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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, April 30, 1907, 11 o'clock a. m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. Patrick F. McGowan, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

Elias Goodman, Vice-Chairman;	Clarence R. Freeman,	William E. Morris,
Charles Ahner,	Herman S. Fried,	Thomas J. Mulligan,
Jacob Bartscherer,	Max S. Grifenhagen,	Arthur H. Murphy,
B. W. B. Brown,	John D. Gunther,	Cornelius D. Noonan,
James E. Bunting,	John J. Haggerty,	George W. Olvany,
John J. Callahan,	Charles Hahn,	Francis J. O'Neill,
Michael J. Carter,	John J. Hahn,	Henry Clay Peters,
William S. Clifford,	John Hann,	Lewis M. Potter,
Charles P. Cole,	Philip Harnischfeger,	John J. Reardon,
John J. Collins,	Patrick J. Hatton,	James W. Redmond,
John J. Cronin,	Casper Herold,	David S. Rendt,
John R. Davies,	Patrick Higgins,	Frederick Richter,
John Diemer,	Patrick S. Keely,	William Rowcroft,
Thomas D. Dinwoodie,	William P. Kenneally,	Joseph Schloss,
Frank J. Dotzler,	Ardolph L. Kline,	George J. Schneider,
Reginald S. Doull,	Joseph Krulish,	James J. Smith,
Frank L. Dowling,	Charles L. Kuck,	Michael Stapleton,
Robert F. Downing,	Charles Kuntze,	Frank D. Sturges,
Andrew J. Doyle,	James Lawlor,	Timothy P. Sullivan,
Joseph F. Ellery,	Max S. Levine,	Joseph M. Torpey,
George Everson,	Frederick Linde,	Moses J. Wafer,
Joseph Falk,	George Markert,	William Wentz,
John J. Farrell,	Thomas J. Moffitt,	Richard Wright.
	Michael J. Monahan,	

George Cromwell, President Borough of Richmond, and by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works.

Joseph Bermel, President Borough of Queens.

Louis F. Haffen, President Borough of The Bronx.

Bird S. Coler, President Borough of Brooklyn.

John F. Ahearn, President Borough of Manhattan.

The President announced that Alderman Rowcroft had been excused from attendance.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of April 23, 1907.

On motion of Alderman Wentz further reading was dispensed with, and the minutes were approved as printed.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

No. 1882.

City of New York—Office of the Mayor, }
April 29, 1907. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—I return herewith, with my disapproval, an ordinance passed by your Honorable Board April 17, 1907, entitled: "Resolution permitting Geo. Krauss to erect a barber pole."

The passage of a resolution of this character is clearly forbidden by section 50 of the Charter.

Respectfully,

GEO. B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Krauss to place and keep a barber pole in front of Nos. 5 and 7 Rutgers street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 1932.

April 20, 1907.

Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Gentlemen—I herewith report that at the annual meeting held Tuesday, April 2, 1907, of Clarenceville Hook and Ladder Company 2, Richmond Hill Fire Department, Volunteer Service, City of New York, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Foreman, Thomas Dow.

Secretary, George B. Vanderveer.

First Assistant, Louis Kinstel.

Financial Secretary, James Naughton.

Second Assistant, Nelson Filibrowne.

Treasurer, John J. Lake.

Wardens—E. V. Greene, Chas. Rampmeir.

Respectfully,

GEO. B. VANDERVEER, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1933.

American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, }
Madison Avenue and Twenty-sixth Street, }
New York, April 26, 1907. }

Hon P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, City Hall, New York:

Dear Sir—We have been authorized by Dr. Huntington, rector of Grace Church, to erect a handsome drinking fountain for man and beast on the curb opposite the dividing line between Nos. 100 and 102 Fourth avenue, both of which plots are the property of the corporation of Grace Church. Will you therefore please have the following resolution introduced at the next meeting of the Board of Aldermen:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect and place a public drinking fountain for man and beast at the curb opposite the dividing line between Nos. 100 and 102 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, the said fountain to be paid for by the said American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and to be of a pattern and design approved by the Art Commission of The City of New York; the said drinking fountain to be erected under the supervision of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and the water therefor shall be supplied by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, without expense to the said society.

Yours very truly,

ALFRED WAGSTAFF, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 1934.

Edward A. McShane, Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law, }
No. 23 New Bowery, }
New York City, April 26, 1907. }

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President of Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Honorable Sir—The East Side Pure Milk League of this City most respectfully solicits your aid in its work in behalf of the infants and mothers who will within the next few weeks spend the most of their time in the public parks of this City.

It is the aim of this League to place within the reach of the mothers and infants pure and wholesome milk at a nominal cost.

Mr. Nathan Straus, who for many years has carried on the work of distributing among the poor of this City pasteurized milk, which is the only milk which can be said to be pure and wholesome, has promised us that if The City of New York will erect pavilions or booths which are known as "Straus milk depots" in the public parks, he will furnish the milk and defray the expenses of conducting the same.

Park Commissioners Moses Herrman, Kennedy and Berry assured the committee that at present the Park Department has no fund from which the necessary money for the construction of these booths can be taken.

The Board at its regular meeting held Thursday of this week adopted resolutions favoring the plan submitted by this committee. The Board further promised its aid in this work.

The summer is near at hand.

The hot summer months have always been the dread of the mothers of infants. Impure milk reaps its harvest during these months, and thousands of infants are laid in the grave, victims to the greed of the milk trust.

The City can prevent this, or at least lessen the infant mortality. The secret of this is but to make pure and wholesome the milk supply. Place within the reach of the mothers pasteurized milk, which means milk from which germ life has been made extinct. To impure and uncertified raw milk can be attributed the horrifying spread of the "white plague," or consumption.

Dr. Thomas Darlington, the Health Commissioner, and his predecessors, have from time to time called the attention of the public to the value of the work done by Mr. Straus.

In a pamphlet issued by the Health Department, it is claimed that the infant mortality has been greatly reduced as the result of the liberal distribution of pasteurized milk.

We most respectfully submit that establishment of proper milk depots where this milk can be distributed in the City parks would be a step in the right direction. It would place within the reach of every mother wholesome food for her infants.

When the mother takes the babe to the park for the afternoon, she is required to carry with her, under present conditions, a supply of milk. It will be observed that it is impossible for her to keep that milk, which is the babe's sole food, at a proper temperature.

The milk is fed the child and disease follows. This condition would be avoided and human life saved if properly modified and pasteurized milk at a healthful temperature were within the reach of that mother, as is the case at the Straus milk depots.

Alderman Michael Stapleton, of the Second Assembly District, has agreed to father the ordinance, in which we ask that the Park Commissioner be awarded \$8,000 raised by Revenue Bonds, the same to be used for the erection of temporary structures to carry on the work for the coming summer.

Again, sir, we most respectfully solicit your aid in having this ordinance adopted and the money granted.

Yours very respectfully,
EDWARD A. McSHANE,
Counsel to the East Side Pure Milk League.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses:

No. 1935.
Mayor's Office—Bureau of Licenses, City Hall, }
New York, April 26, 1907. }

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Dear Sirs—In accordance with resolution adopted by your Honorable Board on April 16, I have the honor to transmit herewith a list of the common shows licensed by this Bureau.

Respectfully,
JOHN P. CORRIGAN, Chief, Bureau of Licenses.

Licensed Common Shows in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

- G. W. Allen, No. 257 Bowery, April 4, 1906.
Mercer H. Allen, No. 19 Bowery, May 3, 1906.
Automatic Vaudeville Company, No. 48 East Fourteenth street, March 22, 1906.
Automatic Vaudeville Company, No. 116 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, July 21, 1906.
Petrucio Achille, No. 24 Spring street, November 25, 1906.
Aaron Baum, No. 66 Cannon street, May 31, 1906.
Louis Botta, Ft. George, May 13, 1906.
Wm. G. Baker, 200 feet north One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street on Boston road, July 31, 1906.
Samuel Bernstein, One Hundred and Ninety-first street and Amsterdam avenue, June 1, 1906.
Wm. L. Benson, No. 219 Bowery, September 24, 1906.
Giuseppe Bonelli, No. 2235 Second avenue, February 1, 1907.
Brill & Fox, No. 1498 Third avenue, February 5, 1907.
Geo. W. Bird, No. 631 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, February 6, 1907.
Geo. Collier, Ft. George, May 27, 1906.
Sylvester Carfolite, 100 feet north of One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street and Ft. George, April 20, 1906.
David Carfolite, One Hundred and Ninety-fifth street, Ft. George, July 3, 1906.
Geo. Collier, Ft. George, June 24, 1906.
Roger Di Pasca, No. 157 Bleecker street, June 15, 1906.
Fred Dolle, Classon Point, June 6, 1906.
De Graff & Mosier, No. 169 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, April 19, 1906.
Joe Doerner, No. 209 Bowery, August 27, 1906.
Jos. M. De Vere, No. 1989 Third avenue, December 24, 1906.
Adolph Dellmar, No. 1503 First avenue, January 21, 1907.
Pietro Di Matteo, No. 270 Third avenue, December 13, 1906.
Joseph Delaney, No. 57 Spring street, January 31, 1907.
Morris Epstein, No. 74 Columbia street, January 19, 1907.
Electric Amusement Company, No. 1498 Third avenue, September 1, 1906.
John M. Felts, No. 37 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, February 24, 1906.
J. M. Fanning, No. 348 Third avenue, February 4, 1907.
Glean Bros., No. 1643 Second avenue, June 15, 1906.
J. E. Gardner, east side Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Ninety-first street, May 19, 1906.
A. Goodman, No. 265 Broadway, July 25, 1906.
Adolph Gutman, No. 163 Bowery, September 7, 1906.
Milton Hirschfeld, No. 142 East Fourteenth street, January 21, 1907.
Milton Hirschfeld, No. 1259 Broadway, January 21, 1907.
William Howell, Second street, Westchester, August 3, 1906.
N. Hirsch, No. 1997 Third avenue, January 26, 1907.
Morris Jaffe, No. 1503 Third avenue, December 22, 1906.
Charles A. Johnson, Harlem River Park, July 20, 1906.
Edward Koster, No. 174 Bowery, April 17, 1906.
Jos. A. Kennedy, No. 10 Doyer street, April 12, 1906.
Frank Kolb, Sulzer's Park, Westchester, July 31, 1906.
Samuel Kurtin, No. 755 Tenth avenue, January 9, 1907.
Charles Leroy, No. 19 Bowery, July 6, 1906.
D. W. Lippincott, No. 1367 Broadway, March 26, 1906.
Bertren Levyn, No. 114 West Sixty-fifth street, March 21, 1906.
Henry Lutz, No. 3106 Third avenue, September 20, 1906.
Christian L. Keogh, No. 348 Third avenue, December 13, 1906.
Sydney S. Landon, No. 103 Avenue B, January 11, 1907.
Lane & Valensi, Nos. 291 and 293 Bowery, February 16, 1906.
Nicola Larcasio, No. 418 East Eleventh street, February 13, 1907.
Lane & Valensi, No. 21 Bowery, February 10, 1907.
Lane & Valensi, No. 197 Bowery, February 16, 1907.
Lane & Valensi, No. 527 Sixth avenue, February 18, 1907.
Mercer & Co., No. 103 Bowery, June 9, 1906.
Mercer & Gleason, No. 106 Park row, May 31, 1906.
Manjiro Watanabe, Fort George, April 20, 1906.
Jacob Markowitz, No. 692 Tenth avenue, north side of Amsterdam, June 4, 1906.
F. McCutcheon, Southern Boulevard, near Pelham avenue, May 26, 1906.
Giego Manesi, One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street and Amsterdam avenue, May 12, 1906.
Harry Margolis, Fort George, April 20, 1906.
F. McCutcheon, No. 1957 Third avenue, March 20, 1906.
Peter Marquardt, No. 1393 Third avenue, February 10, 1906.
A. Miller & S. Rothaus, No. 163 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, January 8, 1907.
Joseph McAree, No. 1042 Amsterdam avenue, January 19, 1907.
James Delaney, No. 57 Spring street, January 31, 1907.
McCann & Weissman, No. 555 Eighth avenue, February 16, 1907.
James O'Neill, One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, Fort George, June 5, 1906.
Benny Opplaiser, No. 88 Lewis street, May 26, 1906.
Old Mill Amusement Company, One Hundred and Ninety-first street and Amsterdam avenue, May 11, 1906.
Frank Nicoletti & Goldstein, No. 974 Third avenue, January 21, 1907.
Jans J. Paulson, foot of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, June 30, 1906.
Paradise Park (Joseph Schenck), Fort George, May 26, 1906.
Joe Previti, No. 147 Mulberry street, May 22, 1906.
People's Vaudeville Company (Max Loew, President), old Star Hotel, Fort George, May 12, 1906.
People's Vaudeville Company (Max Loew, President), No. 160 West Twenty-third street, April 7, 1906.
People's Vaudeville Company (Max Loew, President), No. 2172 Third avenue, April 5, 1906.
People's Vaudeville Company (Max Loew, President), No. 172 West Twenty-third street, January 11, 1907.
Antonio Parisi, No. 258 Elizabeth street, June 5, 1906.
Joe Prince, No. 174 Bowery, July 3, 1906.
People's Vaudeville Company, No. 2781 Third avenue, February 18, 1907.
Louis Rosenbluh, No. 68 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, December 19, 1906.
James V. Ringi, No. 189 Park row, April 18, 1906.
Christopher Raufft, Fort George, between One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street and One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street, June 12, 1906.
Reed & Burroughs, One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street and Amsterdam avenue, May 26, 1906.
Harry Samwick, No. 52 Stanton street, January 23, 1907.
Sol. Steinberg, No. 89 First avenue, January 21, 1907.
Abraham Schwartz, No. 11 Market street, January 8, 1907.
Nicola Seraphine, No. 1673 Avenue A, September 12, 1906.
Aaron Schulman, No. 61 Bowery, March 6, 1906.
William Shay, One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street and Amsterdam avenue, June 12, 1906.
Tom Sang, One Hundred and Ninety-fifth street and Amsterdam avenue, May 26, 1906.
Slade & Sylvester, One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street and Fort George, June 2, 1906.
Morris Schwartz, No. 147 Avenue C, April 12, 1906.
Nicolas Sylvester, Fort George, between One Hundred and Seventy-eighth and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth streets, April 19, 1906.
William Shea, Fort George, between One Hundred and Ninety-fourth and One Hundred and Ninety-fifth streets, April 19, 1906.
William Shea, One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and Amsterdam avenue, April 19, 1907.
Frank E. Samuels, No. 122 East Fourteenth street, February 24, 1906.
James Smitzes, No. 11 Madison street, March 6, 1906.
Nicholas M. Schenck, Fort George, July 11, 1906.
Salvator Siniscalchi, west side of Amsterdam avenue, near One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street, June 11, 1906.
Abe Sturman Company, No. 273 Bowery, August 16, 1906.
Max Schimkowitz, No. 8 Bowery, September 13, 1906.
G. N. Stafford, No. 477 Third avenue, December 24, 1906.
Emile Stern, No. 157 Bleecker street, January 8, 1907.
One Cent Amusement Company, No. 314 Bowery, November 1, 1906.
Morris Taxier, No. 187 Bowery, June 5, 1906.
James Thorn, Jr., No. 2512 Amsterdam avenue, July 3, 1906.
James Thorn, Jr., No. 2512 Amsterdam avenue, east side of Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Ninetieth and One Hundred and Ninety-first streets, June 14, 1906.
James Thirn, One Hundred and Ninety-third street and Amsterdam avenue, June 22, 1906.
Charles Thompson, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Eighth avenue, June 29, 1906.
Frank Toman, No. 1095 First avenue, December 26, 1906.
Jacob Valensi, No. 407 Sixth avenue, May 9, 1906.
J. Valensi & Co., No. 122 Park row, July 3, 1906.
Unique Vaudeville Company, No. 264 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, July 30, 1906.
Unique Vaudeville Company, No. 263 Grand street, September 16, 1906.
J. Valensi & Co., Nos. 110 and 112 Third avenue, December 14, 1906.
J. Valensi & Co., No. 143 Park row, February 17, 1907.
Warren & Sweeney, No. 77 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, February 18, 1907.
James Wilson, One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street, Fort George, April 21, 1906.
Alex. Wagner, No. 293 Bowery, September 24, 1906.
Charles Zirpoli, No. 84 Bowery, February 8, 1906.
John Zero, Audubon avenue, Fort George, March 26, 1906.
Tomi Yanesa, Fort George, June 13, 1906.
Allen, Warren & Sweeney, No. 257 Bowery, March 5, 1907.
Thomas Cassese, No. 147 Mulberry street, April 16, 1907.
Leonardo Calderone, No. 331 Bowery, March 29, 1907.
Joseph Deezs, No. 64 East Fourth street, March 14, 1907.
Lawrence Fitzsimmons, east side of Amsterdam avenue, 25 feet south of One Hundred and Ninety-second street, March 26, 1907.
Michael Glynn, No. 977 Third avenue, March 26, 1907.
George Gragiado, No. 2124 Second avenue, April 12, 1907.
Victor Hohnstrom, No. 996 Westchester avenue, March 8, 1907.
King Vaudeville Company, No. 1485 Madison avenue, April 5, 1907.
Arthur S. Kottner, No. 1351 Boston road, April 9, 1907.
James Lavin, No. 1334 Third avenue, April 5, 1907.
Mercer & Co., No. 1984 Second avenue, March 2, 1907.
Allen Measom, No. 210 Eighth avenue, March 7, 1907.
International Vaudeville Company, No. 114 West Sixty-fifth street, March 1, 1907.
Christopher J. Sherry, No. 3 Bronx arcade, March 6, 1907.
Nicola Seraphine, No. 2197 Third avenue, March 8, 1907.
Isidor Smalls, No. 780 East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, March 11, 1907.
Joseph Wertenheimer, No. 2656 Third avenue, March 30, 1907.
Licensed Common Shows in the Borough of Brooklyn.
F. H. Apsey, Bowery, near Henderson's walk, May 18, 1906.
American Historical Tableaux Company, Surf avenue and Kensington walk, June 7, 1906.
Atlantic Amusement Company, Steeplechase Park, July 11, 1906.
Jacob Autenreith, Ocean parkway and Fort Hamilton avenue, December 3, 1906.
Philip Abrams, No. 866 Broadway and No. 762 Broadway, January 12, 1907.
Mrs. Bessie Burke, West Seventeenth street and Tilyou's walk, April 28, 1906.
Morris Blank, Bowery, near Schweikert walk, May 24, 1906.
Bergen Beach Company (4), Bergen Beach, June 5, 1906.
The Frank Bostock Wild Animal and Improvement Company, Dreamland, Coney Island, May 22, 1906.
Hoynes & Brower, No. 1546 Broadway, September 18, 1906.
Baldwin Auto. Machine Company, No. 895 Broadway, November 17, 1906.
William Brinkman, No. 525 Grand street, November 22, 1906.
Brill & Fox, No. 1155 Broadway, November 27, 1906.
Brill & Fox, No. 889 Broadway, November 27, 1906.
Bogdanoff Brothers, No. 177 Pitkin avenue, October 29, 1906.
Bernard Bring, No. 249 Wyckoff avenue, March 28, 1907.
S. Chas. Carmonte, No. 301 Flushing avenue, February 7, 1906.
Peter Caohapes & Co., Surf avenue and West End, April 11, 1906.
Antonio Cassel, Ocean avenue, near Henderson's walk, April 25, 1906.
Centrifugal Roller Coaster Company, Surf avenue and West Tenth street, June 7, 1906.
Antonio Cassel, Bowery and Henderson's walk, June 18, 1906.
Cannon Coaster Company, Henderson's walk, near beach, June 26, 1906.
J. W. Clyde, Bowery and Kensington walk, August 23, 1906.
Charles Clark, Tilyou's walk, between Bowery and beach, April 18, 1906.
James Costello, No. 168 Myrtle avenue, September 27, 1906.
Jos. Creamer, No. 103 Third avenue and No. 631 Grand street, November 22, 1906.
Jos. Cattanzaro, No. 101 Union street, January 9, 1907.
Louis Cohen, No. 1759 Pitkin avenue, March 5, 1907.
Ignazio Caldesi, No. 159 Hamburg avenue, March 20, 1907.
Jas. P. Cavanagh, Ocean avenue, between Sweikert and Bruman walk, April 1, 1907.
Cohen & Robonowitz, Rockaway avenue, Canarsie, April 8, 1907.
John W. Dowling, New Iron Pier walk, 50 feet from Surf avenue, June 18, 1906.
The Dreamland Company (17), Dreamland, Coney Island, June 26, 1906.
Jos. M. Devere, No. 35 East Eightieth street, Manhattan, and No. 243 Washington street, February 9, 1907.
European Bird Company, Post Office Building, Surf avenue, June 21, 1906.
Koonapouly Brothers, Henderson's walk and Bowery, May 18, 1906.
David Ernst, No. 337 Osborn street and Rockaway avenue, Canarsie, July 28, 1906.
D. F. Fritz, Henderson's walk, 115 feet south of Bowery.
R. P. Fallon, Surf avenue and Twelfth street, April 26, 1906.
Meyer Krieger, No. 262 Dumont avenue, May 10, 1906.
Frank Farrell, Surf avenue, Old Post Office Building, May 29, 1906.
Julius Fohs (2), Kensington walk, near Ocean avenue, June 2, 1906.
S. Funo, Ocean avenue, near Thompson's walk, June 20, 1906.
Fairley & Evans, Kensington walk and Surf avenue, July 5, 1906.
Feltman Brothers, Surf avenue and West Tenth street, July 23, 1906.
Louis Friedberg, No. 265 Ellery street and No. 1812 Pitkin avenue, September 19, 1906.
C. E. Faust, No. 682 Humboldt street and No. 778 Manhattan avenue, February 18, 1907.

Raffaele Guigliano, No. 15 Withers street, March 14, 1906.
 Morris Goldberg, Bowery and Kensington walk, southwest corner, March 27, 1906.
 Greenway & Buckley, Tilyou's walk, April 28, 1906.
 Peter Goetz, Henderson's walk, between Bowery and Ocean avenue, May 7, 1906.
 J. G. & H. J. Gillingham, Ocean avenue, near Kensington walk, May 10, 1906.
 Leo Gordon, Sea Beach Palace, West Third street, Coney Island, April 14, 1906.
 Wm. Gillespie, Tilyou's walk and Bowery, May 29, 1906.
 Louis Gordon, Newman's block, north side of Surf avenue, 40 feet east of Twelfth street, June 2, 1906.
 Richard Gardner, No. 350 West Fiftieth street, Manhattan, and Bowery, between Henderson's walk and Stratton's, July 20, 1906.
 Gale & Hoag, No. 571 Fulton street, November 27, 1906.
 Sared Goryeb, west side of Tilyou's walk, on corner running to beach, March 6, 1906.
 Max Greenberg, No. 1800 Pitkin avenue, December 31, 1906.
 Louis Gordon, Surf avenue and Jones's walk, March 28, 1906.
 Geo. W. Hovell, No. 128 Eckford street and McKibbin and White streets, April 25, 1906.
 Salem J. Haddad, West Twelfth street, near Bowery, July 17, 1906.
 Hambright & Powell, Tilyou's walk, 300 feet south of Bowery, April 5, 1906.
 Ike Hollenden, Bowery and Thompson's walk, April 18, 1906.
 Mayer Hoen, Henderson's walk, between Ocean avenue and beach, May 15, 1906.
 Tim Hurst, Surf avenue and West Eighth street, May 31, 1906.
 James P. Hayes, No. 343 Seventeenth street, June 16, 1906.
 S. Harris, Dreamland, Bowery, June 21, 1906.
 Tsutajiro Hayakawa, No. 164 Sands street and Bowery and Bushman's walk, June 26, 1906.
 J. D. Hopkins and Oscar F. Mhrstadt, Dreamland Park, June 28, 1906.
 O. Hendrickson, Brighton Beach, June 30, 1906.
 Jos. A. Hauck, Jr., Emmons, near Ocean avenue, July 20, 1906.
 Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President, Borough of The Bronx:

No. 1936.
 Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx,
 Municipal Building, Crotona Park,
 New York, April 24, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan, New York City:

Dear Sir—I respectfully request that the Board of Aldermen authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds in the sum of \$6,500 for the purpose of purchasing two steam rollers, by contract or public letting, for use in the Borough of The Bronx.

It is a matter of very great urgency, and I would respectfully ask that this matter be placed on the calendar for the next meeting of the Board of Aldermen.

I beg to call your attention to the fact that on July 7, 1906, I made a similar request, but up to the present time no affirmative action has been taken on the application.

Yours truly,
 LOUIS F. HAFFEN,
 President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President, Borough of Queens:

No. 1937.
 The City of New York,
 Office of the President of the Borough of Queens,
 Long Island City, April 27, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen, New York:

Dear Sir—Considerable delay is occasioned on account of the inability of this department, by reason of insufficient appropriation, to furnish all of the maps requested by the Corporation Counsel in the various condemnation proceedings pending in that office.

An application was made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under date of January 5, 1907, for an issue of Revenue Bonds in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars for this purpose, but the application was not allowed for the reason, as I understand, that the Board of Aldermen had no authority to authorize a bond issue for this purpose.

For this reason section 47 of the Charter was amended by the Legislature, at the instance of the Corporation Counsel, by adding thereto the words "for making and completing of surveys, maps and profiles in condemnation proceedings." (Copy of section enclosed herewith).

The Corporation Counsel has made request under chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, for maps in a number of street opening proceedings and there are a number of others pending; in order to comply with the provisions of the law, application is hereby made for an issue of Revenue Bonds in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars for the purpose of completing the making of the maps, plans and profiles required by the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department.

Resolution for the consideration of the Board of Aldermen enclosed herewith.

Respectfully,
 JOSEPH BERMEI,
 President of the Borough of Queens.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of the issue of Revenue Bonds in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), for the purpose of completing the making of the maps, plans and profiles required in condemnation proceedings by the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, in accordance with section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting ordinances:

No. 1938.
 Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
 Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
 April 27, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, authorizing an issue of \$1,100,000 Corporate Stock to provide means for the purchase of the property and franchises of the Staten Island Water Supply Company, together with copies of communication from the City Clerk and report of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen relative thereto.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
 JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

The City of New York,
 Office of the City Clerk, City Hall,
 New York, April 18, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Dear Sir—I hereby respectfully return to you an ordinance providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of \$1,100,000, to provide means for the purchase of property and franchises of the Staten Island Water Supply Company. This ordinance was, in accordance with section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, rejected by the Board of Aldermen at its meeting on Tuesday, April 16, 1907. Inclosed find printed copy of the proceedings covering the same.

Yours respectfully,
 P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one million one hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000), to provide means for the purchase of the property and franchises of the Staten Island Water Supply Company.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
 Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby assents to and approves of the acquisition, by purchase, by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, with the assent of the Mayor and Comptroller, for and in behalf of and in the name of The City of New York, of the property, franchises and business of the Staten Island Water Supply Company, lying, located or conducted within the boundaries of The City of New York as at present constituted, and all rights, title and interests in and to the same of every nature whatsoever, and hereby authorizes the said Commissioner, in behalf of and in the name of The City of New York, to enter into a contract for such purchase with the Staten Island Water Supply Company in form approved by the Corporation Counsel; and

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of one million one hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000), to provide means for the purchase of the property and franchises of the Staten Island Water Supply Company, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized 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 million one hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1939.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
 Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
 April 27, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$1,600,000, for the purpose of providing means for completing the construction of the bridge across the Harlem river at Madison avenue, and the approaches thereto, together with copy of a communication from the Commissioner of Bridges and copy of report of the Comptroller relative thereto.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Yours very truly,
 JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Bridges, City of New York,
 Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row,
 New York, April 22, 1907.

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

Gentlemen—On July 29, 1903, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved the plans for a bridge across the Harlem river, known as the proposed new Madison Avenue Bridge, and authorized the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding \$150,000 to provide means for the construction of the said bridge.

The estimate of total cost of construction of the bridge as submitted at that time was \$1,720,000, and the \$150,000 authorized was to cover the cost of construction of a temporary bridge and the lease of lands required for this temporary bridge. The contract for the construction of the temporary bridge was executed June 28, 1906, at a price of \$66,399, and it is expected to open this temporary bridge to traffic this spring and as soon as possible advertise a contract for the construction of the new permanent bridge. A revised estimate of the cost of the construction of the new bridge, including the removal of the present structure and the temporary bridge, amounts to \$1,600,000.

I therefore respectfully request your honorable Board to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding \$1,600,000 for the purpose of completing the construction of the proposed new Madison Avenue Bridge across the Harlem river.

Respectfully,
 J. W. STEVENSON, Commissioner of Bridges.

April 25, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—Hon. James W. Stevenson, Commissioner, Department of Bridges, in communication under date of April 22, 1907, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$1,600,000 for the purpose of completing the structure of the proposed new Madison Avenue Bridge across the Harlem river.

Upon the application of the Bridge Commissioner under date of July 6, 1903, for \$150,000 to begin the work, Mr. McLean, under date of July 25, reported:

"That the present Madison Avenue Bridge, with its draw of about 37 feet in width (roadway 21 feet 4 inches, two sidewalks, 5 feet each, and two outside chords, 2½ feet each), was erected about twenty years ago in economical time (opened for traffic in November, 1884), and is inadequate for the present traffic. The two trolley tracks take up the entire roadway, making it practically a railroad bridge. Wagons crossing the bridge either have to follow a trolley car or the cars follow a slow moving vehicle; any delay or break down of a car or wagon on the draw makes an entire stoppage of traffic on the bridge. * * * I am heartily in favor of a new bridge to take the place of the present small bridge across the Harlem river at Madison avenue."

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting of July 29, 1903, having committed itself to a new bridge across the Harlem river at Madison avenue, the temporary bridge being practically completed and expected to be opened for traffic within a week or ten days, and I am informed by the Engineers of the Bridge Department that plans and specifications for the new bridge are ready for advertisement. I think it necessary and urgent that money should be authorized immediately for the erection and completion of the new bridge structure.

I therefore advise that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorize the Comptroller, pursuant to section 47 of the amended Greater New York Charter, to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$1,600,000 for the construction of said bridge and approaches thereto across the Harlem river at Madison avenue.

Respectfully,
 CHANDLER WITHINGTON, Chief Engineer.

Approved:
 H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one million six hundred thousand dollars (\$1,600,000) for the purpose of providing means for completing the construction of the bridge across the Harlem river at Madison avenue, and the approaches thereto.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:
 Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one million six hundred thousand dollars (\$1,600,000) for the purpose of providing means for completing the construction of the bridge across the Harlem river at Madison avenue, and the approaches thereto, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one million six hundred thousand dollars (\$1,600,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1940.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 26, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$100,000, for the purpose of providing means to pay all necessary expenses for the construction of parks, by providing for the development and improvement of the New York Zoological Park in Bronx Park, and the construction of buildings therein, together with copy of a report of the Comptroller, to whom this matter was referred, relative thereto.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Yours very truly,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

April 6, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—Hon. Joseph I. Berry, Commissioner, Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, in communication under date of December 10, 1906, transmits a request from the New York Zoological Society to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$500,000 for permanent improvements to the New York Zoological Garden; \$250,000 to be used during the year 1907, and the balance to be used during the following year.

The communication from the Secretary of the Zoological Society, says:

"The purposes for the \$250,000 required in 1907, will be for the construction of elephant house and yards, for which the last appropriation proved inadequate. Laboratory, zebra houses and yards and for miscellaneous paths, walks, fences and the general expenses made necessary by the development of the park."

In report dated January 4, 1907, I recommended that in view of the fact that the New York Zoological Society has \$313,508.65 available for expenditures, it would appear that no further appropriation is necessary at the present time, and suggested that full details be furnished in regard to the expenditures.

Subsequent to the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on January 18, 1907, deferring the authorization of the appropriation, Madison Grant, Secretary of the Society, submitted a memorandum to the Comptroller showing disposition of balance available and ground improvement appropriation. Mr. Grant also on April 1, 1907, addressed the Comptroller as follows:

"Pursuant to our conversation of this afternoon, and in view of the fact that the bids for the elephant house are much smaller than anticipated, the New York Zoological Society will be able to modify its recent application for \$250,000, to be supplied in 1907, and accept in lieu thereof, \$100,000 of bonds to become available on October 1, 1907, and \$150,000, to become available early in 1908."

In view of all the data furnished by the Secretary of the New York Zoological Society in communication forwarded to the Comptroller, I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly take such action, and at such time as will make available \$100,000 Corporate Stock on or about October 1, 1907, for the purpose of providing means to pay all necessary expenses for the construction of the parks, by providing for the development and improvement of the New York Zoological Park in Bronx Park, and the construction of buildings therein; said bonds being authorized pursuant to section 47 of the amended Greater New York Charter.

Respectfully,
CHANDLER WITHINGTON, Chief Engineer.

Approved:
(Signed) H. A. Metz, Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay all necessary expenses for the construction of parks by providing for the development and improvement of the New York Zoological Park in Bronx Park and the construction of buildings therein.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay all necessary expenses for the construction of parks by providing for the development and improvement of the New York Zoological Park in Bronx Park, and the construction of buildings therein, said amount to be expended upon plans and specifications approved by the New York Zoological Society and the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid and to become available October 1, 1907."

No. 1941.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 27, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, authorizing an issue of \$12,000 Corporate Stock to provide means for the installation of a vacuum cleaning system in the Criminal Courts Building, Centre and Franklin streets, Borough of Manhattan; together with copy of report of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen relative thereto.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

No. 1648.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on March 5, 1907 (Minutes, page 586), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$12,000, for installation of a vacuum cleaning system in the Criminal Courts Building, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

Acting District Attorney Nott and Superintendent Walker appeared before your committee and urged the adoption of this ordinance. Installing one of these plants is a new departure in city buildings, and your committee, after careful consideration, are not yet convinced as to its economy, and want more time for its consideration. They, therefore, recommend that the matter be rejected at this time and repassed by the Board of Estimate so as to extend this Board's time.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) to provide means for the installation of a vacuum cleaning system in the Criminal Courts Building, Centre and Franklin streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 1, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) for the purpose of providing means for the installation of a vacuum cleaning system in the Criminal Courts Building, Centre

and Franklin streets, Borough of Manhattan, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOSEPH FALK, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, B. W. B. BROWN, A. L. KLINE, PH. HARNISCHFEGER, Committee on Finance.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Davies moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and reject said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Clifford, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dowling, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Harnischfeger, Herold, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Lawlor, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Schneider, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer and the Vice-Chairman—40.

And the President, in accordance with the provisions of section 48 of the Charter, declared that the above ordinance had been rejected.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) to provide means for the installation of a vacuum cleaning system in the Criminal Courts Building, Centre and Franklin streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) for the purpose of providing means for the installation of a vacuum cleaning system in the Criminal Courts Building, Centre and Franklin streets, Borough of Manhattan, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1942.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 29, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, recommending that the Board of Aldermen request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds, under the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of \$200, in addition to the amount allowed in the Budget for the year 1907, for the purpose of providing means for Memorial Day observances in the Borough of The Bronx, together with report from the Comptroller relative thereto.

Yours very truly,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

April 25, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—In the matter of the request of the Memorial Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Borough of The Bronx for an appropriation of \$500 to defray the expenses of Decoration Day observances, referred by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the Comptroller and by you referred to the Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics for examination, I beg to report as follows:

In the Budget appropriation for 1907 the sum of \$300 was allowed for "Memorial Day Observances, Borough of The Bronx." Treasurer John A. Murray, of the Memorial Committee, G. A. R., of that borough, informed your Examiner that the request for an appropriation of \$500 was made under the belief that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment had failed to make any allowance whatever. He stated, however, that the \$300 allowance was not sufficient to meet the expenses for the memorial parade, carfare and services at cemeteries. He also said that the expenses of the observance of Decoration Day in the Borough of The Bronx in 1906 amounted to over \$500, and that the members of the G. A. R. who reside in that borough were compelled to meet the deficiency caused by the expenditures exceeding by \$200 the Budget allowance of \$300.

The expense of the observance of Decoration Day in the Borough of The Bronx is increasing each year owing to the large increase in population in that section of the City. The memorial parade is now one of the features of the day's observance and the paraders include United States troops, visiting militia organizations and civic bodies from other boroughs of the Greater City.

Your Examiner is of the opinion that an additional appropriation of \$200 should be allowed for this purpose, and that the Board of Aldermen be requested to adopt the necessary resolution for concurrence by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) CHAS. S. HERVEY,
Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends that the Board of Aldermen request the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the account for Memorial Day observances in the Borough of The Bronx, to be added to the three hundred dollars (\$300) already provided for in 1907, making the amount for 1907 five hundred dollars (\$500).

No. 1943.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 29, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, recommending that the Board of Aldermen request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds, under the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of \$2,800, for the purpose of providing means for proper office accommodations for the Coroners and their Clerks in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, and copy of report of the Comptroller, to whom this matter was referred on March 22, 1907, relative thereto.

Yours very truly,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends that the Board of Aldermen request this Board to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds, under the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of twenty-eight hundred dollars (\$2,800), for the purpose of providing means for proper office accommodations for the Coroners and their Clerks in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

A true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, April 26, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

April 4, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—Hon. Bird S. Coler, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, in communication dated March 16, 1907, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of \$2,800, the

proceeds to be used to provide proper office accommodations for the Coroners and their Clerks in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

I would report that I have examined the plans prepared for this work. It is the intention to remove old partitions in that portion of the Municipal Building now occupied by the Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes, and build new partitions; cut new openings in walls; install new plumbing, etc., to provide for the Coroners and Clerks now in the Borough Hall.

Twenty-eight hundred dollars (\$2,800) appears to be a moderate estimate for the amount of work contemplated, but in my opinion the proceeds from the sale of Corporate Stock should not be used for this purpose.

I therefore recommend that no action be taken by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment until the Board of Aldermen adopt a resolution requesting the authorization of \$2,800 Special Revenue Bonds, as provided by subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, for providing proper office accommodations for the Coroners and their Clerks in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,
NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transmitting resolutions:

No. 1944.
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 27, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, recommending the establishment of the position of Laborer in the office of the Commissioner of Records, New York County, with salary at the rate of \$720 per annum, for three (3) incumbents, together with copy of report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices of the Board of Aldermen, relative thereto.

I also enclose form of resolution for adoption by the Board of Aldermen, to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

No. 1767.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 745), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing various positions in the office of the Commissioner of Records, New York County, respectfully

REPORTS:

The accompanying resolution provides a force of employees for the new office of Commissioner of Records, New York County, created by act of the Legislature of 1906. The Commissioner was appointed many months ago, and has been receiving his salary as fixed by the Legislature, but has been unable to render service, caused by the failure of the municipal authorities to give him an office and staff. The necessary appropriation was made in the Budget for 1907. The Commissioner asked for the fixing of salaries at the same rates as those paid in the similar office in Kings County, but the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in view of the fact that the Kings County office had been long established, felt that the New York office should begin at lower grades, and adopted a resolution accordingly. The Commissioner wrote your Committee as follows: "Whatever appointment I make must be made under the rules of the State Civil Service Commission. Those rules provide that Laborers shall be appointed at a compensation of 'seven hundred and twenty dollars per annum,' as I stated in my request for authorization to appoint, and I am informed by the Secretary of the State Civil Service Commission that the appointment of Laborers at \$2.50 per day will be in violation of those rules." The Committee, therefore, does not advise the Board of Aldermen to concur in so much of the resolution as applies to Laborers. The Committee also feels that as the staff is still to be organized, the salaries should not take effect April 1, 1907. The Committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen concurs in so much of the resolution in relation to the office of the Commissioner of Records, New York County, received from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as is hereby given:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Superintendent	1	\$2,400 00
Assistant Superintendent	1	2,100 00
Secretary	1	1,200 00
Clerk	5	1,050 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	5	900 00
Bookbinder	1	1,200 00
Bookbinder	2	1,100 00
Messenger	1	750 00

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following positions in the office of the Commissioner of Records, New York County, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Superintendent	1	\$2,400 00
Assistant Superintendent	1	2,100 00
Secretary	1	1,200 00
Clerk	5	1,050 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	5	900 00
Bookbinder	1	1,200 00
Bookbinder	2	1,100 00
Messenger	1	750 00
Laborer	3	\$2 50

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, FRANK D. STURGES, MICHAEL J. CARTER, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Meyers moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Farrell, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, Hann, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Herold, Keely, Kenneally, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Olvany, Reardon, Redmond, Richter, Schloss, Sturges, Sullivan, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Coler, by Desmond Dunne, Commissioner of Public Works, and the President—42.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held April 26, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Laborer in the office of the Commissioner of Records, New York County, with salary at the rate of seven hundred and twenty dollars (\$720) per annum, for three (3) incumbents."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in above resolution and fixes the salary of said position as set forth therein.

Alderman Sturges moved the adoption of the resolution.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Higgins, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Markert, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Potter, Reardon, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Bermel, President Haffen and President Ahearn—41.

No. 1945.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 27, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, recommending the establishment of the following grades of positions, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Private Secretary to President (for the present incumbent, John A. Heffernan, only)	1	\$4,000 00
Searcher	1	1,500 00

—together with copies of communication from the City Clerk and report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices, Board of Aldermen, relative thereto.

