

T O T H E

HONORABLE G E O R G E B. M C C L E L L A N,
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The Petition of the undersigned residents of those sections of the City of New York, known as SOUTH BROOKLYN, BAY RIDGE, FORT HAMILTON, DYKER HEIGHTS and adjoining territory respectfully shows:

THAT WHEREAS the City of New York recently acquired control of the Ferry Line known as the 39th Street Ferry, running from the foot of 39th Street, Brooklyn, to the Battery, Manhattan, a distance of about three (3) miles, and whereas the City purchased three (3) new screw propelled ferry boats known as the "GOWANUS", "NASSAU" and "BAY RIDGE", to be used upon said Line, but the same are being used continually on other Lines while the undersigned, patrons of the 39th Street Line, are compelled to ride in antiquated boats, particularly one known as the "NEW YORK", which is a single deck, side wheeler with insufficient seats to accommodate the passengers, who are compelled not only to stand up through the whole trip lasting over twenty minutes, but also to stand in dangerous proximity to the horses and vehicles.

WHEREFORE the undersigned respectfully request that your Honor take steps to remove the uncomfortable conditions now existing and replace upon the 39th Street Ferry Line, the said boats that were purchased expressly for this Line, to wit, "GOWANUS", "NASSAU" and "BAY RIDGE".

Dated New York, August 9th, 1909.

George Franklin

5502-3rd Av

George Widdius 1351 - 72 St.
 Brooklyn
 Charles S. Grant 222 - 88 St
 Brooklyn
 J. W. Hanson 546 - 46th St
 Brooklyn
 A. C. Mellon Marine & Full
 Alton Wick 462 - 47 St. Brooklyn
 Jonas Green 552 - 48 St Brooklyn
 Morris Green - - -
 Geo A Riley 252 - 54th St Brooklyn
 J. W. Burke 451 - 49 St -
 Ethel Simon 436 - 43 St. Brooklyn
 A. P. Keller 1018 - 79th St. Brooklyn
 H. Windels 7115 - 2 Ave. Brooklyn
 Samuel Roemer 340 - 47th St
 S. C. Melin 527 - 58th Street
 C. M. Melin " " "
 E. A. Gross 429 - 47th St.
 E. L. Van Huben 537 - 73rd St.
 L. H. Hellier 1018 73rd "
 A. Munn 245 - 21 St
 Albert Ohman 477 - 46 St
 Fred Buch 270 - 51st St.
 Edmund Mackenzie 4510 - 6th Avenue
 Axel F Johnson 461 - 42nd St
 J. K. Koch 1435 - 75th St
 W. C. Daniel 472 - 47 St Brooklyn
 George Martin 253 - 73rd Brooklyn

George Franklin 5502 - 3rd Av

J. H. Boyle 74 Bay 20th St
 Thos. M. Kelly 7330 - 83rd St.
 A. H. Nickerson 1232 - 43rd St
 Louis's Schum 436, 73rd St.
 Robert O. \$39 - 41 St
 George Campbell 11 1/2th Way
 R. Charlow 77th 340 Bay Ridge
 Louis F. Stein 458 - 52nd St
 J. McCleary 336 - 43rd St
 John Johnson 589 - 4th Ave
 D. J. Mahony 8649 Bay 21st St
 Ferdinand Clancy 646 - 44th St.
 George B. Brady 629 - 50th St
 Prof. Mikkelsen 622 - 47th St. Pl.
 Keenan P. Laughans 754 - 42nd St
 Jacques Fayson 449 - 58th St
 H. Swell 451 - 4th St
 John Argente 450 - 59th St
 Frank X. Heim 533 - 76th St
 Arthur J. Hughes 549 - 76th Street
 Edward Kramer 4810 - 6th Ave
 Patrick McLawan 615 - 58th St
 T. Halverson 564 - 47th St
 P. Fearon 329 - 55th St.
 August A. Yofrei 225 - 43rd St
 C. E. Dexton 229 Bay-Ridge Ave.

