in the office of the Comptroller...

By order of ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor; JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel; BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

Wm. A. Botler, Supervisor of the City Record.

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

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 177 of the Laws of 1898, entitled "An act providing for assessing and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings..."

DANIEL EDDY, JAMES M. VAHREN, WILLIAM E. STELLINGS, Commissioners.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE City of New York. Centre, Elm, Franklin and White Streets, New York, December 25, 1898.

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LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

Department of Highways, Comptroller's Office, No. 120 Nassau Street, New York, December 25, 1898.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1898 AT 11 o'clock a.m., the Department of Highways will sell at public auction...

Between First and Second avenues, on Plot 62, part of frame house.

Between Second and Third avenues, 25 feet front Second avenue, on Plot 83, part of frame shed.

Between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Plot 186, a number of lot-beds.

Between Sixth and Seventh avenues, on Plot 197, part of frame shed.

The sale will take place on the ground, beginning with the first item in this announcement...

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS. Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Department of Public Charities, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, New York, December 24, 1898.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, CROCKERY, GLASS, HARDWARE, ETC.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the above mentioned Supplies, in conformity with samples and specifications...

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF PRINCE STREET...

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF NINETEENTH STREET...

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON THE PRESENT PAVEMENT, THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TWENTY-FOURTH STREET...

No. 10. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND OTHERWISE PREPARING THE SITE, AND CONSTRUCTING THE FOUNDATION, DRAINAGE, WALKS, STEPS, ETC., FOR THE LORELEI FOUNDATION...

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same...

Each estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party making the same...

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the state or National banks...

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room No. 1721, No. 120 Nassau Street.

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS. COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NO. 120 NASSAU STREET, New York, December 25, 1898.

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the Central Office of this Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, until 12 o'clock noon.

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Line No. 3 pounds White Wax.

2000 1 pound Six-Cornered...

2001 1 gallon Liquid Wax...

2002 5 packages "H.C." Gypsum...

2003 20 pounds Mashed Potatoes...

2004 1 barrel Sugar of Milk...

2005 25 pounds Scotch Powder (No. 10)...

2006 1 box Oranges...

2007 5 dozen W. G. Fishers, 2 courts...

2008 2 dozen Yellow Alling Birds...

2009 6-24 dozen (No. 1) Fish-balls...

2010 1 dozen Caps and Buttons - Departmental Pattern...

2011 6-12 dozen 6-curtain China Bowls...

2012 6-12 dozen 4-curtain China Bowls...

2013 5 dozen Small W. G. Individual Vegetable Plates...

2014 1 dozen Dinner Plates - Eastern China...

2015 25 yards "A" Linen...

2016 1 dozen W. G. Dinner Plates...

2017 1 dozen W. G. Dinner Plates...

2018 1 gross White Wax - any kind, as per sample...

2019 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

2020 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

2021 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

2022 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

2023 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

2024 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

2025 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

2026 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

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2030 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

2031 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

2032 1 dozen White Hard Leather Knives, any sample...

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