I also inclose form of resolution for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

The City of New York,
Office of the City Clerk, City Hall,
New York, April 18, 1907.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—I respectfully forward to you two reports of the Committee on Salaries and Offices of the Board of Aldermen, returning to your Board salary resolutions affecting the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn and the office of the Surrogate, New York County. These resolutions are returned for the purpose of having a stipulation inserted therein by your honorable body providing for a return to the original salary in case of a vacancy.

Respectfully,
(Signed) P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

No. 1750.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 738), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions under President, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORTS:

The Committee is much impressed with the arguments in favor of increasing the salary of Mr. Heffernan, the Private Secretary to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, but believes that the precedent for the salary of Private Secretary, as a grade, at \$4,000, should be avoided. The Committee feels that where the salary is increased because of the special merit of the present incumbent of the office, the resolution should provide that in the event of a vacancy occurring in the office the previous salary should be re-established. The Committee recommends the return of the accompanying resolution to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with the request that it be modified in the respect suggested.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Private Secretary to President	1	\$4,000 00
Searcher	1	1,500 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Meyers moved the adoption of this report.

Which report was accepted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held April 26, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Private Secretary to President, (for the present incumbent, John A. Heffernan, only)	1	\$4,000 00
Searcher	1	1,500 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein.

No. 1946.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 27, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 26, 1907, recommending the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Surrogate, New York County, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Chief Clerk (for the present incumbent, William V. Leary, only)	1	\$10,000 00
Deputy Chief Clerk	1	5,000 00
First Law Assistant	1	4,300 00
Second Law Assistant	1	3,300 00
Third Law Assistant	1	3,300 00
Deputy Clerk of Court	1	2,250 00
Stenographer to Surrogate	1	1,500 00

—and the establishment of the position of Record Clerk in said office, with salary at the rate of \$1,000 per annum, for two incumbents, to take effect April 1, 1907, together with copy of report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices, Board of Aldermen, relative thereto.

I also inclose form of resolution for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

No. 1769.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 746), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salaries of certain positions in the office of the Surrogate of New York County, respectfully

REPORTS:

The committee has under consideration a resolution covering seven places in the office of the Surrogate of New York County, and desires to limit to the present incumbent the proposed salary of \$10,000 for the Chief Clerk, for the reasons set forth in our report hitherto made on resolution Introductory No. 1750. The committee therefore recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to adopt and forward to the Board of Aldermen a resolution fixing the salary of the Chief Clerk in the office of the Surrogate, New York County, at \$10,000, but providing that such salary shall apply to the present incumbent only, and that in the event of a vacancy occurring in said office, the previous salary of \$8,500 shall be re-established.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Surrogate, New York County, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Chief Clerk.....	I	\$10,000 00
Deputy Chief Clerk.....	I	5,000 00
First Law Assistant.....	I	4,300 00
Second Law Assistant.....	I	3,300 00
Third Law Assistant.....	I	3,300 00
Deputy Clerk of Court.....	I	2,250 00
Stenographer to Surrogate.....	I	1,500 00

—and the establishment of the position of Record Clerk in said office, with salary at the rate of \$1,000 per annum, for two incumbents, to take effect April 1, 1907.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D.; FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Meyers moved the adoption of this report.

Which report was accepted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held April 26, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

“Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Surrogate, New York County, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Chief Clerk (for the present incumbent, William V. Leary, only).....	I	\$10,000 00
Deputy Chief Clerk.....	I	5,000 00
First Law Assistant.....	I	4,300 00
Second Law Assistant.....	I	3,300 00
Third Law Assistant.....	I	3,300 00
Deputy Clerk of Court.....	I	2,250 00
Stenographer to Surrogate.....	I	1,500 00

—and the establishment of the position of Record Clerk in said office, with salary at the rate of \$1,000 per annum, for two incumbents, to take effect April 1, 1907.”

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers—

No. 1878.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on April 16, 1907 (Minutes, page 200), the annexed resolution in favor of renumbering buildings on south side of East Eighty-first street, between Madison and Park avenues, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and requested to renumber the buildings on the south side of East Eighty-first street, between Madison and Park avenues, in accordance with the request of residents of said locality and in such manner and to such extent as may be necessary.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANK L. DOWLING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, CORNELIUS D. NOONAN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Downing moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Potter, Richter, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; Presidents Bermel, Haffen and Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—40.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 1918—(G. O. No. 240).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on April 23, 1907 (Minutes, page 596), the annexed resolution in favor of paying bills for telephone services rendered to Board of Aldermen and City Clerk's offices, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw warrants as follows:

One in favor of the New York Telephone Company, for one hundred and ninety-three dollars and seventeen cents (\$193.17), being for telephone service furnished to the office of the City Clerk for the three months ending March 31, 1907.

One in favor of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, for one hundred and seventy-one dollars and seventy-one cents (\$171.71), being for telephone service furnished to the rooms of the Board of Aldermen in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the three months ending March 31, 1907.

One in favor of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company for twenty-nine dollars and eighty-three cents (\$29.83), being for telephone service furnished to the office of the City Clerk in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the three months ending March 31, 1907.

The said several sums to be payment in full for all services rendered during the periods stated, and to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled “City Contingencies, 1907.”

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, J. E. BUNTING, B. W. B. BROWN, A. L. KLINE, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 1901.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on April 23, 1907 (Minutes, page 533), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$640,643.37, for acquiring property for water supply purposes, respectfully

REPORTS:

This matter has been passed upon by the Supreme Court, and the amount fixed by them as awards for the taking of lands in Westchester County for water purposes, and now comes to us for the purpose of providing for the payment of same. As it is merely a formal matter, and as the interest is still running, the Committee recommends that the ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of six hundred and forty thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$640,643.37), to provide means for the payment of the awards, interest thereon, costs, counsel fees, etc., in the matter of acquiring property situated in the County of Westchester, for the purpose of maintaining and preserving the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York and for the purpose of preventing the pollution and contamination of the same, and for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal (the Rye Lake, Wampus river and Wampus pond proceedings).

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 19, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

“Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of six hundred and forty thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$640,643.37), to provide means for the payment of the awards, interest thereon, costs, counsel fees, etc., in the matter of acquiring property situated in the County of Westchester, for the purpose of maintaining and preserving the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York, and for the purpose of preventing the pollution and contamination of the same, and for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal (the Rye Lake, Wampus river and Wampus pond proceedings), and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding six hundred and forty thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$640,643.37), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.”

JOHN R. DAVIES, J. E. BUNTING, JOHN DIEMER, B. W. B. BROWN, A. L. KLINE, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Davies moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Markert, Morris, Olvany, O'Neill, Rendt, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; Presidents Bermel, Haffen and Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—41.

No. 1902.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on April 23, 1907 (Minutes, page 536), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$500,000, for the improvement of parks, parkways, playgrounds, etc., respectfully

REPORTS:

The three Park Commissioners appeared before your Committee and explained the needs for this money as set forth more particularly in the annexed report of the Comptroller's Engineer. This is part of the annual Corporate Stock allowance for the improvement of the parks, and the Committee believes the same to be necessary and therefore reports favorably upon same.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) to provide means for the construction and improvement of parks, parkways, playgrounds, boulevards and drive-ways (to be expended solely and exclusively for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of drives, paths and sidewalks in the parks, parkways and public places and the resurfacing of parks and parkings) under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, as follows:

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	\$166,666 67
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	166,666 67
Borough of The Bronx.....	166,666 66
	<u>\$500,000 00</u>

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 19, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified.

“Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), for the purpose of providing means for the construction and improvement of parks, parkways, playgrounds, boulevards and driveways (to be expended solely and exclusively for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of drives, paths and sidewalks in the parks, parkways and public places, and the resurfacing of parks and parkings) under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, as follows:

“Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond..... \$166,666 67
“Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens..... 166,666 67
“Borough of The Bronx..... 166,666 66

\$500,000 00

—“and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.”

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, J. E. BUNTING, B. W. B. BROWN, A. L. KLINE, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Davies moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Markert, Mulligan, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Potter, Rendt, Richter, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; Presidents Bermel, Haffen and Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—50.

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 1735.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on April 9, 1907 (Minutes, page 97), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries in the Department of Street Cleaning, respectfully

REPORTS:

The committee has given the question of the salaries applicable to the superior grades in this Department further consideration. The Superintendent of Final Disposition has received a salary of \$2,000 for the past five years, and the salary of each District Superintendent has been \$1,800 for a number of years. The respective increases requested seem to be reasonable. The committee also approves of the increases of the salaries for the remaining positions referred to in the resolution. The committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in so much of said resolution as refers to the Superintendent of Final Disposition, the District Superintendents, Stenographer and Typewriter, Apothecary, Stable Foremen and Stenographer and Book Typewriter, and fixes the salaries of said positions as set forth in said resolution, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Department of Street Cleaning, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Superintendent of Final Disposition.....	1	\$2,500 00
District Superintendent	22	2,100 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1	1,200 00
Apothecary	1	1,200 00
Stable Foreman	18	1,500 00

—and the establishment of the position of Stenographer and Book Typewriter in said Department, with salary at the rate of \$900 per annum, for one incumbent, to take effect April 1, 1907.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JOHN J. CRONIN, MICHAEL J. CARTER, FRANK D. STURGES, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEWIS M. POTTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said substitute resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Markert, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—51.

No. 1738.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 733), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions, office of Commissioners of Accounts, respectfully

REPORTS:

The Committee has given further consideration to the question of the salaries of the Chief Engineer and Examining Engineer in this Department. The present incumbent has been in the Department for over twenty years, and has received his present salary of \$3,600 since 1897. The increase requested seems to be proper. The Examining Engineer has also been in the Department for a long period of time, and has received a salary of \$2,200 since 1898; the increase of \$500 seems to be reasonable. The Committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in so much of said resolution as refers to the Chief Engineer and Examining Engineer, and fixes the salaries of the said positions as set forth in said resolution, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Chief Engineer	1	\$4,500 00
Examining Engineer	1	2,700 00
Law Examiner	1	2,500 00
Clerk	1	1,650 00
Accountant	3	1,750 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JOHN J. CRONIN, MICHAEL J. CARTER, FRANK D. STURGES, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEWIS M. POTTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21 consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Sturges moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said substitute resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Ellery, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Markert, Morris, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Sturges, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Haffen, President Coler and the Vice-Chairman—46.

At this point Alderman Peters arose to a question of personal privilege, and spoke in reference to newspaper criticisms on his action in the Board of Aldermen earlier in the present year in the matter of the vote for the election of a Recorder.

Report of Committee on Laws and Legislation—

No. 1650—(S. O. No. 199).

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on March 12, 1907 (Minutes, page 646), the annexed communication from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, requesting authority to increase contract for purchase of lumber, respectfully

REPORTS:

Chief Engineer de Varona appeared before the Committee and explained the necessity for the increase in the contract price for the work referred to in the resolution. The work was let upon bids based upon estimates, among other things with respect to certain soil conditions which apparently made it unnecessary to permanently sheath the trenches in which the mains were to be laid. As the work progressed materially different conditions were developed, from which it became apparent that for the safety of the work itself and of the adjoining earth and pavement it would be necessary that the trench should be permanently sheathed. The expense of this work, as provided in the resolution, was stated by Mr. de Varona to be very reasonable, and your Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the annexed resolution.

Resolved, That under and pursuant to the provisions of section 39 of the Greater New York Charter, permission be and the same is hereby given to the Commissioner

of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to increase the amount authorized to be expended, with the written approval of the said Commissioner, under a contract between The City of New York and the Continental Asphalt Paving Company for furnishing, delivering and constructing suction mains and appurtenances for salt water to be connected with the high pressure fire service station at the northeast corner of Gansevoort and West streets, in the Borough of Manhattan; such increase, however, not to exceed the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500) over and above the amount authorized by said contract; the said sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500) to provide for the furnishing of lumber for sheathing, bracing, etc., to cover places where dangerous conditions exist, the total amount of such lumber not to exceed two hundred and fifty thousand feet, the price to be paid for the same to be fifty dollars (\$50) per thousand feet, board measure.

FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN R. DAVIES, CLARENCE R. FREEMAN, B. W. B. BROWN, WILLIAM E. MORRIS, JOHN D. GUNTHER, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row,
New York, February 28, 1907.

Hon. P. F. McGOWAN, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan:

Dear Sir—In the contract for furnishing, delivering and constructing suction mains and appurtenances for salt water, to be connected with the high pressure fire service station at the northeast corner of Gansevoort and West streets, the Engineer provided in his estimate that 1,000 feet of lumber (B. M.) would be used by the contractor in the excavations extending from the station to the river. This estimate was made after several test pits had been sunk to ascertain the character of the soil. Entirely different conditions have been found than were ascertained by this examination. Large amounts of saturated quicksand have been met with, constituting a semi-fluid material, easily running; also some filling-in west of the New York Central Company's tracks, with crib-work and rock, through which the tidewater and quicksand find a ready passage.

Under the terms of the contract all sheathing is to be removed, unless ordered to be left in place by the Engineer, and no allowance is to be made for said sheathing unless so left in place by the Engineer's orders.

The contractors have called attention to the character of the soil, as far as their work has advanced, and the Chief Engineer of this Department is satisfied that to remove any of the timber would produce a settlement of the street which would probably result in considerable damage to adjoining property, and possibly to the Gansevoort Market, which, so far as the official records of the City show, is not built on piles.

The contractor's bid on the 1,000 feet of lumber furnished by the Engineer's estimate was \$75. The amount of lumber required for sheathing, bracing, etc., for the entire trench is 250,000 feet. The bid price of \$75 per thousand is considered high when this additional amount of lumber is taken into consideration, and the contractors, the Continental Asphalt Paving Company, have agreed to accept \$50 per thousand (B. M.).

The contract in question contains the usual provision that the Commissioner may increase any one item 5 per cent. in excess of the amount originally stated in the estimate. The amount of lumber figured on is so small that 5 per cent. reduces the actual amount of increase which I could order to \$3.75.

I deem it advisable for the proper protection of the work, in view of the character of the soil which has been found, to order the contractor to leave the sheathing, bracing, etc., in place wherever these dangerous conditions exist, the total amount of lumber not to exceed 250,000 feet, and the price to be paid for same, \$50 per thousand (B. M.).

It therefore becomes necessary to obtain authority through your Board to increase this contract to allow of the purchase of 250,000 feet of lumber, at \$50 per thousand (B. M.), and under this authority I respectfully ask that the attached resolution, drawn in compliance with section 39 of the revised Greater New York Charter, be adopted.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. O'BRIEN, Commissioner.

Which was made a Special Order for 2 o'clock p. m.

Report of Committee on Fire—

Nos. 1833, 1889, 1916 and 1917.

The Committee on Fire, to whom was referred on April 9, 16 and 23, 1907 (Minutes, pages 121, 205 and 595), the annexed resolutions in favor of confirming certain persons as members of various volunteer fire companies in the Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the annexed substitute resolution be adopted.

(SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the following named persons be and are hereby confirmed respectively as members of the Volunteer Fire Department in the Borough of Queens of the several companies, to wit:

Atlantic Hook and Ladder Company No. 1.

Daniel Noble, No. 367 Hillside avenue, Jamaica, N. Y.

Hermann F. Schweitzer, No. 11 Bryant avenue, Jamaica, N. Y.

Flushing Hose Company No. 3.

Salvator P. Lahey, No. 208 Lawrence street, Flushing.

Thomas J. Clarke, No. 60 Twenty-fourth street, Flushing.

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Wm. Chambers, No. 84 Bradford avenue, Flushing.

James Lawlor, No. 206 Barclay street, Flushing.

Charles E. Gilbert, No. 138 Smart avenue, Flushing.

George F. Murphy, No. 247 Sanford avenue, Flushing.

Albert Delaney, No. 206 Queens avenue, Flushing.

William E. Maher, No. 100 Broadway, Flushing.

Thomas Brennan, Jr., No. 62 Main street, Flushing.

Eagle Hook and Ladder Company No. —.

Henry Wurtz, College Point.

Frank L. Jockers, College Point.

Valentine Krapp, College Point.

Empire Hose Company No. 1.

Geo. W. Tindell, No. 123 Lincoln street, Flushing.

Provided, however, that the addition of said names to the rolls of the aforesaid companies will not in any instance exceed the number or quota allowed to said companies by the laws, rules, regulations or ordinances governing their organization prior to consolidation into The City of New York.

JOHN J. HAHN, JACOB BARTSCHERER, FRANK L. DOWLING, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, Committee on Fire.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman J. J. Hahn moved the adoption of this report.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said substitute resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Levine, Markert, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Haffen, President Coler and the Vice-Chairman—47.

Report of Committee on Railroads—

No. 1879.

The Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred on April 16, 1907 (Minutes, page 201), the annexed resolution, requesting the President of the Borough of Man-

hattan to cause Sixtieth street, between West End and Twelfth avenues, Borough of Manhattan, to be thrown open to the public, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted:

Whereas, Sixtieth street, between West End and Twelfth avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, is a city thoroughfare closed to the public because illegally fenced in by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; and

Whereas, The resident citizens and taxpayers are prevented from using this street because of said railroad obstructions; therefore be it

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby requested to cause said Sixtieth street, between West End and Twelfth avenues to be immediately thrown open to the public.

JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, A. L. KLINE, JOHN J. HAGGERTY, Committee on Railroads.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Farrell moved the adoption of this report.

Which report was accepted and the resolution adopted.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The Vice-Chairman called up Special Order No. 147, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 1631.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on February 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 559), the annexed resolution in favor of renumbering buildings on south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Lenox and Mount Morris avenues, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and requested to number and renumber the buildings on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Lenox and Mount Morris avenues, in such manner and to such extent as may be necessary.

JOHN HANN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANK L. DOWLING, CORNELIUS D. NOONAN, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, LEWIS M. POTTER, PATRICK S. KEELY, HARRY L. LEVERETT, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Morris, Mulligan, Noonan, O'Neil, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel and the Vice-Chairman—46.

Alderman Sullivan called up Special Order No. 130, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 1449.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on January 7, 1907 (Minutes, page 35), the annexed communication from Police Department requesting authority to contract for the shoeing of horses without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject they recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter the Police Commissioner be and is hereby authorized to contract, without public letting, for the shoeing of the horses of the Police Department to an amount not to exceed the sum of money appropriated for that purpose for the year 1907.

A. L. KLINE, W. CLIFFORD, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, JACOB BARTSCHERER, MAX S. LEVINE, Committee on Public Letting.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Fried, Griffenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Markert, Morris, Mulligan, O'Neil, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahern and the Vice-Chairman—60.

Negative—Alderman Freeman—1.

Alderman Sullivan called up Special Order No. 131, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 1450.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on January 7, 1907 (Minutes, page 36), the annexed communication from Police Department requesting authority to contract for the boarding of horses without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject they recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter the Police Commissioner be and is hereby authorized to contract for the stabling and boarding of the horses of the Police Department without public letting during the year 1907. The total cost of said stabling and boarding not to exceed the sum of money appropriated for that purpose for the year 1907.

A. L. KLINE, W. CLIFFORD, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, JACOB BARTSCHERER, MAX S. LEVINE, Committee on Public Letting.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Fried, Griffenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Morris, O'Neil, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahern, the Vice-Chairman and the President—60.

Alderman Dowling called up Special Order No. 175, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 1682.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on March 12, 1907 (Minutes, page 662), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$177,000, for the purpose of repairing and maintaining asphalt pavements in the Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

Borough President Ahern, Chief Engineer of Highways Olney and Auditor Davis appeared before your committee and urged the adoption of this resolution. The committee has received the annexed report from the Bureau of Investigations of the Comptroller's office, which recommends that some relief be given. The condition of the street pavements of the Borough of Manhattan is notorious, and they demand immediate attention and repair. As the annexed report states some funds were allowed to the President in the Budget, but the committee believes not in sufficient amount to meet the present great need. The report further shows that so large a number of streets become out of maintenance by the paving companies during 1907 that some

provision must be made for same. The Budget allowance for 1907 for this purpose was \$133,000 less than was actually used during 1906. The committee believes, from its general knowledge and investigations on the subject, that the present paving system does not meet the requirements of this borough, and they hope that the Borough President will have a careful investigation made to devise some means whereby this state of affairs may be speedily remedied.

The committee recommends that \$150,000 be allowed for the purpose of repairing and maintaining asphalt pavements in the Borough of Manhattan.

(SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000), for the purpose of repairing and maintaining asphalt pavements in the Borough of Manhattan.

(ORIGINAL.)

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one hundred and seventy-seven thousand dollars (\$177,000) for the purpose of repairing and maintaining asphalt pavements in the Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, JOHN DIEMER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, A. L. KLINE, JOSEPH FALK, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Griffenhagen, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Mulligan, Noonan, O'Neil, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahern and the Vice-Chairman—62.

Alderman Higgins called up Special Order No. 180, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1842.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred, on April 9, 1907 (Minutes, page 124), the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the Pittsburg Plate Glass Company to erect a temporary overhead trolley in front of their premises, southeast corner of Hudson and Van Dam streets, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Pittsburg Plate Glass Company to erect, keep and maintain a temporary overhead trolley or slide, as shown on accompanying diagrams, in front of their premises on the southeast corner of Hudson and Van Dam streets, in the Borough of Manhattan; the said overhead trolley or slide to be securely fastened and to be used only for the purpose of conveying merchandise from trucks at the curb line to the warehouse of the aforesaid company at the above location; the work to be done at the expense of the said Pittsburg Plate Glass Company, under the direction of the President of the borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, HARRY L. LEVERETT, FRANK L. DOWLING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, JOHN HANN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which report was accepted, and the resolution adopted.

Alderman Griffenhagen called up Special Order No. 153, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1665—(S. O. No. 153).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on March 5, 1907 (Minutes, page 632), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,000, for the expenses of Building Code Commission, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to meet the payment of the salaries of the clerical force and incidental expenses necessary to the work of the Commission appointed in pursuance of the provisions of section 407 of the Greater New York Charter for the purpose of preparing a Building Code.

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, JAMES W. REDMOND, A. L. KLINE, JOSEPH FALK, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected failing to vote in favor thereof.

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Fried, Griffenhagen, Gunther, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Potter, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Ahern and the Vice-Chairman—45.

Negative—Aldermen Noonan and Peters—2.

On motion of Alderman Davies the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was again laid over and made a Special Order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Davies asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following resolution:

No. 1947.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied by the Board of Park Commissioners to the erection of stations in the public parks for the dispensing of milk, the said stations or booths to be so constructed as to provide for the distribution of milk in nursing bottles for the babies, and by the glass, the City to be at no charge for the supplying of the milk or for the attendance necessary to the distribution of the same, which is to be provided for by philanthropists, under such regulations as the Board of Park Commissioners may determine upon.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Mulligan, Noonan, O'Neil, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schneider, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahern, and the Vice-Chairman—60.

SPECIAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Alderman Hann called up Special Order No. 174, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1542.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 5, 1907 (Minutes, page 197), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for \$254,611.25 for park maintenance, respectfully

REPORTS:

Park Commissioner Kennedy appeared before your committee and made a similar statement to the one made by Commissioner Herrman on the same subject in relation to the park system in Manhattan and Richmond. For the reasons set forth in the report of the Committee on Introductory No. 1541, the committee believes that an addition of sufficient funds to make an increase of 10 per cent. over the total for 1906 is reasonable, and therefore recommends the issuance of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$177,585 for maintenance, as suggested in the Comptroller's report.

They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one hundred and seventy-seven thousand five hundred and eighty-five dollars (\$177,585), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the maintenance of parks, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, A. L. KLINE, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JOHN DIEMER, JOSEPH FALK, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—65.

President Cromwell called up Special Order No. 148, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1463a.

The Committee on Public Letting, to whom was referred on January 22, 1907 (Minutes, page 85), the annexed communication from the President of the Borough of Richmond, requesting authority to purchase coal without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject they recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Richmond be and hereby is authorized to purchase in open market coal for the year 1907, to an amount not to exceed the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

A. L. KLINE, DAVID S. RENDT, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, JACOB BARTSCHERER, W. CLIFFORD, F. J. O'NEILL, Committee on Public Letting.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, President Haffen, President Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—60.

Alderman Kline called up Special Order No. 170, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1791—(S. O. No. 170).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 783), the annexed communication from the County Clerk of Kings County, requesting authority to contract for binding certain public records without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That at a hearing on the above matter, Chief Clerk Schultz, of the County Clerk's office, appeared before the Committee and explained that under order from the Commissioner of Records the County Clerk was engaged in the work of binding into book form all of the bundled records in his office. He has already bound 250,000 papers, and estimates that with the appropriation of \$10,000 allowed him by the Board of Aldermen on March 26, 1907, he will be able to bind 1,000,000 more. To bring this system up to date will take from two to three years and will cost about \$25,000. Your Committee believes that this is a greatly improved system, well worth the proposed cost and should be completed as quickly as possible, and therefore recommends the adoption of the annexed resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the County Clerk of Kings County be and he is hereby authorized to contract for, without public letting, for the binding of certain public records in his office into book form, at a cost not to exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

A. L. KLINE, F. J. O'NEILL, WILLIAM CLIFFORD, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, JACOB BARTSCHERER, Committee on Public Letting.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected failing to vote in favor thereof.

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Haffen, President Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—56.

On motion of Alderman Diemer the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper was returned to the list of Special Orders.

Alderman Sullivan called up Special Order No. 181, being a report and ordinance, as follows:

No. 1338.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was recommitted on February 19, 1907 (Minutes, page 471), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending the Code of Ordinances in relation to signs and showbills, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the annexed substitute ordinance be adopted.

(SUBSTITUTE.)

AN ORDINANCE regulating the placing of electric signs in The City of New York, and providing that the same shall be licensed.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. Any electric letter, word, model, sign, device or representation in the nature of an advertisement, announcement or direction erected at right angles to any building shall be deemed to be an electric sign.

Sec. 2. Electric signs may be hung or attached at right angles to buildings, and extend not to exceed six feet therefrom in said space, and to be ten feet in the clear above the level of the sidewalk in front of such building, upon the payment of an annual license fee of 10 cents for each square foot of sign space or part of square foot of such sign space, to be collected by the City Clerk of The City of New York. The square feet of sign space on one side of an electric sign, however, shall be deemed to

be the entire number of square feet of sign space for the purpose of computing the license fee herein referred to and required to be paid.

All electric signs shall be constructed entirely of metal, including the uprights, supports and braces for the same, properly and firmly attached to the building, and shall be so constructed as not to be or become dangerous.

Before any permit is issued by the City Clerk plans and statements of the proposed sign and method of attachment to the building must be filed with the Superintendent of Buildings having jurisdiction, as provided in part 2, section 4, of the Building Code, and his certificate of approval be obtained as to the sufficiency of the construction and method of attachment to the building. A certificate must also be obtained from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity certifying that the proposed electric wiring and electric appliances are in conformity with the rules and regulations of that Department.

Sec. 3. No certificate shall be given by the Superintendent of Buildings, and no permit shall be issued by the City Clerk, for the erection of electric sign or signs on any building when such building adjoins a building occupied exclusively as a private residence, unless the written consent of the owner or owners of said private residence for the erection of such electric sign be first obtained.

Sec. 4. No electric sign shall be placed, hung or maintained, except as in this ordinance provided, under a penalty of ten dollars for each offense, and a further penalty of ten dollars for each day or part of a day the same shall continue.

Sec. 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN HANN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, FRANK L. DOWLING, PATRICK S. KEELY, HARRY L. LEVERETT, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was recommitted on December 11, 1906 (Minutes, page 1604), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending section 260 of subdivision 6 of article 10 of chapter 5, part 1, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York as approved November 8, 1906, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the annexed substitute ordinance be adopted.

(SUBSTITUTE.)

AN ORDINANCE amending the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York so far as the same relates to "Signs and Showbills."

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. Section 260 of subdivision 6 of article 10 of chapter 5 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, as approved November 8, 1906, is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

6. Signs and Showbills.

Sec. 260. On payment of an annual license fee of five dollars (\$5), to be collected by the Bureau of Licenses, signs, showbills and showboards may be placed on the fronts of buildings, with the consent of the owner thereof, and shall be securely fastened, and shall not project more than one foot from the house wall, except that signs may be hung or attached at right angles to any building and extend not to exceed six (3) feet therefrom in the space between the second floor (the ground floor being considered the first floor) and a point 8 feet in the clear above the level of the sidewalk in front of such building. Signs may be attached to the sides of stoops, but not to extend above the railing or beyond the stoop-line of any stoop. No sign, showbill or showboard shall be placed, hung or maintained except as in this section prescribed, under penalty of \$10 for each offense, and a further penalty of \$10 for each day or part of a day the same shall continue.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics; old matter (3) in parenthesis to be omitted.

JOHN HANN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, LEWIS M. POTTER, PATRICK S. KEELY, FRANK L. DOWLING, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

(Papers Referred to in Preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on December 4, 1906 (Minutes, page 1541), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending section 260 of subdivision 6 of article 10 of chapter 5 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, approved by the Mayor, November 8, 1906, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed amendment to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

(ORIGINAL.)

AN ORDINANCE amending the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York so far as the same relates to "Signs and Showbills."

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. Section 260 of subdivision 6 of article 10 of chapter 5 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, as approved November 8, 1906, is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

6. Signs and Showbills.

Sec. 260. Signs, showbills and showboards may be placed on the fronts of buildings, with the consent of the owner thereof, and shall be securely fastened, and shall not project more than one foot from the house wall, except that signs may be hung or attached at right angles to any building and extend not to exceed six (3) feet therefrom in the space between the second floor (the ground floor being considered the first floor) and a point 8 feet in the clear above the level of the sidewalk in front of such building. Signs may be attached to the sides of stoops, but not to extend above the railing or beyond the stoop-line of any stoop. No sign, showbill or showboard shall be placed, hung or maintained except as in this section prescribed, under penalty of \$10 for each offense, and a further penalty of \$10 for each day or part of a day the same shall continue.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics; old matter (3) in parenthesis to be omitted.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, CORNELIUS D. NOONAN, FRANK L. DOWLING, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bunting, Callahan, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Everson, Falk, Grifenhagen, Haggerty, Hann, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Moffitt, Morris, Murphy, Noonan, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Stapleton, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz and President Haffen—40.

Negative—Aldermen Carter, Ellery and Freeman—3.

Alderman Dowling called up Special Order No. 183, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1738.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 733), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions, office of Commissioners of Accounts, respectfully

REPORTS:

Commissioner Von Skal appeared before the Committee and explained that the new grade of Clerk at \$1,650, is intended as an intermediate one, the present grades being \$1,500 and \$1,800; similarly that the new grade of Accountants at \$1,750 is an intermediate one, the present grades being \$1,500, \$1,600 and \$2,000. Your Committee approves the plan of grades with comparatively small differences in salary, as affording opportunity for proper and not extravagant promotions. The resolution fixes

the salary of the Law Examiner at \$2,500; the present salary is \$2,000, which the incumbent, who is a lawyer, has received for six years. His services are said to be of great value to the Department. For the present the Committee wishes to retain for further consideration the salaries of the Chief Engineer and Examining Engineer. The Committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in so much of said resolution as refers to Law Examiner, Clerk and Accountant, and fixes the salaries of the said positions as set forth in said resolution to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Chief Engineer	1	\$4,500 00
Examining Engineer	1	2,700 00
Law Examiner	1	2,500 00
Clerk	1	1,650 00
Accountant	3	1,750 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Krulish, Kuck, Levine, Linde, Markert, Morris, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—42.

Alderman Dowling called up Special Order No. 145, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1615.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on February 19, 1907 (Minutes, page 489), the annexed resolution in favor of renumbering buildings on Liberty street, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and requested to number and renumber the buildings on Liberty street, between Greenwich street and West street, in such manner and to such extent as may be necessary.

JOHN HANN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANK L. DOWLING, CORNELIUS D. NOONAN, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, LEWIS M. POTTER, PATRICK S. KEELY, HARRY L. LEVERETT, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Freeman, Griffenhagen, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Kline, Kuck, Linde, Markert, Reardon, Redmond, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Torpey, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—41.

Alderman Davies called up Special Order No. 192, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1797.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on April 2, 1907 (Minutes, page 7), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, respectfully

REPORTS:

The accompanying resolution fixes the salaries of positions in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as it has recently been reorganized. Your Committee has previously taken the position that the responsibility for the conduct of its own office might very well be left to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment without criticism or interference by the Board of Aldermen. On the merits of the question, however, the committee agrees with most of the items of this resolution. The Chief Engineer, Mr. Lewis, and the assistants, Mr. Nichols and Mr. Tuttle, are all high grade technical men whose position and work have no political relations. Mr. Lewis has recently declined a very tempting offer to leave the City's employ. Mr. Nichols, in his work in the Bureau of Franchises has proved himself an independent and valuable public servant. The committee recommends the adoption of the resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 28, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 15, 1907, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in addition to those already existing therein:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Chief Engineer	1	\$12,000 00
Assistant Engineer	2	6,000 00
Assistant Engineer	1	3,000 00
Assistant Engineer	2	1,950 00
Stenographer to Board	1	3,500 00
Clerk	1	2,250 00
Clerk	1	2,100 00
Clerk of Street Openings	1	2,100 00
Law Clerk	1	1,650 00
Law Clerk	3	1,350 00
Clerk	1	750 00
Messenger	1	1,350 00

—to take effect January 1, 1907.

—be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words and figures 'to take effect January 1, 1907.'

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in the above resolution, as amended, and fixes the salaries of said positions as set forth therein.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Downing, Ellery, Freeman, Fried, Griffenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold,

Higgins, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Linde, Markert, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Noonan, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Stapleton, Sturges, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—44.

Alderman Griffenhagen called up Special Order No. 197, being a resolution, as follows:

No. 1922.

Resolved, That the name of Jansen avenue, running from Terrace View avenue to Leyden street, Marble Hill, in the Borough of Manhattan, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known and designated as Abrian avenue, and the President of the Borough is hereby authorized and requested to note the change on the maps and records of The City of New York.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Ellery, Freeman, Griffenhagen, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Krulish, Kuck, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—40.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS RESUMED.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity:

No. 1948.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row,
New York, April 30, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. MCGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Dear Sir—I herewith submit, for adoption by your Board, an ordinance amending section 282 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, regulating rents and extra charges to be collected by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

In 1900 the Common Council adopted a scale of water rents, including charges for frontage rates, extra families, closets, baths, water for building purposes and water supply to shipping, reserving for special contract with the Commissioner the rates for miscellaneous charges. The rates in this schedule, with few exceptions, have been enforced for a great many years, and there have been added extra rates applying to fixtures and uses of water which have not heretofore been covered by any regulation or law.

The right to impose a charge for rates not included in the schedule adopted by the Common Council in 1900 has been questioned several times, and the Corporation Counsel has advised that, in the absence of a contract existing between the water-taker and the City, the Department could not lawfully collect these extra charges, and for this reason these miscellaneous charges have been incorporated in this new schedule, which I submit to your Board for adoption.

The scale for frontage rates has been extended to cover a building of 100 feet frontage and ten stories in height, the old ordinance adopted in 1900 applying only to buildings having a frontage of 50 feet and not over five stories high.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. O'BRIEN, Commissioner.

AN ORDINANCE amending section 282 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York regulating rents and extra charges to be collected by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 282 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

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The minimum annual rents and extra charges to be collected by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall be as follows, to wit:

Front Width.	Stories.									
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.
16 feet and under	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00	\$9 00	\$10 00	\$11 00	\$12 00	\$13 00
16 to 18 feet...	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
18 to 20 feet...	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00
20 to 22½ feet.	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
22½ to 25 feet.	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00
25 to 30 feet...	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00	19 00
30 to 37½ feet.	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00	19 00	20 00	21 00
37½ to 50 feet.	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00	19 00	20 00	21 00	22 00	23 00
50 to 60 feet...	16 00	17 00	18 00	19 00	20 00	21 00	22 00	23 00	24 00	25 00
60 to 70 feet...	18 00	19 00	20 00	21 00	22 00	23 00	24 00	25 00	26 00	27 00
70 to 80 feet...	20 00	21 00	22 00	23 00	24 00	25 00	26 00	27 00	28 00	29 00
80 to 90 feet...	22 00	23 00	24 00	25 00	26 00	27 00	28 00	29 00	30 00	31 00
90 to 100 feet..	24 00	25 00	26 00	27 00	28 00	29 00	30 00	31 00	32 00	33 00

All rear buildings on any lot or lots, with front buildings thereon, shall pay an annual frontage rate of \$5 for each 25 feet front, or fraction thereof, but this provision shall not apply to buildings erected on corner lots, each of which buildings shall pay the regular rates as stated in the foregoing subdivisions.

The apportionment of the regular frontage rates upon dwelling houses is on the basis that but one family is to occupy same, and for each additional family or apartment, \$1 per year shall be charged.

Bathing tubs in dwelling houses, beyond one, shall be charged at \$3 per annum each, and \$5 per annum each in public houses, boarding houses and bathing establishments. Combination stationary washtubs, capable of use for bathing, shall be charged the same as bathing tubs.

Water closets and urinals, of every description, \$2 each per annum; one water closet and one bath in each house supplied free of charge.

Liquor and lager beer saloons shall be charged an annual rate of \$10 each. An additional charge of \$5 per annum shall be made for each faucet or wash box.

Stalls—For each stall, \$1 per annum.

Dining saloons shall be charged an annual rate of from \$5.

Fish stands (retail) shall be charged \$5 per annum each.

Laundries shall be charged an annual rate of from \$8.

Barber shops shall be charged from \$5 per annum; and an additional charge of \$5 per annum for each bath tub therein.

Bakeries shall be charged from \$3 per annum.

Soda, mineral water and root beer fountains shall be charged \$5 per annum.

Steam engines, where not metered, shall be charged by the horse-power, as follows: For each horse-power up to or not exceeding ten, the sum of \$10 per annum; for each exceeding ten, and not over fifteen, the sum of \$7.50 each, and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of \$5 each.

Boilers furnishing steam for drilling rock and for excavating purposes shall be charged \$5 per month each.

Baptistries shall be charged at the rate of \$10 per annum.

Florists shall be charged at the rate of \$5 and \$10 per annum.

Milk depots (for the purpose of washing cans) shall be charged \$7.50 per annum.

Bottling establishments shall be charged \$10 per annum.
 Photograph galleries shall be charged at the rate of \$5 or \$10 per annum.
 Horse Troughs—For each trough and for each half barrel or tub on sidewalk or street, \$20 per annum, each trough to be fitted with a proper ball-cock to prevent waste.
 Fire risks (not metered) shall be charged \$50 each per annum.
 For wetting down buildings in course of demolition a charge shall be made equal to one-fourth of the annual frontage rate charged against each building.
 Building Purposes—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone work to be measured as brick, 10 cents per thousand. For plastering, 40 cents per one hundred square yards, openings not included. For concreting, fireproofing or terra cotta partitions, 5 cents per cubic yard.
 Pile drivers and hoisting engines, per month, \$5.
 Boilers for coal diggers, etc., per month, \$5.
 Floating engines, per annum, \$25.
 Steam barges, per annum, \$25.
 Steam pumps, per annum, \$25.
 Steam derricks, per annum, \$25.
 Oyster boats, per annum, \$20.
 Dredges, per month, \$10.
 Steam lighters and tugboats, high pressure, per annum, \$90.
 Steam lighters and tugboats, low pressure, per annum, \$45.
 Steam yachts, per month, \$5 to \$10.

Water boats supplying shipping shall be charged by tank capacity, as follows:

	Per Month.
12,000 gallons, or less.....	\$25 00
12,000 to 20,000 gallons.....	37 50
20,000 to 30,000 gallons.....	50 00
30,000 to 40,000 gallons.....	62 50
40,000 to 60,000 gallons.....	75 00
60,000 to 100,000 gallons.....	100 00

Steam lighters and tugboats, one fill for special use, \$5.

Meter Rates—The charge for water measured by meter to be 10 cents per hundred cubic feet.

All charges not herein mentioned or fixed to be made by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman Diemer called up General Order No. 228, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1753.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 739), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of two positions in the Department of Public Charities at \$1,500 each per annum, respectfully

REPORTS:

Commissioner Hebbard appeared before the committee on behalf of the accompanying resolution, which provides for two new places in his Department, both for confidential employees. The committee has great confidence in Commissioner Hebbard, and is convinced that his work will be aided by the approval of the accompanying resolution, which the committee recommends.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following positions under the jurisdiction of the Department of Charities to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Confidential Stenographer.....	1	\$1,500 00
Confidential Inspector of Food Supplies.....	1	1,500 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dowling, Downing, Everson, Griffenhagen, Haggerty, Hann, Herold, Higgins, Kline, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—40.