W. Sturges 227 Broadway, Bklyn
 Wm Handley 340-79th St Bay Ridge
 Robt. D. Gannon 676-54th St " "
 Stephen Baker 661-57th St " "
 F. C. Miller 246-70th St " "
 Charles Dickson 62nd St 9th Ave.
 W. Harper Jr. 1257-78th St " "
 Chas. A. Hammasthjen 228-39th St Bklyn
 Abel G. Lundin 5617-300th Bklyn
 O. E. Lundin 450 9th Ave Bklyn
 Charles M. MacBae 642 45th St " "
 Matrup Harting 554-49th St
 George Deane 332-40th St Bklyn
 Charles Devine 252 52nd St
 Albert Lincoln 269-07th St
 James W. Carpenter 75-52nd St
 Thomas Loon 81st + 23rd Ave
 E. W. Barlow 549-54th St
 Geo Koch 414-50th St Bklyn
 John Harper 6714 2nd Ave
 Jas. Mowbray 446-58th St
 A. W. Kensterson 627-47th St
 W. J. Cole 103 Leonard St Bklyn
 J. Conk 53-35th St
 Sylvanus Ward 1169-85th St Dyker Heights

W. Strohofer 327 Beverly Road = Bklyn
 Ad Briles 8572 - 18th Ave Parkhurst
 William Cook 437 - 73rd St Bklyn
 Thomas Churchill 2326 - 83rd St Bensonhurst
 William H. Dwyer 350 - 56th " "
 Chas Curtis 654 - 45th St Bklyn
 A. H. Golding 1915 86th St. "
 W. E. Carlton 4901 - 6 Ave "
 Chas. Lochner 457 66th St "
 C. Langpacht 461 Coney Island Ave.
 R. Gutsch 451 - 66th St "
 C. E. Gabell 567 - 73 St "
 F. J. Sturmann 428 - 53rd St
 A. Friedberg 35 Bay 32nd St
 J. J. Conway 6922 - Ave
 E. Kane 307 - 59th St
 W. Mansfield 1170 - 85 St
 R. S. Schiff 1015 - 86th St
 Aaron A. Dornbusch 462 - 56th St
 H. R. Fintley Bay 31st St - B.hurst
 John Allaire 2265 84th St Bensonhurst
 Harry Samuel 472 - 47th St
 Wm. Fury 74 - 54th St
 Richarda Dorn 540. 47. St
 John H. Flannery 263 - 83 - St
 Charles Gaspar 448 - 62nd St
 John S. Henry 434 - 48 St

Mr. [unclear], Bay 22. 16 Bath Beach

Thos. Goodwin 1346 - 40th St

Frank Evans 422 - 57th St.

Edw. A. Sears 414 - 54th St

Geo Murphy 232 - 42 St

Wm Murphy 232 - 42 St

Thos P Keely 670 - 47th St

Edw. P. Quack 613 - 53rd St

J. Cully 648 - 53rd St

L. M. Pratt 519 - 49th St.

W. S. Sargens 658 - 52nd St

Wm F. Fitch 417 - 37th St

Wm F. Roche 442 - 55th St

Alfred Birmingham 312 - 49th St

Maurice McGrath 519 - 49th St.

James Murphy 716 - 59th St

James O'Brien 320 - 39th St

Wm O'MacKinnon 346 Senator St

Fred Samson 418 - 47th St.

William Schmedt 433 - 47th St.

A. Sommer 147 - 57th St.

Frank Dutton 60 Bay 25th St

James P. Clement 2175 83rd St

Herbert Meyer 160 - 53rd St.

Wm W. Wolf 400 Senator St

Ray Wolfe 456 Senator St.