SPECIAL ORDERS, AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Murphy called up Special Order 190, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1765.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 744), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salaries of certain positions in the office of Register, New York County, respectfully

REPORTS:

The accompanying resolution increases the salary of the Assistant Deputy Register from \$3,400 to \$4,000. It provides an increase in salary of \$300 for the Chief Searcher, who has been in the office for 26 years, and received his present salary for 8 years; and an increase of \$300 for the Assistant Satisfaction Clerk who has been in the Department for 35 years, and received his present salary for 7 years. It establishes the salary of the bookbinder at what we regard as the prevailing rate of wages; he now gets \$1,080. An increase of \$200 is provided for the Chief Clerk in the Bureau for the Preservation of Public Records, who has received his present salary for 6 years. The committee believes the increases reasonable and recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Register of New York County, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Assistant Deputy Register.....	1	\$4,000 00
Chief Searcher and Examiner.....	1	2,500 00
Assistant Satisfaction Clerk.....	1	2,400 00
Bookbinder.....	1	1,200 00
Chief Clerk in the Bureau for the Preservation of Public Records.....	1	1,800 00

—and the establishment of the position of Telephone Operator in the office of said Register, with salary at the rate of \$720 per annum for one (1) incumbent, to take effect April 1, 1907.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Callahan, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Griffenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, Hann, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Herold, Higgins, Kenneally, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, Potter, Reardon, Redmond, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—44.

Alderman Griffenhagen called up Special Order No. 198, being a resolution, as follows:

No. 1923.

Resolved, That the names of the following thoroughfares in the Borough of Manhattan shall hereafter be known and designated as hereinafter set forth, and the President of the borough is hereby authorized and directed to make the necessary changes on the maps and records of The City of New York:

The new street on the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, if produced west of Broadway, extending from Broadway to second new avenue west of Broadway (Overlook terrace), to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street."

The new street, just south of the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-third street, if produced west of Broadway, extending from a new avenue (not yet named) west of Fort Washington avenue to a new street (proposed "Magaw place") east of Fort Washington avenue, to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-third street."

The new street just south of the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, if produced west of Broadway, extending from Broadway to second new avenue (Overlook terrace) west of Broadway, to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street."

The new street on the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, if produced west of Broadway, extending from second new avenue (Overlook terrace) west of Broadway, to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street."

The new street just south of the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, if produced west of Wadsworth avenue, extending from Broadway to first new avenue (Bennett avenue) west of Broadway, to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street."

The new street just north of the line of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, if produced west of Wadsworth avenue, extending from Broadway to first new avenue (Bennett avenue) west of Broadway, to be known as "West One Hundred and Ninetieth street."

The new street just north of the line of West One Hundred and Ninety-second street, if produced west of Wadsworth avenue, extending from Broadway to first new avenue (Bennett avenue) west of Broadway, to be known as "West One Hundred and Ninety-second street."

The new street just south of the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, if produced west of Broadway, extending from Fort Washington avenue to first new avenue west of same (Northern avenue), to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street."

The new street just south of the line of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, if produced west of Wadsworth avenue, extending from Fort Washington avenue to first new avenue west of same (Northern avenue), to be known as "West One Hundred and Ninetieth street."

The new street just south of the line of Two Hundredth street, as laid out on old "Randal map," connecting the easterly and westerly sections of Fort Washington avenue where said avenue is laid out in the form of a loop, to be known as "Corbin place."

The new street east of and parallel with Fort Washington avenue, extending from West One Hundred and Eighty-first street to first new street north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street (proposed West One Hundred and Eighty-third street), to be known as "Magaw place."

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Callahan, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Griffenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Hatton, Herold, Higgins, Kline, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—47.

Alderman Hann called up Special Order No. 195, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1839.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred, on April 9, 1907 (Minutes, page 123), the annexed ordinance in favor of fixing the width of the roadway on Newkirk avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Coney Island avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to fix the width of the roadway on Newkirk avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Coney Island avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

That the width of the roadway on Newkirk avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Coney Island avenue, be and it hereby is fixed at twenty-eight feet from curb to curb, and that the sidewalk space is fixed at sixteen feet on each side thereof.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, HARRY L. LEVERETT, FRANK L. DOWLING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, JOHN HANN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Griffenhagen, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Levine, Linde, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—42.

Alderman Hann called up Special Order No. 196, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1841.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on April 9, 1907 (Minutes, page 124), the annexed resolution in favor of withdrawing all stoop line privileges, etc., on Newkirk avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Coney Island avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That all courtyard, fence line and stoop line privileges are hereby prohibited and withdrawn on Newkirk avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Coney Island avenue, and that it will be unlawful to build, project or place any fence, stoop, piazza, projection or encumbrance whatever beyond the private property line of the said street, between Flatbush avenue and Coney Island avenue.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, HARRY L. LEVERETT, FRANK L. DOWLING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, JOHN HANN, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen, Ahner, Bartscherer, Callahan, Cole, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Rendt, Richter, Smith, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—40.

At this point Alderman Freeman raised a point of order that under the rules Special Orders should not be called, except under the call of the roll in alphabetical order, when each member in his turn should have the right to call two numbers.

After some discussion the matter was referred to the Committee on Rules.

President Cromwell called up Special Order No. 188, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1749.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 738), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions under President, Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORTS:

The accompanying resolution provides an increase of \$500 each for two heads of bureaus in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond. The incumbents have rendered efficient service for five years, and the volume and importance of their work has gradually increased. The rest of the resolution affects Engineers, whose services the Borough President finds it difficult to retain at their present salaries. The Committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices.....	1	\$2,500 00
Superintendent of Sewers.....	1	2,500 00
Principal Assistant Engineer.....	2	3,600 00
Assistant Engineer.....	1	1,200 00
Assistant Engineer.....	1	1,350 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Kline, Kuck, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Redmond, Rendt, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—40.

Alderman Carter called up Special Order No. 191, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1770.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 746), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing two grades of positions in the office of the Surrogate of Queens County at \$1,500 each, respectfully

REPORTS:

Mr. Hendrickson, Chief Clerk of the Surrogate's Office, appeared before the Committee in relation to the accompanying resolution, and the Committee has carefully considered the items contained therein, which seem to be reasonable. The Committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Surrogate, Queens County, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Index Clerk.....	1	\$1,500 00
Assistant Clerk.....	1	1,500 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Kline, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Rendt, Richter, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—40.

Alderman Lawlor called up Special Order No. 178, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 419.

The Committee on Docks and Ferries, to whom was referred on March 13, 1906 (Minutes, page 1031), the annexed resolution in favor of the erection of a recreation pier at the foot of Hudson avenue, Gold street or Main street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORTS:

Your committee held a public hearing on this matter, which was largely attended by residents of the section affected by the proposed improvement; and the individual members of your committee have personally investigated this matter. The consensus of opinion, with practical unanimity, appears to be in favor of a recreation pier in the vicinity of Gold street. We therefore submit the following substitute resolution:

(SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen recommends to the favorable consideration of the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the proposition of the erection of a recreation pier at the foot of Gold street, Borough of Brooklyn, or as near thereto as is practicable.

(ORIGINAL.)

Resolved, That a recreation pier be erected at either the foot of Hudson avenue, Gold street or Main street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

HENRY CLAY PETERS, HERMAN S. FRIED, CHARLES L. KUCK, WILLIAM ROWCROFT, MICHAEL J. CARTER, FRED K. LINDE, Committee on Docks and Ferries.

Which report was accepted, and the substitute resolution adopted.

GENERAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Alderman Davies called up General Order No. 220, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1739.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 734), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions in office of Commissioner of Licenses, respectfully

REPORTS:

Commissioner Bogart appeared before the Committee and gave reasons for the approval of the accompanying resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. He explained that the Law and Complaint Clerk is a member of the bar, and has rendered efficient service at his present salary of \$1,500, since the office of Commissioner of Licenses was organized. He explained that the telephone operator was appointed with the expectation of being paid \$750, which was the salary paid to her predecessor, but on the first presentation of the payroll, it was discovered that the \$750 rate had never been authorized. The incumbent has served about a year at \$600. If the Committee had initial jurisdiction in the matter it would fix the salary at \$750, but is not inclined to disagree with the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in fixing the salary at \$900, which is the rate paid the greater number of telephone operators in the City's employ. Commissioner Bogart also informed the Committee that he had the funds to pay for the increased salaries.

The Committee has not as yet been advised by the Corporation Counsel as to making new salaries take effect at a date earlier than that of their adoption and approval by the Mayor, and the Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in all of said resolution except the provision as to when it shall take effect, and hereby fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect when this resolution is approved by the Mayor:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Commissioner of Licenses, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Law and Complaint Clerk.....	1	\$2,000 00
Telephone Operator.....	1	900 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, JOHN J. CRONIN, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, FRANK D. STURGES, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Everson, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Kenneally, Kline, Kuck, Levine, Markert, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Olvany, O'Neill, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—41.

Alderman Davies called up General Order No. 227, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 1752.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 739), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of two positions in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at \$2,250 and \$750 respectively, respectfully

REPORTS:

Colonel Smith, the Assistant Secretary to the Department, appeared before the Committee and explained that the Telephone Operator has received a salary of \$600 for nearly five years. The Clerk has received a salary of \$2,000 for four years, has been twenty-two years in the Department, acts as Chief Clerk in the Superintendent's office, and is said to be a very valuable man. The resolution provides an increase of \$250. The Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Telephone Operator.....	1	\$750 00
Clerk.....	1	2,250 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D.; FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Everson, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Hatton, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Levine, Markert, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—40.

Alderman Diemer called up General Order No. 225, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 1743.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 736), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions in the Fire Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

Fire Commissioner Lantry appeared before the committee and gave the reasons for asking for the two new places, Supervising Engineer and Interpreter, provided for by this resolution, and for the increase in salary of the Chief Inspector of Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau. The present incumbent of the last mentioned place is an expert electrician appointed from the Civil Service list, and receives \$1,200, although he has been receiving \$1,500 working under him. The increase to \$1,800 seems reasonable. The Interpreter is desired as an assistant to the Fire Marshal, and the committee believes that the Board will readily understand why such an assistant is needed. The committee desires for the present to hold under consideration the provision for a Supervising Engineer. The committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in so much of said resolution as refers to Interpreter and Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau, and fixes the salaries of the said positions as set forth in said resolution, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends

to the Board of Aldermen, the establishment of the following positions in the Fire Department, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Supervising Engineer	1	\$2,500 00
Interpreter	1	1,200 00
Chief Inspector in Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau.....	1	1,800 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Everson, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Hatton, Kenneally, Kline, Kuck, Lawlor, Markert, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—42.

Alderman Diemer called up General Order No. 229, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 1766.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 745), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing two grades of positions in the office of the Public Administrator, New York County, at \$2,700 and \$1,200 respectively, respectfully

REPORTS:

Mr. Hoes, the Public Administrator of New York County, appeared before the committee and explained that the Stenographer has been in the Department for fifteen years and has received the present salary of \$1,000 for eight years. The Chief Clerk has held his position for eighteen years and has received the present salary of \$2,300 for ten years. The committee regards the increases of salaries as reasonable and warranted, and recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Public Administrator, New York County, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1	\$1,200 00
Chief Clerk	1	2,700 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Cole, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hatton, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Markert, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Redmond, Richter, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—43.

Alderman Dowling called up General Order No. 230, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 1774.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 748), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salaries of two Probation Officers in the office of the Board of Parole, at \$1,400 each per annum, respectfully

REPORTS:

That in acting favorably upon this resolution, your committee does not wish to be understood as intending to establish the salary therein provided as a precedent in all cases of a similar nature.

Your committee recognizes that with respect to these particular incumbents they are obliged to incur expenses, for which no allowance is made them, and which materially reduce their actual compensation.

The number of persons in their custody on parole, and the territory required to be covered by them in the discharge of their duties, justify the salary provided by the resolution.

Your committee recommends that the resolution be amended by striking therefrom the words "to take effect April 1, 1907," and that as so amended the same be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Probation Officer in the office of the Board of Parole, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of \$1,400 per annum, for two incumbents, to take effect April 1, 1907.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, Hann, Hatton, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Markert, Moffitt, Monahan, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Redmond, Richter, Stapleton, Sturges, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—42.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 1949.

By the President—

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds:

By the President—

Vincenzo Ciuti, No. 139 West Tenth street, Manhattan.
Isabella M. Pettus, No. 415 Madison avenue, Manhattan.
A. J. Tierney, Decatur avenue, Bedford Park, Bronx.
Harry H. Pittinger, No. 176 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Carter—

Dorothy I. Distler, No. 33 Hansen place, Jamaica, Queens.

By Alderman Clifford—

Charles D. Affenzeller, No. 85 Amity street, Flushing, Queens.

By Alderman Davies—

H. G. Kosch, No. 615 West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, Manhattan.
Willis J. Blair, No. 505 Lenox avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Diemer—

Charles E. Rasmussen, No. 30 Graham avenue, Brooklyn.
Mark Rudich, No. 87 Tompkins avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dinwoodie—

Jacob H. Denenholz, No. 981 Forest avenue, Bronx.
Albert Munk, No. 771 East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Bronx.
James T. Bunt, No. 200 Brown place, Bronx.
David Love, No. 906 Summit avenue, Bronx.
Thomas J. Regan, No. 1388 Clinton avenue, Bronx.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Alexander S. Green, No. 271 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Doull—

Garrett Kirby, No. 345 West Thirty-fourth street, Manhattan.
Emil Laski, No. 312 Manhattan avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Everson—

Mollie Stollhoff, No. 52 Leonard street, Manhattan.
Wm. J. Horner, No. 52 Leonard street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Falk—

Morris Goldschmidt, No. 2976 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
Isaac Allen, No. 1575 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.
Albert A. Hovell, No. 952 East Eighteenth street, Brooklyn.
Louis H. Rose, No. 1595 Pitkin avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Farrell—

Bernard Weisberg, No. 311 East Seventy-ninth street, Manhattan.
M. A. Barney, No. 126 West One Hundred and Third street, Manhattan.
C. C. Dunbaugh, No. 259 West Ninety-second street, Manhattan.
John J. Fay, No. 355 West One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Manhattan.
Samuel H. Wandell, No. 114 Madison avenue, Manhattan.
John G. H. Meyers, No. 1690 Broadway, Manhattan.
Edwin J. Talley, No. 156 West Eighty-fifth street, Manhattan.
A. T. Schneider, No. 791 Eleventh avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Freeman—

Henry R. Noyes, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Grifenhagen—

Henry H. Silver, No. 531 West One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Hann—

David Spatt, No. 327 Osborne street, Brooklyn.
Thomas J. Evers, No. 233 Albany avenue, Brooklyn.
Anton Adam, No. 4 East Third street, Brooklyn.
William H. Barradell, No. 193 Rogers avenue, Brooklyn.
Warren H. Bristol, No. 848 Park place, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Harnischfeger—

Jacob Bissinger, No. 685 East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, Bronx.

By Alderman Higgins—

Campbell E. N. Gole, No. 77 Barrow street, Manhattan.
Arthur F. James, No. 962 Home street, Bronx.

By Alderman Kuck—

Nat B. Chadsey, No. 86 Butler street, Brooklyn.
I. Balch Louis, No. 277 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn.
H. Romaine Peck, No. 501 Quincy street, Brooklyn.
Frank M. Graham, No. 370 Clinton street, Brooklyn.
Meyer H. Goldfarb, No. 63 Varet street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kuntze—

John Manley, Park Department, Bronx.
Patrick J. Cullinan, No. 393 Willis avenue, Bronx.

By Alderman Levine—

Samuel Hyman, No. 955 Park avenue, Manhattan.
Henry C. Neuwirth, No. 173 Henry street, Manhattan.
Louis Rinaldo, No. 233 Grand street, Manhattan.
Abraham S. Goldman, No. 150 Nassau street, Manhattan.
Abraham B. Schleimer, No. 6 Wall street, Manhattan.
Rudolph L. Cherurg, No. 320 Broadway, Manhattan.
Morris Gellis, No. 45 Henry street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Linde—

William W. Carner, No. 1020 Fortieth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Markert—

Harry Dimin, No. 71 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Monahan—

Daniel O. Reilly, No. 28 Fourth place, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Mulligan—

George Finger, No. 320 Commonwealth avenue, Bronx.
Wm. J. P. Bible, Main street, Westchester, Bronx.

By Alderman Murphy—

A. Theo. Runde, No. 4509 Park Avenue West, Bronx.
H. H. Harris, No. 660 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Bronx.

By Alderman Noonan—

Benjamin W. Burger, No. 169 East Ninety-first street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Potter—

W. Lenpold, Eighteenth avenue and Fifth street, Brooklyn.
Genson Frank, No. 1040 Courtlandt street, Coney Island.
Benedict J. Beck, No. 1079 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Torpey—

William Levine, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Lexington avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wright—

Augusta McCoull, No. 644 Leonard street, Brooklyn.
Arthur R. Alexander, No. 20 Hausman street, Brooklyn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Cole, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Everson, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Hatton, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Markert, Moffitt, Monahan, Noonan, Olvany, Reardon, Redmond, Richter, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—40.

No. 1950.

By Alderman Sullivan—

AN ORDINANCE to prevent damage to the pavements of the streets and thoroughfares by waste material from motor vehicles.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. Every motor car, cab, carriage, coach, truck or wagon, of whatever character or description, operated on the streets or thoroughfares of The City of New York, whose propelling power derives its force from the use of any kind of oil, lubricant or other material, the nature of which emits a waste calculated to damage the pavements of the streets and thoroughfares, shall be equipped with a suitable drip can, receptacle or other device to catch such waste and prevent the same from falling to the pavement.

Sec. 2. Every failure to comply with the provisions of this ordinance on the part of the individual, firm, partnership or corporation owning, or on the part of any person or persons operating, any motor car, cab, carriage, coach, truck or wagon in The City of New York shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof by any Magistrate, either upon confession of the party or by competent testimony, shall be punishable by a fine not less than five dollars (\$5) and not exceeding twenty-five dollars (\$25), and, in default of payment of such fine, by

commitment to prison by such Magistrate until the same be paid; but such imprisonment shall not exceed ten days.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 1951.

By Alderman Sturges—

Resolved, That the Committee on Laws and Legislation be and it is hereby discharged from further consideration of the below enumerated matters, the subject matter of which has already been disposed of, and that the same be placed on file.

No. 1470. Communication from E. F. Schenck in relation to ticket speculators. Recommended. Page 41, Minutes of April 2, 1907.

No. 1474 (by Alderman Doull). Ordinance to amend the Code of Ordinances in relation to the sale of theatre tickets. Recommended. Page 41, Minutes of April 2, 1907.

Which was adopted.

No. 1952.

By Alderman Olvany—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the O'Neill-Adams Company to place and keep two awnings of iron and glass, one in front of their premises, on the north side, and the other in front of their premises, on the south side of West Twenty-first street, each respectively about 50 feet west of Sixth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan; provided that said awnings shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 1953.

By Alderman Mulligan—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that gas mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, street lamps, with Welsbach burners, placed thereon and lighted in Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between White Plains avenue and Hobart street, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 1954.

By the same—

Resolved, That the opinion of the Corporation Counsel be requested to inform this Board by what right, grant or franchise (if any) the Union Railway Company and the Westchester Electric Railway Company are operating what are known as "New Rochelle Express" cars, from New Rochelle in Westchester County to the Bronx Park "L" terminal in Webster avenue in the Borough of The Bronx, which said cars are run at an illegal speed and make only four (4) stops within the City limits, upon signal from passengers, or intending passengers.

Which was adopted.

No. 1955.

By Alderman Morris—

Whereas, John Hilbert Oberle, M. D., was one of the physicians employed by the Board of Coroners of the Borough of The Bronx to aid the sufferers on the occasion of the disaster to the steamer "General Slocum"; and

Whereas, The said John Hilbert Oberle, M. D., has never received any compensation for services rendered by him as set forth in the hereto annexed petition; therefore be it

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of four hundred dollars (\$400), the proceeds whereof shall be applied in payment of the services rendered to the Board of Coroners of the Borough of The Bronx by John Hilbert Oberle, M. D., following the occasion of the disaster to the steamer "General Slocum" in June, 1904.

In the Matter

of

The application of John Hilbert Oberle, M. D., to be compensated for professional services rendered in assisting the officials of The City of New York in caring for the victims of the "Slocum" disaster.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

The petition of John Hilbert Oberle, M. D., respectfully submits to your Honorable Board for its consideration the following facts:

First—That on the 15th day of June, 1904, John Hilbert Oberle, M. D., your petitioner, was and ever since has been a physician duly authorized by law to practice medicine in the State of New York.

Second—That on or about the said 15th day of June, Joseph I. Berry, then a Coroner for the Borough of The Bronx, directed Dr. Thomas H. Curtin, a Coroner's physician, to secure the services of additional physicians for emergency work required by reason of the loss of life occasioned by the burning of the steamboat "General Slocum" on the morning of that date.

Third—That Dr. Thomas H. Curtin requested the petitioner to render such services.

Fourth—That thereafter, and until the 1st day of July, 1904, the petitioner rendered services as Acting Coroner's Physician in inspecting bodies taken from said "Slocum" disaster for the purpose of ascertaining the cause of death and make out death certificates therefor. That the said services were performed each day between the hours of 5 o'clock in the afternoon and 5 o'clock next morning.

Fifth—That on or about the 19th day of February, 1906, the petitioner presented to the Honorable Herman A. Metz, the Comptroller of your City, a notice of claim in writing, demanding that said Comptroller pay to your petitioner the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400) for the services above mentioned. That the Comptroller refused so to do, and your petitioner instituted an action in the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of The Bronx, Second District, for the purpose of collecting said amount. That thereafter the case was submitted to the Honorable John M. Tierney, Justice of said Court, upon a state of facts admitted both by The City of New York and your petitioner.

Sixth—That the said Justice decided against your petitioner upon the ground that there was no express provision in the Charter permitting the Coroner to employ extra assistance of the character rendered by the petitioner, and that said Justice stated in his opinion that although it seemed obvious on the facts that your petitioner should be paid, yet his petition in favor of his receiving compensation from the City should have been addressed to those who have the power to make an appropriation for that purpose. Your petitioner annexes a copy of said decision in full, marked Schedule "A."

Seventh—That at a time subsequent to the performance of these services hereinbefore set forth, one, Cornelius Eagan, and one, Joseph A. Mulholland, both practicing physicians, received compensation from The City of New York for services rendered simultaneously with that of the petitioner, the nature of which was in all respects identical with that rendered by your petitioner.

Eighth—That your petitioner has never been paid for the services above mentioned nor has he received any remuneration whatever therefor.

Wherefore your petitioner humbly prays that this Honorable Board of Aldermen will, in the wise exercise of its discretion and power, conferred upon it by the Charter of The City of New York, appropriate to the benefit of your petitioner a sum of money to remunerate him for the services hereinbefore mentioned and rendered by him to said City.

Yours, etc.,

JOHN HILBERT OBERLE, Petitioner.

State of New York, City and County of New York, ss.:

John Hilbert Oberle, M. D., being duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is the petitioner in the above entitled action; that he has read the foregoing petition and

knows the contents thereof and that the same are true to his knowledge except as to those matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

JOHN HILBERT OBERLE.

Sworn to before me this 19th day of April, 1907.

Jno. J. Fox,

Notary Public, New York County.

EXHIBIT "A."

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Borough of The Bronx, Second District.

John Hilbert Oberle, plaintiff, against The City of New York, defendant.

Decision of John M. Tierney, Justice.

In cases of emergency public officers are at times required to call for adequate assistance without stopping to go through the forms of securing legal authorization. In such cases it often happens that they and those who accept their employment must depend upon a subsequent recognition by the proper authorities of the exigency of the occasion and the ratification and approval of their acts by supplying needed authorization thereafter. The Charter provides for emergency calls in some departments by giving the head of the department a limited discretion, but obviously all contingencies cannot be provided for.

The occasion in this case was extraordinary. By an appalling disaster the Coroner was suddenly called upon to pass upon the cause of death of hundreds of people and could not have covered the ground within the time that the circumstances required, with the facilities provided by the Charter. The plaintiff rendered valuable services as a physician in assisting the Coroner in this emergency. That he should be paid seems obvious on the facts of this case, but the arguments in favor of his receiving compensation from the City must be addressed to those who have the power to make an appropriation for that purpose. The Court has no jurisdiction to audit his claim but only to pass upon the legal question whether he has a contract right to recover. Unfortunately there is no express provision in the Charter permitting the Coroner to employ extra assistance of the character rendered by the plaintiff. The plaintiff is bound to show that his employment was authorized by some provision of law. The value and necessity of his services do not raise an implied promise to pay for them against the City.

It is with regret that I am forced to the conclusion that the meritorious claim of the plaintiff is not founded upon some basis that makes it legally enforceable, but under the decisions the plaintiff has failed to establish a cause of action.

Judgment must, therefore, be awarded to the defendant.

Dated the 11th day of July, 1906.

(Signed) JOHN M. TIERNEY,
Justice of the Municipal Court.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1956.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Vincent Galdi to erect and keep a barber pole on the northwest corner of Southern boulevard and Webster avenue, Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of President of the Borough of The Bronx, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 1957.

By Alderman Moffitt—

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby requested to repave West Thirteenth street, from Eighth avenue to West street.

Which was adopted.

No. 1958.

By Alderman Markert—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Kolb to place and keep a watering trough on the southeast corner of Manhattan avenue and Ten Eyck street, on the Ten Eyck street side, in the Borough of Brooklyn; the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 1959.

By Alderman Kuck—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the St. Anthony Society to place poles and string wires therefrom for the purposes of illumination, on Carroll street, from Fourth avenue to Nevins street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the feast days of June 12 and 13, 1907.

Which was adopted.

No. 1960.

By Alderman Herold—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Weibe to place and keep a watering trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, on the corner of Flushing and Woodward avenues, Borough of Queens; the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 1961.

By Alderman Falk—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that a watering trough be erected and maintained on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the northeast corner of Barbey street and Blake avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 1962.

By Alderman Herold—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Meadow Gun Club of Corona to discharge firearms, in the shape of target shooting, at Meyer's Hotel grounds, Corona, Borough of Queens, for the period of three months from May 1, 1907, under the direction of the Commissioner of Police, such permission to continue only for the time above mentioned.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

No. 1963.

By Alderman Diemer—

Resolved, That the Committee on Railroads be and is hereby discharged from further consideration of the below enumerated matters, and the same are ordered on file.

No. 1042. Petition from Sixty-fifth Aldermanic District of Brooklyn Citizens' Union relative to insufficient accommodation on Halsey street line. Page 321, Minutes July 31, 1906.

No. 1044. Petition from Municipal Ownership League relative to insufficient accommodation on Halsey street and Gates avenue lines. Page 322, Minutes of July 31, 1906.

No. 1440. Communication from A. F. MacDougall in relation to No. 1105, being G. O. No. 178. Page 22, Minutes of January 7, 1907.

No. 1538. Communication from State Board of Railroad Commissioners in the matter of widening the platforms of the Long Island Railroad stations at Ninety-ninth street and Third avenue. Page 189, Minutes of February 5, 1907.

No. 1620. Communication from the West End Association in favor of passage of General Order No. 178. Page 493, Minutes of February 26, 1907.

No. 1675. Communication from the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners in relation to passenger elevator at West Farms station, Subway Division. Page 639, Minutes of March 12, 1907.

Which was adopted.

No. 1964.

By Alderman Cole—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Frank A. Robbins Circus to parade through the streets and thoroughfares of the former village of Port Richmond, in the Borough of Richmond, on Friday, May 3, 1907; said permission to be under the direction of the Police Department and to continue only for the day and date mentioned.

Which was adopted.

No. 1965.

By Alderman Davies—

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it do adjourn to meet Tuesday, May 7, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Which was adopted.

No. 1966.

By President Coler—

Resolved, That, in pursuance of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to an amount not to exceed two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to repairing asphalt pavements in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Alderman Downing moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, May 7, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.

P. J. SCULLY,
City Clerk, and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week Ending April 20, 1907.

Central Park, The City of New York—Latitude, 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude, 73° 57' 58" W.
Height of Instruments Above the Ground, 53 feet; Above the Sea, 97 feet.

BAROMETER.

DATE.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean for the Day.	Maximum.	Minimum.
April.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 14	29.480	29.524	29.684	29.563	29.730	29.460
Monday, 15	29.814	29.800	29.826	29.813	29.830	29.730
Tuesday, 16	29.796	29.634	29.514	29.648	29.820	29.490
Wednesday, 17	29.566	29.620	29.780	29.655	29.830	29.544
Thursday, 18	29.874	29.820	29.884	29.859	29.884	29.804
Friday, 19	29.800	29.700	29.770	29.757	29.870	29.690
Saturday, 20	29.920	29.850	29.980	29.917	30.018	29.800

Mean for the week 29.744 inches.
Maximum " at 12 p. m., April 20 30.018 "
Minimum " at 2 a. m., April 14 29.460 "
Range "558 "

THERMOMETERS.

DATE.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Maximum.
April.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 14	43	40	51	44	39	37	44.3
Monday, 15	37	34	46	40	42	38	41.6
Tuesday, 16	43	39	49	43	50	48	47.3
Wednesday, 17	41	37	48	42	45	41	44.6
Thursday, 18	40	36	48	41	42	40	43.3
Friday, 19	44	40	38	36	41	39	41.0
Saturday, 20	40	36	48	41	40	37	42.6

Mean for the week 43.5 degrees.
Maximum " at 5 p. m., April 16 52 " at 10 p. m., April 16 48 " degrees.
Minimum " at 5 a. m., April 15 37 " at 7 a. m., April 15 34 " "
Range " 15 " 14 "

WIND.

DATE.		Direction.			Velocity in Miles.				Force in Pounds per Square Foot.				
		7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	7 a. m. to 7 a. m.	7 a. m. to 2 p. m.	2 p. m. to 9 p. m.	Distance for the Day.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	14	NW	NNW	NNW	59	89	87	235	½	1½	¾	3¾	7.00 p. m.
Monday,	15	NW	NW	WNW	92	105	78	275	2	4	0	4	2.00 p. m.
Tuesday,	16	W	W	S	23	26	35	84	0	0	0	2½	10.30 a. m.
Wednesday,	17	WNW	NW	WNW	88	102	76	266	1½	2½	0	8	11.40 a. m.
Thursday,	18	WNW	NW	N	46	86	55	187	¾	1½	0	3¼	11.50 a. m.
Friday,	19	SSE	N	WNW	15	16	15	46	0	0	¾	4	2.20 p. m.
Saturday,	20	WNW	NW	NNW	18	88	88	194	1	3	¾	7¼	11.40 a. m.

Distance traveled during the week 1,287 miles.
Maximum force during the week 8 " pounds.

DATE.	Hygrometer.								Clouds.			Rain and Snow.		Ozone.		
	Force of Vapor.				Relative Humidity.				Clear, Overcast, o. 10.			Depth of Rain and Snow in Inches.				
	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Mean.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
April.																
Sunday, 14	.208	.196	.194	.199	75	52	81	69	3 Cir	4 Cu	0					
Monday, 15	.157	.169	.177	.167	71	54	66	63	1 Cir	4 Cu	0					
Tuesday, 16	.186	.199	.309	.231	67	57	85	69	8 Cu	10	10					
Wed'sd'y, 17	.168	.189	.205	.187	65	56	68	63	8 Cu	4 Cu	0					
Thursday, 18	.160	.166	.221	.182	64	49	83	65	3 Cir	4 Cu	0					
Friday, 19	.195	.186	.212	.197	67	81	82	76	10	10	0	8.15 a.m.	2 p. m.	5.45	.09	*
Saturday, 20	.160	.166	.181	.169	64	49	73	62	0	5 Cu	0					

* Melted.

Total amount of water for the week 0.09 inches.
Duration for the week 5 hours, 45 minutes.

DATE.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.
Sunday, April 14	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, pleasant.
Monday, " 15	Cool, windy.	Cool, windy.
Tuesday, " 16	Cool, hazy.	Cool, hazy.
Wednesday, " 17	Cool, cloudy.	Cool, windy.
Thursday, " 18	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, windy.
Friday, " 19	Cool, overcast.	Cool, snowing.
Saturday, " 20	Cool, pleasant.	Cool, windy.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

April 15, 1907.

The following proceedings were this day directed by the Police Commissioner:

On reading and filing report of the Chief Clerk,

Ordered, That the contract for furnishing and delivering twenty-one horses for the Police Department of The City of New York, in accordance with specifications therefor, be and is hereby awarded to Fiss, Doerr & Carroll Horse Company for the sum and price of \$295 per horse, making a total of \$6,195, they being the only bidders, and that the Police Commissioner execute such contract on the approval of sureties by the Comptroller.

Ordered (by the Acting Police Commissioner on April 12, 1907), That an extension of time until May 15, 1907, be granted to William Flanagan & Co., No. 835 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, under contract executed December 10, 1906, for repairs at the Sixty-third Precinct Station.

Ordered, That the following named persons be and are hereby appointed Deputy Clerks in the Police Department, at the rate of \$1,000 each per annum, their conduct and efficiency on probation having been satisfactory:

John J. McHugh. William C. Fitzpatrick.
Samuel L. Cornell. Thomas V. Gaffney.
Joseph V. Nichols. Stephen J. McDonald.
Henry A. Eggers. John I. Cotter.

On reading and filing eligible list of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated April 4, 1907,

Ordered, That James E. Feeley, whose name appears on such eligible list, be and is hereby appointed as Doorman on probation.

Ordered, That the Municipal Civil Service Commission be respectfully informed as to the other names appearing on such eligible list, that Bernard A. Johnston, Dennis E. Hogan and James Brown failed to appear and George E. Helme was rejected for varicosities and defective vision.

Ordered, That John E. Byrne, of No. 887 Tenth avenue, whose name appears on eligible list of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated March 25, 1907, be and is hereby appointed a Driver in the Police Department, with compensation at the rate of \$2.50 per day, for duty in the Borough of Manhattan.

Ordered, That Edward J. Carroll and Caleb Jones be and are hereby appointed Doormen in the Police Department, their conduct and efficiency while on probation having been satisfactory, such appointments to take effect as of April 13, 1907, the date of expiration of term of probation in each case.

Ordered, That Margaret Byrne be and is hereby appointed Matron in the Police Department, her conduct and efficiency while on probation having been satisfactory; this appointment to take effect as of April 6, 1907, the date of expiration of term of probation.

Referred to the Comptroller.

Requisition No. 91—

Improving, permanently bettering and equipping station houses of the Police Department \$4,033 00
Revenue Bond Fund for Police Department, general repairs, alterations and painting station houses 10,780 00
Supplies for Police, 1906 1,179 53
Police Station Houses, etc., 1906 7,142 00
Supplies for Police, 1907 5,559 70
Police Station House Rents, 1907 2,445 16

Total \$31,139 39

Requisition No. 92—

Supplies for Police, 1907 \$14,612 98

Requisition No. 93—

Supplies for Police, 1907 \$308 54

Ordered to be Paid.

From Pension Fund, sick time, Andrew A. Scheidler and sixteen others, \$1,113.86.

Denied.

Petitions for increases of pensions of Mary E. White, widow of James P. White and Della Ellis, widow of Adna Ellis.

Application for increase of pension of August C. Siegert, pensioner.

Disapproved.

Application of Morris Bernhard Company, Nos. 144 to 152 West Eighteenth street, Manhattan, for appointment of J. Almstaedt as Special Patrolman.

Granted.

Application of Giuseppe Gaudino, No. 128 Hudson street, Brooklyn, to withdraw application for runner's license, and requesting return of fee paid. Deposit to be refunded.

Runner's License Granted.

Stefan Bujakiewicz, No. 131 East Seventh street, Manhattan, from date granted for one year, fee \$20, bond \$300.

Masquerade Ball Permit Granted.

Joseph Foerst, Wakefield Casino, Bronx, April 13; fee \$10.

On File, Send Copy.

Reports of Acting Sergeant in command of Boiler Squad, dated April 10, 11, 12 and 13, 1907, relative to engineers' licenses granted. For publication in the CITY RECORD.

Report of the Bookkeeper, relative to copy of order and notice of lien of F. N. DuBois & Co. against Charles Bender, for steam heating headquarters, Brooklyn, and stating that Police Department has no contract or order with Charles Bender. Lien to be returned to the Bookkeeper for filing and copy of report of Bookkeeper to be sent to Phillips & Avery, No. 41 Park row, attorneys for F. N. DuBois & Co.

Special Orders Nos. 84, 85 and 86, issued April 12, 13 and 15, 1907, are hereby made part of the proceedings of the Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 84.

The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Inspector.

Dennis Sweeney, Sixth Inspection District, assigned to command Fifth Inspection District, in addition to his own district, during absence of Inspector James E. Dillon with leave, for eighteen hours, from 12 midnight, April 19, 1907, also during his absence on vacation, for four days, from 6 p. m., April 20, 1907.

Patrolmen.

Henry Brueck and John A. Daly, Twelfth Precinct, assigned to First Inspection District, duty in plain clothes, for five days, from 8 a. m., April 13, 1907.

The following extensions of temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Patrolmen.

Edward F. Rayens, First Precinct, to District Attorney's office, New York County, for five days, from 6 p. m., April 12, 1907.

Thomas A. Dwyer and Irving E. Schramm, Forty-fourth Precinct, to Eighth Inspection District, duty in plain clothes, for five days, from 12 noon, April 12, 1907.

The following members of the Department are excused as indicated:

Inspectors.

Sylvester D. Baldwin, Tenth Inspection District, for eighteen hours, from 8 a. m., April 13, 1907.

James E. Dillon, Fifth Inspection District, for eighteen hours, from 12 midnight, April 19, 1907, with permission to leave City.

Captains.

John W. Parrett, Eighty-fourth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 8 a. m., April 13, 1907.

Patrick Murphy, Sixty-third Precinct, for twelve hours, from 12 noon, April 12, 1907.

James B. Ferris, Seventh Precinct, for twelve hours, from 11 a. m., April 13, 1907.

Henry Halpin, Twenty-sixth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 11 a. m., April 12, 1907.

The following leave of absence is hereby granted with full pay:

Inspector.

James E. Dillon, Fifth Inspection District, for four days, from 6 p. m., April 20, 1907, to be deducted from vacation.

The following leaves of absence are hereby granted with half pay:

Patrolmen.

Daniel J. Maloney, Third Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, April 12, 1907.

James Cavanagh, Thirty-third Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, April 12, 1907.

James J. Gannon, Forty-eighth Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, April 12, 1907.

James J. Byrnes, Seventy-third Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, April 12, 1907.

The following leaves of absence are hereby granted without pay:

Patrolmen.

Jeremiah S. Kearney, Fifty-first Precinct, for one day, from 12 noon, April 14, 1907.

John T. Maddock, Third Precinct, for three days, from 12 noon, April 11, 1907.

The resignations of the following Special Patrolmen are hereby accepted:

Emanuel Meyers, employed by Commercial Cable Building Company, No. 20 Broad street, Manhattan.

C. R. Herting, employed by Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company, No. 85 Clinton street, Brooklyn.

Frank H. Merrell, employed by Reineman & Buckbinder, No. 2390 Third avenue, Manhattan.

Timothy J. Dowling, employed by A. T. De Lamare, No. 2 Duane street, Manhattan.

Dennis J. Sweeney, employed by John Gerkins, Ridgewood grove, Cypress avenue, Queens.

David Sambrooke, employed by Von Hoesen & Brother, No. 67 South street, Manhattan.

James Cooke, employed by Astoria Light, Heat and Power Company, Astoria, Long Island.

The appointments of the following Special Patrolmen are hereby revoked:

Albert Koppel, employed by Standard Syphon Protective Association, No. 62 Willett street, Brooklyn.

Marcy Levey, employed by M. Lustig, No. 42 Avenue C, Manhattan.

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Acting Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 85.

The following resignation is hereby accepted:

To take effect 12 midnight, April 13, 1907:

Patrolman.

John Blush, Twelfth Precinct.

The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Inspector.

John Wiegand, Eighth Inspection District, assigned to command Tenth Inspection District, in addition to his own district, during absence of Inspector Sylvester D. Baldwin with leave for 18 hours, from 8 a. m., April 13, 1907.

Roundsman.

Henry Brown, Sixty-third Precinct, assigned as Acting Sergeant in precinct during absence of Sergeants at drill, April 12, 1907.

Patrolmen.

John Cavanagh, Seventy-second Precinct, assigned as Driver of patrol wagon during absence of Patrolman Charles E. Billups, at Third Inspection District office, from 8 a. m., April 12, 1907.

Patrick Reilly, Forty-fifth Precinct, assigned as Driver of patrol wagon during absence of Patrolman James H. McGuire on sick leave, from 6 p. m., April 11, 1907.

William H. Allen, Seventy-sixth Precinct, assigned as Driver of patrol wagon during absence of Patrolman James J. Walker on sick leave, from 6 p. m., April 11, 1907.

John Gerithy, Thirty-eighth Sub-Precinct, assigned as Acting Doorman during absence of Doorman Stephen Filan on sick leave.

Thomas G. Clark, Central Office Squad, assigned to Sixty-fifth Precinct, from 2 p. m., April 13, 1907.

The following extensions of temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Patrolmen.

John H. Jones, Sixty-fifth Precinct, to Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad for 5 days, from 12 noon, April 13, 1907.

Joseph F. Reichert, Sixth Precinct, and Daniel T. Scannell, Twenty-ninth Precinct, to District Attorney's office, New York County, for 5 days, from 4 p. m., April 14, 1907.

The following temporary assignment is hereby discontinued:

To take effect 8 a. m., April 13, 1907:

Patrolman.

William W. Drastal, Nineteenth Precinct, to Central Office Squad.

The following members of the Department are excused as indicated:

Captains.

William Knipe, Seventy-first Precinct, for 12 hours, from 12 noon, April 15, 1907.