Thos. P. Dahl 539 - 51st St. Brooklyn

Chas. Holbrook 425 - 45th St. Brooklyn

Wm Grepper 669 - 45th St

Edward Byrne 463 72 St. Bay Ridge
 S. S. McCarthey 4416 - 5th Ave. " "
 George Hallen 418-49th St
 H. H. Hungerford 424-58 St
 August Jacobson 75th St 2nd Ave.
 J. E. Smap 84th St
 J. Milligan 550 - 60 St
 D. Payson 419 - 54th St
 R. H. Mackin 48th St
 J. Hanner 675 - 2nd Ave
 Wm J. McGowan 1064 - 85th St
 H. E. Stout 713 - 41st W
 Wm J. Guss 659 - 60th St
 John McDermott 5704 - 5 Ave
 Frank McBarthy 1160 41st St
 J. Kennedy 1342 - 72 St
 J. E. Stort 352 - 48th St
 Edward C. C. 444 - 51 St
 John Bullock 5318 Third Ave
 A. Moore 614 - 46 St
 J. Engelbrecht 716 - 51 St
 Edward O'Connell 265 - 53 St
 J. Cameron 640 Mad. Ave
 John Stokes 465 - 47th St. Bklyn
 W. S. Stokes 143 Liberty St. N.Y.
 Edw. A. Neill 997 - 3rd Ave
 Herman Meyer 565 40th St Brooklyn
 W. H. Parkinson 6804 2nd W Bklyn

Geo Gurgul	533 46 St	Brooklyn
Frank E. McLaughlin	7502 - 15 th Ave.	"
James E. Sheehan	353 - 42 nd St.	"
Samuel Walden	385 - 42 nd St.	"
Henry, Mich	3917 - 3 rd Ave	"
John & La Batm	56 th - 24 Ave	"
Thomas Chell	449 - 44 St.	"
D J Dougherty	562 - 45 th St.	"
Walter A Dowe	518 - 45 St.	"
Joseph Patrick Sexton	620 - 49 th Street	"
Chas. Mich	3917 - 3 rd Ave.	"
Geo. W. Killanhey	464 - 48 St.	"
E. Riley	426 - 45 St.	"
E. Kilmann	621 - 48 St.	"
Gas Heating	736 - 49 St.	"
George Cherry	5302 - 3 rd Ave.	"
John M. O'Leary	4201 - 3 rd Ave.	"
John Loftus	424 - 43 rd St.	"
Westerman	449 - 44 St.	"
Edward Ryan	3915 - 3 rd Ave.	"
Jeremiah Knefisk	449 - 42 nd St.	"
William J. Leavis	465 - 43 rd St.	"
James P. McManus	361 - 50 th St. Brooklyn	"
Joseph Dougherty	340 - 45 St.	"
Mrs. D. Outrey	2004 - 13 th Ave.oklyn	"
E. W. Smyth	81st St. 7th / Hammett Ave	"

John Gurgul	533 46 St	Brooklyn
Frank E. McLaughlin	7502 - 15 th Ave.	"
James E. Sheehan	353 - 42 nd St.	"
Samuel Waldo	385 - 42 nd St.	"
Henry, Mich	3917 - 3 rd Ave	"
John & La Batur	56 th St. 24 Ave	"
Thomas Chell	449 - 44 St.	"
D J Dougherty	562 - 45 th St.	"
Walter A Dowe	518 - 45 St.	"
Joseph Patuck	Septon 620 - 49 th Street	"
Chas. Mich	3917 - 3 rd Ave.	"
Geo. W. Killarney	464 - 48 St.	"
E. Riley	426 - 45 St.	"
E. Peterson	621 - 48 St	"
Gas Heating	786 - 49 St.	"
James Cherry	5302 - 3 rd Ave.	"
John McEnty	4201 - 3 rd Ave	"
John Loftis	424 - 43 rd St.	"
Presterman	449 - 44 St.	"
Edward Ryan	3915 - 3 rd Ave	"
Jeremiah Keyfisk	449 - 42 nd St.	"
William J. Leves	465 - 43 rd St.	"
James P. McManus	361 - 50 th St. Brooklyn	"
Joseph Dougherty	340 - 45 St.	"
Mrs. Dootney	2004 - 13 th Ave	Brooklyn
W. Smyth	81st St. 7th / Hamilton Ave	"

Otto Rothfeld 450 Ovington ave
 Geo. Jaskel 631 - 55 St.
 Henri Thompson 256 - 79 St
 August Stupper 457 - 48th St. B'ham.
 B O Sully 261 - 71 St
 John J. Enright 96th St near Shore Road
 Robert Muddle 116 Bay 28th St -
 Wm. J. B. Birch 1413 - 69 Street by way
 Philip Levin 1129 - 48 St B'ham
 Frank O Fitzpatrick 361 - 45 St
 Frank S. Dunning 725 - 58 St.
 Albert E. Baker 552 - 47th St.
 S. Cosulich 427 - 43rd St.
 E. Helges 465 - 62nd St.
 Charles W. Drey 1442 - 72nd St.
 Harold Armstrong 345, 78th Street.
 Ingrid Hellisen 537 73rd St.
 Charles Summers 263 - 51 St
 W. Peering 350 - 79th St.
 E. J. Prodnick 447, 45th St
 Fred W. Tripe 217 - 52nd St.
 Thomas F. Peering 329 - 47th St.
 Geo. D. Gerken 546 - 5th ave.
 C. H. Gausick 531 - 6th ave
 J. Watson 505 - 6th St.
 R. O. Kerr 1631 - 72 St
 Ullmann 29 Tompkins Pl
 W. J. Anderson 446 50th Street.

Wm Armstrong
John W. Dyer

Two S. Kennerly

Edgar A. Cook

Johnson

J. W. Behrenschild

At McLean

H21 - H2nd St. Brooklyn
250 - 45th St. Brooklyn

435 - 33

1167 - 75th St Brooklyn

525 - 45th St Brooklyn

4504 - 5th Ave Brooklyn

1145 - 4th St Brooklyn

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N. Radiz	465-14 St
H. S. Quinn	47 St Mark Ave
John P. Rafferty	242 Garden Place
A. M. Sares	453 7th Street
W. H. Stearns	98 Rapelye St.
J. H. Hedding	567 56 St
John H. Smith	658-48 St.
Miss A. Byrne	96 - Bay 13 th St Bklyn
C. W. Nelson	645 64th St Brooklyn
W. R. Dunn	317-54 Str "
Fredk. H. Oliver	5510 First Ave. "
Chris Jackson	14 Vandewater St
James Brown	556-45 St
Jo. Joyce	362-50 th St.
John J. Kelly	430-41 St.
Thomas J. Dougherty	340-45 th St
A. R. Staebbe	7217-3. Ave.
Peter Stafer	352-56 St
Geo Breiding	541-76 th St
H. O. Amundson	269-83 2nd Brooklyn
Frank Wagner	265-78 th St.
Franc Coffey	143-80 th St.
Skedmore	434-57 St.
Pop Hunt	714 Ave E
Nicolas H. Cronley	531-75 th St.
A. Bennett	8200-18th Ave So Bklyn
J. Kirkwood	557 57 th St.
George Franklin	5502-3 rd Av

Mikael Rody.	319, 40 - St B,
William Maher	239 52 nd St Bk
Leonard Henkel	274 55 th St
Harry R. Bedell	260 - 47 th Street
William Darroch	144 - 55 th Street
Phedore Arson	359 56 th St.
Harry Spunt	352 - 56 St.
John Gordon	6952 - 3 rd Ave
Michael H. Sedgley	332 5-4 St
Ego Edenholm	434 - 47 th St. B.
Charles Nelson	430 - 55 St
John J. Mott	150 - 86 - St
M. Lorenz	370 - 50 St
K. Sillerman	429 - 44 St. B. Ave
L. J. Cleary.	329 - Irvington Ave
Hugh McEwan	1457 57 th St
Faul W. Palmer	1137 - 41 st St
Joseph Kane	469 - 47 th St
Eugene S. Orson	207 Clarkson St.
John W. Cummins	110 Cleary St
Chas. H. McKeen	202 Bay St.
Geo. F. Booth	1109 Braham Ave
J. M. Kee	115 Windsor Place
Henry Best	337 - 80 St
Thomas Joyce	311 34 th St
Jos & Mary	1327 - 70 th St
J. Mahan	473 2 nd St
Frank Stollo	196 President St near Clinton
Helmut Sommer	471 - 41 st St