John F. Tappin, Eighty-fifth Precinct, for 12 hours, from 12 noon, April 13, 1907.

Richard T. Hickman, Seventy-sixth Second Sub-Precinct, for 12 hours, from 8 a. m., April 13, 1907.

Thomas F. Maude, Forty-sixth Precinct, for 12 hours, from 12 noon, April 15, 1907.

The following leaves of absence are hereby granted with half pay:

Patrolmen.

John J. Mahoney, Fifty-ninth Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, April 13, 1907.

George F. Jackson, Fifty-eighth Precinct, for one-half day, from 12.01 a. m., April 14, 1907.

William J. Rohrbach, Eighth Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, April 14, 1907, with permission to leave City.

The following leave of absence is hereby granted without pay:

Patrolman.

Charles Schifferdecker, Fifty-second Precinct, for 1 day, from 12 noon, April 11, 1907.

The resignation of the following Special Patrolman is hereby accepted:

Emanuel Meyers, employed by Commercial Cable Building Company, No. 20 Broad street, Manhattan.

The appointment of the following Special Patrolman is hereby revoked:

Joseph Loria, employed by New York Team Owners' Association, Manhattan.

ARTHUR J. O'KEEFFE, Acting Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 86.

The following transfers and assignments are hereby ordered:

To take effect 8 p. m., April 16, 1907:

Sergeants.

Ernest L. B. Von Diezelski, from Eleventh Precinct to Eighth Precinct.

Patrick Brady, from Forty-fourth Precinct to Forty-fifth Precinct.

Roundsmen.

Patrick J. Kelly, from Third Precinct to Tenth Precinct.

Edward S. McConnin, from Fifty-seventh Precinct to Fifty-ninth Precinct.

George Siess, from Twenty-ninth Precinct to Sixth Precinct.

To take effect 8 a. m., April 16, 1907:

Mounted Patrolmen.

Charles A. Turner, from Thirty-fourth Precinct to Third Precinct, for duty at Third Sub-Precinct.

Ed. M. Edsall, from Third Precinct to Thirty-fourth Precinct.

Henry J. Schappert, from Thirty-ninth Precinct to Eightieth Second Sub-Precinct.

Bicycle Patrolmen.

John J. Delaney, from Thirty-ninth Precinct to Twenty-sixth Precinct.

John H. Howe, from Twenty-sixth Precinct to Thirty-ninth Precinct.

Everett G. Sager, from Thirty-ninth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.

John J. Eller, from Thirtieth Precinct to Thirty-ninth Precinct.

Patrolmen.

Thomas B. Farley, Ninth Precinct, transferred to Third Inspection District, and assigned to duty in plain clothes.

Edward Carrette, Third Inspection District, remanded from duty in plain clothes and transferred to Ninth Precinct.

William F. J. Pierce, Thirty-ninth Precinct, and Charles McKenna, Thirty-first Precinct, transferred to Eightieth Second Sub-Precinct and assigned to mounted duty.

To take effect 8 p. m., April 16, 1907:

Patrolman.

Thomas G. Clark, from Central Office Squad to Sixty-fifth Precinct.

The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Patrolmen.

Joseph Banger, Seventy-seventh Precinct, assigned as Acting Doorman in precinct during absence of Doorman Edward J. Keating on sick leave, from 8 a. m., April 13, 1907.

Sylvester Brierton, Forty-fifth Precinct, assigned to Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad for 5 days, from 12 noon, April 13, 1907.

Matrons.

Henrietta Durie, Forty-eighth Precinct, assigned to Forty-ninth Precinct, for 5 days, from 6 p. m., April 13, 1907.

Maggie A. Jaffrey, Fifty-ninth Precinct, assigned to Forty-eighth Precinct, for 5 days, from 6 p. m., April 13, 1907.

Maude M. Leslie, Fifty-fifth Precinct, assigned to Forty-ninth Precinct, for 5 days, from 6 p. m., April 13, 1907.

Grace Davis, Forty-ninth Precinct, assigned to Fifty-fifth Precinct, for 5 days, from 6 p. m., April 13, 1907.

The following temporary assignments are hereby discontinued:

Sergeant.

Bernard J. Kelleher, Sixteenth Precinct, to District Attorney's office, New York County, from 8 p. m., April 15, 1907.

Matron.

Maggie A. Jaffrey, Fifty-ninth Precinct to Forty-ninth Precinct.

The following members of the Department are excused as indicated:

Captains.

John Cooney, Fifty-fourth Precinct, for 12 hours, from 11 a. m., April 15, 1907.

David Evans, Sixty-second Precinct, for 12 hours, from 10 a. m., April 15, 1907.

Joseph Burns, Thirty-eighth Precinct, for 12 hours, from 12 noon, April 19, 1907.

John D. Herlihy, Fourteenth Precinct, for 12 hours, from 12 noon, April 16, 1907.

Martin Handy, Thirteenth Precinct, for 12 hours, from 12 noon, April 19, 1907.

Henry W. Burfeind, Thirtieth Precinct, for 12 hours, from 9 a. m., April 18, 1907, with permission to leave City.

John J. Lantry, Twenty-fourth Precinct, for 12 hours, from 12 noon, April 15, 1907.

The following leave of absence is hereby granted without pay:

Roundsman.

Morris Cohen, Seventy-seventh Precinct, for 2 days, from 12 midnight, April 14, 1907.

The following leave of absence is hereby granted with half pay:

Patrolman.

Charles Draheim, Sixty-first Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 midnight, April 13, 1907.

The following death is reported:

Patrolman.

George M. Sechler, Sixteenth Precinct, at 10.30 p. m., April 14, 1907.

The following Special Patrolmen are hereby appointed:

Fred W. Eden for Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, No. 85 Clinton street, Brooklyn.

John J. Lauben for Thomas Russell & Son, No. 441 Pearl street, Manhattan.

Robert T. Clary for New York City Humane Society, No. 47 John street, Manhattan.

Samuel Cohen for H. Bloomstone, No. 93 Thatford avenue, Brooklyn.

Henry J. Masson for Bank of Metropolis, No. 31 Union Square, Manhattan.

George C. Pierrepont for the Woodlawn Cemetery, Woodlawn, The Bronx.

Simon O'Brien for Frank Rogozinski, No. 42 Grand street, Brooklyn.

Henry M. Hansen for Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, No. 85 Clinton street, Brooklyn.

Hugh J. Sheridan for Mallory Steamship Company, No. 80 South street, Manhattan.

Elmer Walter Finley for Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, No. 85 Clinton street, Brooklyn.

The resignations of the following Special Patrolmen are hereby accepted:

Michael J. McGlone, employed by Van Tassell & Kearney, No. 126 East Thirteenth street, Manhattan.

Emil Hortenbach, employed by Morse Dry Dock and Repair Company, foot of Fifty-fifth street, Brooklyn.

Armand D. Whiteman, employed by New Amsterdam Casualty Company, No. 74 William street, Manhattan.

Otto H. Weiler, employed by Charles H. Zeltner, One Hundred and Seventieth street and Third avenue, The Bronx.

The following are reappointed Special Patrolmen, to take effect as of dates indicated:

Thomas Baldwin for Grand Central Hall, Leonard and Schole streets, Brooklyn, April 6, 1907.

Louis Wolff for Remigius Dose, Wyckoff avenue and Halsey street, Brooklyn, April 5, 1907.

Edward G. Langton for New York Infant Asylum, No. 161 West Sixty-first street, Manhattan, April 10, 1907.

Emanuel Meyers for Commercial Cable Building Company, No. 20 Broad street, Manhattan, April 12, 1907.

Patrick J. Buckley for Broadway Trust Company, No. 756 Broadway, Manhattan, April 6, 1907.

Henry O. Corbitt for Mutual Life Insurance Company, No. 34 Nassau street, Manhattan, April 9, 1907.

Michael Kane, for Chelsea Exchange Bank, No. 266 West Thirty-fourth street, Manhattan, April 9, 1907.

Michael J. McGlone for Van Tassell & Kearney, No. 126 East Thirteenth street, Manhattan, April 15, 1907.

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

April 16, 1907.

The following proceedings were this day directed by the Police Commissioner:

On reading and filing report of Captain Herman W. Schlottman, dated April 15, 1907, of the arrest of John P. McDonald, employed as Fireman on steamboat "Patrol," for intoxication, and of his being arraigned in the First District Court, where he was fined \$10 by Magistrate Wahle.

Ordered, That John P. McDonald be and is hereby dismissed from employment in the Police Department of The City of New York.

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list to enable the Police Commissioner to employ one Fireman for duty on the steamboat "Patrol," with compensation at the rate of \$900 per annum.

Ordered, That Philip J. Feldman, who resigned from the Police Department as Patrolman April 19, 1906, for cause other than fault or delinquency on his part, be and is hereby reappointed as Patrolman.

Ordered, That the Bookkeeper be and is hereby directed to pay from the Police Pension Fund to George W. Flemming, of No. 245 Sixteenth street, Brooklyn, the sum of \$3, the same being the deposit on his special shield No. 1309, old issue, which was unclaimed and paid into the Police Pension Fund, January 3, 1907, his shield having been returned to the Bookkeeper.

Referred to Municipal Civil Service Commission.

Requisition No. 94, Police Department Fund, Sites and Buildings, \$50.

Referred to Comptroller.

Requisition No. 95, Supplies for Police, 1907, \$879.85.

Granted.

Application of Jeremiah Shea, Patrolman, Thirty-second Precinct, to be reimbursed for winter uniform destroyed March 18, 1907. (To take effect as of March 29, 1907.)

Disapproved.

Applications of Addison W. Brown Electric Company, Nos. 302 and 304 Washington street, Brooklyn, for appointment of Daniel J. Revery, and Ecker Bros., No. 22 Grand street, Brooklyn, for appointment of John Van Vorst as Special Patrolmen.

Masquerade Ball Permits Granted.

T. Sheldon, Metropolitan Roller Rink, Manhattan, April 16; fee, \$25.

Harry J. Cleary, Wornick Hall, Manhattan, April 19; fee, \$5.

Geo. O. Ellery, Crosby Hall, Brooklyn, April 10; fee, \$5.

Conrad Heiser, Teutonia Hall, Brooklyn, April 13; fee, \$10.

Gus Simonson, Beck's Casino, Brooklyn, April 13; fee, \$10.

Geo. Hermann, Turn Hall, Brooklyn, April 17; fee, \$5.

On File, Send Copy.

Report of Acting Sergeant in command of Boiler Squad, dated April 15, 1907, relative to engineers' licenses granted. For publication in the CITY RECORD.

Special Orders Nos. 87 and 88, issued this day, are hereby made part of the proceedings of the Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 87.

The following probationary Doormen having qualified as Doormen were appointed and assigned to precincts indicated, to take effect as of April 13, 1907:

Edward J. Carroll, Seventy-eighth Precinct.

Caleb Jones, Thirty-seventh Precinct.

The following probationary Matron having qualified as Matron is appointed and assigned as indicated, to take effect as of April 6, 1907:

Margaret Byrne, Twenty-second Precinct.

The following was employed on probation as Doorman and assigned as indicated, to take effect April 16, 1907:

James A. Feeley, Twelfth Precinct.

The following member of the Force is hereby relieved and dismissed from the Police Force and service and placed on the roll of the Police Pension Fund, and is awarded the following pension:

To take effect 12 midnight, April 16, 1907:

Patrolman.

Adam Raedig, Twenty-sixth Precinct, on Police Surgeons' certificate, at \$700 per annum. Appointed September 11, 1886.

The following resignation is hereby accepted:

To take effect 12 midnight, April 16, 1907:

Probationary Patrolman.

James J. Polsenski, Fortieth Precinct.

The following transfers are hereby ordered:

To take effect 8 p. m., April 17, 1907:

Patrolmen.

Henry T. Shelley, from Thirty-sixth Precinct to Twenty-fourth Precinct.

Henry P. Rado, from Thirty-sixth Precinct to Twentieth Precinct.

Bernard Goldman, from Seventy-fifth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.

Cerdes Schaefer, from Twenty-fifth Precinct to Twenty-seventh Precinct.

John C. Ginnane, from Twentieth Precinct to Thirty-sixth Precinct.

The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Roundsmen.

Frank Lane, Sixty-third Precinct, assigned as Acting Sergeant in precinct during absence of Sergeants at drill, from 1 p. m., April 16, 1907.

John F. Stober, Fifty-fourth Precinct, assigned as Acting Sergeant in precinct during absence of Sergeant William F. Smullen at Trial Room, from 8 a. m., April 16, 1907.

Charles J. Schress, Sixty-sixth Precinct, assigned as Acting Sergeant in precinct during absence of Sergeants at Trial Room, from 8 a. m., April 16, 1907.

Doorman.

Thomas J. McMurray, Twenty-fifth Precinct, assigned to Twelfth Precinct, during vacation of Doorman Bartholomew Fitzgerald, to take effect 12 noon, April 15, 1907.

The following extension of temporary assignment is hereby ordered:

Patrolman.

Christopher J. Donnelly, Forty-fourth Precinct, to Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad, assisting Commanding Officer of Detective Bureau, Brooklyn, with police work, for five days, from 4.30 p. m., April 15, 1907.

The following temporary assignment is hereby discontinued:

Patrolman.

Walter L. O'Donnell, Forty-fourth Precinct, to Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad, from 4.30 p. m., April 15, 1907.

The following members of the department are excused as indicated:

Surgeon.

Henry P. de Forest, Twenty-second Surgical District, for eighteen hours, from 6 p. m., April 16, 1907.

Captains.

Nicholas Condon, Fifty-seventh Precinct, for twelve hours, from 6 p. m., April 17, 1907.

Owen Rooney, Fifty-fifth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 6 p. m., April 17, 1907.

Charles A. Formosa, Sixty-eighth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 9 a. m., April 18, 1907.

Patrick J. Tracy, Seventy-eighth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 10 a. m., April 17, 1907.

James J. Shevlin, Thirty-fifth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 8 a. m., April 18, 1907.

The following leaves of absence are hereby granted without pay:

Roundsman.

Michael J. Fitzgerald, Fourth Precinct, for two days, from 12 noon, April 17, 1907, with permission to leave City.

Patrolmen.

Albert J. McDonald, Third Inspection District, for five days, from 12 noon, April 16, 1907.

Peter T. Lehr, Seventh Precinct, for two days, from 12 noon, April 15, 1907.

William F. Loeb, Seventeenth Precinct, for three days, from 12 noon, April 14, 1907.

John H. Ferguson, Fifty-ninth Precinct, for two days, from 12 noon, April 18, 1907.

Philip Korman, Fifty-fourth Precinct, for one day, from 12 noon, April 16, 1907.

Patrick Fagan, Forty-fifth Precinct, for two days, from 12 noon, April 15, 1907.

Henry J. O'Sullivan, Seventy-fourth Precinct, for three days, from 12.01 a. m., April 27, 1907.

The following advancements to grades are hereby ordered:

Patrolmen.

To \$1,250 Grade, April 6, 1907.

Joseph C. Hickey, First Precinct.

Charles H. Junker, Third Precinct.

Arthur Rossner, Third Precinct.

Peter Meade, Tenth Precinct.

James T. Carroll, Tenth Precinct.

Joseph Murphy, Nineteenth Precinct.

Vernon Bushnell, Twenty-first Precinct.

Joseph F. Toumey, Twenty-fourth Precinct.

John W. Washburn, Thirty-ninth Precinct.

John J. Meegan, Fifty-first Precinct.

Edwin P. Lloyd, Sixty-second Precinct.

Joseph R. Spellman, Seventy-ninth Precinct.

William Langfritz, Eighty-first Precinct.

George M. Bilaffer, Eighty-third Precinct.

Hugh A. Maxwell, Eighty-fifth Precinct.

John J. O'Brien, Seventh District.

Henry F. J. Butts, Central Office.

Paul Simonetti, Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad.

William Falger, First Precinct.

Robert McA. Wilson, Third Precinct.

James Lynch, Sixth Precinct.

Bernard Hall, Tenth Precinct.

Daniel O'Connell, Fifteenth Precinct.

John P. Fitzgerald, Twentieth Precinct.

Thomas Hudson, Twenty-second Precinct.

John L. Scherf, Twenty-fifth Precinct.

John O'Neill, Forty-seventh Precinct.

Peter Anderson, Fifty-eighth Precinct.

James M. Hanrahan, Seventy-first Precinct.

Robert Esselborn, Eightieth First Sub-Precinct.

Louis J. Anderson, Eighty-second Precinct.

George J. Busweiler, Eighty-fourth Precinct.

Eugene A. Daly, Third District.

William M. Dolan, Eighth District.

Edward M. Shelvy, Central Office.

Walter Walsh, Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad.

Permission granted to leave city:

Patrolman.

Arthur Werner, Third Precinct, for forty days, while on sick leave.

The following deaths are reported:

Patrolmen.

Alfred A. Selleck, Sixteenth Precinct, at 4.50 p. m., April 16, 1907.

John E. O'Brien, Thirty-second Precinct, at 6.45 a. m., April 16, 1907.

Patrick O'Hara, Forty-fourth Precinct, at 6.10 a. m., April 16, 1907.

The following special Patrolmen are hereby appointed:

Joseph Coughlin, Robert Christopher Koptick and Michael J. Hayes, for Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, No. 85 Clinton street, Brooklyn.

George Gunther and Otto Vonderau, for Fred Pfizner, Ibert's Union Park, Brooklyn.

Frank Jost, for E. J. Andersen, No. 151 Dewitt street, Corona.

Addison W. Brown, for Addison W. Brown Electric Company, No. 302 Washington street, Brooklyn.

George R. Wagner, for Sisters of the Divine Compassion, No. 136 Second avenue, Manhattan.

James Fleming, for David Kraus, Circle Theatre, Sixtieth street and Broadway, Manhattan.

James H. Higgins, for St. Michael's Cemetery, W. H. Brumley, superintendent, No. 225 West Ninety-ninth street, Manhattan.

The resignations of the following Special Patrolmen are hereby accepted:

Orange J. Webb, employed by Walter W. Debevoise, No. 163 Carlton avenue, Brooklyn.

Conrad Gabrielson, employed by Martin's Stores, Brooklyn.

Benjamin S. Hepworth, employed by Mutual Alliance Trust Company, No. 323 Grand street, Manhattan.

Edward Meade, employed by Columbia Bank, No. 407 Broadway, Manhattan.

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 88.

On account of the tragic circumstances surrounding the deaths of Patrolmen George M. Sechler and Alfred A. Selleck, of the Sixteenth Precinct, the provisions of General Order No. 64 of 1906 are suspended for the occasion of their funerals, and the Commanding Officer of the Sixteenth Precinct will detail two (2) Roundsmen and eight (8) Patrolmen for attendance at the funeral of each of these Patrolmen.

All Patrolmen of the Sixteenth Precinct who are off duty during the hours of these funerals will be permitted to attend in uniform and to form part of the processions.

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

April 17, 1907.

The following proceedings were this day directed by the Police Commissioner:

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint five (5) Captains of Police.

Ordered, That the Municipal Civil Service Commission be respectfully requested to furnish an eligible list from which to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint one hundred and twenty-five (125) Patrolmen, and that the Municipal Civil Service Commission be respectfully requested to include in such list the following names:

Charles Giersberg.
Joseph H. Mahoney.
Tobias F. Butler.
Frederick Matthies.
David A. Connors.
James A. Williamson.
Matthew Murray.
Martin Curran.
Edward Stevens.
Frederick Holck.
Edward F. Kelly.
Sam B. Massam.
Patrick J. Cooney.
Frank Welsh.
Thomas J. Hogan.

David Doherty.
Henry Schreiber.
John J. Traynor.
Peter A. Flanagan, Jr.
Joseph Shepherd.
Edward F. Deevy.
Oscar A. J. Hague.
Edward Stevens.
John Fallon.
Frederick J. Beekler.
James McMurray.
Bruno A. Ludwig.
James J. Brennan.
David Hapeny, Jr.

Granted application of Patrick J. Cooney, No. 28 Johnson place, Brooklyn, to be re-examined by the Surgeons.

Special Order No. 89, issued this day, is hereby made part of the proceedings of the Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 89.

Reappointed Patrolman:

Philip J. Feldmann was reappointed Patrolman April 16, 1907, and assigned to Third Precinct, to report to commanding officer of said precinct at 6 p. m., April 16, 1907.

The following transfer and assignment is hereby ordered:

To take effect 8 a. m., April 18, 1907:

Roundsman.

Jeremiah Butler, Seventy-ninth Sub-Precinct, transferred to Central Office Squad and assigned to duty in Property Clerk's Office.

The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Sergeant.

Charles Madigan, Seventy-eighth Precinct, assigned to Seventy-ninth Sub-Precinct for five days, from 12 midnight April 16, 1907.

Roundsman.

Joseph A. Schaefer, Seventy-sixth Precinct, assigned as Acting Sergeant in precinct during absence of Sergeants at drill.

Patrolmen.

Thomas F. Cassidy, Eighty-fifth Precinct, assigned as Driver of patrol wagon in precinct during absence of Patrolman John H. Schnidder on sick leave, from 8 a. m., April 16, 1907.

Patrick Cunningham, Seventy-fifth Precinct, assigned as Driver of patrol wagon in precinct during absence of Patrolman Terrence F. Cosgrove on sick leave, from 8 a. m., April 16, 1907.

The following extension of temporary assignment is hereby ordered:

Patrolman.

William Wolstenholme, Fifty-fourth Precinct, to Fifteenth Inspection District, for five days, from 8 a. m., April 17, 1907.

The following temporary assignments are hereby discontinued:

Roundsman.

Jeremiah Butler, Seventy-ninth Sub-Precinct, as Acting Sergeant, from 12 midnight, April 16, 1907.

Patrolmen.

Thomas A. Dwyer and Irving A. Schramm, Forty-fourth Precinct, to Eighth Inspection District, from 12 noon, April 17, 1907.

The following members of the Department are excused as indicated:

Captains.

William Cruise, Fifty-ninth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 12 noon, April 18, 1907.

Albert Rothenburg, Seventy-sixth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 12 noon, April 18, 1907.

The following leaves of absence are hereby granted without pay:

Patrolmen.

Alexander McCambridge, Fifty-first Precinct, for one day, from 12 noon, April 17, 1907.

Bernard M. Boylan, Fifty-first Precinct, for one day, from 12 noon, April 17, 1907.

Doorman.

Frank Keating, Sixtieth Precinct, for four days, from 12 noon, April 17, 1907, with permission to leave city.

Permission granted to leave city:

Patrolman.

William Pendergast, Eighty-fourth Precinct, for sixty days, while on sick leave.

The following members of the Force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner the following fines are hereby imposed:

Inspector.

James E. Hussey, Third Inspection District, failed to prefer charges against Captain; failed to report unsafe condition of male prison; fined one day's pay.

Roundsmen.

Michael Nolan, Nineteenth Precinct, failed to discover or report violations of Corporation Ordinances; fined one day's pay.

Alfred Anderson, Nineteenth Precinct, failed to discover or report violation of Corporation Ordinances; fined one day's pay.

William Powers, Nineteenth Precinct, failed to discover or report violations of Corporation Ordinances; fined one day's pay.

Floyd B. Pitts, Nineteenth Precinct, failed to discover or report violations of Corporation Ordinances; fined one day's pay.

Patrolmen.

George M. Ross, Third Precinct, absent from crossing; fined one-half day's pay.

William P. Mills, Fifth Precinct, failed to report change of social condition; fined one day's pay.

Joseph A. Murray, Ninth Precinct, failed to report for drill; fined one-half day's pay.

William J. Rowland, Ninth Precinct, failed to report for drill; fined one-half day's pay.

James Gahagan, Tenth Precinct, carelessly lost shield; fined one day's pay.

Charles E. Hooker, Fifteenth Precinct, loitering and in conversation; fined one day's pay.

Charles Mannkopf, Fifteenth Precinct, loitering and in conversation; fined one day's pay.

John P. Barron, Twenty-second Precinct, loitering and in conversation; fined five days' pay.

John P. Barron, Twenty-second Precinct, did not properly patrol and in conversation; fined six days' pay.

Thomas Madigan, Twenty-second Precinct, loitering and in conversation; fined two days' pay.

Walter Corbitt, Twenty-eighth Precinct, did not properly patrol; fined four days' pay.

George Josberger, Twenty-ninth Precinct, failed to turn over property at station house; fined one-half day's pay.

Henry Hauser, Thirty-second Precinct, made false charges against prisoner; fined three days' pay.

James Greer, Thirty-sixth Precinct, absent from special post; fined one-half day's pay.

Willis E. Pendleton, Forty-third Precinct, absent from post, coming from grocery store; fined three days' pay.

Patrick F. Duane, Forty-fourth Precinct, absent from post, coming from school; fined three days' pay.

Edward Doyle, Forty-fifth Precinct, feigning illness; fined thirty days' pay.

Joseph L. Moran, Forty-seventh Precinct, absent from return rollcall; fined one day's pay.

Joseph L. Moran, Forty-seventh Precinct, absent without leave; fined six days' pay.

Joseph L. Moran, Forty-seventh Precinct, did not properly patrol; absent from relieving point; fined two days' pay.

Joseph L. Moran, Forty-seventh Precinct, absent from school; fined one day's pay.

Patrick Mangan, Fifty-first Precinct, standing in barroom of liquor saloon in uniform while off duty; fined five days' pay.

William S. Leo, Fifty-second Precinct, absent from outgoing rollcall; fined one day's pay.

Charles Hoffmann, Fifty-third Precinct, absent from post, seen standing in barroom of liquor store; fined ten days' pay.

William H. Flynn, Fifty-third Precinct, absent from post at bar in liquor saloon; fined five days' pay.

Philip L. Heil, Fifty-third Precinct, absent from post in yard of liquor saloon; fined five days' pay.

Joseph Frank, Fifty-third Precinct, absent from post in a confectionery store; fined two days' pay.

Frank Blank, Fifty-third Precinct, absent from post in yard of liquor saloon; fined five days' pay.

William J. Hunt, Fifty-third Precinct, did not properly patrol; fined two days' pay.

Lawrence F. Stanwise, Fifty-fourth Precinct, absent from school; fined one day's pay.

William A. Hartery, Fifty-sixth Precinct, failed to patrol portion of post; fined three days' pay.

William M. McDonald, Fifty-seventh Precinct, did not properly patrol; fined three days' pay.

Patrick H. Conway, Fifty-seventh Precinct, absent from residence while sick; fined five days' pay.

John P. Harron, Fifty-eighth Precinct, assaulted a citizen; fined five days' pay.

Peter J. Hanf, Fifty-eighth Precinct, absent from post; fined one day's pay.

August Scheiber, Sixtieth Precinct, did not properly patrol; fined two days' pay.

William H. Alnwick, Sixtieth Precinct, did not properly patrol; fined one day's pay.

William J. Welch, Sixty-seventh Precinct, failed to report for drill; fined two days' pay.

Frank T. Hochwald, Sixty-eighth Precinct, absent from post and relieving point; fined one day's pay.

Christopher T. Ryan, Sixty-eighth Precinct, absent from outgoing rollcall; fined one day's pay.

Christopher T. Ryan, Sixty-eighth Precinct, absent from post and relieving point; fined one day's pay.

Alfred E. Hornberg, Sixty-eighth Precinct, absent from post and relieving point; fined two days' pay.

Henry C. Patterson, Seventy-second Precinct, failed to prevent or discover robbery; fined two days' pay.

James Ennis, Seventy-third Precinct, sitting and smoking; fined one day's pay.

George A. Heineck, Seventy-seventh Precinct, failed to patrol portion of post; fined two days' pay.

Michael Quinane, Eighty-third Precinct, absent from relieving point; fined one day's pay.

James Carlin, Eighty-third Precinct, absent from post and relieving point; fined two days' pay.

The following members of the Force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner are hereby reprimanded:

Sergeant.

Solomon G. Hauptman, Twenty-sixth Precinct.

Roundsmen.

Henry Gardner, Nineteenth Precinct.

Louis F. McMahon, Nineteenth Precinct.

Patrolmen.

William McCauley, Third Precinct.

John F. Hanley, Thirty-first Precinct.

John Beringer, Fifty-fourth Precinct.

William Seckinger, Fifty-fourth Precinct.

James Creedon, Fifty-fourth Precinct.

Donald MacLean, Sixty-seventh Precinct.

Walter T. Manley, Seventieth Precinct.

James A. Partington, Seventy-fourth Precinct.

The following members of the Force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, the complaints are hereby dismissed:

Sergeant.

Martin J. Regan, Forty-fifth Precinct.

John Doe, Twenty-second Precinct.

Patrolmen.

Frank McNulty, Third Precinct.

William L. Seyfarth, Third Precinct.

William Kronenbitter, Tenth Precinct.

Edward N. Distler, Tenth Precinct.

Edward T. Walsh, Tenth Precinct.

George Wagner, Fourteenth Precinct.

Edward F. Ozab, Eighteenth Precinct.

Frederick C. Vanderpool, Twenty-second Precinct.

Charles J. Knoepfel, Twenty-second Precinct.

Thomas F. Kane, Twenty-fifth Precinct.

Joseph B. Ward, Twenty-fifth Precinct.

Thomas J. McGrath, Twenty-sixth Precinct.

Arthur H. Hearne, Twenty-sixth Precinct.

George W. Baker, Twenty-eighth Precinct.

Nicholas W. Fleischman, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

John Fallon, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

Chauncey De Graff, Thirtieth Precinct.

John J. Kerns, Thirty-first Precinct.
 George Thomson, Thirty-first Precinct.
 John G. Kirk, Thirty-second Precinct.
 Jacob Feudner, Thirty-fifth Precinct.
 Patrick J. Darcy, Thirty-fifth Precinct.
 George F. Frey, Thirty-sixth Precinct.
 Charles Spitz, Thirty-seventh Precinct.
 Cornelius J. Driscoll, First Inspection District.
 James J. Cain, Sixth Inspection District.
 Benjamin J. Terry, Forty-sixth Precinct.
 John J. Murphy, Forty-sixth Precinct.
 James A. O'Keefe, Forty-seventh Precinct.
 James Bree, Forty-seventh Precinct.
 William M. McDonald, Fifty-seventh Precinct.
 James J. Collins, Fifty-ninth Precinct (two charges).
 Charles J. O'Connell, Fifty-ninth Precinct.
 Thomas P. Polski, Sixtieth Precinct.
 Peter F. Essig, Sixtieth Precinct.
 Michael O'Callaghan, Sixty-third Precinct.
 Emil Wright, Sixty-fourth Precinct.
 Jeremiah L. English, Sixty-fifth Precinct.
 Donald MacLean, Sixty-seventh Precinct.
 Cornelius F. Reid, Seventy-third Precinct.
 Edward Sheridan, Seventy-eighth Precinct.
 George E. Quimby, Eighty-third Precinct.
 Oscar J. Finn, Eighth Inspection District.
 George D. Hammond, Jr., Eighth Inspection District.

The following Patrolman having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, he is hereby dismissed from the Police Force of The City of New York, to take effect forthwith (1:10 p. m., April 17, 1907):

Edward L. Quirk, Twentieth Precinct; charge, neglect of duty.

The following death is reported:

Captain.

Thomas H. Mannion, Twelfth Precinct, at 12:20 p. m., April 17, 1907.

The resignation of the following Special Patrolman is hereby accepted:

Conrad Schneidmuller, employed by Corbin & Co., South Midwood, Brooklyn.

The following is reappointed Special Patrolman:

Conrad Schneidmuller, for Corbin & Co., South Midwood, Brooklyn, as of April 16, 1907.

THEO A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

April 18, 1907.

The following proceedings were this day directed by the Police Commissioner: On reading and filing communication from F. L. V. Hoppin, dated April 8, 1907, Ordered, That the proposal of Gillespie, Walsh & Gillespie, dated April 3, 1907, for the following extra work on new headquarters building, now being erected under contract executed February 7, 1905, be and is hereby accepted, viz.:

For the complete installation of intercommunicating telephone system at Police Headquarters, all wiring to be in strict accordance with the plans prepared by the architects and engineers and as modified by the omission of bell work and telephone conduits originally provided for, for the sum of \$3,245 (based on omitting all labor and material as called for by the contract specifications, page 99, under the caption "Bell Work").

On reading and filing communication from F. L. V. Hoppin, dated April 8, 1907, Ordered, That the proposal of Gillespie, Walsh & Gillespie, dated April 3, 1907, for the following extra work on new headquarters building, now being erected under contract executed February 7, 1905, be and is hereby accepted, viz.:

Additional iron work at the several points mentioned below, according to directions and at the request of the architects:

1. For reframing headers and supplying new beams on account segment headers in basement windows.
2. For additional channels required for running track.
3. Channel beams as tie to heads of columns and support of roof purlins Centre Market place, Grand street end.
4. Additional framing at square angles and octagon corners of main dome.
5. Additional framing for gable walls.
6. For support of floor and beam over sump tank.
7. Additional framing for support of stairs north and south corridors and arches and partitions in public lavatory.
8. For supports at base of urns.
9. For additional angle irons for support of roof at pediments Grand and Broome street ends and support of roof at small domes.
10. Additional iron and masonry work for reinforcement and tie of tower.
11. For support of masonry at Broome street end return bay.
12. Furnishing and setting of the iron work required in reinforcing the elevator shafts,

—for the sum of \$3,697.

Ordered to be Paid.

Contingent expenses of Central Department, etc., 1906, \$221.10.

Granted.

Application of Francis J. Sherry, No. 881 Tenth avenue, Manhattan, for re-examination by the Police Surgeons. Ask for name with next requisition for an eligible list.

On File, Send Copy.

Report of Acting Sergeant in Command of Boiler Squad, dated April 16, 1907, relative to engineers' licenses granted. For publication in the CITY RECORD.

Special Order No. 90, issued this day, is hereby made part of the proceedings of the Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 90.

The following resignation is hereby accepted:

To take effect 8 p. m., April 17, 1907:

Patrolman.

George H. Berg, Forty-third Precinct.

The following transfers and assignments are hereby ordered:

To take effect 8 p. m., April 19, 1907:

Mounted Patrolmen.

James H. Redmond, from Seventy-sixth Precinct to Seventy-eighth Precinct.

Michael Fannon, from Seventy-eighth Precinct to Seventy-sixth Precinct.

Patrolmen.

James J. Kennedy, from Seventy-fourth Precinct to Seventy-fifth Precinct.

Frederick W. Harmse, from Seventy-fifth Precinct to Seventy-fourth Precinct.

Ambrose Clancy, Seventy-fourth Precinct, assigned to clerical duty in precinct.

To take effect 8 a. m., April 19, 1907:

Patrolmen.

Patrick J. Curley, Sixth Inspection District, remanded from duty in plain clothes, and transferred to Thirty-first Precinct.

Andrew Greim, Thirty-first Precinct, transferred to Sixth Inspection District, and assigned to duty in plain clothes.

The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Sergeant.

John Ryan, Twenty-eighth Precinct, assigned to command precinct, during absence of Captain Frederick W. Martens on vacation, from 12 noon, April 22, 1907.

Mounted Roundsman.

John Clerke, Seventy-eighth Precinct, assigned to foot patrol, during absence of Roundsman John McCarthy on vacation, from 12 noon, April 17, 1907.

Roundsmen.

Stanleigh Upward, Fifty-second Precinct, assigned as Acting Sergeant in precinct during absence of Sergeants at drill.

Edward J. Hayes, Forty-fourth Precinct, assigned as Acting Sergeant in precinct during absence of Sergeants at drills and parade.

Matthew J. Colbert, Sixtieth Precinct, assigned as Acting Sergeant in precinct, during absence of Sergeant at Supreme Court, from 10 a. m., April 17, 1907.

Hubert A. Conneally, Health Squad, assigned as Acting Sergeant in command of Health Squad, during absence of Roundsman Robert Henry on sick leave, from 8 a. m., April 15, 1907.

The following extensions of temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Patrolmen.

Henry L'Heureux, Ninth Precinct, and Francis A. P. Flynn, Twelfth Precinct, to Fifth Inspection District, duty in plain clothes, for five days, from 6 p. m., April 19, 1907.

John F. Finley, Fifty-seventh Precinct, and Charles B. Smith, Twenty-fifth Precinct, to Fifth Inspection District, duty in plain clothes, for five days, from 6 p. m., April 18, 1907.

John A. Daly and Henry Brueck, Twelfth Precinct, to First Inspection District, duty in plain clothes, for five days, from 8 a. m., April 18, 1907.

The following temporary assignments are hereby discontinued:

Patrolmen.

Charles Low, Eightieth Precinct, and Edmund Tobin, Twenty-fifth Precinct, to Sanitary Company, Boiler Squad, to take effect 11 a. m., April 17, 1907.

The following members of the Department are excused as indicated:

Captains.

Alexander Pinkerton, Sixty-ninth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 10 a. m., April 18, 1907.

John J. O'Brien, Sixty-fourth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 12 noon, April 18, 1907.

Joseph C. Gehegan, Eightieth First Sub-Precinct, for twelve hours, from 1 p. m., April 20, 1907.

Henry Halpin, Twenty-sixth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 11 a. m., April 19, 1907.

Frederick W. Martens, Twenty-eighth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 12 noon, April 21, 1907.

John H. Russell, Twentieth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 4 p. m., April 22, 1907.

Michael Gorman, Eightieth Second Sub-Precinct, for twelve hours, from 8 a. m., April 22, 1907.

William H. Hodgins, Tenth Precinct, for twelve hours, from 12 noon, April 18, 1907, with permission to leave City.

Bernard Gallagher, Eighty-first Precinct, for twelve hours, from 8 a. m., April 24, 1907.

John Daly, Twenty-second Precinct, for twelve hours, from 4 p. m., April 18, 1907.

The following applications for full pay are hereby granted:

Roundsman.

John McConville, Fifty-eighth Precinct, from 12 noon, February 9, 1907, to 12 noon, March 26, 1907.

Patrolmen.

John Dugan, Third Precinct, from a. m., March 8, 1907, to 12 noon, March 18, 1907.

John J. Shea, Fiftieth Precinct, from a. m., December 15, 1906, to p. m., December 22, 1906.

Samuel E. Schultheis, Seventy-second Precinct, from p. m., January 25, 1907, to a. m., February 11, 1907.

George J. Whitney, Third Precinct, from 12 noon, February 11, 1907, to a. m., March 24, 1907.

Thomas J. Rigney, Seventy-seventh Precinct, from p. m., January 21, 1907, to 12 noon, April 6, 1907.

John C. Boehm, Fifty-fourth Precinct, from a. m., March 30, 1907, to 12 noon, April 7, 1907.

The following leave of absence is hereby granted with full pay:

Captain.

Frederick W. Martens, Twenty-eighth Precinct, for six days, from 12 noon, April 22, 1907, to be deducted from vacation.

The following leave of absence is hereby granted with half pay:

Patrolman.

Patrick McCarthy, Twelfth Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 midnight, April 17, 1907.

The following leave of absence is hereby granted without pay:

Probationary Patrolman.

Philip Lynch, Fifty-seventh Precinct, for three days, from 12 noon, April 16, 1907.

The following advancements to grades are hereby ordered:

Patrolmen.

To \$1,400 Grade.

Joseph N. Gassman, Twenty-sixth Precinct, April 10, 1907.

To \$1,350 Grade, April 10, 1907.

David H. Kierstad, Forty-third Precinct.

Frank T. Shoemaker, Eighty-fourth Precinct.

To \$1,000 Grade, April 14, 1907.

Michael A. Halloran, Fourth Precinct.

John J. Lynch, Fourteenth Precinct.

William F. Loeb, Seventeenth Precinct.

Alexis Kleinmeyer, Nineteenth Precinct.

Michael J. Enright, Twenty-eighth Precinct.

James Mahoney, Thirty-first Precinct.

George H. Schultz, Sixty-fourth Precinct.

James E. Murphy, Third Inspection District.

George Cunningham, Twelfth Precinct.

Dennis H. C. Ferry, Seventeenth Precinct.

George Elliott, Nineteenth Precinct.

Emil Pfahler, Twenty-fifth Precinct.

Thomas J. Bowes, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

John F. Parker, Forty-ninth Precinct.

Thomas Connor, First Inspection District.

To \$1,000 Grade.

James J. Matthews, Twenty-second Precinct, April 10, 1907.

Relieved from Suspension:

Patrolman.

Peter J. McGlone, Fifty-fifth Precinct, is hereby relieved from suspension and restored to duty, to take effect 3.25 p. m., April 17, 1907.

The following Patrolman having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, he is hereby dismissed from the Police Force of The City of New York, to take effect 2 p. m., April 18, 1907:

George W. Lyon, Fifteenth Precinct; charge, conduct unbecoming an officer.

The following death is reported:

Patrolman.

John F. Baker, Sixty-fifth Precinct, at 1.10 p. m., April 17, 1907.

Amendment:

So much of Special Order No. 87, paragraph 4 (April 16, 1907), as reads "Patrolman Henry T. Shelley" is hereby amended to read "Patrolman Harry P. Shelley." The appointment of the following Special Patrolman is hereby revoked: Hamilton Moore, employed by New York Contracting Company, No. 215 West Thirty-third street, Manhattan.

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

April 19, 1907.

The following proceedings were this day directed by the Police Commissioner:

Ordered, That an extension of time until April 18, 1907, be and is hereby granted to the estate of John A. Scollay, Nos. 74 and 76 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn, under contract for installing new steam boilers at various precinct police stations, made and executed October 30, 1906.

On File, Send Copy.

Report of Acting Sergeant in command of Boiler Squad, dated April 17, 1906, relative to engineers' licenses granted. For publication in the CITY RECORD.

Special Order No. 91, issued this day, is hereby made part of the proceedings of the Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 91.

The following transfers and assignments are hereby ordered:

To take effect 8 p. m., April 20, 1907:

Lieutenants.

William J. Higgins, from Forty-third Precinct to Seventy-third Precinct.

Thomas M. Hughes, from Seventy-third Precinct to Forty-third Precinct.

Patrolmen.

Charles H. Cunningham, from Eighteenth Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.

Edward O'Neill, Thirty-seventh Precinct, transferred to Third Precinct and assigned to duty in District Attorney's office, New York County.

Christopher J. Donnelly, Forty-fourth Precinct, transferred to Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad and assigned to assist Commanding Officer, Detective Bureau, Brooklyn, with police work.

To take effect 8 a. m., April 20, 1907:

Patrolmen.

Transferred to Eight Inspection District from precincts indicated, and assigned to duty in plain clothes:

John F. Finley, Fifty-seventh Precinct.

Leroy S. Minerly, Fifty-ninth Precinct.

Joseph Ocker, Fifty-seventh Precinct.

Frank Blank, Fifty-third Precinct.

Thomas G. Buckley, Eighth Inspection District, remanded from duty in plain clothes, transferred to Eighty-second Precinct, and assigned to duty in Second District Magistrate's Court.

Joseph W. Owens, Eighth Inspection District, remanded from duty in plain clothes and transferred to Forty-eighth Precinct.

Remanded from duty in plain clothes in Ninth Inspection District and transferred to precincts indicated:

Matthew J. Bannon, Fifty-first Precinct.

William J. Crean, Fifty-third Precinct.

Charles W. Corke, Fifty-sixth Precinct.

William Plant, Fifty-fourth Precinct.

Richard Seward, Fifty-third Precinct.

Transferred from precincts indicated to Ninth Inspection District and assigned to duty in plain clothes:

Thomas E. Rand, Forty-ninth Precinct.

Mack Donnelly, Twelfth Precinct.

James Shea, Eleventh District.

George A. A. Maude, Fiftieth Precinct.

John Farrell, Eleventh District.

Martin H. White, Eleventh District.

Transferred from Precincts indicated to Eleventh Inspection District and assigned to duty in plain clothes:

Mortimer J. Gleason, Forty-sixth Precinct.

Edward G. Buchman, Sixty-fourth Precinct.

Ralph A. Wilson, Fifty-third Precinct.

Bernard F. Byrne, Fifty-third Precinct.

Thomas Donovan, Sixty-first Precinct.

Francis J. Flynn, Fifty-third Precinct.

Robert J. Armstrong, Twelfth Inspection District, remanded from duty in plain clothes and transferred to Seventy-fifth Precinct.

George F. Wilmarth, Twelfth Inspection District, remanded from duty in plain clothes and transferred to Seventy-sixth Precinct.

Patrick C. Kelly, Seventy-fifth Precinct, and William Brooks, Seventy-sixth Precinct, transferred to Twelfth Inspection District and assigned to duty in plain clothes.

John T. McCarthy, Twelfth Inspection District, remanded from duty in plain clothes and transferred to Eighty-fifth Precinct.

John J. Undermark, Twelfth Inspection District, remanded from duty in plain clothes and transferred to Eighty-third Precinct.

Dennis T. Kennedy, Eighty-third Precinct, and Lewis Engel, Eighty-fifth Precinct, transferred to Twelfth Inspection District and assigned to duty in plain clothes.

Francis J. O'Neil, Eighty-fourth Precinct, transferred to Seventy-first Precinct and assigned to clerical duty.

Alfred Homberg, Sixty-eighth Precinct, transferred to Seventieth Precinct and assigned to clerical duty.

Remanded from duty in plain clothes in Fifteenth Inspection District and transferred to precincts indicated:

Walter Conlon, Forty-seventh Precinct.

James F. Croak, Fifty-third Precinct.

William Thornton, Fifty-third Precinct.

William Dillon, Sixty-second Precinct.

Frank Lawless, Forty-sixth Precinct.

Thomas H. McGooley, Fifty-third Precinct.

Transferred from Precincts indicated to Fifteenth Inspection District and assigned to duty in plain clothes:

Richard F. Scheffler, Seventeenth Precinct.

Arthur Carmack, Thirty-fifth Precinct.

William Wolstenholme, Fifty-fourth Precinct.

Thomas A. Carolin, Twenty-fourth Precinct.

John F. Kelly, Forty-sixth Precinct.

Henry Weyman, Sixty-ninth Precinct.

The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Sergeants.

Patrick J. Hunt, First District Court, assigned as Acting Lieutenant to command First Court Squad during absence of Lieutenant Franklin P. Germann with sick leave.

Thomas F. Martin, Eighty-third Precinct, assigned as Acting Lieutenant in precinct during absence of Lieutenants at drill, from 8 a. m., April 19, 1907.

The following extensions of temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Patrolmen.

Arthur Carmack, Thirty-fifth Precinct, to Fifteenth Inspection District, for three days, from 8 a. m., April 17, 1907.

Sylvester Brierton, Forty-fifth Precinct, to Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad, for five days, from 12 noon, April 18, 1907.

John H. Jones, Sixty-fifth Precinct, to Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad, for five days, from 12 noon, April 18, 1907.

Edward O'Neill, Thirty-seventh Precinct, to District Attorney's office, New York County, for two days, from 6 p. m., April 19, 1907.

Joseph F. Reichert, Sixth Precinct, and Daniel T. Scannell, Twenty-ninth Precinct, to District Attorney's office, New York County, for five days, from 4 p. m., April 19, 1907.

Norman J. Fitzsimmons, Thirty-first Precinct, to District Attorney's office, New York County, for thirty days, 8 a. m., April 21, 1907.

Matrons.

Henrietta Durie, Forty-eighth Precinct, to Forty-ninth Precinct, for five days, from 6 p. m., April 18, 1907.

Maggie A. Jaffray, Fifty-ninth Precinct, to Forty-eight Precinct, for five days, from 6 p. m., April 18, 1907.

Maude M. Leslie, Fifty-fifth Precinct to Forty-ninth Precinct, for five days, from 6 p. m., April 18, 1907.

Grace Davis, Forty-ninth Precinct to Fifty-fifth Precinct, for five days, from 6 p. m., April 18, 1907.

The following members of the Department are excused as indicated:

Captains.

James B. Ferris, Seventh Precinct, for twelve hours, from 11 a. m., April 20, 1907.

William Hogan, First Precinct, for twelve hours, from 8 a. m., April 20, 1907.

The following leaves of absence are hereby granted without pay:

Roundsman.

John F. Noonan (now Sergeant), Fiftieth Precinct, for sixty days, from 12 noon, April 9, 1907.

Patrolman.

James F. Lyman, Seventy-third Precinct, for two and one-half days, from 12 noon, April 17, 1907.

The following leaves of absence are hereby granted with half pay:

Patrolman.

Gustave M. Stark, Fifty-first Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, April 19, 1907.

Matron.

Julia O'Sullivan, Twelfth Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, April 21, 1907.

The appointment of the following Special Patrolman is hereby revoked:

John Hoppe, employed by Long Island Railroad Company, Long Island City.

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

BOARD OF COUNTY CANVASSERS.

STATEMENT AND RETURN OF THE VOTES FOR THE OFFICE OF MEMBER OF ASSEMBLY FOR THE FIFTEENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT, NEW YORK COUNTY, SPECIAL ELECTION, 1907.

ELECTION DISTRICTS.	Number of ballots cast and counted on which there was no vote for the office of Assembly.	Protested as marked for identification.	Void.	Lucius M. Stanton.	William T. Phillips.	Harry E. Ackerly.	Robert E. Gardiner.	William N. Amory.	Total.
First	6	..	29	107	1	..	23	160	
Second .....	..	..	43	119	..	..	30	152	
Third .....	..	1	33	95	..	..	26	155	
Fourth	1	..	112	140	1	..	21	276	
Fifth .....	..	3	35	101	4	..	43	186	
Sixth	3	..	105	112	1	..	21	239	
Seventh .....	..	1	166	48	..	..	9	224	
Eighth .....	..	..	99	42	..	..	6	147	
Ninth .....	..	..	140	31	1	..	12	184	
Tenth .....	..	1	121	75	1	..	21	219	
Eleventh .....	..	..	92	60	..	2	16	170	
Twelfth .....	..	..	99	62	2	..	25	188	
Thirteenth	14	1	116	57	1	1	14	190	
Fourteenth .....	..	..	116	54	..	2	16	188	
Fifteenth .....	..	..	70	32	..	..	5	107	
Sixteenth	5	2	96	86	3	..	29	216	
Seventeenth .....	..	..	118	106	..	..	22	246	
Eighteenth .....	..	..	94	27	..	..	9	130	
Nineteenth .....	..	1	95	57	1	3	9	166	
Twentieth .....	..	1	69	81	1	1	23	176	
Twenty-first	1	..	113	68	1	..	27	209	
Twenty-second .....	..	..	79	89	..	..	27	195	
Twenty-third	1	3	102	74	..	1	21	201	
Twenty-fourth .....	..	..	88	35	..	..	11	134	
	1	30	15	2,230	1,758	18	10	466	4,498

STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF CANVASSERS WITHIN THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

In relation to votes given for

Member of Assembly for the Fifteenth Assembly District.

The Board of County Canvassers within the County of New York having met in the Chambers of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York on the 19th day of March, 1907, to canvass and estimate the votes given in the Fifteenth Assembly District of said County of New York, at a special election held on the twelfth day of March, in the year nineteen hundred and seven, do certify as follows:

That it appears on such estimate and canvass that the whole number of votes given for the office of Member of Assembly for the Fifteenth Assembly District was four thousand four hundred and ninety-eight.....

Of which

Lucius M. Stanton received two thousand two hundred and thirty.....

William T. Phillips received seventeen hundred and fifty-eight.....

Harry E. Ackerly received eighteen.....

Robert E. Gardinor received ten..... 10
William N. Amory received four hundred and sixty-six..... 466
Of which there were blank, one..... 1
Of which there were defective, none..... ..
The number of ballots "protested as marked for identification," all of which
were counted for the several candidates voted thereon for the office of said
Member of Assembly, was thirty..... 30
The number of ballots which were rejected as void on which no vote for any
candidate for the office of Member of Assembly was counted, was fifteen..... 15
We certify this statement to be correct, and have caused the same to be attested
by the signatures of the Chairman and a majority of this Board and the Secretary
thereof this 19th day of March, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and seven.

R. S. Doull, Chairman.
John F. Curry, Secretary.
Wm. E. Morris.
Frank L. Dowling.
John R. Davies.
John J. Hahn.
B. W. B. Brown.
Frank D. Sturges.
George W. Olvany.
John J. Reardon.
James Cowden Meyers.
Clarence R. Freeman.
Leonard L. Jacobson.
Joseph M. Torpey.
John J. Farrell.

Joseph Krulish.
Charles Kuntze.
Max S. Levine.
Max S. Grifenhagen.
Thos. J. Mulligan.
Herman S. Fried.
Patrick Higgins.
Wm. P. Kenneally.
James J. Smith.
John J. Haggerty.
Andrew J. Doyle.
Michael Stapleton.
Charles Hahn.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

I, Peter J. Dooling, Clerk of the said County and Clerk of the Supreme Court of
said State for said County, do certify that I have compared the preceding with the
original statement of the Board of Canvassers, within the County of New York, in re-
lation to votes given for Member of Assembly for the Fifteenth Assembly District, on
file in my office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole
of such original.

Indorsed, filed and recorded March 19, 1907.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official
seal this 26th day of April, 1907.

[SEAL.]

PETER J. DOOLING, Clerk.

DECLARATION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY CANVASSERS OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK IN RELATION TO VOTES GIVEN FOR MEMBER OF ASSEMBLY IN AND FOR THE FIFTEENTH AS- SEMBLY DISTRICT.

The Board of Canvassers of the County of New York having canvassed and
estimated the votes given in the Fifteenth Assembly District in said county at the
special election held on the twelfth day of March, 1907, do hereby certify, determine
and declare that Lucius M. Stanton, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected
Member of Assembly for the Fifteenth Assembly District of the County of New
York.

R. S. Doull, Chairman.
John F. Curry, Secretary.
Wm. E. Morris.
Frank L. Dowling.
John R. Davies.
John J. Hahn.
B. W. B. Brown.
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Patrick Higgins.
Wm. P. Kenneally.
James J. Smith.
John J. Haggerty.
Andrew J. Doyle.
Michael Stapleton.
Charles Hahn.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

I, Peter J. Dooling, Clerk of the said County and Clerk of the Supreme Court of
said State for said County, do certify that I have compared the preceding with the
original declaration of the Board of County Canvassers of the County of New York, in
relation to votes given for Member of Assembly in and for the Fifteenth Assembly
District, on file in my office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of
the whole of such original.

Indorsed, filed and recorded March 19, 1907.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official
seal this 26th day of April, 1907.

[SEAL.]

PETER J. DOOLING, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 13, 1907.

BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

During the week ending April 13, 1907, there were issued one hundred and twenty-
seven orders, one hundred and four for supplies and twenty-three for repairs, by the
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

Bills aggregating \$8,706.22 were signed by the Commissioner and forwarded to the
Department of Finance for audit and payment.

BUREAU OF INCUMBRANCES AND PERMITS.

Complaint Department.

Department of Street Cleaning.....	1
Bureau of Complaints.....	1
Mail.....	4
Office.....	8
Inspectors.....	10
Police Department.....	2
Total.....	26

Classification and Disposal.

Boulders removed by the Bureau.....	17
Trees and limbs removed.....	11
Miscellaneous, 4, and 4 posts removed.....	8
Total.....	36

Inspectors' Department.

Complaints made.....	10
Complaints settled.....	35
Slips settled.....	71

Permit Department.

Permits Issued—	
Builders.....	71
Cross walks.....	60
Vault.....	1
Vault repairs.....	5
Cement walks.....	29
Flagging walk.....	1
Driveways.....	9
Gas companies.....	156

Electric companies.....	89
Railroad companies.....	48
Special.....	143
Total.....	612

Permits Passed—

Tap water pipes.....	124
Repair water connections.....	70
Sewer connections.....	139
Sewer connection repairs.....	24
Total.....	357

Cashier's Department.

Moneys Received—

Repaving over water connections.....	\$933 00
Repaving over sewer connections.....	222 00
Inspection of work done by corporations.....	328 00
Extra paving.....	16 50
Vaults.....	91 00
Total.....	\$1,590 50

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

Superintendent's Office, Borough of Brooklyn.

Moneys received for sewer permits.....	\$1,388 80
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Number of Permits Issued (145)—

For new sewer connections.....	122
For old sewer connections (repairs).....	23

Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller (3)—

Appropriations.....	2,503 49
Funds.....	1,075 95

Linear feet sewer built, 24-inch to 90-inch.....	324
Linear feet pipe sewer built.....	2,177

Total number of feet sewer built.....	2,501
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Number of manholes built.....	16
Number of feet sewer repaired.....	3
Number of basins repaired.....	1
Linear feet of pipe sewers cleaned.....	14,900
Linear feet of sewers examined.....	700
Number of basins cleaned.....	249
Number of basins examined.....	972
Manhole heads and covers set.....	3
Manhole covers put on.....	15
Number of basin pans set.....	4
Number gallons sewage pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward.....	72,496,160
Number gallons sewage pumped, Thirty-first Ward.....	28,612,741
Cubic feet sludge pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward.....	48,344
Cubic feet sludge pumped, Thirty-first Ward.....	42,224
Complaints examined.....	10

Laboring Force Employed During the Week.

Sewer Repairing and Cleaning, Payrolls and Supplies—

Inspectors of Sewer Connections.....	10
Foremen.....	5
Inspectors of Sewers and Basins.....	5
Mechanics.....	4
Laborers.....	65
Horses and carts.....	27

Street Improvement Fund—

Inspectors of Construction.....	45
Laborers.....	12

Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works—

Foreman.....	1
Laborers.....	14

Thirty-first Ward Disposal Works—

Foreman.....	1
Mechanic.....	1
Laborers.....	17

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Division of Street Repairs.

Force Employed on Repairs to Street Pavements.

Foremen.....	25
Mechanics.....	25
Laborers.....	65
Horses and wagons.....	12
Horses and carts.....	10
Teams.....	5

Work Done by Connection Gangs.

Water and sewer connections repaired.....	43
Gas and electric light connections repaired.....	66
Dangerous holes repaired and made safe.....	291
Complaints received.....	229
Defects remedied.....	181

Work Done by Repair Gangs.

Flatbush avenue, intersection of Fulton street, granite.....	Yards. 105
Third avenue, between Union and Third streets, granite.....	62
Ninth street, near Canal Bridge, granite.....	46
Myrtle avenue, between Washington and Adams streets, granite.....	122
Poplar street, south of Fulton street, granite.....	32
Flushing avenue, between Navy street and North Portland avenue, granite.....	158
Diamond street, between Colyer street and Greenpoint avenue, granite.....	50
Vanderbilt avenue, between Dean and Pacific streets, granite.....	126
Johnson avenue, west of Bushwick avenue, granite.....	54
Total yards by Connection Gangs.....	532

Total.....	1,287
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Miscellaneous Work Done—

Washouts: Eighty-sixth street, from Fifteenth avenue to 350 feet west, 176 loads
fill; Eighty-second street, near Twenty-second avenue, 46 loads fill.
Sixty-fifth street and Second avenue, repaired guard rail and erected fence over
271 feet bridge.
Repaired and painted sprinklers, Sixty-seventh Street Yard.
Built cesspool at Sixty-seventh Street Yard.
Fifty-third street and Fourteenth avenue, used 57 loads of ashes to repair walks.

Total number of square yards of pavement repaired.....	1,287
Linear feet of curbing reset.....	64
Square feet of bridging relaid.....	480
Square feet of flagging relaid.....	369
Square feet of cement walk.....	215

Force Employed on Macadam and Unimproved Roadways.

Foremen	8
Mechanics	3
Laborers	52
Horses and wagons.....	5
Teams	12
Sprinklers	2
Horses and carts	5

Dirt roadway repaired and cleaned, linear feet.....	2,900
Gutter cleaned, linear feet.....	5,560

Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Week Ending April 13, 1907.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$1,531,700).....	252
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$205,415).....	75
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$96,205).....	90
Building slip permits issued (estimated cost, \$1,510).....	28
Bay window permits issued (estimated cost, \$21,025).....	64
Unsafe cases filed.....	9
Violation cases filed.....	57
Unsafe notices issued.....	9
Violation notices issued.....	57
Violation cases referred to Counsel.....	50
Fire-escape cases referred to Counsel.....	6

Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Corresponding Week Ending April 14, 1906.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$681,050).....	98
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$95,500).....	30
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$100,233).....	118

BIRD S. COLER, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

AT A MEETING HELD IN No. 320 BROADWAY ON THURSDAY, THE 18TH OF APRIL, 1907.

There were present—John H. Starin, Vice-President (presiding); Mayor George B. McClellan, Comptroller Herman A. Metz, and Commissioners Woodbury Langdon, Charles Stewart Smith and Morris K. Jesup.

George L. Rives, of Counsel; George S. Rice, Chief Engineer, and Alfred Craven, Deputy Chief Engineer, also were present.

The minutes of the meetings of the 11th and 15th of April were read and it was moved that they be approved.

Ayes—The Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Requisition No. 42, Contract No. 2, was presented as follows:

RAPID TRANSIT SUBWAY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT, No. 23 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK, April 16, 1907.

Requisition No. 42—For work done and materials furnished under contract dated July 21, 1902, Principal Contract No. 2, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York, to 31st day of March, 1907, as follows:

Total to date, relative to the contract value of the whole work.....	\$1,684,405 20
Less previous requisitions	1,075,704 25

Balance due, relative to the contract value of the whole work	\$8,700 95
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RAPID TRANSIT SUBWAY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY.

(Signed) By E. P. BRYAN, President.

Certificate No. 42—I hereby certify that the work done and materials furnished under contract dated July 21, 1902, Principal Contract No. 2, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York, for which Requisition No. 42, of date April 16, 1907, is made by Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, the contractor, has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract to the value of eight thousand seven hundred dollars and ninety-five cents (\$8,700.95); that such value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and materials.

(Signed) GEORGE S. RICE,

Chief Engineer of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners.

The following resolution was moved:

Whereas, Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, the contractor, has made requisition on this Board, dated April 16, 1907, and numbered Requisition No. 42, for work done and materials furnished under contract dated July 21, 1902, Principal Contract No. 2, for the construction and operation of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad, to the 31st day of March, 1907, and amounting to the sum of eight thousand seven hundred dollars and ninety-five cents (\$8,700.95); and

Whereas, George S. Rice, Chief Engineer, has certified that the said work done and materials furnished has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of said contract; that the value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and materials;

Resolved, That this Board hereby approves the said requisition and directs that a voucher be drawn in due form on the Comptroller for the said amount.

Ayes—The Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Requisition No. 18, extra work, four-track and connections, Contract No. 2, was presented as follows:

RAPID TRANSIT SUBWAY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT, No. 23 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK, April 16, 1907.

Requisition No. 18, Four-Track and Connections—For work done and materials furnished under contract dated July 21, 1902, Principal Contract No. 2, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York, to 31st day of March, 1907, as follows:

Total to date, relative to the contract value of the whole work.....	\$668,353 00
Less previous requisitions	607,968 90

Balance due, relative to the contract value of the whole work	\$60,384 10
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RAPID TRANSIT SUBWAY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY.

(Signed) By E. P. BRYAN, President.

Certificate No. 18, Four-Track and Connections—I hereby certify that the work done and materials furnished under contract dated July 21, 1902, Principal Contract No. 2, for the construction and operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad of The City of New York, for which Requisition No. 18, Four-Track and Connections, of date April 16, 1907, is made by Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, the contractor, has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the contract to the value of sixty thousand three hundred and eighty-four dollars and ten cents (\$60,384.10); that such value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and materials.

(Signed) GEORGE S. RICE,

Chief Engineer of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners.

The following resolution was moved:

Whereas, Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, the contractor, has made requisition on this Board, dated April 16, 1907, and numbered Requisition No. 18, four-track and connections, extra work, for extra work done and materials furnished under contracts dated July 21, 1902, and June 9, 1905, for the construction and operation of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroad, additional work in four-tracking in Fulton street, Flatbush avenue, etc., in the Borough of Brooklyn, to the 31st day of March, 1907, and amounting to the sum of sixty thousand three hundred and eighty-four dollars and ten cents (\$60,384.10); and

Whereas, George S. Rice, Chief Engineer, has certified that such extra work done and materials furnished has been done and furnished in accordance with the terms of the said contracts; that such value has been ascertained relatively to the contract value of the whole work, and that no certificate has previously been made for such work and materials;

Resolved, That this Board hereby approves the said requisition and directs that a voucher be drawn in due form on the Comptroller for the said amount.

Ayes—The Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The Secretary reported that he had transmitted communications to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and to the Corporation Counsel, sending contract for that portion of the Brooklyn loop lines in Centre street, between Canal and Broome streets, Borough of Manhattan, as follows:

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
No. 320 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Pursuant to the provisions of law, the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York herewith transmits to your Honorable Board the form of a proposed contract for the construction of a part of the proposed Brooklyn loop lines in Centre street, from Canal to Broome street, Borough of Manhattan, and requests your approval of the said contract for advertising for bids to perform the work therein specified.

This contract is identical in form with the one for that portion of the Brooklyn loop lines in Centre street, between Pearl and Canal streets, which was approved by your Board by resolution adopted the 8th of March, 1907, with the exception only of such changes as are necessitated by the difference in section.

The said proposed contract has also been transmitted, as required by law, to the Corporation Counsel for his approval as to form.

In witness whereof the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York has caused its seal to be hereto affixed and these presents to be signed by its Secretary this 12th day of April, 1907.

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS

FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

(Signed) By BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
No. 320 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,
April 12, 1907.

Hon. WILLIAM B. ELLISON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, New York:

SIR—I beg leave to hand you herewith six copies of a proposed contract for the construction of that portion of the Brooklyn loop lines in Centre street, between Canal and Broome streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, and I am directed by the Rapid Transit Board to request your approval to the form of said contract, as required by the provisions of section 13, chapter 752, of the Laws of 1894.

If you find the form correct, kindly sign the approval in the place indicated (immediately after the invitation to contractors), and return three copies so approved to me.

The form is identical with that of the contract for that portion of the Brooklyn loop lines in Centre street, between Pearl and Canal streets, which has already been approved by you.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

Communication, with resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, was read as follows:

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, ROOM 805, No. 277 BROADWAY,
April 12, 1907.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners:

SIR—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution duly adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment this day, approving of the proposed form of contract for the construction of a rapid transit railway in Centre street, from Canal to Broome street, Borough of Manhattan, said railway being a portion of what are known as the "Brooklyn Loop Lines."

Respectfully,

(Signed) JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves the proposed form of contract submitted by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York, with a communication dated April 12, 1907, for the construction of a rapid transit railway in Centre street, from Canal to Broome street, said route being a portion of what are known as the "Brooklyn Loop Lines."

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, April 12, 1907.

(Signed) JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Communication, with resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, was read as follows:

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, ROOM 805, No. 277 BROADWAY,
April 12, 1907.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York:

SIR—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution duly adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment this day, recommending to your Board that alternate bids be invited for the Westchester avenue and Southern boulevard route (Route No. 19), first, for construction alone, and second, for construction, equipment and operation.

Respectfully,

(Signed) JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is in receipt of a communication dated January 31, 1907, from the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, in relation to a contract to be let for what is known as "The Westchester Avenue and Southern Boulevard Route" (Route No. 19), which was approved by this Board on June 8, 1906, and by the Mayor on June 14, 1906, and has requested an expression of opinion from this Board in regard to the manner in which said contract shall be advertised; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners that alternate bids be in-

vited for the Westchester avenue and Southern boulevard route (Route No. 19), first, for construction only, and second, for construction, equipment and operation. A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 12, 1907.

(Signed) JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Report of counsel on the necessity for additional tracks between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Third streets was read as follows:

April 15, 1907.

ALEXANDER E. ORR, Esq., President, Rapid Transit Commission, No. 320 Broadway:

DEAR SIR—For some time past the Engineers of the Rapid Transit Board and the Engineers of the Interborough Company have had under discussion a plan to remedy the congested conditions at this station, and have agreed upon a method which involves the construction of two additional tracks on the west side of the present subway and one track on the east side, together with crossovers, this construction extending from Ninety-sixth street to One Hundred and Third street, in Broadway.

The matter was brought to the attention of the Board at its meeting on April 4, and the question was then raised whether these additional tracks or sidings could lawfully be constructed under the routes and general plan, and the matter was referred to counsel for investigation and report.

The general plan provides that from Centre street to One Hundred and Third street there shall be four parallel tracks, and that an additional track for siding accommodation may be constructed, not to exceed in length one-quarter of a mile for each mile of roadway. Provision is also made for "necessary and suitable switches and connections."

I have inquired as to the number of feet of additional track which has heretofore been constructed under this provision, and am satisfied that the amount of available track has been exhausted.

Under these circumstances, the proposed addition involves a change in the routes and general plan, which can only be made on obtaining the same consents as are required for the original adoption of routes and plans. I have consulted with the counsel for the Interborough Company and am informed that they concur with me in this view.

If, therefore, the Board desires to have the additional tracks built as suggested between Ninety-sixth street and One Hundred and Third street, it will be necessary, first, to get the consent in due form of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, being the local authorities that have control of the street; and, second, to get the consent of a majority in value of the owners of property abutting on Broadway between the streets mentioned, or, if such consents of property owners cannot be obtained, to get the consent of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) G. L. RIVES.

Report of the Chief Engineer on the plan submitted by the Comptroller at the last meeting for relieving the congestion at Ninety-sixth street was read as follows, and the whole matter was referred to the Committee on Plans and Contracts:

April 18, 1907.

Mr. BION L. BURROWS, Secretary, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, New York City:

DEAR SIR—Relative to the plan submitted to the Board on the 11th inst. for relieving the congestion at the Ninety-sixth street station by providing cross-overs south of the station, I would state as follows:

At present all switching necessary to permit all trains, both north and south-bound, to cross into their proper running tracks, cross north of the Ninety-sixth street station. The scheme suggested proposes to transfer about 50 per cent. of this switching to cross-overs to be constructed south of this station. Then southbound Broadway expresses and Lenox locals would pass the station and cross over into their proper running tracks south of the station. Northbound Broadway expresses would cross into the Broadway track south of the station; northbound Lenox locals into their track north of the station as at present. By this means platform facilities for all express trains would be doubled. Further, in order to facilitate train movement, it is proposed to run all local trains in both directions by the Ninety-sixth street station without stopping. This proposition alone is sufficiently objectionable to condemn the whole scheme, and without it there are no material advantages in the plan. Without the feature of eliminating local stops at Ninety-sixth street, it was the first plan considered by the Board's Engineers. It was abandoned as being entirely inadequate.

The switching, which is the real cause of the throttling of the service at this point is not eliminated by it, but only removed from one point to another.

The rearrangement and redistribution of passengers, which take place at all express stations, is the characteristic feature of the service provided in the subway. While it is abused to some extent, on the whole it is the feature of the service most highly appreciated by the public, and it should be maintained. Changing the transferring from one express station to the others will not help matters.

If local train stops were discontinued at Ninety-sixth street, it would not only greatly hamper the local service, but would result in a great inconvenience to a large number of the people using both the Broadway and Lenox branches, because of their inability to transfer from expresses to locals and vice versa at this station. Particularly would this be so in the case of the Broadway branch. On this branch, during the rush hours, express trains serve the four stations between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets at eight minutes interval apart. This is only half of the express service provided at this branch; the other express trains run on the third track. About 48 per cent. of all passengers on the Broadway branch use these four stations. A large number of these people take the locals to Ninety-sixth street and there change to Lenox or third track Broadway expresses. Any arrangement which prohibits this should not be considered.

The plan prepared by the engineering staff of the Commissioners and approved by the Interborough Company provides a proper solution for the conditions now prevailing at Ninety-sixth street station.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) GEORGE S. RICE, Chief Engineer.

Request of the Chairman of the sub-committee of the Committee of One Hundred of the Borough of The Bronx for a hearing was presented and action deferred for one week.

Mr. Rives reported that the Degnon Contracting Company, the lower bidder for the work of constructing that portion of the Brooklyn loop lines in Centre street, Borough of Manhattan, between Pearl and Canal streets, had filed duly certified copy of the certificate of incorporation and affidavits showing the amount of stock paid in in cash and the names and addresses of the directors and principal officers, as required. He also submitted communication from the Degnon Contracting Company, as follows:

To the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners in and for The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Referring to the proposal of the undersigned submitted for construction of a part of the proposed Brooklyn loop lines (Centre street from Pearl to Canal), in which the sureties named were as follows, to wit:

Bankers' Surety Company, American Bonding Company, Title Guaranty and Surety Company of Scranton, Pa.; Metropolitan Surety Company and National Surety Company, the undersigned being advised that American Bonding Company, one of the said sureties so named, is not approved by your Board, does hereby substitute in the proposal of the undersigned, the People's Surety Company in place of said American Bonding Company as a surety named in said proposal, and name and present in said proposal the sureties hereinabove set forth originally named therein with the substitution and amendment hereby made.

Dated, New York, April 17, 1907.

(Signed) THE DEGNON CONTRACTING COMPANY,
Per N. J. HAYWOOD, Secretary.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

Nathaniel J. Haywood, being duly sworn, says I am the Secretary of the Degnon Contracting Company, the proposing contractor above named. I have read the foregoing proposal. The same is in all respects true. I am duly authorized to execute the foregoing proposal and substitution.

(Signed)

N. J. HAYWOOD.

Sworn to before me this 18th day of April, 1907.

(Signed) T. A. O'MALLEY, Notary Public.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That this Board hereby accepts the proposal of the Degnon Contracting Company, dated April 11, 1907, for the construction of that portion of the Brooklyn loop lines rapid transit railway which lies in Centre street (Manhattan), between Pearl and Canal streets, including a spur from Centre street to the Manhattan Bridge approach, and also the proposal of the said contracting company to construct pipe galleries in connection with the said railway, the prices bid being \$2,952,000 for construction of the railway and \$83,000 for construction of the pipe galleries.

Resolved, That the President or Vice-President and Secretary be and they are hereby authorized on behalf of the Board to execute a contract in the form attached to the said proposal, and to deliver the same if and when consented to by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and upon compliance by said the Degnon Contracting Company with the requirements of the invitation to contractors attached to the said proposal.

Resolved, That the President or Vice-President and Secretary be and they are hereby authorized and instructed to request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to consent to the said contract and to prescribe a limit to the amount of bonds available to meet the requirements of the said contract, to wit: the sum of \$2,952,000 for construction of the said railway and \$83,000 for construction of pipe galleries in connection therewith; and also to request the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment to direct the Comptroller of The City of New York to issue the bonds of said City bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum for the purpose of providing the necessary means for construction at the public expense of the said portion of the railway and the said pipe galleries.

Resolved, That the Secretary give notice to the said the Degnon Contracting Company that its proposal has been accepted and the contract awarded to it by this Board, subject to approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment as required by law.

Resolved, That it be referred to the Comptroller to enquire into the sufficiency of the sureties proposed to be given by the said the Degnon Contracting Company, and in case the sureties named in proposal of the said company or any of them are not approved then to enquire into the sufficiency of any other or substituted sureties, and in behalf of the Board to do all such acts as may be necessary and incidental to the furnishing of a proper bond, and to act for and on behalf of the Board and in its name in relation thereto.

Ayes—The Vice-President, the Mayor, the Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following resolution was moved:

Whereas, The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York did, on the 25th day of May, 1905, adopt certain resolutions determining and establishing the route or routes of a certain proposed rapid transit railway running from a point in the Borough of Brooklyn over the Manhattan Bridge to a point in the Borough of Manhattan, and establishing the general plan of construction thereof; and

Whereas, The said routes and general plan provided for only two tracks throughout the whole of the said route and failed to provide adequately for connections between the said proposed route and the proposed subway to be constructed under Third avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, and with another proposed subway to be constructed under Canal street west of Centre street, and it is considered expedient that said route across the Manhattan Bridge should have four tracks and should have adequate means of connection with the said proposed subways under Third avenue and under Canal street west of Centre street, in Manhattan; and

Whereas, The said proposed route was heretofore approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by resolution adopted July 14, 1905, and approved by the Mayor of The City of New York July 28, 1905, but the same has not been approved by the owners of a majority in value of the abutting property nor by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court;

Now, therefore, this Board does hereby rescind and revoke the said resolutions adopted on the 25th day of May, 1905, for the said railway beginning at a point in the Borough of Brooklyn, and running across the Manhattan Bridge to a point in the Borough of Manhattan, and the same is hereby in all things rescinded.

Ayes—The Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following resolution was moved:

Manhattan Bridge Route (Revised).

Whereas, The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York has determined that a rapid transit railway or railways for the conveyance and transportation of persons and property, in addition to those already existing, authorized or proposed, are necessary for the interest of the public and of The City of New York, and should be established therein as hereinafter provided; and

Whereas, This Board has duly made the inquest and investigation necessary or proper in the premises, and all such inquests and investigations as are necessary or proper for such determination;

Now, therefore, this Board, by the concurrent votes of at least six members, does hereby adopt the following route or routes for an additional rapid transit railway or railways in The City of New York, and does hereby determine and establish the said additional route or routes thereof as follows, and does hereby adopt a general plan of construction of the said railway or railways, the route or routes of which are herein provided, and does in such general plan hereby adopted show the general mode of operation and such details as to manner of construction as may be necessary to show the extent to which any street, avenue or other public place is to be encroached upon and the property abutting thereon affected.

This Board, in adopting the said route or routes and general plans, expressly reserves all the powers in relation to the construction of the said route or routes which are conferred upon it by section 34 of the Rapid Transit Act. In particular it reserves the right to contract for the construction of the whole road or all the roads provided for in the following plans in a single contract; or by separate contracts, executed from time to time, to provide for the construction of parts of said road or roads or for the construction at first of two or more tracks over a part or parts of such road or roads, and afterwards of one or more additional tracks over a part or parts of such road or roads, as the necessities of The City of New York and the increase of its population may, in the judgment of this Board require; or to provide in a contract for any part of such railroad that, at a future time, upon the requirement of this Board, the contractor shall construct the remainder or any part of the remainder of said road as the growth of the population or the interests of the City may, in the judgment of this Board, require.

A route lying within the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Manhattan, the centre line of which shall begin at or near the intersection of the centre line of Willoughby street with the centre line of Flatbush avenue as the same has been extended; running thence under said Flatbush avenue extension and the easterly Manhattan Bridge approach to a point near the intersection of Nassau street, and there emerging to the surface and continuing northwesterly in an open approach and along the easterly Manhattan Bridge approach and along and across the Manhattan Bridge, and the westerly Manhattan Bridge approach over and across the East river and the Borough of Manhattan to a point at or near the intersection with the centre line of the Manhattan Bridge prolonged with the centre line of Chrystie street prolonged. Near the said last-mentioned point the tracks will diverge, making two spurs. The centre line of the southerly one of the said spurs will continue in a southwesterly direction, curving under the Manhattan Bridge approach or plaza into the Bowery, and continuing southerly along the Bowery to a point at or near the intersection of Doyers street with the Bowery, at which connections can conveniently be made with a subway proposed to be constructed running northerly and southerly under the Bowery. From the above-mentioned point near the intersection of the centre line of the Manhattan Bridge prolonged with the centre line of Chrystie street prolonged, the second spur will diverge in a westerly and northwesterly direction, continuing to a point near the intersection of the centre line of Canal street with the easterly line of the Bowery.

At this point the said spur will again branch, with two tracks curving northwesterly into the Bowery and two tracks continuing westerly under Canal street. The two tracks curving northwesterly into the Bowery will continue under and along the Bowery to a point about half way between Hester street and Grand street, at which a connection can conveniently be made with a subway to be constructed running northerly and southerly under the Bowery. The two tracks continuing westerly under Canal street as above mentioned, will run along the northerly side of Canal street as far as Mulberry street, and then along the middle of Canal street, passing under the proposed subway in Centre street and the existing subway in Elm street to a point in Canal street between Broadway and Elm street where a connection can conveniently be made with a proposed subway to be constructed running under Canal street, Wooster street, University place and other streets.

The said route shall also include a suitable spur or connection in the Borough of Brooklyn, the centre line of which shall begin at or near the point of beginning above mentioned near the intersection of the centre line of Willoughby street with the centre line of Flatbush avenue extension; and running thence southeasterly under the said Flatbush avenue extension and under and across Fulton street to a possible connection with the subway now being constructed under Flatbush avenue pursuant to resolutions of this Board adopted January 24, 1901, and April 13, 1905.

The said last-mentioned spur may be partly constructed in the same tunnels as a subway to be hereafter constructed under Willoughby street, the Flatbush avenue extension and Fulton street, and may include suitable tracks to afford a means of connection with the said proposed subway last mentioned.

Plan of Construction.

The general plan of construction hereby adopted for the foregoing route is as follows:

There shall be four tracks throughout the whole of the said route from Willoughby street in Brooklyn to the line of Chrystie street in Manhattan. There shall be two tracks in each of the spurs connecting the said route with the proposed subway under the Bowery and two tracks in the spur or branch running westerly under Canal street to connect with the proposed subway under that street, as above described. There shall also be such additional tracks, not more than four in number, southeasterly from Willoughby street, as may be requisite to make proper connections with other subways near that point.

All of the above-mentioned tracks shall be placed in subway or tunnel; except that upon the Manhattan Bridge and the approaches thereto the tracks shall be such and so many of those to be constructed by the City as a part of the bridge structure as may be hereafter determined; and except that between the ends of the bridge tracks and the tunnel or tunnels the tracks of the railway hereby established shall be placed in open cuts or upon viaducts or otherwise, as may be necessary for efficient operation.

All of the tracks will be substantially parallel with each other and on substantially the same levels, except that wherever required by special necessities of surface or subsurface structures or other special or local necessities, and except for the purpose of avoiding grade crossings near the intersection of the Flatbush avenue extension with Willoughby street and the various connections at and near the westerly end of the Manhattan Bridge, and for the purpose of passing under and connecting with the proposed subway in the Bowery, and for the purpose of passing under the present subway, any one or more of the tracks may be depressed below the level of the other track or tracks to a depth of not more than twenty feet.

The tracks shall be placed in general along the central part of the Manhattan Bridge and the longitudinal streets of the route so far as may be practicable or convenient, except, as above provided, they shall be on the northerly side of Canal street, from the Bowery to Mulberry street, and except that wherever required by special or local necessities the tracks, or any one or more of them, may be diverted as far as necessary to one side or the other of the said bridge and the said longitudinal streets or any of them.

The roof of the tunnel shall be as near the surface as street conditions and grades will conveniently permit, except that wherever necessary to cross the line of other subways or proposed subways the tracks may be so depressed as to avoid grade crossings.