Hugh J. Donnelly 341 - 18th St. Bklyn
Leo R. Weber 4521 - 6th Ave.
E. J. O'Keefe 251 - 89th St Bklyn
C. J. O'Keefe 417 - 58th " "
W. J. O'Keefe 533 - 48th St "
F. W. Stahwe 7210 - 3rd Ave
Adolph Schaefer 961 - 42nd
E. J. Hansen 4013 - 3rd Ave
F. L. Woodward 415 - 73rd St.
A. R. Hanson 546 - 46th St
H. H. Hopkins 221 - 80th St
Wm Wood 514 - 51st St
Chas. Haacker 447 - 36th St.
Chas Loop 318 - 39th St
Thomas J. Carey 638 - 73rd St Bklyn
John Parrot #243 - 50th St
John J. Leahy 457 - 63rd Bklyn
But. Sullivan 8214 - 18th Ave
K. S. Campbell - 1257 - 75th Bklyn
J. J. Ryan 244 - 45th St Bklyn
A. J. O'Keefe 531 - 47th St
Peter J. O'Keefe 537 - 48th St
W. P. O'Keefe 1423 - 73rd St. Bklyn
Wm. B. Field 4711 - 6th Ave
George Risk 4819 - 3rd Ave
Wm. O'Keefe 4815 - 6th Ave
E. Selin. 1221. 40th St Brooklyn

June Sutton 126 Berkeley Place
Israel Sabbath 32 Willow Place
W. Weiss 38 East 5th St Bklyn
Sam Harris 441-53rd St Bklyn
L. Anderson 422 51 St Bklyn

J. J. Hill 454.58 St. Bklyn.

W. Cream, 148 - 78th St

August H. Ziegler 358 Senator St.

Henry Wiedner 77 Ave 464. Brooklyn

Rudolph Calinan 5818 - 8 ave Bklyn

Rudolph Gutman 124 Bay 35th St

A. P. Albert 4813 - 3 ave Bklyn

Mrs. Smith 83 Bay 13th Bklyn

Frank P. Wehler 248. 81. Street

C. Christensen 145 - 57 Street Bklyn

Albert Kovista 243 - 51st St.

Hennrik Remmers 234 - 73 St
15 Cranberry St.

J. W. Versey

Wm. J. Lom 446-55 St Brooklyn

W. J. Smith 709 Greenwood Ave

W. H. Wienhold 769 Vanderbilt Ave

E. Ross 1718 Third Avenue Bklyn

W. S. Raab 411 - 5th Street Brooklyn

Andrew G. Cooper 417 Park Place Brooklyn

Edward A. Plunkett #54 Aunity St Brooklyn

Name

address

Wm N. Baldwin	673 53 rd Street.
Spang.	243 - 45 th "
Thomas W. Webster	441 - 41 th "
William C. Fair	#353 - 52 nd St.
C. Pellegrino	no 213 79 th St
W. Hammond.	354 - 46 th St.
Chas Watson	430 77 ^{de} St.
Murray Baasah	220 - 70 th St.
S. S. Sanders	456 - 56 th St.
George Thompson	450 - 54 th St.
Charles Blumenthal	51 St 263
Chas Dahl	360. 57 st
Chas Dahl	
R. F. Hut	Pier #3 Bush to order.
J. Lyons	448. 42 St. Blayne
a. Amuller	721. 50 th St Forelign

C. F. Shaw
James D. Finley
Joseph F. Byrnes
J. Marshall

78 Broad Street
358 - 72nd St.
157 11th
400 - 3rd St

J. R. Seibert

#1247- 73rd St. Brooklyn

Jos. F. Moran
William A. Vogt

233 - 69th
384, E. 29th St. Detroit

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27
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U. Michael J. Grey 265 57th St