Wherever the tracks change from tunnel to viaduct the change shall be so made as to occupy or obstruct the surface of the street or bridge approach to the least possible extent consistent with the proper gradient for the tracks.

The tunnels above described shall in no case be less than thirteen feet in height in the clear.

The roof of the said tunnels shall be of iron or steel, with brick or concrete arches, supported when necessary by iron or steel or masonry columns, and resting upon masonry walls; or the roof shall be a masonry structure; or the whole of the lining may be of metal.

Viaducts shall be built with a width of 12½ feet for each track and with an additional width of 3 feet on each side for outside footways. Viaducts may be built of metal, or of masonry, or both.

The tracks may at any point of the said route or of the spur therein included be placed in the same tunnel; or there may be separate tunnels for one or more tracks, as shall be most convenient.

The tracks shall be of standard gauge; that is to say, of the width of 4 feet and 8½ inches between the rails. There shall be a width in the tunnels not exceeding 15 feet for each track in addition to the thickness of the supporting walls, except that at stations, switches, turnouts, curves and crossovers the width may be increased.

Adjacent tracks shall be connected by necessary and suitable switches and connections and an additional track for siding accommodations may be constructed not to exceed in length one-quarter of a mile for each mile of roadway.

Stations and station approaches shall, in general, be at the intersections of streets and shall be built under or, if the position of the tracks so requires, over the streets and immediately adjoining private abutting property, or through private property to be acquired for the purpose, or both under or over streets and through private property as aforesaid. The streets under which stations or station approaches shall be built may include cross streets, but no part of any cross street shall be used for a station approach at a distance greater than seventy-five feet from the exterior line or side of the longitudinal street of the route.

Wherever along any part of the routes above described it shall be necessary for the proper maintenance or accommodation of pipes, wires, sewers or other subsurface structures the removal, construction or reconstruction of which shall be rendered necessary by the construction of the railway, the width of any tunnel or subway may be enlarged on either or both sides by an additional width on each side of the route, not to exceed fifteen feet on either side, provided always that the limits hereinbefore provided as to certain longitudinal streets of the route shall be observed. All or any pipes, wires, sewers or other subsurface structures may be placed in suitable galleries to be constructed within the additional widths hereinbefore permitted. At each cross street where accommodation for pipes, wires, sewers and other subsurface structures shall be those provided within the tunnels or subways, such tunnels or subways, in order to provide convenient access to the same, may have, within the limit of the sides or exterior lines of such cross streets or such lines produced, an additional width on each side of the routes not to exceed fifteen feet.

Pipes, wires, sewers and other subsurface structures at any part of the said routes shall be removed or disturbed only when necessary for the construction and operation of the railway above referred to, and if removed or disturbed shall be placed under the several streets in such manner and in such location that the use and service thereof shall not be impaired. Such pipes, wires, sewers and other subsurface structures shall be left or shall be so arranged as to give free access for their repair or alteration, or for the placing with them, so far as there may be space, of new pipes, wires, sewers and other like structures, and for making connections between the same and abutting buildings at any time.

The manner of construction under the Flatbush avenue extension shall be by tunneling or excavation under cover, except in places where and at times when the Board shall give express permission to construct by open excavation.

Upon or along the Manhattan Bridge and the approaches thereto all work of construction shall be subject to the requirements of the Commissioner of Bridges. In the Borough of Manhattan at all points west of the Manhattan Bridge approach or other places under the jurisdiction of the Department of Bridges, the work shall be done by excavation under cover, except that the Board reserves the right to permit open excavation in Canal street west of the westerly side of the Bowery, in such places and during such times as it may direct.

In parks, parkways and public places under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, all trees injured or destroyed in the course of construction shall be replaced under the direction and to the satisfaction of said department.

Mode of Operation.

The general mode of operation of the route or routes above described shall be by electricity or some other power not requiring combustion within the tunnels, and the motors shall be capable of moving trains at a speed of not less than forty miles per hour for long distances, exclusive of stops.

Definitions.

The word "street," wherever used herein, shall include an avenue or public place.

The words "Rapid Transit Act," wherever used herein shall be taken and held to mean chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891 as amended by chapter 752 of the Laws of 1894 and other acts of the Legislature.

Maps and Drawings.

It is further

Resolved, That the maps and drawings entitled "Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners of The City of New York—Routes and General Plan," one of the said drawings being marked "Key Map No. 7, Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn" and four drawings marked "Manhattan and Brooklyn 7, Sheets Nos. 1 to 4, inclusive," be and they are hereby adopted as showing the foregoing routes and general plan for convenience merely, and that said maps and drawings are not to be deemed a part of the description of the route or a part of the general plan for any purpose whatsoever.

Ayes—The Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the officers of this Board be and they hereby are authorized to address a communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting the route and plans for the Manhattan Bridge route, in form substantially as follows:

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York heretofore and on or about May 25, 1905, adopted certain resolutions establishing a route and general plans for the construction of a rapid transit railway running over the Manhattan Bridge and the Flatbush avenue extension, in Brooklyn, which route and general plans provided for only two tracks. Such route and general plans were approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 14, 1905, and by the Mayor of New York, July 28, 1905.

On January 25, 1907, your Board adopted certain resolutions in regard to a plan for a system of subways in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn connecting the Brooklyn, Williamsburg and Manhattan bridges, and recommending that the entire line should be of four tracks throughout, with necessary spurs for connections and future extensions. In accordance with the views thus expressed by your Board, this Board has in accordance with the authority conferred upon it by law, rescinded the resolutions adopted on May 25, 1905, and has adopted route and general plans for the construction of a four-track railroad across the Manhattan Bridge and under the Flatbush avenue extension, in Brooklyn, with the necessary spurs for connections and future extensions both in Manhattan and Brooklyn.

A certified copy of such route and general plans is herewith transmitted for approval by your Board as the authorities having control of the streets through which the proposed railway is to be constructed.

In view of the fact that this subject has already been before your Board and that the change in the plans so as to provide a four-track instead of a two-track railroad has been already approved by your Board, it is unnecessary to present any argument showing the advisability of such a change. This Board therefore contents itself with simply requesting that you will approve the route and general plans of construction transmitted herewith.

In witness whereof, the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York has caused its official seal to be hereto affixed and these presents to be signed by its Vice-President and Secretary this 18th day of April, 1907.

..... Vice-President.

..... Secretary.

Ayes—The Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Counsel presented form of contract for the change in station entrance at One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Third avenue necessitated by the widening of Third avenue, and stated that it had already been approved by the Corporation Counsel and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the officers of this Board be and they hereby are authorized to execute contract in form substantially as follows:

Agreement made this _____ day of _____, in the year nineteen hundred and seven, between The City of New York (hereinafter called the "City"), acting by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York (hereinafter called the "Board"), party of the first part, and John B. McDonald, of The City of New York (hereinafter called the "Contractor"), party of the second part, and Interborough Rapid Transit Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York (hereinafter called "Interborough Company"), party of the third part, witnesseth:

Whereas, Heretofore and on or about the 21st day of February, 1900, the City, acting by the Board, entered into a contract with the Contractor for the construction and operation of a rapid transit railroad in The City of New York and otherwise, as therein mentioned, the said contract for construction and operation being hereinafter styled the "Contract," which contract has been from time to time modified by certain other agreements between the said parties; and

Whereas, The Contractor has deposited with the Comptroller of the City certain security for the performance of the Contract on his part, and has given certain bonds as further security for such performance, and upon such bonds there are now sureties as follows: Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, the Empire State Surety Company, American Surety Company of New York, National Surety Company and Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; and

Whereas, By written instruments bearing date the 10th day of July, 1902, the Contractor, with the written consent of the Board, concurred in by six members thereof, duly assigned the right and obligation to maintain and operate the said rapid transit railroad for the term of years specified in the Contract and all rights included in the leasing provisions of the Contract, together with the obligation to provide equipment for the said railroad unto Interborough Company, which Company also guaranteed the performance by the Contractor of the provisions of so much of the Contract as was not so assigned to it; and

Whereas, It is provided in the Contract that the said Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners shall have the right to require additional work to be done or additional materials to be furnished or both, within the general purview of a rapid transit railroad as therein described, the reasonable value of which shall be additionally paid to the Contractor; and

Whereas, Since the contract was made and the railroad (including the station thereof, near the intersection of Third avenue with One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Borough of The Bronx) was fully completed, the municipal authorities have caused the Third avenue to be widened near the intersection of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, and it has therefore become necessary to construct a new entrance to the said station near the southeasterly corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, and to make corresponding changes in the approaches to the said station, thus requiring additional work to be done and additional materials to be furnished; and

Whereas, The cost of constructing the said station entrance and making the said changes in the approaches to said station is not chargeable to cost of construction

of the railroad, but is properly a part of the expense of widening the Third avenue, for which the Contractor and the Interborough Company are not responsible; and

Whereas, The Board desires and the Contractor approves a modification of the contract so as to provide for constructing the said new station entrance and making the other corresponding changes in the said station in such a manner as not to interrupt the traffic upon the railroad and not to impair the efficiency of the railroad or interfere with the safety and comfort of passengers;

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises and subject to the consents hereinafter provided, it is agreed that the said Contract of February 21, 1900, be and the same is hereby modified as follows:

There shall be constructed at and near the southeasterly corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street a new station stairway and entrance to the rapid transit railway station at that point and all necessary work shall be done and all necessary materials furnished to make such changes and alterations in the said station as may be necessary in connection with the said station entrance. The existing station entrance near that point shall be closed and discontinued. All of the said work is to be constructed by the Contractor in accordance with the plan or drawing prepared and issued by the Chief Engineer of this Board, a copy of which is hereunto annexed as a part of this agreement marked "Change of Stairway at S. E. Corner of North Third Ave. Station," numbered 1716, dated February 28, 1907.

And it is further agreed that the cost of constructing the said new station entrance and stairway, together with all the work incidental thereto, including necessary changes to the present structure, shall be ascertained and paid to the Contractor in the manner provided in the Contract for ascertaining and paying for extra work in addition to amounts in said contract expressly agreed to be paid to said Contractor; but that the amounts so ascertained and paid for the work provided for in this present agreement shall not be included in the cost of the said railroad in determining the amount of rental to be paid under said contract.

Provided, however, and it is expressly agreed, that this agreement shall take effect if and when and only when the following consents shall have been duly had, to wit:

1. The consent of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York.

2. The consents as subjoined of Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, the Empire State Surety Company, American Surety Company of New York, National Surety Company and Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.

In witness whereof, this contract has been executed for The City of New York by its Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, under and by resolution duly adopted by said Board and concurred in by six of its members, and the seal of the said Board has been hereto affixed and these presents signed by the President and Secretary of the said Board, and the Contractor has hereto set his hand and seal, and Interborough Company has caused these presents to be duly executed by its proper officers under its corporate seal, the day and year first above written.

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

.....President.
.....Secretary.

INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY,
.....President.

Attest:Secretary.

Ayes—The Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon, Smith and Jesup.

Nays—None.

Carried.

At this point Commissioner Jesup withdrew from the meeting.

Communications were presented from different associations urging immediate action under the condemnation clause of chapter 109 of the Laws of 1906.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer of this Board prepare three similar maps or plans, showing the streets, avenues, public parks and places on which the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company now operates or has any franchise or right to operate a steam railway at grade in the Borough of Manhattan and City of New York, and showing the location thereon of the tracks, if any, of the said Railroad Company; and that the Chief Engineer submit the said maps or plans, as soon as they are prepared, to this Board for its adoption and approval.

Ayes—The Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon and Smith.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Mr. Rives presented forms of contracts for those portions of the Brooklyn loop lines in Centre street, between Pearl street and Park row, and in Delancey street, between the Bowery and Norfolk street, and on motion the Board fixed a hearing on the forms for the 9th of May, at 3 o'clock p. m.

The Vice-President reported that he had directed the publication of advertisements in four daily newspapers, as required by law, and bids were to be opened on Tuesday, May 14, at noon, for that section of the Brooklyn loop lines in Centre street, Borough of Manhattan, between Canal and Broome streets.

The following resolution was moved:

Resolved, That this Board hereby makes the following appointments and promotions, accepts the following resignations and consents to the following transfers on the staff of the Chief Engineer:

Name and Title.	Salary.	To Take Effect.
Appointments.		
Harry S. Craven, Temporary Rodman.....	\$960 00	April 16, 1907
George F. Raeburn, Temporary Rodman.....	960 00	April 16, 1907
Harry G. Burr, Axeman.....	720 00	April 15, 1907
Frank J. McKiernan, Axeman.....	720 00	April 15, 1907
Promotions.		
R. Frank Walker, Cement Tester.....	\$2,100 00	April 16, 1907
R. L. Oberholser, Steel Chemist.....	1,980 00	April 16, 1907
Charles B. Thomas, Inspector of Steel.....	1,500 00	April 16, 1907
Wilbur A. Langdon, Cement Tester.....	1,500 00	April 16, 1907
Albert B. Woythaler, Cement Tester.....	1,500 00	April 16, 1907
Resignations.		
Theodore Belzner, Inspector of Masonry.....		April 15, 1907
Abraham B. Martin, Axeman.....		April 10, 1907
Transfers.		
Walter A. Walsh, Rodman, to the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx.		
William A. Smith, Rodman, to the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx.		
Joseph B. Fitzgerald, Axeman, to the Bureau of Highways, Brooklyn.		
Charles C. Schriever, Rodman, to the Topographical Bureau, Brooklyn.		
John J. Kearns, Axeman, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Brooklyn.		

Ayes—The Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon and Smith.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Mr. Rives laid before the Board the draft of a bond for \$50,000, to be given by the New York Connecting Railroad Company, as required by Article 10 of the certificate dated February 14, 1907, as follows:

Know all men by these presents, That the New York Connecting Railroad Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York, as prin-

cipal, and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto The City of New York in the penal sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), for the payment whereof well and truly to be made unto said The City of New York, the aforesaid principal and sureties, jointly and severally, bind themselves, their successors and assigns firmly by these presents.

Whereas, The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York did, on or about the 14th day of February, 1907, grant to the New York Connecting Railroad Company, the principal, a franchise and grant and make with the said Company a contract for the construction and operation of a railroad or railroads in The City of New York, which franchise, grant and contract are contained in the certificate of that Board to the New York Connecting Railroad Company, bearing date February 14, 1907, a copy of which certificate is hereto annexed and made a part hereof, which franchise, grant and contract were duly approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the said City on the 15th day of February, 1907, and were duly accepted by the said Company on the 28th day of February, 1907; and whereas, thereafter by resolution duly adopted on the 8th day of March, 1907, the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment duly approved the said certificate and the franchise and grant therein contained and consented to the construction and operation of the said railroad or railroads in accordance therewith, which resolution was duly approved by the Mayor of the said City on the 14th day of March, 1907; and

Whereas, The franchise contained in the said certificate, dated February 14, 1907, was granted upon the express condition that the New York Connecting Railroad Company, the principal, within sixty (60) days after its approval by the Mayor, or such other period as should be prescribed by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, should file with the Comptroller of the said City a bond in the penal sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), in a form to be approved by the said Board, to be executed by the New York Connecting Railroad Company and by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, as sureties, or by other sureties approved by the said Board, or in lieu of such bond to deposit with the Comptroller fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) in cash or securities. Such bond or deposit to be security for the performance by the New York Connecting Railroad Company, the principal, of all the terms and conditions of the franchise thereby granted, especially those terms and conditions therein which relate to the annual payments to be made to the said City.

Now, therefore, the condition of this obligation is such that if the terms and conditions in the said certificate contained, and each of them, shall be, by the said New York Connecting Railroad Company, its successors or assigns, duly performed and complied with as in said certificate provided, especially those terms and conditions which relate to the annual payments to be made to the City, then this obligation is to be void, otherwise of full force and effect.

In witness whereof, the New York Connecting Railroad Company and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company have caused these presents to be executed by their respective officers and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed this day of April, 1907.

NEW YORK CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANY,

.....President.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY,

.....President.

NEW YORK, NEW HAVEN AND HARTFORD RAILROAD COMPANY,

.....President.

[Acknowledgments.]

[Copy of Certificate of February 14, 1907, attached.]

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Smith and duly seconded:

Resolved, That this Board hereby approves the form of bond, as above, to be executed by the New York Connecting Railroad Company and by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, as sureties, and that the Secretary be authorized on behalf of this Board to indorse upon the original bond an approval of its form.

Ayes—The Vice-President, Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioners Langdon and Smith.

Nays—None.

Carried.

Mr. Rives reported that he had transmitted a communication to the members of the Senate Committee on Cities, as directed by the Board, setting forth the reasons of the Board for objecting to Bill No. 1117, providing that contracts should be advertised for three months.

Bill of Edward M. Shepard, for services as Special Counsel in the Park avenue deviation matter, was presented and referred to Counsel for report at the next meeting.

Letter of F. A. Hutson was read as follows, and it was understood that the consents would be turned over to the Title Guarantee and Trust Company, as suggested:

FRANK A. HUTSON, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW,
No. 150 NASSAU STREET,
NEW YORK, April 18, 1907.

Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, No. 320 Broadway, New York:

GENTLEMEN—I beg to report that I have completed the work in obtaining the consents on the Bensonhurst and Coney Island subway route and have the necessary consents on Fortieth street, New Utrecht avenue, Eighty-sixth street and Stillwell avenue.

These additional consents in this list have not been certified by the Title Guarantee and Trust Company, and I should like to have the permission of this Board to turn these consents over to the Company for search without delay.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) F. A. HUTSON.

Miscellaneous communications were referred to respective committees.

The Board then adjourned.

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Senate 1218, Int. No. 745, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled:

An Act to amend the Greater New York charter in relation to the fixing of the salaries of members of the supervising and teaching staff of the public schools of the city of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's office in the City Hall in The City of New York on Monday, May 6, 1907, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 30, 1907.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Senate 1341, Int. No. 130, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled:

An Act to amend chapter five hundred and eighty of the laws of nineteen hundred

and two, entitled "An act in relation to the municipal court of the city of New York, its officers and marshals," relative to fees payable to clerks.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's office in the City Hall in The City of New York on Friday, May 3, 1907, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 30, 1907.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,
Mayor.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

CITY MAGISTRATE'S COURT, FIRST DIVISION.

April 30—Charles H. Aron of No. 263 West Twenty-first street, has been appointed temporarily as Stenographer in and for the City Magistrate's Courts of the First Division, at the rate of \$2,000 per annum, said appointment to date from May 1, 1907.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
April 29—

Appointed Park Laborers.

April 15, 1907, Chas. L. Williams, No. 1504 Prospect place, Brooklyn.
April 15, 1907, Tobias Balmdauf, Lincoln avenue, near Flatbush avenue.

Appointed Gardeners.

April 13, 1907, James McCormick, No. 277 Ninth avenue, Brooklyn.
April 13, 1907, Isaac Nathan, No. 157 Twenty-second street, Brooklyn.
April 13, 1907, Patrick F. O'Brien, No. 356 Fifty-sixth street, Brooklyn.
April 13, 1907, Edward O'Grady, No. 440 Fifty-fourth street, Brooklyn.
April 13, 1907, Richard F. Kelly, No. 100 Gold street, Brooklyn.

Appointed Assistant Engineer.

April 12, 1907, Emil H. Stuedinger, No. 474 Eighth street, Brooklyn.
Appointed Topographical Draughtsman.
April 17, 1907, John J. Houston, No. 124 Union Hall street, Jamaica.

Appointed Climbers and Pruners.

April 24, 1907, Charles F. McNamara, No. 28 Cheever place, Brooklyn.
April 24, 1907, Michael T. Murphy, No. 1094 Pacific street, Brooklyn.
April 24, 1907, James J. Logan, No. 134 Bergen street, Brooklyn.
April 24, 1907, James Malcom, No. 101 Jay street, Brooklyn.
April 24, 1907, Daniel J. Barr, No. 785 Dean street, Brooklyn.
April 24, 1907, Joseph F. McGee, No. 492 Ninth street, Brooklyn.

Dismissed on Charges.

Michael McBenett, Laborer, No. 197 Baltic street, April 25, 1907.
Thos. F. J. Moran, Park Laborer, No. 597 Park avenue, April 20, 1907.
Wm. F. Shields, Park Laborer, No. 108 Butler street, April 22, 1907.

Borough of The Bronx.

Appointed.

George W. Homan, Jr., Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Woodlawn, Axeman, at a compensation at the rate of \$720 per annum.

Resigned.

Philip L. Haas, No. 307 St. Ann's avenue, Transitman, in effect May 1, 1907.
April 30—Reassignment of R. W. O'Connell, No. 1067 Hall place, The Bronx, Carpenter, to take effect May 1, 1907.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, NEW YORK COUNTY.

April 30—Appointed Harry Gottesfeld of No. 77 Essex street, New York City, a Page, at \$5 a week, his services to begin on May 1, vice Gustav Itzkowitz, resigned.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

May 1—Accepted the resignation of A. C. Codet, Jr., No. 250 Cumberland street, Brooklyn, from the position of Inspector of Steel in order to appoint him as a Structural Steel Draughtsman.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

April 29—The Commissioner has appointed Thomas Casey, John Thomas and Peter Kelly as Marine Stokers, each with compensation at the rate of \$90 per month while employed.



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

No. 5 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN, Mayor.
Frank M. O'Brien, Secretary.
William A. Willis, Executive Secretary.
James A. Rierdon, Chief Clerk and Bond and Warrant Clerk.

BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Room 7, City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
Patrick Derry, Chief of Bureau.

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9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
John P. Corrigan, Chief of Bureau.
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. Gaetano D'Amato, Deputy Chief, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn.
Daniel J. Griffin, Deputy Chief, Borough of Brooklyn.
Branch Office, Richmond Borough Hall, Room 23, New Brighton, S. I.; William R. Woelfle, Financial Clerk, Borough of Richmond.
Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 207, No. 280 Broadway, 5th floor, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 1942 Worth.
The Mayor, the Comptroller, ex-officio, Commissioners John F. Cowan (President), William H. Ten Eyck, John J. Ryan and John P. Windolph; Harry W. Walker, Secretary; Walter H. Sears, Chief Engineer.

ARMORY BOARD.

The Mayor, George B. McClellan, Chairman; the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Lawson Purdy; the President of the Board of Aldermen, Patrick F. McGowan; Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith, Commissioners.
Harrie Davis, Secretary, Room 6, Basement, Hall of Records, Chambers and Centre streets.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 3900 Worth.

ART COMMISSION.

City Hall, Room 21.
Telephone call, 1107 Cortlandt.
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Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11 New County Court-house
Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Peter J. Doelling, County Clerk.
John F. Curry, Deputy.
Joseph J. Glennen, Secretary.
Telephone, 870 Cortlandt.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Building for Criminal Courts, Franklin and Centre streets.
Office hours from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

William Travers Jerome, District Attorney.
John A. Henneberry, Chief Clerk.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 119 Nassau street, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.
Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
Frank Gass, Register.
William H. Sinnott, Deputy Register.
Telephone, 3900 Worth.

SHERIFF.

No. 299 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Nicholas J. Hayes, Sheriff.
A. J. Johnson, Under Sheriff.
Telephone, 4984 Worth.

SURROGATE.

Hall of Records. Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except Saturday, when it closes at 12 m. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.
Frank T. Fitzgerald, Abner C. Thomas, Surrogates; William V. Leary, Chief Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

County Court-house.
Jacob Brenner, Commissioner.
Jacob A. Livingston, Deputy Commissioner.

Albert B. Waldron, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Office hours during July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 1454 Main.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August, then 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
John K. Neal, Commissioner.
Jesse D. Frost, Deputy Commissioner.
Thomas D. Mossrop, Superintendent.
William J. Beattie, Assistant Superintendent.

COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; during months of July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Charles T. Hartzheim, County Clerk.
Bela Tokaji, Deputy County Clerk.
James P. Kohler, Assistant Deputy County Clerk.
Robert Stewart, Counsel.
Telephone call, 4930 Main.

COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 17, 18, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I., Room No. 23; Part II., Room No. 10, Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 17, 18 and 22, open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.
Norman S. Dike and Lewis L. Fawcett, County Judges.
Charles S. Devoy, Chief Clerk.
Telephone, 4154 and 4155 Main.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn
Hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
John F. Clarke, District Attorney.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 44 Court street (Temple Bar), Brooklyn. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Charles E. Teale, Public Administrator

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August; then from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., provided for by statute.
Alfred J. Boulton, Register.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, N. Y.
9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.
Michael J. Flaherty, Sheriff.

SURROGATE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.
James C. Church, Surrogate.
William P. Pickett, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.
Court opens at 10 a. m. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

QUEENS COUNTY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Queens County Court-house, Long Island City.
John P. Balbert, Commissioner of Jurors.
Rodman Richardson, Assistant Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK.

Jamaica, Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.
Office open, April 1 to October 1, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.; October 1 to April 1, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays throughout year until 12 noon.
John Niederstein, County Clerk.
Henry J. Walter, Jr., Deputy County Clerk.
Charles Mahler, Assistant Deputy County Clerk.
Frank C. Klingenberg, Secretary.
Telephone, 151 Jamaica.

COUNTY COURT.

Temporary County Court-house, Long Island City. County Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September. Special Terms each Saturday, except during August.
County Judge's office always open at No. 336 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.
Burt J. Humphrey, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Ira G. Darrin, District Attorney.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Nos. 62 to 68 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.
Charles J. Schneller, Public Administrator, County of Queens.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Herbert S. Harvey, Sheriff.
John M. Phillips, Under Sheriff.

SURROGATE.

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.
Office at Jamaica.
Except on Sundays, holidays and half-holidays, the office is open between March 31 and October 1 from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.; on Saturdays, from 8 a. m. to 12 m.; between September 30 and April 1, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; on Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.
The calendar is called on Tuesday of each week at 10 a. m., except during the month of August, when no court is held, and the court sits every day thereafter until all contested cases have been disposed of.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Village Hall, Stapleton.
Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.
John J. McCaughy, Assistant Commissioner.
Office open from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
C. L. Bostwick, County Clerk.
County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1907.
County Courts—Stephen D. Stephens, County Judge.
First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jury.
First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jury.
Fourth Wednesday of January, without a Jury.
Fourth Wednesday of February, without a Jury.
Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury.
Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury.
Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury.
Fourth Wednesday of September, without a Jury.
Fourth Wednesday of October, without a Jury.
Surrogate's Court—Stephen D. Stephens, Surrogate.
Mondays at the Borough Hall, St. George, 10.30 o'clock a. m.
Tuesdays at the Borough Hall, St. George, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.
Wednesdays at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

No. 400 Richmond Terrace, New Brighton, S. I.
Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.
John J. Kenney, District Attorney.
J. Harry Tiernan, Assistant District Attorney.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Joseph J. Barth, Sheriff.
John J. Schoen, Under Sheriff.

THE COURTS.**APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.****FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.**

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 p. m.
Edward Patterson, Presiding Justice, George L. Ingraham, Chester B. McLaughlin, Frank C. Laughlin, John Proctor Clarke, James W. Houghton, Francis M. Scott and John S. Lambert, Justices; Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk; William Lamb Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office open at 9 a. m.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 16.
Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 13.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 33.
Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad cases), Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 34.
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 22.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 35.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 27.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 26.
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 28.
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 37.
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 25.
Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 36.
Appellate Term, Room No. 29.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.
Assignment Bureau, room on third floor.
Clerks in attendance from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 15.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), room southwest corner, mezzanine floor.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, room southeast corner, second floor.
Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room northeast corner, second floor, east.
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.
Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).
Criminal Court-house, Centre street.
Justices—Charles H. Truax, Charles F. MacLean, Henry Bischoff, Jr., Leonard A. Giegerich, P. Henry Dugro, Henry A. Gildersleeve, James Fitzgerald, David Leventritt, James A. O'Gorman, James A. Blanchard, Edward S. Clinch, Samuel Greenbaum, Edward E. McCall, Edward B. Amend, Vernon M. Davis, Victor J. Dowling, Joseph Newburger, M. Linn Bruce, John W. Goff, Samuel Seabury, M. Warley Platzek, Peter A. Hendrick, John Ford, Charles W. Dayton, John J. Brady, Mitchell L. Erlanger, Charles L. Guy.
Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn N. Y.
Court open daily from 10 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions.
James F. McGee, General Clerk.
Telephone, 6970 Main.

CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.
Peter J. Dooley, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 6664 Franklin.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.
Thomas C. T. Crain, City Judge; Francis S. McAvoy, Recorder; Otto A. Rosalsky, Warren W. Foster and Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
During July and August will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Part I.
Part II.
Part III.

Part IV.

Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Edward F. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice; John Henry McCarty, Lewis J. Conlan, Theodore F. Hascall, Francis B. Delehanty, Joseph I. Green, William H. Wadhams, Justices. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.
Telephone, 6142 Cortlandt.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.
Court opens at 10 a. m.
Justices—First Division—John B. McKean, William E. Wyatt, Willard H. Olmstead, Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, John B. Mayo. Charles W. Culkin, Clerk; William M. Fuller, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second Division—Trial Days—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesday at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursday at 10 o'clock.

Justices—Howard J. Forker, Patrick Keady, John Fleming, Thomas W. Fitzgerald, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe; Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk; John J. Dorman, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's Office, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

CHILDREN'S COURT.

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan Edmund C. Lee, Clerk.
Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn James P. Sinnott, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.**First Division.**

Court opens from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
City Magistrates—Robert C. Cornell, Leroy B. Crane, Peter T. Barlow, Matthew P. Breen, Seward Baker, Charles S. Whitman, Joseph F. Moss, James J. Walsh, Henry Steiner, Daniel E. Finn, Charles G. F. Wahle, Frederick B. House, Charles N. Harris, Frederick Kernochan.
James McCabe, Secretary, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.
First District—Criminal Court Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Brook avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.
Eighth District—Main street, Westchester.

Second Division.

Borough of Brooklyn.
City Magistrates—Alfred E. Steers, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., James G. Tighe, Edward J. Dooley, John Naumer, E. G. Higgenbotham, Frank E. O'Reilly, Henry J. Furlong, John F. Hyland, Alexander H. Geismar.
President of the Board, Frank E. O'Reilly, No. 249 Manhattan avenue.
Secretary to the Board, William F. Delaney, No. 495 Gates avenue.
First District—No. 318 Adams street.
Second District—Court and Butler streets.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.
Fourth District—Lee avenue and Clymer street.
Fifth District—Manhattan avenue and Powers street.
Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.
Seventh District—No. 31 Snider avenue (Flatbush).
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).
Borough of Queens.
City Magistrates—Matthew J. Smith, Luke I. Connorton, Edmund J. Healy.
First District—Long Island City.
Second District—Flushing.
Third District—Far Rockaway.

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—John Croak, Nathaniel Marsh.
First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.
Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.**Borough of Manhattan.**

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands. New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
Wauhope Lynn, Justice. Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 1371 Spring.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, No. 50 Madison street.
John Hoyer, Justice. Francis Mangin, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Court opens daily at 9 a. m., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.
Telephone, 2410 Orchard.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
William F. Moore, Justice. Daniel Williams, Clerk.
Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's Office open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens 9 a. m. daily, and remains open to close of business.
George F. Roesch, Justice. Andrew Lang, Clerk.
Telephone, 4053 Orchard.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirteenth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street and northwest of Clinton street to Rivington street, and on the centre line of Rivington street south to Norfolk street. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
Benjamin Hoffman, Justice. Thomas Fitzpatrick, Clerk.
Telephone, 2326 Orchard.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-first street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 a. m. daily (except legal holidays), and continues open until close of business.
Henry W. Unger, Justice. Abram Bernard, Clerk.
Telephone, 4570 Gramercy.

Seventh District—That portion of Nineteenth Ward east of Lexington avenue, bounded on the south by the north side of East Fortieth street and on the north by the south side of East Eighty-sixth street, also that portion bounded on the south by the north side of East Sixty-first street, on the west by the east side of Park avenue, and on the north by the south side of East Sixty-fifth street. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
Herman Joseph, Justice. Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.
Telephone, 3860 Plaza.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 a. m. and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings and return causes called at 9 a. m. Calendar causes, 9 a. m.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturdays until 12 m.
Trial days and Return days, each Court day.
James W. McLaughlin, Justice. Henry Merzbach, Clerk.
Telephone, 2665 Chelsea.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river, north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
Joseph P. Fallon, Justice. William J. Kennedy, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 3595 Harlem.

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventieth street, west of Central Park West to Fifty-ninth street, east on Fifty-ninth street to Seventh avenue, south on Seventh avenue to Fifty-third street, west on Fifty-third street to Eighth avenue, south on Eighth avenue to Fortieth street, north side to Hudson river. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
Thomas E. Murray, Justice. Michael Skelly, Clerk.
Telephone, 1890 Columbus.

Eleventh District—The Eleventh District embraces that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street, between Lenox avenue and Seventh avenue, north of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river, and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court convenes daily at 9 a. m.
Francis J. Worcester, Justice. Heman B. Wilson, Clerk.
Telephone, 6335 Morningside.

Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventieth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Eighty-sixth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Court-room, No. 2555 Broadway.
Alfred P. W. Seaman, Justice. James V. Gilloon, Clerk.
Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catharine street, east side of Catharine street to East river. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Leon Sanders, Justice. James J. Devlin, Clerk.
Court-room, No. 264 Madison street.
Telephone, 2596 Orchard.

Fourteenth District—The Fourteenth District embraces that portion of the Borough of Manhattan bounded as follows: Beginning at West Fortieth street and Eighth avenue, north on Eighth avenue to West Fifty-third street; east on West Fifty-third street to Seventh avenue; north on Seventh avenue to West Fifty-ninth street to Eighth avenue; north on Eighth avenue and west on Central Park West to the Transverse road at Central Park West and West Ninety-seventh street; east on Transverse road to Fifth avenue and East Ninety-seventh street; south on Fifth avenue to East Ninety-sixth street; east on Ninety-sixth street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Sixty-fifth street; west on East Sixty-fifth street to Park avenue; south on Park avenue to East Sixty-first street; east on East Sixty-first street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Fortieth street; west on East and West Fortieth streets to the point of beginning at West Fortieth street and Eighth avenue.
Edgar J. Lauer, Justice. William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.
Court-house, No. 620 Madison avenue.
Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Borough of The Bronx.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by Chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week.
William W. Penfield, Justice. Thomas F. Delahanty, Clerk.
Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, closing at 12 m.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, southeast corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street. Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m.
John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.
Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to Navy street, thence along the centre line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the centre line of Hudson

avenue to the point of beginning, of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.
John J. Walsh, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and the centre line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twentieth Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Waverly avenue, thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Park avenue, thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Washington avenue, thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue, and thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning.
Court-room, No. 495 Gates avenue.
Gerard B. Van Wart, Justice. Franklin B. Van Wart, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Central avenue, and northwest of the centre line of Sydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Willoughby avenue, between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
Philip D. Meagher, Justice. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Court opens at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards, that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards lying east of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and east of the centre line of Schenectady avenue, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying southeast of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens and the centre line of Central avenue, and southeast of the centre line of Sydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.
Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.
Thomas H. Williams, Justice. G. J. Wiederhold, Clerk. Milton I. Williams, Assistant Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Fifth District—Contains the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, and so much of the Twenty-second Ward as lies south of Prospect avenue. Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue.
Cornelius Furguson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 407 Bay Ridge.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and the Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic avenue to Washington avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.
Justice, Lucien S. Bayliss. Charles P. Bible, Clerk.
Court-house, No. 585 Fulton street.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.
Alexander S. Rosenthal, Justice. Samuel F. Brothers, Clerk.
Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 31 Pennsylvania avenue).
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.
Jury Days: Wednesdays and Thursdays.
Telephone, 904 East New York.

Borough of Queens.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City formerly composing five wards). Court-room, St. Mary's Lyceum, Nos. 115 and 117 Fifth street, Long Island City.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day, excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 m. Trial days, Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
Thomas C. Kaden, Justice. Thomas F. Kennedy, Clerk.
Telephone, 2376 Greenpoint.

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

William Rasquin, Jr., Justice. John E. Prendeville, Clerk. William Kepper, Assistant Clerk. James B. Snediker, Stenographer.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—Fourth and Fifth Wards, comprising the territory of the former Towns and Villages of Jamaica, Far Rockaway and Rockaway Beach.
James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.
Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.
Telephone, 180 Jamaica.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m.

Borough of Richmond.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Anning S. Prall, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.
George W. Stake, Justice. Peter Tiernan, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"North Side News," "Harlem Reporter and Bronx Chronicle," "Bronx Sentinel."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Islander," "Staten Island Star."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

"Long Island Star" (First and Second Wards), "Flushing Evening Journal" (Third Ward), "Long Island Farmer" (Fourth Ward), "Rockaway News" (Fifth Ward).

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard-Union," "Brooklyn Free Press."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

"Democracy," "Tammany Times" (Harlem District), "Manhattan and Bronx Advocate" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights and Harlem Districts).
Designated by Board of City Record June 19, 1906.
Amended June 20, 1906.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said Acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 138, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, at 2 o'clock p. m., until further notice.
Dated New York City, November 20, 1906.
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
GEORGE C. NORTON,
OSCAR S. BAILEY,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,

FOR CONSTRUCTING THE STEEL AND MASONRY APPROACH IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN OF THE BLACKWELL'S ISLAND BRIDGE OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND QUEENS.

The work must be begun within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller and be entirely completed by March 15, 1908.

The contractor will be required to work three shifts of workmen per day, as may be directed by the Commissioner.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all bids should he deem it in the interest of the City of New York so to do.
Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,
Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated April 29, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the office of the Department of Bridges, Room 1203, Park Row Building, at 2 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,

FOR REPAIRS TO ASPHALT PAVEMENTS ON BRIDGES OVER THE HARLEM RIVER AND IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, DURING THE YEAR 1907.

The repairs will be made from time to time, as may be required during the balance of the year.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

Bidders will state a price per square yard for repairs at each bridge.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

J. W. STEVENSON,
Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated April 22, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1907,

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING VARIOUS SUPPLIES FOR USE IN THE REPAIR SHOPS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before January 1, 1908.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS AND BRAN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before February 1, 1908.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item (class) and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item (class); or the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated May 1, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY No. 69, NORTH SIDE OF TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, WEST OF KATONAH AVENUE, THE BRONX.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated April 30, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1907,

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER FOR THE SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before January 1, 1908.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NAILS, SCREWS, HARDWARE, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before January 1, 1908.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item (class) and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item (class); or the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated April 25, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, TWENTY-SIXTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Board of Trustees at the above office until 3 o'clock p. m., on

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1907,

FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR A VACUUM DUST SWEEPING AND CLEANING PLANT, IN PAVILIONS A AND B OF THE NEW BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, SITUATED ON FIRST AVENUE AND BOUNDED BY TWENTY-SIXTH AND TWENTY-NINTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The surety required will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is within one hundred and sixty-nine (169) consecutive calendar days from the date of executing the contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the

Contract Clerk, No. 419 East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, where bids and deposits are also delivered.

JOHN W. BRANNAN,
President, Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

Dated May 1, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, TWENTY-SIXTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Board of Trustees at the above office until 3 p. m., on

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1907,

FOR FURNITURE FOR THE NEW FORD-HAM HOSPITAL.

The surety required will be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the full performance of the contract is within ten (10) days after notice of award.

The bids will be read from the total, and will be compared and awarded to the lowest bidder for the class, as specified, as soon thereafter as practicable, according to law.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Contract Clerk, No. 419 East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, where the bids and deposits are also delivered.

JOHN W. BRANNAN,
President of the Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

Dated April 22, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements, requesting the regulating, grading, curbing and flagging of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Broadway and Riverside drive, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements, requesting the regulating, grading, curbing and flagging of One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Broadway and Riverside drive, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Bowling Green District for Local Improvements, requesting the widening of Pearl street, on the north and south sides, between State and Whitehall streets, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Bowling Green District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a communication signed by the Commissioner of Public Works, requesting the repair of sidewalk at Nos. 313 and 315 West Thirty-seventh street, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Chelsea District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11.20 a. m., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Hudson District for Local Improvements, requesting the paving of Twelfth avenue, between Forty-eighth and Fiftieth streets, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Hudson District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11.45 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a communication signed by the Commissioner of Public Works

requesting the repair of sidewalk at No. 1898 Third Avenue has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Harlem District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11.50 a. m., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a communication signed by the Commissioner of Public Works requesting the repair of sidewalk at No. 379 Grand street has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Corlear's Hook District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11.55 a. m., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a communication signed by the Commissioner of Public Works requesting the repair of sidewalk at No. 158 East Houston street has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Bowery District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11.25 a. m., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements, requesting the laying out of West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to new avenue west of High Bridge Park, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements, requesting the acquiring of title to new street between Fort Washington and Northern avenues, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements, requesting the flagging of the sidewalks with flagging at least 8 feet wide in front of the following vacant lots; also the fencing in of the same: North side of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, beginning at a point 125 feet east of Broadway and extending 150 feet easterly thereof; south side of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, beginning at a point 125 feet east of Broadway and extending 150 feet easterly thereof; and north side of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, beginning at a point 325 feet east of Broadway and extending 50 feet easterly thereof, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room 16, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1907.