<u>Name.</u>	<u>Address</u>
Daniel Henkel	234 - 55 th St
James Coates	143. 57 th St.
R. Blauken	507. 3 rd Ave
C B Templman	332. 55 th St
G B Willon	53 24 th 3 rd Ave
Aug. Brockmeyer	342 - 54
William Brown	271 - 53 rd St
Augustus Leo Nahn	5421 - 3 rd Ave.
Patrick J Shea	233. 55 th St
Max Bartels	4824 - 4 Ave.
John Marrison	428 - 62 nd St.
C P Braisted	3914 - Fourth Ave
Lester Jantz	263 - 55 th St
J J Olsan	263 - 55 th St
Fredrick Peterson	416 - 60 th St
Wm Stevens	5322. 3 rd Av
Chas J Gardeline	263 - 54
George B Bradshaw	5506 - 3 rd Ave. B.P.S.
H. M. Helstead	5506 - 3 rd Ave
John H O'Brien	5510 - 3 rd Ave
John O Connor	358 - 56 th St -
Michael Heuley	265 57 th St

A. D. Little 5701 - 3rd Ave

A. Werner 5517 3. Ave

George Nieß 5517 3. Ave

John F. Gummy 234 57th St

Harry A. Smith 220 - 55th St.

P. J. Nelsen 5409 x 3 Ave

A. Nelsen 5409, 3 Ave

John J. Hooley 250 - 56th St.

Gg. W. Foersch 828 - 49 St.

J. E. Harlow 5322 3rd Ave

Harry Kessler 331 - 56th St

C. Hoch 429 62 St

John Eber 550 5. 3rd Ave

James A. Fright 288 - 56 St.

Ph. Koch 234 - 56 St

Alfred Bernhardt

2306 56th St.

George Gibme 234 54th Street.

A. G. Baumann 318 - 55th St.

Barndt Schoonover 5312 - 3rd Avenue.

Theo. Bartels 5505 - 3rd Ave.

William Stahl 241 55 St

Clorus Nelsen 227 54 St

Otto Kistenmacher 5403. 3rd Ave.

~~Mr~~ Erik - 272-55th St.
480 J.W. Lanback - 164 - 55th St.
Henry Doyle 5711 4th Ave
James Peter 5604 7th Ave
T.L.N. Rennie 257 - 52 St
Alfred Kemmenway 624 - 53 St
Alex Haetsie 337 - 56 St

David A. Thomson
5321 - 4th Ave

Matthew Wright 252. 56th St.

M.R. Engel. 416 - 60. St.

George Sohn 252 - 53 St.

W. Gold - 256 - 54 St

Chas. Graham 335. 57 St

Ludwig. Kunz. 5415. 3 Ave.

Harry Martens 257 - 56 Street

Berly J. Sullivan 204 - 55th St

Chas Weismuller 341 - 54 St

Car Bartels 452 - 54 St

Thos W. Ahm 236 - 55

Samuel. Hooton 443. - 54

Eliaz Bernstei 5422 - 3rd Ave.

Ernst Fischer 248 - 57 St

J.H.J. Bahnd 350 - 54 St

<u>Name</u>	<u>address</u>
Geo. J. Ellis & B. Vane	1556-74 th St. Bklyn Four 4 th St
J. H. Hovest	344. Second St. Bklyn
Em. Anderson	88 5 th Ave
J. J. Howells	250-56 th Street
W. A. Eschen	242 East 9 th St
Edwards	179 Congress St.
T. J. Hickey	Queens Ls.
George Lyren	513. 46. St. Bklyn N.Y.
Frank Fitzginnons	220-49 th St. B
James Lynch	513-46 th St.
Chas Lynch	513-46 th St.
A. Kehlisen	366-47 th St
W. J. Corbin	7 th Ave.
Jas. A. Kelly	5920-4 th Ave.
H. P. Roberts	221 W 106 St
John C. Brink	584 Decatur St
L. E. Burke	near Patchen Av
Bernard O'Hagan	426 W Houston St
Geo. Johnson	247-51 st Bklyn
J. Cannon	121 Coffey St. Bklyn
Leonard Hall	4404-3 rd Av. Bklyn
Philip Hoey	238-42 nd St "
W. J. O'Connor	183-7 th Av. Bklyn
E. Michole	116 Broad St. N.Y.

Chas W Smith :

448 Graham Roberts 352 57 1/2

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Petition re. to the
39 St Ferry