No. 1. FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION (EXCEPTING PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING) OF A PUBLIC BATH BUILDING AT NOS. 342, 346 AND 348 EAST FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be two hundred and fifty (250) days.

The security required will be Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000).

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, except for furnishing and setting dynamo, engines and dynamo switchboards, complete, as described in paragraph 288, etc., of the specifications. Also a unit price for additional rock excavation, requiring blasting, and for boulders of more than one-half cubic yard, volume estimated at 500 cubic yards, for the purpose of comparing bids.

Also a price for furnishing and setting engines, dynamos and dynamo switchboards, complete, as specified in paragraph 288, etc., of the specifications.

NO. 2. LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING TO BE INSTALLED IN A PUBLIC BATH BUILDING TO BE ERRECTED AT NOS. 342, 346 AND 348 EAST FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be two hundred and fifty (250) days. The security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and also a unit price for additional rock excavation, requiring blasting, and for boulders of more than one-half cubic yard, volume estimated at 200 cubic yards, for the purpose of comparing bids.

Plans and drawings may be seen and blank forms of the contracts and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Architects, Messrs. Werner & Windolph, No. 27 West Thirty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

The City of New York, May 2, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room 16, until 3 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1907.

NO. 1. FOR THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF PLUMBING AND GASFITTING, FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A PUBLIC BATH BUILDING TO BE BUILT AT NOS. 83 AND 85 CARMINE STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be three hundred (300) days. The security required will be thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000).

Bidders shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and also a unit price per cubic yard for additional rock excavation requiring blasting and for boulders of more than 1/2 cubic yard volume (estimated at 500 cubic yards) for the purpose of comparing bids.

NO. 2. FOR PLUMBING AND GASFITTING TO BE INSTALLED IN THE PUBLIC BATH BUILDING TO BE BUILT AT NOS. 83 AND 85 CARMINE STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be one hundred and fifty (150) days.

The security required will be Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and also a unit price per cubic yard for additional rock excavation requiring blasting and for boulders of more than 1/2 cubic yard volume (estimated at 200 cubic yards) for the purpose of comparing bids.

Plans and drawings may be seen and blank forms of the contracts and specifications may be obtained at the office of the architects, Messrs. Renwick, Aspinwall & Tucker, No. 320 Fifth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

The City of New York, April 26, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room 16, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1907.

NO. 1. FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE EXCAVATION, MASON, CARPENTER, STRUCTURAL STEEL, ORNAMENTAL IRON, PAINTING, HARDWARE AND OTHER WORK FOR A PUBLIC BATH BUILDING TO BE ERRECTED ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF CHERRY AND OLIVER STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be two hundred and seventy-five (275) consecutive calendar days.

The security required will be Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000).

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and also a unit price per cubic yard for additional rock excavation, requiring blasting, and for boulders of more than 1/2 cubic yard volume (estimated at 500 cubic yards) for the purpose of comparing bids.

NO. 2. LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE PLUMBING AND WATER SUPPLY, ELECTRIC PUMPS AND HOT WATER HEATERS, ETC., FOR THE PUBLIC BATH BUILDING TO BE ERRECTED ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF OLIVER AND CHERRY STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be two hundred and forty-five (245) consecutive calendar days.

The security required will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and also a unit price per cubic yard for additional rock excavation, requiring blasting, and for boulders of more than 1/2 cubic yard volume (estimated at 200 cubic yards) for the purpose of comparing bids.

Plans and drawings may be seen and blank forms of the contracts and specifications may be obtained at the office of the architects, Messrs. Horgan & Slattery, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

The City of New York, April 26, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room 16, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1907.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,200 CUBIC YARDS OF WASHED GRAVEL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by the 31st day of December, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,800 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK BROKEN STONE AND 1,500 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP-ROCK SCREENINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by the 31st day of December, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 6,000 CUBIC YARDS OF SAND.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by the 31st day of December, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 60,000 GALLONS OF NO. 6 PAVING CEMENT.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by the 31st day of December, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

The contracts must be bid for separately and the bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure, or article, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Bureau of Highways, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

The City of New York, April 25, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of the Bronx at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1907.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A FREE PUBLIC BATH BUILDING TO BE ERRECTED ON PLOT OF LAND SITUATED ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF ELTON AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 350 days.

The amount of security required will be Seventy-five Thousand Dollars.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN BAYCHESTER AVENUE, FROM WHITE PLAINS ROAD TO BOSTON ROAD.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

35,600 cubic yards of earth excavation.
81,500 cubic yards of rock excavation.
117,300 cubic yards of filling.
17,200 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

65,700 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

11,400 square feet of new bridge stone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

1,400 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

150 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.

20 cubic yards of brick masonry.

1,100 cubic yards of concrete.

1,450 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe 12 inches in diameter.

1,430 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe 18 inches in diameter.

1,000 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe 30 inches in diameter.

10,000 feet (B.M.) of lumber, furnished and laid.

25 manholes, complete.

27 inlets (as shown on the plan), complete.

69,000 pounds of steel rods in place.

5,000 pounds of cast iron in place.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 500 working days.

The amount of security required will be Seventy-five Thousand Dollars.

NO. 3. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF CRESTON AVENUE, FROM EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET TO EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-EIGHTH STREET, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

15,150 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

2,450 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar and bed.

8,900 linear feet of old curbstone, rejoiner, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 75 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, and the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

LOUIS F. HAFEN,
President.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 9166, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks, Rockaway avenue, between Blake avenue and Hegeman avenue.

List 9184, No. 2. Sewer in Douglass street (St. John's place), between Underhill avenue and Washington avenue, and outlet sewer in Underhill avenue, between St. John's place and Sterling place.

List 9185, No. 3. Sewer basins at the southwest, northwest and northeast corners of East Fourteenth street and Cortelyou road; on the southwest, northwest and northeast corners of East Thirteenth street and Cortelyou road; and the northeast and southeast corners of East Eleventh street and Cortelyou road.

List 9186, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing, recurling and laying cement sidewalks on Belmont avenue, between Warwick and Elton streets.

List 9187, No. 5. Grading and paving with asphalt blocks on sand, curbing and recurling, laying and relaying cement sidewalks where not already done, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues.

List 9188, No. 6. Laying cement sidewalks on the east side of Saratoga avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Pacific street; on the south side of Forty-first street, between First and Second avenues; on the south side of Clifford place, between Calver street and Meserole avenue; on the southeast side of Bay Thirty-second street, between Benson avenue and Eighty-sixth street; and on the north side of Park place, between Schenectady and Utica avenues.

List 9189, No. 7. Paving with asphalt pavement Logan street, between Jamaica and Atlantic avenues.

List 9190, No. 8. Laying cement sidewalks on the southeast side of Gates avenue, between Evergreen and Central avenues; on the east side of Evergreen avenue, between Noll and George streets; southeast side of Noll street, between Evergreen and Central avenues; south side of Liberty avenue, between Christopher street and Sackman street; both sides of Cleveland street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; northwest side of Atlantic avenue, between Warwick and Ashford streets; west side of Ashford street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; on the northwest side of Atlantic avenue, between Cleveland and Elton streets; on the east side of Cleveland street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; on the northwest side of Atlantic avenue, between Elton and Linwood streets, and on the east side of Elton street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue.

List 9191, No. 9. Laying cement sidewalks on the north side of St. Mark's avenue, between Hopkinson and Rockaway avenues; on the northeast side of Evergreen avenue, between Cooper street and Moffatt street; on the northwest side of Moffatt street, between Evergreen avenue and Central avenue; on the southwest side of Central avenue, between Cooper and Moffatt streets; on the southeast side of Moffatt street, between Evergreen avenue and Central avenue; on the southwest side of Central avenue, between Moffatt street and Chauncey street; on the northwest side of Chauncey street, between Evergreen avenue and Central avenue; on the southeast side of Moffatt street, between Central avenue and Hamburg avenue; on the northeast side of Central avenue, between Moffatt street and Chauncey street; on the southeast side of Stewart street, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue; on the south side of Fulton street, between Euclid avenue and Pine street; on the south side of Fulton street, between Pine street and Crescent street, and on the west side of Crescent street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue.

List 9192, No. 10. Laying cement sidewalks on the south side of Seventeenth street, between Prospect Park West and Tenth avenue; on the west side of Junius street, between East New York and Pitkin avenues; on the northwest and southeast sides of DeSales place, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue; on the southwest side of Bushwick avenue, between DeSales place and Eastern parkway; on the south side of Pitkin avenue, between Stone avenue and Christopher street; on the north side of Pitkin avenue, between Chester street and Rockaway avenue; on the east side of Chester street, between East New York avenue and Pitkin avenue; and on the south side of Pitkin avenue, between Bristol street and Chester street.

List 9193, No. 11. Laying cement sidewalks on the northwest corner of Seventh avenue and Fifty-eighth street; on the northwest side of Atlantic avenue, between Essex street and Shepherd avenue; between Shepherd avenue and Dresden street; between Dresden street and Hale avenue; between Hale and Norwood avenues; and between Norwood avenue and Logan street.

List 9194, No. 12. Grading a lot on the northwest side of Linden street, between Bushwick and Evergreen avenues.

List 9185, No. 13. Sewer in Bay Ridge avenue, from Third to Fifth avenue, and from Sixth to Tenth avenue; and outlet sewer in Bay Ridge avenue, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Tenth avenue.

List 9219, No. 14. Sewer in Forty-fourth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, and outlet sewer in Seventh avenue, from Forty-fourth to Forty-seventh street.

List 9222, No. 15. Regulating, grading, curbing, recurling and laying cement sidewalks in Eighty-eighth street, between Third and Fifth avenues.

List 9225, No. 16. Grading, paving gutters with brick curbing and recurling Eighty-fifth street, between First and Fourth avenues.

List 9229, No. 17. Reconstructing sewer in Beverley road, between East Thirteenth and East Fourteenth streets, to agree with the adopted drainage district map of the vicinity, viz.: Map T, District No. 40.

List 9231, No. 18. Sewer basins along Clarendon road on the northwest corner of East Twenty-third street; all four corners of East Twenty-third and East Twenty-fifth streets; northeast corner of East Twenty-sixth street; northeast corner of East Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets; northeast corner of East Nostrand avenue; northeast and northwest corners of East Thirty-first street; also East Thirty-fourth street; northeast corner of East Thirty-fifth street and northwest corner of East Thirty-seventh street.

List 9233, No. 19. Regulating and grading Eighty eighth avenue, between Bay Ridge avenue and Seventh avenue.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Rockaway avenue, from Blake avenue to Hegeman avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of St. John's place, from Underhill avenue to Washington avenue; both sides of Underhill avenue, from Lincoln to Sterling place; east side of Underhill avenue, between St. John's and Lincoln places, and Lot No. 54 of Block 1173, fronting on Washington avenue.

No. 3. South side of Cortelyou road, from Eleventh to Fourteenth street, Lot No. 67 of Block 5154; Lot No. 12 of Block 5155; Lots Nos. 13, 15, 17, 19, 64 and 66 of Block 5156; block bounded by Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, Cortelyou road and Beverley road; east side of Fourteenth street, between Cortelyou and Beverley roads; northeast corner of Beverley road and Fifteenth street; west side of Thirteenth street, from Cortelyou road to Beverley road; north side of Cortelyou road, from Eleventh to Thirteenth street, and east side of Eleventh street, between Cortelyou and Beverley roads.

No. 4. Both sides of Belmont avenue, from Warwick street to Elton street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Starr street, from Wyckoff to Irving avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 6. East side of Saratoga avenue, between Pacific street and Atlantic avenue; south side of Forty-first street, between First and Second avenues; southwest corner of Calver street and Clifford place; south side of Bay Thirty-second street, between Benson avenue and Eighty-sixth street; north side of Park place, between Schenectady and Utica avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Logan street, from Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Lot No. 26 of Block 3341, located on the east side of Gates avenue; southwest corner of Evergreen avenue and Noll street; southeast corner of Liberty avenue and Christopher avenue; and lot adjoining on Liberty avenue; northwest corner of Atlantic avenue and Ashford street; and Lots Nos. 43 and 44, adjoining on Atlantic avenue; northwest corner of Atlantic avenue and Cleveland street; east side of Cleveland street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; northeast and northwest corners of Elton street and Atlantic avenue.

No. 9. North side of St. Mark's place, between Rockaway avenue and Hopkinson avenue; north side of Chauncey street, both sides of Moffatt street, between Central avenue and Evergreen avenue; south side of Central avenue, between Chauncey street and Moffatt street; north side of Evergreen avenue, between Moffatt and Cooper streets; south side of Moffatt street, between Central and Hamburg avenues; southeast corner of Stewart street and Bushwick avenue and lot adjoining on Stewart street; south side of Fulton street, between Euclid avenue and Crescent street; west side of Crescent street, from Fulton street to Atlantic avenue.

No. 10. South side of Seventeenth street, between Prospect Park West and Tenth avenue; west side of Junius street, between East New York avenue and Pitkin avenue; both sides of DeSales place, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue; south side of Bushwick avenue, from Eastern parkway to DeSales place; south side of Pitkin avenue, from Stone avenue to Christopher street; northeast corner of Pitkin avenue and Chester street; southeast corner of Pitkin avenue and Bristol street.

No. 11. Northwest corner of Seventh avenue and Fifty-eighth street; north side of Atlantic avenue, from Essex street to Logan street.

No. 12. North side of Logan street, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen avenue.

No. 13. Both sides of Bay Ridge avenue, from Third avenue to Tenth avenue; east side of Third avenue; both sides of Fourth, Fifth and Sixth avenues, from Ovington avenue to Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Seventh and Eighth avenues, from Seventy-first street to Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Ninth avenue, from Bay Ridge avenue to Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Fort Hamilton avenue, from Seventy-first street to Sixty-eighth street; blocks bounded by Sixty-eighth and Seventy-eighth streets, Tenth and Fort Hamilton avenues; both sides of Seventy-eighth street and south side of Sixty-eighth street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Seventh avenue; north side of Ovington avenue and south side of Sixty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Seventh avenue.

No. 14. East side of Sixth avenue and both sides of Seventh avenue, from Forty-third to Forty-seventh street; both sides of Forty-third, Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth and north side of Forty-seventh street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 15. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Third to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 16. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, from First to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 17. Plot bounded by Fort Hamilton avenue, Caton avenue, Coney Island avenue and Parade place, known as the Parade Grounds; south side of Caton avenue; both sides of Church avenue, Albemarle road and Beverley road, from Coney Island avenue to Fifteenth street; both sides of Turner place and Buckley place, from Coney Island avenue to Eleventh street; east side of Coney Island avenue; both sides of Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth and west side of Fifteenth street, from Beverley road to Caton avenue.

No. 18. Both sides of Clarendon road, from Flatbush avenue to Rogers avenue; south side of Clarendon road, from Rogers avenue to East Thirteenth street; both sides of East Twenty-second street and west side of East Twenty-third street, between Beverley road and Clarendon road; east side of Twenty-third street, both sides of Bedford avenue, East Twenty-fifth and East Twenty-sixth streets and Rogers avenue, between Beverley road and Clarendon road; both sides of East Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, Nostrand avenue, Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets, New York avenue, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth streets and Brooklyn avenue, between Beverley road and Clarendon road, and the west side of East Thirty-seventh street, between Beverley and Clarendon roads.

No. 19. Both sides of Eighth avenue, from Bay Ridge avenue to Seventy-third street and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before June 4, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ANTONIO ZUCCA,
PAUL WEIMANN,
JAMES H. KENNEDY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary.

No. 320 Broadway,
City of New York, Borough of Manhattan,

May 2, 1907.

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

The salary is \$3,100 per annum and up.
A number of vacancies exist in the Board of
Water Supply.

The minimum age is 25 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
Secretary.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299
BROADWAY, NEW YORK, March 11, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that applications will be received from
MONDAY, MARCH 11, UNTIL 4 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1907, for the position of—

**ASSISTANT ENGINEER IN CHARGE OF
SECTION, BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.**

The examination will occupy two days and will
be held on

**WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MAY 8
AND 9, 1907,**

at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination
are as follows:

Technical	40
Experience	30
Mathematics	10
Report	20

The percentage required is 75 on the technical
paper and 70 on all.

Appointments will be made for work outside
of the City.

Certification will be made to the Board of
Water Supply only. There will probably be a
number of appointments.

The examination is open to all citizens of the
United States.

The salary is \$2,400 per annum and over.

Ten years' experience is necessary. Graduation
from a technical school of recognized standing
will count as two years' experience. A candi-
date must show at least two years of experience
in charge of work or in a position in which he
had some authority or responsibility.

Statements of such experience will be subject
to publication and must be furnished to the
Board of Water Supply.

In submitting statement of experience a candi-
date must show just what his connection has
been with each piece of work and just what
measure of responsibility rested upon him.

The minimum age is 28 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
Secretary.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299
BROADWAY, NEW YORK, March 13, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
that applications will be received from
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, UNTIL 4 P. M.,
MONDAY, MAY 13, for the position of—

TOPOGRAPHICAL DRAUGHTSMAN.

The examination will be held on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 1907,

at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination
are as follows:

Technical	5
Experience	2
Mathematics	2
Neatness	1

The percentage required is 75 on the technical
paper and 70 on all.

The examination is open to all citizens of the
United States.

Vacancies exist in the Board of Water Supply.
Certification will be made for appointment at
\$1,200 per annum only.

The minimum age is 21 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
Secretary.
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299
BROADWAY, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF
all competitive examinations two weeks in
advance of the date upon which the receipt of
applications for any scheduled examination will
close. Applications will be received for only
such examinations as are scheduled.

When an examination is advertised, a person
desiring to compete in the same may obtain an
application blank upon request made in writing
or by personal application at the office of the
Commission.

All notices of examinations will be posted in
the office of the Commission, City Hall, Mun-
icipal Building, Brooklyn, and advertised in the
City Record for two weeks in advance of the
date upon which the receipt of applications will
close for any stated position.

Public notice will also be given by advertise-
ment in most of the City papers.

Wherever an examination is of a technical
character, due notice is given by advertisement
in the technical journals appertaining to the par-
ticular profession for which the examination is
called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers
as matters of news, and to the General Post-
office and stations thereof. The scope of the
examination will be stated, but for more general
information application should be made at the
office of the Commission.

Unless otherwise specifically stated, the mini-
mum age requirement for all positions is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
President;
R. ROSS APPLETON,
ALFRED J. TALLEY,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
Secretary.
12-24-03

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

**NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING
STREETS AND PARKS.**

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF
the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller
of the City of New York hereby gives public
notice of the confirmation by the Supreme
Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the
Collection of Assessments and Arrears of the
assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING
TITLE to the following-named street and ave-
nue in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

NINTH AVENUE—OPENING, from Flush-
ing avenue to Jackson avenue. Confirmed June
13, 1906; entered May 1, 1907. Area of assess-
ment includes all those lands, tenements and
hereditaments and premises situate, lying and
being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of
New York, which, taken together, are bounded
and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the
northeasterly line of Webster avenue with the
middle line of the blocks between Eighth avenue
(Pomeroy street) and Ninth avenue (Kouwen-
hoven street); running thence northeasterly along

said middle line of the blocks to its intersection
with the southerly line of Flushing avenue;
thence easterly along the southerly line of Flush-
ing avenue to its intersection with the middle
line of the blocks between Ninth avenue (Kou-
wenhoven street) and Tenth avenue (Steinway
avenue); thence southwesterly along said middle
line of the blocks to its intersection with the
northerly line of Jackson avenue; thence westerly
along the northerly line of Jackson avenue to its
intersection to the northeasterly line of Webster
avenue; thence northwesterly along the north-
easterly line of Webster avenue to the point or
place of beginning.

FIRST WARD.

BLACKWELL STREET—OPENING, from
Jackson avenue to Graham avenue. Confirmed
March 23, 1907; entered May 1, 1907. Area of
assessment includes all those lands, tenements
and hereditaments and premises situate, lying
and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City
of New York, which, taken together, are
bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of
Jackson avenue at the middle of the block be-
tween Blackwell street and Pomeroy street; run-
ning thence in a northerly direction along the
centre line of the block between Blackwell street
and Pomeroy street to the southerly side of
Graham avenue; thence westerly along the south-
erly side of Graham avenue to a point at the
centre of the block between Blackwell street and
Bartow street; thence southerly along the centre
line of the block between Blackwell street and
Bartow street to the northerly side of Jackson
avenue; thence easterly along the northerly side
of Jackson avenue to the point or place of begin-
ning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered
on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of
Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for
the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of
Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.
Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any
person or property shall be paid within sixty
days after the date of said entry of the assess-
ments, interest will be collected thereon, as pro-
vided in section 1016 of the Greater New York
Charter.

Said section provides that "if any such as-
sessment shall remain unpaid for the period of
sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the
said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be
the duty of the officer authorized to collect and
receive the amount of such assessments to charge,
collect and receive interest thereon at the rate
of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated
to the date of payment from the date when such
assessment became a lien, as provided by section
159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An
assessment shall become a lien upon the real
estate affected thereby ten days after its entry
in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the
Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and
Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water
Rents, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson
avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens,
between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on
Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all
payments made thereon on or before June 29,
1907, will be exempt from interest, as above
provided, and after that date will be subject to
a charge of interest at the rate of seven per
centum per annum from the date when above
assessment became a lien to the date of pay-
ment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, May 1, 1907.
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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF
the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller
of the City of New York hereby gives public
notice of the confirmation by the Supreme
Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the
Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the as-
sessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING
TITLE to the following-named streets in the
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.

**EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-
NINTH STREET—OPENING,** from Bainbridge
avenue to Jerome avenue. Confirmed March 28,
1907; entered May 1, 1907. Area of assessment
includes all those lands, tenements and heredita-
ments and premises situate, lying and being in
the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New
York, which, taken together, are bounded and de-
scribed as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection
of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from
the westerly line of Jerome avenue with the
westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and
100 feet northerly from the northerly line of
East Two Hundredth street; running thence
easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line
to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100
feet easterly from the easterly line of Bainbridge
avenue; thence southerly along said last-men-
tioned parallel line to its intersection with the
easterly prolongation of the middle line of the
blocks between East One Hundred and Ninety-
ninth streets; thence westerly along said prolonga-
tion and middle line and its westerly prolongation
to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100
feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome
avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line
to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

**WEST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-
FOURTH STREET—OPENING,** from Bailey
avenue to the New York and Putnam Railroad.
Confirmed March 19, 1907; entered May 1, 1907.
Area of assessment includes all those lands, ten-
ements and hereditaments and premises situate,
lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in
The City of New York, which, taken together,
are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersec-
tion of the westerly prolongation of a line parallel
to and distant one hundred (100) feet south of
the southerly line of West One Hundred and
Ninety-fourth street and a line parallel to and
distant one hundred (100) feet west of the west-
erly line of Exterior street; running thence north-
erly along said parallel line to Exterior street to
its intersection with the westerly prolongation of
a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100)
feet north of the northerly line of West One
Hundred and Ninety-fourth street; thence easterly
along the westerly prolongation of said paral-
lel line and its easterly prolongation to its in-
tersection with a line parallel to and distant one
hundred (100) feet east of the easterly line of
Bailey avenue; thence southerly along said paral-
lel line to its intersection with the easterly pro-
longation of a line parallel to and distant one
hundred (100) feet south of the southerly line of
West One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street;
thence westerly along the easterly prolongation of
said last-mentioned parallel line and its westerly
prolongation to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on
the date hereinbefore given in the Record of

Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for
the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of
Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.
Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any
person or property shall be paid within sixty
days after the date of said entry of the assess-
ments interest will be collected thereon, as pro-
vided in section 1006 of the Greater New York
Charter.

Said section provides that "if any such as-
sessment shall remain unpaid for the period of
sixty days after the date of entry thereof in
the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall
be the duty of the officer authorized to collect
and receive the amount of such assessment to
charge, collect and receive interest thereon at
the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be
calculated to the date of payment from the date
when such assessment became a lien, as pro-
vided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An
assessment shall become a lien upon the real
estate affected thereby ten days after its entry
in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Col-
lector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau
for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears
of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents,
in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hun-
dred and Seventy-seventh street and Third ave-
nue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours
of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from
9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon
on or before June 29, 1907, will be exempt from
interest, as above provided, and after that date
will be subject to a charge of interest at the
rate of seven per centum per annum from the
date when above assessments became liens to the
date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, May 1, 1907.
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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

WILLIAM H. SMITH, Auctioneer.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF

Education, public notice is hereby given
that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of
The City of New York, by virtue of the powers
vested in them by law, will offer for sale at
public auction the buildings, parts of buildings,
etc., standing upon property owned by The City
of New York, acquired for school purposes, in
the Borough of Brooklyn, being situated upon
land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of
Kosciusko street distant two hundred and ninety
(290) feet westerly from the westerly line of
Sumner avenue, and running thence northerly
one hundred (100) feet; thence westerly and
parallel with Kosciusko street sixty (60) feet to
the easterly line of the lands of Public School
79; thence southerly along the easterly line of
the lands of Public School 79 one hundred (100)
feet to the northerly line of Kosciusko street;
thence easterly along the northerly line of Kosci-
usko street sixty (60) feet to the point or place
of beginning, be the said several dimensions
more or less.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners
of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held
April 17, 1907, the sale of the above-described
buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held
by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1907,

at 11 a. m., on the premises, upon the follow-
ing

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers, at the
time of the auction sale, when the said bid is
accepted by the City, shall execute a contract
with The City of New York for the proper com-
pliance with these terms and conditions, which
contract shall provide for liquidated damages at
so much per day for each and every day the
removal of the buildings, etc., remains incom-
plete, after the expiration of sixty days from
the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on
file in the office of the Collector of City Re-
venue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No.
280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will
be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay im-
mediately cash or a certified check drawn to the
order of the Comptroller of The City of New
York, and must either give a cash bond or an
approved bond of a surety company in the amount
of the purchase price as security for the faithful
performance of the terms and conditions of the
sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof,
their fixtures and foundations of every class and
description, within the described area are to be
torn down to a level two feet below the exist-
ing curb, and structures which may exist within
any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler
setting, etc., and all stoops and area walls, shall
be torn down to the same level. All partitions,
sheds and fences shall be removed from the
premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor
beams, joists, studdings, flooring, ceiling, roofing,
boards and woodwork of every description, and
all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be re-
moved from the premises. All combustible mat-
ter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths
and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc.,
which are of no value, shall be gathered together
by the contractor and burned or carried away.
The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and
cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules
and regulations of the Department of Water
Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appur-
tenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty
days from the day of sale will work forfeiture
of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances
or portion as shall then be left standing, and
the bidder's assent to the above conditions
being understood to be implied by the act of
bidding, and the said City of New York will,
without notice to the purchaser, cause the same
to be removed and the cost and expense thereof
charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in
every respect in a thorough and workmanlike
manner, and must be completed within sixty
days from the day of sale, and the successful
bidder will provide and furnish all materials
of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and
will place proper and sufficient guards and fences
and warning signs by day and night for the
prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and
save harmless The City of New York, its
officers, agents and servants, and each of them,
against any and all suits and actions, claims
and demands of every name and description
brought against it, them or any of them, and
against and from all damages and costs to which
it, they or any of them be put by reason of
injury to the person or property of another
resulting from negligence or carelessness in the
performance of the work or in guarding the same,
or from any improper or defective materials
or machinery, implements or appliances used in
the removal of the said buildings by the said
successful bidder.

Party walls and fences when existing against
adjacent property not sold shall not be taken

down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, pro-
jecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party
walls shall be taken down and removed. The
walls shall be made permanently self-supporting
without the aid of braces, the beam holes, etc.,
bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to
exclude wind and rain and present a clean
exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings
shall be properly flashed and painted and made
watertight where they have been disturbed by
the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York
reserves the right on the day of the sale to
withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts
of buildings and machinery included in the fore-
going parcel and to reject any or all bids.

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.
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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

WILLIAM H. SMITH, Auctioneer.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF

Education, public notice is hereby given
that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of
The City of New York, by virtue of the powers
vested in them by law, will offer for sale at
public auction the buildings, parts of buildings,
etc., standing upon property owned by The City
of New York, acquired for school purposes in
the Borough of Brooklyn, being situated upon
land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection
of the northerly line of Evergreen avenue with
the westerly line of Grove street; running thence
northerly along the westerly line of Grove street
165 feet; thence westerly in a straight line 100
feet to the northeasterly corner of the lands of
Public School 75; thence southerly along the
easterly line of the lands of Public School 75, 185
feet to the northerly line of Evergreen avenue;
thence easterly along the northerly line of Ever-
green avenue 102 feet to the westerly line of
Grove street, the point or place of beginning,
be the said several dimensions more or less.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commis-
sioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting
held April 17, 1907, the sale of the above de-
scribed buildings and appurtenances thereto will
be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1907,

at 1.30 p. m., on the premises, upon the follow-
ing

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers at the
time of the auction sale, when the said bid is
accepted by the City, shall execute a contract
with The City of New York for the proper com-
pliance with these terms and conditions, which
contract shall provide for liquidated damages at
so much per day for each and every day the
removal of the buildings, etc., remains incom-
plete, after the expiration of sixty days from
the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on
file in the office of the Collector of City Re-
venue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280
Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will
be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay im-
mediately cash or a certified check drawn to the
order of the Comptroller of The City of New
York, and must either give a cash bond or an
approved bond of a surety company in the amount
of the purchase price as security for the faithful
performance of the terms and conditions of the
sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof,
their fixtures and foundations, of every class and
description, within the described area are to be
torn down to a level two feet below the exist-
ing curb, and structures which may exist within
any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler
setting, etc., and all stoops and area walls shall
be torn down to the same level. All partitions,
sheds and fences shall be removed from the
premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor
beams, joists, studdings, flooring, ceiling, roofing,
boards and woodwork of every description, and
all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be re-
moved from the premises. All combustible mat-
ter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths
and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc.,
which are of no value, shall be gathered together
by the contractor and burned or carried away.
The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and
cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules
and regulations of the Department of Water
Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appur-
tenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty
days from the day of sale, will work forfeit-
ure of ownership of such buildings or appur-
tenances or portion as shall then be left
standing, and the bidder's assent to the above
conditions being understood to be implied by
the act of bidding, and the said City of New
York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause
the same to be removed and the cost and ex-
pense thereof charged against the security above
mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in
every respect in a thorough and workmanlike
manner, and must be completed within sixty
days from the day of sale, and the successful
bidder will provide and furnish all materials
of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and
will place proper and sufficient guards and
fences and warning signs by day and night for
the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify
and save harmless The City of New York, its
officers, agents and servants, and each of them,
against any and all suits and actions, claims
and demands of every name and description
brought against it, them or any of them, and
against and from all damages and costs to which
it, they or any of them be put by reason of
injury to the person or property of another,
resulting from negligence or carelessness in the
performance of the work or in guarding the same,
or from any improper or defective materials
or machinery, implements or appliances used in
the removal of the said buildings by the said
successful bidder.

Party walls and fences, when existing against
adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken
down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, pro-
jecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party
walls shall be taken down and removed. The
walls shall be made permanently self-supporting
without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc.,
bricked up and the wall pointed and made to
exclude wind and rain and present a clean ex-
terior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings
shall be properly flashed and painted and made
watertight where they have been disturbed by
the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York
reserves the right on the day of the sale to
withdraw from sale any of the buildings or
parts of buildings and machinery included in
the foregoing parcel, and to reject any or all
bids.

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.
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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

WILLIAM H. SMITH, Auctioneer.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF Education, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired for school purposes in the Borough of Brooklyn, being situated upon land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Ten Eyck street, distant one hundred and thirty-eight (138) feet easterly from the easterly line of Bushwick avenue and running thence southerly seventy (70) feet to the northerly line of the lands of Public School 36; thence easterly and parallel with Ten Eyck street sixty (60) feet; thence northerly seventy (70) feet to the southerly line of Ten Eyck street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Ten Eyck street sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 17, 1907, the sale of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,

at 11 a. m., on the premises, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers, at the time of the auction sale, when the said bid is accepted by the City, shall execute a contract with The City of New York for the proper compliance with these terms and conditions, which contract shall provide for liquidated damages at so much per day for each and every day the removal of the buildings, etc., remains incomplete, after the expiration of sixty days from the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must either give a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations of every class and description within the described area are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb, and structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler setting, etc., and all stumps and area walls shall be torn down to the same level. All partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studdings, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away. The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty days from the day of sale, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences when existing against adjacent property not sold shall not be taken down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made water-tight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel, and to reject any or all bids.

H. A. METZ,

Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon the property owned by The City of New York, acquired for Fire Department purposes, in the Borough of Manhattan, said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Monroe street distant 93 feet 4 inches easterly from the intersection of the northerly side of Monroe street with the easterly side of Clinton street; running thence northerly 100 feet to the centre line of the block between Monroe and Madison street and to the land of The City of New York; running thence easterly along land of The City of New York 46 feet 10 inches; running thence southerly 100 feet to the northerly side of Monroe street, and running thence

westerly along the northerly side of Monroe street 46 feet 9 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held April 17, 1907, the sale of the above-described buildings and the appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1907,

at 12 m., on the premises, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers at the time of the auction sale, when the said bid is accepted by the City, shall execute a contract with The City of New York for the proper compliance with these terms and conditions, which contract shall provide for liquidated damages at so much per day for each and every day the removal of the buildings, etc., remains incomplete after the expiration of sixty days from the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must either give a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations of every class and description within the described area are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb, and structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler settings, etc., and all stumps and area walls shall be torn down to the same level. All partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studdings, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away. The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty days from the day of sale, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made water-tight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel, and to reject any or all bids.

H. A. METZ,

Comptroller.

City of New York—Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF Education, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction all of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., within the lines of the property owned by The City of New York, acquired for school purposes, in the Borough of Queens, being situated upon land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Central avenue with the easterly line of Tompkins avenue, and running thence northerly along the easterly line of Tompkins avenue 175 feet; thence easterly and parallel with Central avenue 100 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Tompkins avenue 175 feet to the northerly line of Central avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Central avenue 100 feet to the easterly line of Tompkins avenue, the point or place of beginning, be the said dimensions more or less.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 17, 1907, the sale of the above described buildings and the appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1907,

at 11 a. m., on the premises, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers, at the time of the auction sale, when the said bid is accepted by the City, shall execute a contract with The City of New York for the proper compliance with these terms and conditions, which contract shall provide for liquidated damages at so much per day for each and every day the removal of the buildings, etc., remains incomplete after the expiration of sixty days from the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to

the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must either give a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations of every class and description within the described area are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb, and structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler setting, etc., and all stumps and area walls shall be torn down to the same level. All partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studdings, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away. The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty days from the day of sale, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences when existing against adjacent property not sold shall not be taken down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made water-tight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel, and to reject any or all bids.

H. A. METZ,

Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

WILLIAM H. SMITH, Auctioneer.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF Education, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired for school purposes in the Borough of Brooklyn, being situated upon land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Pitkin avenue with the easterly line of Crescent street, and running thence northerly along the easterly line of Crescent street 200 feet; thence easterly and parallel with Pitkin avenue 200 feet to the westerly line of Hemlock street; thence southerly along the westerly line of Hemlock street 200 feet to the northerly line of Pitkin avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Pitkin avenue 200 feet to the easterly line of Crescent street, the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 17, 1907, the sale of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller, on

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1907,

at 12.30 p. m., on the premises, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers, at the time of the auction sale, when the said bid is accepted by the City, shall execute a contract with The City of New York for the proper compliance with these terms and conditions, which contract shall provide for liquidated damages at so much per day for each and every day the removal of the buildings, etc., remains incomplete, after the expiration of sixty days from the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must either give a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations of every class and description within the described area are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb, and structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler setting, etc., and all stumps and area walls shall be torn down to the same level. All partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studdings, flooring, ceiling roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered to-

gether by the contractor and burned or carried away. The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty days from the day of sale, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made water-tight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel, and to reject any or all bids.

H. A. METZ,

Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

WILLIAM H. SMITH, Auctioneer.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of property owned by The City of New York, acquired for street purposes in the Borough of Brooklyn, being the buildings situated on Eighty-second street, extending from Twelfth avenue to Seventeenth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, more particularly described on a map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 17, 1907, the sale of the above described buildings and the appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,

at 12 m. on the premises, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers, at the time of the auction sale, when the said bid is accepted by the City, shall execute a contract with The City of New York for the proper compliance with these terms and conditions, which contract shall provide for liquidated damages at so much per day for each and every day the removal of the buildings, etc., remains incomplete, after the expiration of sixty days from the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must either give a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations of every class and description within the described area are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb, and structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler setting, etc., and all stumps and area walls shall be torn down to the same level. All partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studdings, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away. The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty days from the day of sale will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which

it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences when existing against adjacent property not sold shall not be taken down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beam holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel and to reject any or all bids.

H. A. METZ,

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

WILLIAM H. SMITH, Auctioneer.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale, at public auction, buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of property owned by The City of New York, acquired for street purposes, in the Borough of Brooklyn, being the buildings situated on Sixteenth street, extending from Flatbush line to Eighty-fourth street, Borough of Brooklyn, more particularly described on a map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 17, 1907, the sale of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,

at 12.30 p. m., on the premises upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers, at the time of the auction sale, when the said bid is accepted by the City, shall execute a contract with The City of New York for the proper compliance with these terms and conditions, which contract shall provide for liquidated damages at so much per day for each and every day the removal of the buildings, etc., remains incomplete, after the expiration of sixty days from the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must either give a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations, of every class and description, within the described area are to be torn down to a level 2 feet below the existing curb, and structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler setting, etc., and all stoops and area walls shall be torn down to the same level. All partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studs, flooring, ceiling, roofing, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away. The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty days from the day of sale, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions, being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel, and to reject any or all bids.

H. A. METZ,

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF Education, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction all of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired for school purposes, in the Borough of Manhattan, being situated upon land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Oak street with the easterly line of James street, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of James street 178 feet 5 inches; thence easterly and parallel or nearly so with Oak street 100 feet 9 inches to the westerly line of lands of Public School 114; thence northerly along the westerly line of said lands of Public School 114 49 feet 4 inches, more or less; thence again easterly and along the northerly line of the lands of said Public School 114 100 feet 5 inches to the westerly line of Oliver street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Oliver street 119 feet 78 inches to the southerly line of Oak street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Oak street 201 feet 4 inches to the easterly line of James street, the point or place of beginning.

The sale will take place pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 17, 1907. The sale of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1907,

at 11 a. m., on the premises, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers, at the time of the auction sale, when the said bid is accepted by the City, shall execute a contract with The City of New York for the proper compliance with these terms and conditions, which contract shall provide for liquidated damages at so much per day for each and every day the removal of the buildings, etc., remains incomplete, after the expiration of sixty days from the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must either give a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations, of every class and description, within the described area, are to be torn down to a level 2 feet below the existing curb, and structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler setting, etc., and all stoops and area walls shall be torn down to the same level. All partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studs, flooring, ceiling, roofing, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away. The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty days from the day of sale, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions, being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel, and to reject any or all bids.

H. A. METZ,

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF RICHMOND:

FIRST AND THIRD WARDS.

FLAGGING AND CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON LIVERMORE AVENUE, west side, between Waters avenue and Watchogue road; on LIVERMORE AVENUE, east side, between Leonard and Lathrop avenues, west side, between Garrison and Lathrop avenues; on BIDWELL AVENUE, east side, between Waters avenue and Columbus place,

east side, between Lathrop and Leonard avenues; on ST. JOHN'S AVENUE, west side, between Waters avenue and Watchogue road, east side, between Leonard and Waters avenues and between Lathrop and Leonard avenues; on WASHINGTON PLACE, south side, between Jewett and Wardwell avenues; on DEEMS AVENUE, southeast corner of Leonard avenue; on LEONARD AVENUE, south side, between Willard and St. John's avenue, and north side, between St. John's and Neal Dow avenues, and between C. B. Fisk and Deems avenues; on NEAL DOW AVENUE, west side, between Leonard and Waters avenues, and east side, between Lathrop and Leonard avenues; on DICKIE AVENUE, east side, between Leonard and Waters avenues, and west side, between Leonard and Lathrop avenues; on LATHROP AVENUE, south side, between Bidwell and Demorest avenues, and southwest corner of St. John's avenue and northwest corner of Dickie avenue; on MAIN AVENUE, south side, between C. B. Fisk and Wardwell avenues and between Willard and C. B. Fisk avenues and southeast corner of C. B. Fisk avenue and northwest corner of Wardwell avenue and northwest corner of New York place; on DEMOREST AVENUE, west side, between Lathrop and Leonard avenues; on GARRISON AVENUE, at southeast corner of Livermore avenue; on C. B. FISK AVENUE, west side, between Main avenue and Woodbridge place; on CARY AVENUE, north side, between West and Caroline streets, and south side, between Caroline and Elizabeth streets and between Roe and Taylor streets and between Taylor and Columbia streets; on ELIZABETH STREET, east side, between Prospect and Cary avenues; on HATFIELD AVENUE, north and south sides, between Elm street and Nicholas avenue; on JOHN'S STREET, east side, between Innis street and railroad tracks; on FRANKLIN AVENUE, east side, at Richmond terrace; on RICHMOND TERRACE, south side, at Franklin avenue, and on POST AVENUE, south side, between Dubois and Jewett avenues. Area of assessment: Northwest corner of Livermore street and Watchogue road; east side of Bidwell avenue, 80 feet south of Waters street; west side of St. John avenue, 40 feet south of Waters avenue; south side of Washington place, between Jewett avenue and Wardwell avenues, Lots Nos. 342, 353, 354 and 355 of Block 6; southeast corner of Leonard and Deems avenues; southwest corner of Leonard and Willard avenues; east side of St. John avenue, 120 feet south of Leonard avenue; west side of Neal Dow avenue, 40 feet south of Leonard avenue; east side of Dickie avenue, 80 feet south of Leonard avenue; east side of Livermore avenue and west side of Dickie avenue, 80 feet south of Lathrop avenue; southwest corner of Lathrop and Demorest avenues and lot adjoining on Demorest avenue; east side of Bidwell avenue, 80 feet north of Leonard avenue; northeast corner of Neal Dow avenue and Leonard avenue; east side of Neal Dow avenue, 120 feet south of Lathrop avenue, and southwest corner of Lathrop and St. John avenues; east side of St. John avenue, between Leonard and Lathrop avenues; northeast and northwest corners of Wardwell and Leonard avenues; southwest corner of Main and Wardwell avenues and lot adjoining on Main avenue; southeast corner of Livermore and Garrison avenues, and northwest corner of Lathrop and Dickie avenues; west side of Livermore avenue, between Lathrop and Garrison avenues; southeast corner of Willard and Main avenues; west side of C. B. Fisk avenue, 40 feet south of Main avenue; northeast corner of Main avenue and C. B. Fisk avenue, and northwest corner of Main and Wardwell avenues; northwest corner of Main avenue (Michigan avenue) and New York place; southwest corner of College avenue and New York place and lot adjoining on College avenue; north side of Cary avenue, between West and Caroline streets; south side of Cary avenue, between Caroline and Elizabeth streets; both sides of Elizabeth street, between Cary avenue and Prospect avenue, on Lots Nos. 36, 38 and 40, of Block 3, and Lot No. 7, of Block 7; south side of Cary avenue, from Roe street to Taylor street; south side of Cary avenue, from Taylor street to a point about 275 feet westerly; both sides of Hatfield avenue, between Lafayette avenue and Elm street; both sides of Lafayette avenue, between Lafayette avenue and Nicholas avenue, on Lots Nos. 796, 797, 798 and 800, of Block 56; Lot No. 783, of Block 55; Lots Nos. 643, 655 and 658, of Block 48; east side of John street, between Innis street and railroad tracks; southeast corner of Franklin avenue and Richmond terrace and lot adjoining on Richmond terrace; southeast corner of Post avenue and Dubois avenue; southwest corner of Greenleaf avenue and Post avenue; south side of Post avenue, from Dubois avenue to a point distant about 195 feet westerly.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors April 23, 1907, and entered on April 23, 1907, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 22, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 23, 1907.

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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET—OPENING, from Creston avenue to Ryer avenue. Confirmed November 19, 1902, August 3, 1904, and entered April 23, 1907. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of Ryer avenue with the northerly line of Buckhout street; running thence westerly along the northerly line of Buckhout street to the northeasterly side of Tremont avenue (Transverse road); thence northwesterly along the northeasterly line of Tremont avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Creston avenue; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said parallel line and its easterly prolongation to the southerly line of Burnside avenue; thence southeasterly along the southerly line of Burnside avenue and southerly along the westerly line of Ryer avenue to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 22, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 23, 1907.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9. SHERIDAN AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sheridan avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTIONS 10 AND 11.

WESTCHESTER AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES, from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx river. Area of assessment: Both sides of Westchester avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to the Bronx river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. CROTONA PARK EAST—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES, from Crotona Park South to the Southern Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of Crotona Park East, from Crotona Park South to the Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors April 23, 1907, and entered on April 23, 1907, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 22, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 23, 1907.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

LONGWOOD AVENUE—PAVING the roadway from the Southern Boulevard to Hewitt place; also SETTING CURB AND LAYING FLAGGING from Hewitt place to Westchester avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Longwood avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

That the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments April 18, 1907, and entered on April 18, 1907, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry, thereon on the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and payments made thereon on or before June 17, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 18, 1907.

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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 11, 12 AND 13.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SECOND STREET—OPENING, from Bailey avenue to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river. Confirmed February 26, 1903, and April 27, 1903; entered April 19, 1907. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly United States pierhead and bulkhead line of the Harlem river with a line drawn at right angles to the middle line of the block between Bailey avenue and Sedgwick avenue, from a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue and the easterly line of Bailey avenue; running thence northerly along said pierhead and bulkhead line and running northerly and westerly along the easterly and northerly United States pierhead and bulkhead line of Spuyten Duyvil creek to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the southeasterly line of that part of Spuyten Duyvil road lying northeast of West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street; thence northeasterly along said prolongation and line of Spuyten Duyvil road to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to that part of West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street lying between Tibbett avenue and Corlear avenue, through a point on the middle line of the block between said avenues midway between West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Tibbett avenue and Corlear avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-second street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line and its southeasterly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly line of Broadway and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-first street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said line and its southeasterly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly line of Heath avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly line of Bailey avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence southerly along said line of Sedgwick avenue to its intersection with the easterly line of Bailey avenue; thence westerly at right angles to the middle line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Bailey avenue to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall

be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 18, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum, from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 19, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS, MACHINERY AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ERECTED UPON PROPERTY OWNED BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction the buildings, parts of buildings, machinery and appurtenances thereto, standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired for the use of the terminal for the Manhattan side of the Brooklyn Bridge, the said buildings being situated in the

Borough of Manhattan.

and being more particularly within the area of the following known property:

All of the buildings situated upon land within the area of the block bounded by the northerly side of Tryon row, the westerly side of Centre street, the southerly side of Chambers street and the northwesterly side of Park row, in the Borough of Manhattan, all of which property is situated in Block 121 on the land map of the County of New York.

Also all of the buildings situated within the area of the block bounded by the southeasterly side of Park row, the westerly side of North William street and the northerly side of the Brooklyn Bridge, Borough of Manhattan, all of which property is situated in Block 121 on the land map of the County of New York.

Also all of the buildings situated upon land within the area of the block bounded by the north side of Chambers street, the southwesterly side of City Hall place and the southerly and southwesterly sides of Duane street, in the Borough of Manhattan, all of which property is situated within Block 159 of the land map of the County of New York.

Also all of the buildings situated upon land within the area of the block bounded by the northerly side of Reade street, the easterly side of Centre street and the southerly and southwesterly sides of Duane street, in the Borough of Manhattan, all of which property is situated in Block 158 on the land map of the County of New York.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held February 20, 1907, the sale of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1907,

at 11 a. m., on the premises, upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers, at the time of the auction sale, when the said bid is accepted by the City, shall execute a contract with The City of New York for the proper compliance with these terms and conditions, which contract shall provide for liquidated damages at so much per day for each and every day the removal of the buildings, etc., remains incomplete, after the expiration of sixty days from the date of sale. A copy of said contract is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, and must either give a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations of every class and description within the described area are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb, and structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler setting, etc., and all stoops and area walls shall be torn down to the same level. All partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studdings, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away. The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty days from the day of sale, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will without notice to the purchaser cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal shall be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements

or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences when existing against adjacent property not sold shall not be taken down, but all furnishings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls, shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made water tight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of the City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel:

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 12, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF TAX CERTIFICATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907,

at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to a certain tax sale certificate, registered in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn, in Liber 83 of Sales, by the certificate number 1149. The minimum or upset price at which said certificate is to be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at \$200, and the Comptroller is hereby authorized to take the necessary steps for making such sale upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount due on said certificate as purchase money at the time of the sale, which sum shall not be less than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200), and in addition thereto the purchaser shall pay the sum of \$15 for the auctioneer's fees on such sale.

Upon the payment of the amount bid at such sale, together with the auctioneer's fees, the Comptroller is hereby authorized to execute and deliver an assignment of the said certificate to the purchaser, which shall be taken by the purchaser without recourse.

The Comptroller may at his option resell the certificate if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for the cost and expense of any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held April 3, 1907.

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's office, April 11, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF TAX CERTIFICATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907,

at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to a certain tax sale certificate of property located in the former Fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, known as Lot No. 27 in Block 37 (now Lot No. 33 in Block 1141), said certificate being registered in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in Liber 83 of Tax Sales by the Certificate No. 1279; the minimum or upset price at which said certificate is to be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at one thousand dollars (\$1,000), and the Comptroller is hereby authorized to take the necessary steps for making such sale upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of said certificate as purchase money at the time of the sale, which sum shall not be less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), together with the further sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) for the necessary assignment of said certificate, and in addition thereto to pay the sum of \$15 for auctioneer's fees.

The assignment of the certificate of sale for taxes duly executed by the proper officer will be delivered to the purchaser at the time of sale, and shall be taken by the purchaser without recourse.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the certificate if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for the cost and expense of any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held April 3, 1907.

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.
City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 11, 1907.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.

To Whom it May Concern:

WHEREAS, THERE ARE CERTAIN UNREDEEMED SALES OF DECEMBER 20, 1894, to the former Town of New Utrecht, County of Kings, for the assessment for the

"OPENING AND GRADING OF SIXTY-FIFTH STREET"

affecting property in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that upon proper verified application being filed with the Comptroller of the City of New York, on or before

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1907,

by the owners of the property affected by said sales, the principal amounts of the present liens

without interest will be accepted in full settlement and adjustment of the City's claims therefor. On and after May 10, 1907, no adjustments of these sales will be made under any circumstances for any sum less than the full amount of principal and interest due.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller of the City of New York.

Dated New York, N. Y., April 1, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK, December 14, 1906.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case surety companies will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

Supplies of Any Description, including Gas and Electricity—

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.
Two companies on a bond up to \$125,000.
Three companies on a bond up to \$200,000.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements—

Two companies on a bond up to \$50,000.
Three companies on a bond up to \$125,000.

Regulating, Grading, Paving, Sewers, Water Mains, Dredging, Construction of Parks, Parkways, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.
Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.
Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.
Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

New Docks, Buildings, Bridges, Aqueducts, Tunnels, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.
Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.
Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.
Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

Repairs, Ventilating, Heating, Plumbing, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.
Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.
Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.
Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

On bonds regarded as hazardous risks additional surety will be required as the Comptroller sees fit in each instance.

All bonds exceeding \$250,000 will by that fact alone be considered hazardous risks, no matter what the nature of the work.

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the Bookkeeper's office, Central Department, until 10 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,

FOR REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE STEAM VESSEL "PATROL," STATIONED AT PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for making and completing the repairs and alterations will be twenty days. The amount of security required will be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of bid or estimate.

The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest bidder.

The bidder will state the price for which he will do all the work and provide, furnish and deliver all the labor and materials mentioned and described in said contract and specifications. For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished bidders are referred to the specifications and to the plans on file in the office of the Inspector of Repairs and Supplies of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, City of New York.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

Dated April 30, 1907.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the Bookkeeper's office, Central Department, until 10 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BLANK BOOKS, PRINTING, LITHOGRAPHY AND ENGRAVING.

The time of delivery shall not be later than June 30, 1907, except under the following conditions:

First—Delivery must be made not more than 30 days after the receipt of copy, if required by the Police Commissioner.

Second—Where revised copy is required by the character of the sample, all work shall be completed within 30 days after such revised copy is received from the Department by the Contractor.

The amount of security shall be twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and the Police Commissioner will award the contract for each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan (unless otherwise stated in specifications), from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the Police Commissioner.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Police Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Police Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

The City of New York, April 22, 1907.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY Property Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 209 State street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,
Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FURNISHING ALL REQUIRED MATERIAL, REPAIRING, TRANSFERRING AND ERECTING GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, KINDERGARTEN TENTS, SAND BINS, LARGE AND SMALL SWING FRAMES AND ALL OTHER MATERIAL INCLUDED IN THE EQUIPMENT OF OPEN-AIR PLAY-GROUNDS, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for furnishing and delivering materials and the completion of the work, as provided in the contract, will be on or before July 1, 1907.

No. 2. TAKING DOWN, REMOVING, TRANSFERRING AND STORING ALL GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, KINDERGARTEN TENTS, SAND BINS, LARGE AND SMALL SWING FRAMES AND ALL OTHER MATERIAL INCLUDED IN THE EQUIPMENT OF OPEN-AIR PLAY-GROUNDS, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before September 9, 1907.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FURNISHING ALL REQUIRED MATERIAL, REPAIRING, TRANSFERRING AND ERECTING GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, KINDERGARTEN TENTS, SAND BINS, LARGE AND SMALL SWING FRAMES AND ALL OTHER MATERIAL INCLUDED IN THE EQUIPMENT OF OPEN-AIR PLAY-GROUNDS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for furnishing and delivering materials and the completion of the work, as provided in the contract, will be on or before July 1, 1907.

No. 2. TAKING DOWN, REMOVING, TRANSFERRING AND STORING ALL GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, KINDERGARTEN TENTS, SAND BINS, LARGE AND SMALL SWING FRAMES AND ALL OTHER MATERIAL INCLUDED IN THE EQUIPMENT OF OPEN-AIR PLAY-GROUNDS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before September 9, 1907.

Items Nos. 1 and 2 will be awarded to the lowest aggregate bidder. Bid for Item No. 1 will be approved for payment when all work included in Item No. 1 shall have been completed and accepted by the Superintendent of School Supplies.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate. The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, the Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

Dated May 1, 1907.
PATRICK JONES,
Superintendent of School Supplies.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,
Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 64, ON BELMONT AVENUE, BERRIMAN AND ATKINS STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 390 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Seventy-five Thousand Dollars.

No. 2 (Item 2). FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 91, ON ALBANY AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST NEW YORK AVENUE AND MAPLE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 104, ON NINETY-SECOND STREET, CORNER OF GELSTON AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$700 00
Item 2.....	500 00
Item 3.....	500 00
Item 4.....	2,500 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

No. 4. FOR FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 114, ON REMSEN AVENUE, BETWEEN BAY VIEW AVENUE AND SCHOOL LANE, CANARSIE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$600 00
Item 2.....	600 00
Item 3.....	700 00
Item 4.....	1,000 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

On Contracts Nos. 1 and 2 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder in a lump sum on each contract.

On Contracts Nos. 3 and 4 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

Extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated May 1, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,
Borough of Manhattan.

No. 5. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 30, 37, 39, 68, 72, 103, 109, 119, 121, 151, 168, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 30.....	\$5,000 00
Public School 37.....	5,000 00
Public School 39.....	400 00
Public School 68.....	700 00
Public School 72.....	1,000 00
Public School 103.....	500 00
Public School 109.....	1,600 00
Public School 119.....	600 00
Public School 121.....	300 00
Public School 151.....	400 00
Public School 168.....	400 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

No. 6. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 43, ON NORTHWEST CORNER OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET AND AMSTERDAM AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 40 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 7 (Item 1). FOR FURNITURE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 81, ON ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREETS, 175 FEET WEST OF SEVENTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 8 (Item 1). FOR FURNITURE FOR STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL, ON FIFTEENTH AND SIXTEENTH STREETS, ABOUT 80 FEET WEST OF FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 90 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 9. FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 135, AT NORTHWEST CORNER OF FIFTY-FIRST STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$200 00
Item 2.....	200 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

Borough of Queens.

No. 10. FOR GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 5, 7, 24, 25, 27, 72, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

The proposal to be submitted must include the entire work on all schools and award will be made thereon.

No. 11. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 22, ON NORTHEAST CORNER OF SANFORD AVENUE AND MURRAY STREET, FLUSHING, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 80 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars.

No. 12. FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 81, ON WEST SIDE OF DEBVOISE AVENUE, 125 FEET NORTH OF WOOLSEY STREET, ASTORIA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$1,700 00
Item 2.....	800 00
Item 3.....	1,100 00
Item 4.....	800 00
Item 5.....	4,300 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

No. 13. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 90, ON WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN AVENUES, 208 FEET NORTH OF JAMAICA AVENUE, RICHMOND HILL, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 300 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars.

On Contracts Nos. 6, 7, 8, 10, 11 and 13 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder in a lump sum on each contract.

On Contracts Nos. 5, 9 and 12 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

Extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated May 2, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,
Borough of Manhattan.

No. 5. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 27, ON FORTY-FIRST AND FORTY-SECOND STREETS, ABOUT 105 FEET EAST OF THIRD AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 130 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. FOR THE ERECTION OF OUTSIDE IRON STAIRS AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 106, ON LAFAYETTE STREET, NEAR SPRING STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 45 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars.

Borough of Queens.

No. 7. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 20, 27, 28, 31, 44, 79, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be until August 24, 1907, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 20.....	\$1,200 00
Public School 27.....	800 00
Public School 28.....	300 00
Public School 31.....	400 00
Public School 44.....	700 00
Public School 79.....	300 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school, and award will be made thereon.

No. 8. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 68, ON NORTH SIDE OF BERGEN AVENUE, BETWEEN RATHJEN AVENUE AND HENRY STREET, EVERGREEN, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 9. FOR REPAIRING FURNITURE, ETC., IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The work shall be commenced on or before July 14, 1907, and must be entirely completed on or before August 24, 1907, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$600 00
Item 2.....	3,000 00
Item 3.....	1,800 00
Item 4.....	2,200 00
Item 5.....	1,900 00

A separate proposal shall be submitted for each item, and award will be made thereon.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 10. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 19, ON EAST SIDE OF GREENLEAF AVENUE, BETWEEN POST AVENUE AND FLOYD STREET, WEST NEW BRIGHTON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 140 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars.

On Contracts Nos. 5, 6, 8 and 10 the bids will be compared, and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder in a lump sum on each contract.

On Contracts Nos. 7 and 9 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

Extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan; also at branch offices, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, and Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, for work for their respective boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated April 25, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,
Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1 (Item 5). FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 30, ON CONOVER STREET BETWEEN WOLCOTT AND SULLIVAN STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 42, 66, 92, 109, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 42.....	\$600 00
Public School 66.....	600 00
Public School 92.....	100 00
Public School 109.....	700 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

No. 3. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF AN ADDITIONAL STORY TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 80, ON WEST SIDE OF WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET, 145 FEET SOUTH OF NEPTUNE AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 150 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 114, ON EASTERLY SIDE OF REMSEN AVENUE, BETWEEN BAY VIEW AVENUE AND SCHOOL LANE, CANARSIE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 90 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eleven Thousand Dollars.

On contracts Nos. 1, 3 and 4 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder in a lump sum on each contract.

On contract No. 2 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed by which the bids will be tested.

Extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated April 24, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1907,

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BAY RIDGE AVENUE, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO FIFTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,490 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.
10 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.
1,110 cubic yards of earth excavation.
230 linear feet of concrete curb.
75 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.
8,490 square feet of cement sidewalk.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BAY RIDGE PARKWAY, FROM SHORE ROAD TO FIRST AVENUE, AND FROM SECOND AVENUE TO SEVENTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

23,100 square yards of asphalt pavement.
3,220 cubic yards of concrete.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is Seventeen Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BEDFORD AVENUE, FROM ATLANTIC AVENUE TO PACIFIC STREET, AND FROM BERGEN STREET TO ST. MARK'S AVENUE, AND OF GRANT SQUARE, FROM PACIFIC STREET TO BERGEN STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FIFTY-FIRST STREET, FROM EIGHTH AVENUE TO FORT HAMILTON AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

3,550 linear feet of new curbstone to be set in concrete.

10 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.

21,650 cubic yards of earth excavation.

3,240 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

175 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

12,130 square feet of cement sidewalk.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is seventy (70) working days.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FURMAN AVENUE, FROM BROADWAY TO BUSHWICK AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,980 square yards of asphalt pavement.

330 cubic yards of concrete.

570 linear feet of new curbstone.

620 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.

6 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF GOTHIC ALLEY, FROM ADAMS STREET TO PEARL STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

310 square yards of granite block pavement, with tar and gravel joints.

50 cubic yards of concrete.

75 square feet of new granite bridgestones.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF KING STREET, FROM DWIGHT STREET TO CONOVER STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,760 square yards of granite block pavement, with tar and gravel joints.

30 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

940 cubic yards of concrete.

2,180 linear feet of new curbstone.

700 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

440 square feet of new granite bridgestones.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT AS A FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NINTH STREET, FROM FIFTH AVENUE TO PROSPECT PARK WEST.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

7,340 square yards of asphalt pavement.

7,340 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

3,190 linear feet of new curbstone.

2,600 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

44 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PACIFIC STREET, FROM BUFFALO AVENUE TO EASTERN PARKWAY.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

16,260 square yards of asphalt pavement.

20 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

2,690 cubic yards of concrete.

3,970 linear feet of new curbstone.

4,640 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

40 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SEIGEL STREET, FROM WHITE STREET TO BOGART STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

827 square yards of asphalt pavement.

156 cubic yards of concrete.

750 linear feet of new curbstone.

10 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

1,740 cubic yards of earth excavation.

3,790 square feet of cement sidewalk.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SIXTH STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO FOURTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,280 square yards of asphalt pavement.

10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

390 cubic yards of concrete.

1,300 linear feet of new curbstone.

70 linear feet of old curbstone.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Twenty-two Hundred Dollars.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT AND GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENTS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SIXTIETH STREET, FROM FOURTH AVENUE TO SIXTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

5,590 square yards of asphalt pavement.

2,740 square yards of granite block pavement with tar and gravel joints.

30 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

1,380 cubic yards of concrete.

2,770 linear feet of new curbstone.

60 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

4 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required is Fifty-five Hundred Dollars.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF STOCKTON STREET, FROM NOSTRAND AVENUE TO LEWIS AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

14,590 square yards of asphalt pavement.

20 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.

2,410 cubic yards of concrete.

7,320 linear feet of new curbstone.

400 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.

33 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Fourteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF TROY AVENUE, FROM PACIFIC STREET TO EASTERN PARKWAY.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

9,320 square yards of asphalt pavement.

30 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.

1,530 cubic yards of concrete.

4,270 linear feet of new curbstone.

450 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.

13 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET, FROM SURF AVENUE TO CONEY ISLAND CREEK.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,630 linear feet of new curbstone to be set in concrete.

100 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.

130 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

13,610 square feet of cement sidewalk.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 17. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,200 TONS OF STONE DUST.

Time for the delivery of the material and the full performance of the contract is by or before November 1, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot, square yard, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 14, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER, President.

Dated April 27, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1907,

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS ON NEPTUNE AVENUE AT THE NORTHEAST AND NORTHWEST CORNERS OF WEST THIRD STREET, AT THE NORTHEAST AND SOUTHWEST CORNERS OF WEST FIRST STREET, AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF OCEAN PARKWAY, AND A SEWER IN THE WESTERLY SIDE OF OCEAN PARKWAY BETWEEN NEPTUNE AVENUE AND CANAL AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,035 linear feet 24-inch pipe sewer.

6 manholes.

2 sewer basins.

222 cubic yards of concrete cradle.

1,900 linear feet of piles.

17,000 feet (B. M.) foundation planking, and pile capping.

22,000 feet (B. M.) sheeting and bracing.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 75 working days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN FORTY-SEVENTH STREET FROM NEW UTRECHT AVENUE TO TWELFTH AVENUE, ETC.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

45 linear feet 18-inch pipe sewer.

719 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.

470 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

900 linear feet 6-inch house connection drain.

12 manholes.

2 sewer basins.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN FIFTY-THIRD STREET FROM FORT HAMILTON AVENUE TO ELEVENTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

590 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

612 linear feet 6-inch house connection drain.

5 manholes.

2 sewer basins.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 10 working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASIN AT THE NORTHERLY CORNER OF STOCKHOLM STREET AND ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity is as follows:

1 sewer basin.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 10 working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASIN AT THE NORTHERLY CORNER OF STOCKHOLM STREET AND ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity is as follows:

1 sewer basin.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 10 working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASIN AT THE NORTHERLY CORNER OF STOCKHOLM STREET AND ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity is as follows:

1 sewer basin.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 10 working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN ECKFORD STREET, FROM ENGERT AVENUE TO MANHATTAN AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

35 linear feet 18-inch pipe sewer.

354 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.

360 linear feet 6-inch house connection drain.

4 manholes.

1 sewer basin.

1,000 feet (B. M.) sheeting and bracing.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN IMLAY STREET, FROM SUMMIT SOUTH OF COMMERCE STREET TO COMMERCE STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

30 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.

210 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

2 manholes.

5,000 feet (B. M.) sheeting and bracing.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS IN HINSDALE STREET, NORTHEAST AND SOUTHEAST CORNERS OF BLAKE AVENUE; HINSDALE STREET, NORTHWEST CORNER OF DUMONT AVENUE, ETC., ETC.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

7 sewer basins.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars.

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS ON MILFORD STREET, AT THE NORTHEAST AND NORTHWEST CORNERS OF BELMONT AVENUE, AND AT ALL FOUR CORNERS OF SUTTER AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

6 sewer basins.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN NEWKIRK AVENUE, FROM EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET TO ROGERS AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

262 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

2 manholes.

1 sewer basin.

420 linear feet 6-inch house connection drain.

1,000 feet (B. M.) sheeting and bracing.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS AT ALL FOUR CORNERS OF WHITE AND SIEGEL STREETS.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity is as follows:

3 sewer basins.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 20 working days.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 10. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS ON FORTY-FOURTH STREET, AT THE EAST AND SOUTH CORNERS OF FIRST AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity is as follows:

2 sewer basins.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 15 working days.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 11. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS AT THE NORTHEAST AND NORTHWEST CORNERS OF DORCHESTER ROAD AND WESTMINSTER ROAD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity is as follows:

2 sewer basins.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 15 working days.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 12. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS AT THE NORTH AND EAST CORNERS OF BAY RIDGE AVENUE AND TENTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity is as follows:

2 sewer basins.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 15 working days.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 13. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASIN AT THE

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

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ELEVENTH AVENUE, FROM EIGHTIETH STREET TO EIGHTY-SECOND STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,360 square yards of asphalt pavement.
330 cubic yards of concrete.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FLATBUSH AVENUE, FROM A POINT 454 FEET NORTH OF MALBONE STREET TO LINCOLN ROAD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,480 square yards of asphalt pavement.
10 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.
30 cubic yards of concrete.
50 linear feet of new curbstone.
150 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.
16 noiseless covers and heads complete for sewer manholes.
400 cubic feet of extra binder.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

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

No. 10. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FOURTH STREET, FROM EIGHTH AVENUE TO PROSPECT PARK WEST.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,420 linear feet of new curbstone to be set in concrete.
10 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.
825 cubic yards of earth excavation.
85 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.
70 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

7,350 square feet of cement sidewalk.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FOURTH STREET, FROM EIGHTH AVENUE TO PROSPECT PARK WEST.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,370 square yards of asphalt pavement.
330 cubic yards of concrete.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FIFTY-THIRD STREET, FROM SIXTH AVENUE TO SEVENTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,400 square yards of asphalt pavement.
335 cubic yards of concrete.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON HART STREET, FROM WYCKOFF AVENUE TO ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

885 linear feet of new curbstone to be set in concrete.
85 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.
340 cubic yards of earth excavation.
60 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.
50 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

3,230 square feet of cement sidewalk.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HART STREET, FROM WYCKOFF AVENUE TO ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,510 square yards of asphalt pavement.
210 cubic yards of concrete.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HOWARD AVENUE, FROM EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION TO PITKIN AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,330 square yards of asphalt pavement.
186 cubic yards of concrete.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON NINETY-THIRD STREET, FROM THE SHORE ROAD TO THIRD AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

840 square yards of brick gutters on a concrete foundation.
3,730 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.
50 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.
8,450 cubic yards of earth excavation.
278 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

18,240 square feet of cement sidewalk.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

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

No. 17. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON SEVENTH AVENUE, FROM FORTY-THIRD STREET TO FORTY-NINTH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

3,020 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

70 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.
2,775 cubic yards of earth excavation.
310 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

150 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.
13,700 square feet of cement sidewalk.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 18. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SILLIMAN PLACE, FROM SECOND AVENUE TO THIRD AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,450 square yards of asphalt pavement.
419 cubic yards of concrete.
1,466 linear feet of new curbstone.
64 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.
390 cubic yards of earth excavation.
780 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

7,320 square feet of cement sidewalk.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 19. FOR REGULATING, RELAYING BRICK GUTTERS AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF STERLING PLACE, FROM TROY AVENUE TO SCHENECTADY AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,410 square yards of asphalt pavement.
370 cubic yards of concrete.
325 square yards of brick gutters, to be relaid.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, foot (B. M.) or other unit of measure by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 14 Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,
President.

Dated April 18, 1907.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Estimate and Apportionment, held April 12, 1907, in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, the following proceedings were had:

Whereas, The Fort George Street Railway Company has, under date of July 3, 1906, made application to this Board for the grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railroad upon and along St. Nicholas (or Eleventh) avenue, between the Dyckman street station of the Interborough Rapid Transit Railroad and West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, Borough of Manhattan; and

Whereas, Section 92 of the Railroad Law and sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance to such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on July 6, 1906, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as September 28, 1906, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least fourteen (14) days in the "Sun" and the "World," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the City Record for ten days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for, and proposed to be granted to the Fort George Street Railway Company, and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor; now therefore it is

Resolved, That the following form of the resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the Fort George Street Railway Company, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board, as follows, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby grants to the Fort George Street Railway Company the franchise or right fully set out and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying all of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges upon and subject to the terms and conditions in said proposed form of contract contained, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows, to wit:

FORT GEORGE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

Proposed Form of Contract.

This contract made this day of 1907, by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the Fort George Street Railway Company, incorporated for the purpose of building, maintaining and operating a street surface railroad (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseth: In consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree as follows:

Section 1. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railroad by electrical system, together with the necessary wires and other equipment for the purpose of conveying persons and

property in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, upon the following route:

Beginning at a point about seven hundred feet south of the intersection of Dyckman street and Nagle avenue, running thence by double track in a southerly direction through, upon and along St. Nicholas avenue to its intersection with West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, all in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City, County and State of New York.

Said route, together with turnouts, switches, stands and crossovers hereby authorized, are shown upon a map entitled:

"Map showing proposed route of the Fort George Street Railway Company, to accompany amended petition to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Dated October 16, 1906. Original petition dated July 3, 1906," and signed by R. E. Simon, President, and A. E. Kalbach, Consulting Engineer.

Sec. 2. The grant of this privilege is subject to the following conditions, which shall be complied with by the Company:

First—The consent in writing of the owners of half in value of the property bounded on said streets and avenues to the construction and operation of said railroad shall be obtained by the Company within six months of the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and a copy of such consents shall be filed with the Board within such time, or in the event that such consents cannot be obtained within such time, the Company shall within two months thereafter make application to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners in the manner provided by the Railroad Law, to determine if said railroad ought to be constructed; otherwise this grant shall cease and determine, unless the period shall be extended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Second—This consent is upon the express condition that the Company within sixty days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor and before anything is done in the exercise of the rights conferred thereby, shall enter into a traffic agreement with the Interborough Rapid Transit Company whereby passengers entering the cars of either the Company or the Interborough Rapid Transit Company (subway) shall be entitled to a continuous passage on both of the said lines upon the payment of a single fare of five cents; such agreement shall be for a period of at least twenty-five years.

Third—The said right to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railroad as herein described, shall be held and enjoyed by the Company, its successors or assigns, for the term of twenty-five years from the date when this contract is signed by the Mayor, with the privilege of renewal of said contract for the further period of twenty-five years, upon a fair revaluation of such right and privilege. Such revaluation shall be of the right and privilege to maintain and operate the said railroad by itself, and not to include any valuation derived from the ownership, operation or control of any other railroad by the Company, its successors or assigns. The Company shall, however, not have the right to exercise such privilege of renewal until it has entered into a traffic agreement with the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, or its successors, in the operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad (subway), as above, for said renewal period.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal it shall make application to the Board, or any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the Board. Such application shall be made at any time not earlier than two years and not later than one year before the expiration of the original term of this contract. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient if agreed to in writing by the Company and the Board, but in no case shall the annual rate of compensation to the City be fixed at a less amount than that sum required to be paid during the last year in this original contract.

If the Company and the Board shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one year before the expiration of the original term of this contract, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding twenty-five years shall be reasonable, and either the Company (by the Board) or the Company shall be bound upon request of the other, to enter into a written agreement with each other fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable, and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate and at such amount as shall be determined by three disinterested freeholders, selected in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder, and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluation aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six months prior to the expiration of this original contract, and their report shall be filed with the Board within three months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigation, without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine any of the books of the Company and its officers under oath. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but no annual sum shall, in any event, be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year of this original contract. If in any case the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the termination of the original term of this contract, then the Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined, and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate. The compensation and expenses of the said appraisers shall be borne jointly by the City and the Company, each paying one-half thereof.

Fourth—Upon the termination of this original contract, or if the same is renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any other cause, or upon the dissolution of the Company before such termination, the tracks and equipment of the Company constructed pursuant to this contract, within the streets and highways of the City, shall become the property of the City, without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

At the termination of this grant as above, the City, at the election of the Board, shall have the right to purchase all the property of the Company not within the streets or avenues, at its fair market value, exclusive of any value which such property may have by reason of this contract. Such valuation shall be determined in the same manner as revaluation for a renewal of this contract, as herein provided.

If, however, at the termination of this grant as above, the City (by the Board) shall so order by resolution, the Company shall upon thirty (30) days' notice in writing from the Board, remove any and all of its tracks and other equipment constructed pursuant to this contract,

and the said streets and highways shall be restored to their original condition at the sole cost and expense of the Company.

Fifth—The Company, its successor or assigns, shall pay to the City for the right to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railway on the route herein described, the following sums of money:

1. Five thousand dollars (\$5,000) in cash, within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor.

2. During the first five years of this contract an annual sum, which shall in no case be less than five hundred dollars (\$500), and which shall be equal to three per cent. of the gross receipts of the Company, if such percentage shall exceed a sum of five hundred dollars (\$500).

During the remaining twenty years of this contract an annual sum, which shall in no case be less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), and which shall be equal to five per cent. of the gross receipts of the Company, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

The payment of such minimum sums shall begin from the day on which the contract is signed by the Mayor.

The terms hereafter to be fixed for any renewal term of this contract shall not be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year of this original contract, and no renewal shall provide for a further renewal.

Such minimum annual sums shall be paid into the Treasury of The City of New York on November 1 of each year, and shall be for the amount due to September 30, next preceding.

Whenever the percentage required to be paid shall exceed the minimum amount as above, such sum over and above such minimum shall be paid to the said Comptroller on or before November 1, in each year, for the year ending September 30, next preceding. The fiscal year shall end on September 30, next preceding said date of payment, and provisions of the Railroad Law as it now exists, or as it may hereafter be amended, relating to the matter of payments and statements of percentages of gross receipts of street railway companies not inconsistent with this contract, shall be strictly complied with. The intention of this paragraph is to fix an annual charge to be paid by the Company, its successors or assigns, to the City for the rights and privileges hereby granted, and it shall be construed as providing for the payment by the Company, its successors or assigns, for said right and privilege of a percentage of gross receipts within the meaning of any general or special statute, or of any ordinance of the City.

Any and all payments to be made by the terms of this contract to the City, by the Company, shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of the City or resolution of the Board or by any law of the State of New York.

Sixth—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of the contract hereby granted, whether original or renewal, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other railroad company providing for payments for railroad rights or franchise at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges hereby granted, whether original or renewal, or of any part thereof, or of any part of the route mentioned herein, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this contract; and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said conditions as to payments, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this contract.

Seventh—The rights and privileges hereby granted shall not be assigned, either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall title thereto, or right, interest or property therein, pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company, its successors or assigns, or by operation of law whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations, or otherwise, without the consent of the City, acting by the Board, or its successors in authority, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving, or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents.

Eighth—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the City to grant to any individual or other corporation a similar right or privilege upon the same or other terms and conditions, over the same streets, avenues or highways, and the right to make the requisite and necessary connections with the tracks of the Company, its successors or assigns, which shall be constructed under this contract.

The use of the railroad which shall be constructed and maintained in the street, avenues and highways under this contract, including the tracks, wires and other equipment used in connection therewith, shall be permitted by the Company, its successors or assigns, to any individual or corporation to which the City may have granted, or may hereafter grant, the right or privilege to use such streets, avenues or highways, for street railroad purposes, upon payment of an annual sum by such individual or corporation to the Company, which shall not exceed the legal interest on such proportion of the whole cost of the construction of such railroad and of the cost of keeping the tracks and track equipment in repair, as the number of cars operated by such company or individual shall bear to the number of cars operated by the companies then using the same, together with the actual cost of the power necessary for the operation of the cars thereon of such individual or corporation and the cost of laying and repairing of pavement and removal of snow and ice, and all the other duties imposed upon the Company by the terms of this contract, in connection with the maintenance or the operation of the said railroad so used.

The Company shall not at any time oppose, but shall, upon the request of the Board, consent to the construction or operation of any street surface railroad which may necessitate the use of any portion of the railroad which shall be constructed under this contract.

Ninth—The railroad to be constructed under this contract may be operated by overhead electrical power substantially similar to the system of overhead electrical traction now in use by the New York City Interborough Railway Company or by the underground electric system now in use by the lines of the New York City Railway Company. Provided, however, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, after five years from the date of this contract, may, upon giving to the grantee,

its successor or assigns, six months' notice in writing, require it or them to operate the railroad upon the whole or upon any portion of its route by underground electrical power substantially similar to the system now in use on the lines of the New York City Railway Company in the Borough of Manhattan, above referred to, and thereupon to discontinue the use of the overhead trolley system, and to remove its poles, wires and other structures used by it for that purpose from the streets and highways. When the change shall have been made to the underground system, all wires for the transmission of power or otherwise, shall be placed in conduits underneath or alongside of the railroad. The Company shall provide two conduits, not less than three (3) inches in diameter each for the exclusive use of the City. Such conduits shall be used only by the Company and by the City.

This provision shall in no way be taken as a limitation on the Police powers of the City, as provided in sections 525 et seq. of the Greater New York Charter.

Tenth—The Company shall commence construction of the railroad herein authorized within three months from the date upon which the consents of the property owners are obtained, or upon the decision of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court that such railroad ought to be constructed, and shall complete the construction of the same within twelve months from the same date, otherwise this grant shall cease and determine, and all sums paid, or which may be deposited with the Comptroller of the City, as hereinafter provided, shall thereupon be forfeited to the City; provided, that such periods may be extended by the Board for a period or periods not exceeding in the aggregate six months each.

Eleventh—The said railroad shall be constructed, maintained and operated, subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of the City who have jurisdiction in such matters, as provided in the Charter of the City.

Twelfth—The said railroad shall be constructed and operated in the latest improved manner of street railway construction and operation, and the railroad and property of the Company shall be maintained in good condition throughout the term of this contract.

The Company shall remove the stub-end terminal at St. Nicholas avenue, north of West One Hundred and Eightieth street, hereby authorized, upon six (6) months' notice in writing from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Thirteenth—The rate of fare for any passenger upon such railroad shall not exceed five cents, and the Company shall not charge any passenger more than five cents for one continuous ride from any point on said railroad, or a line or branch operated by it, its lessees or assigns in connection therewith, to any point thereof, or of any connecting line or branch thereof, within the limits of The City of New York.

Transfers shall be given between the Interborough Rapid Transit Company (subway division) and the Company at the Interborough Rapid Transit Railway station at Dyckman street for a single fare of five cents, as required by traffic agreement between said companies.

The rate for the carrying of property over the said railroad upon the cars of the Company shall in all cases be reasonable in amount, subject to the control of the Board, or its successors in authority, and may be fixed by such Board after notice to the Company and a hearing had thereon, and when so fixed such rates shall be binding upon the Company, its successors or assigns, and no greater sums shall be charged for such service than provided for by it.

Fourteenth—The cars of the Company shall be run both day and night as often as the reasonable convenience of the public may require, or as may be directed by the Board, but at no time shall the headway at any point on the railway be more than twenty minutes between the hours of 5 o'clock p. m. and midnight.

Fifteenth—The Company shall attach to each car run over the said railroad proper fenders and wheel guards in conformity with such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter, during the term of this contract, be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities.

Sixteenth—All cars which are operated on said railroad shall be equipped with both hand and power brakes.

Seventeenth—All cars which are operated on said railroad shall be heated during the cold weather in conformity with such laws and ordinances as are now in force or may hereafter, during the term of this contract, be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities.

Eighteenth—The Company, so long as it shall continue to use any of the tracks upon the streets and avenues in which the railroad shall be constructed under this contract, shall cause to be watered the entire roadway of such streets and avenues at least three times in every twenty-four hours, when the temperature is above 35 degrees Fahrenheit, when so required by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Nineteenth—All cars operated on said railroad shall be well lighted by electricity, or by some lighting system equally efficient, or as may be required by the Board.

Twentieth—The Company shall at all times keep the streets, avenues or highways upon which the said railroad is constructed, between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and for a distance of two feet beyond the rails, on either side thereof, free and clear from ice and snow; provided, however, that the Company shall, at the option of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, enter into an agreement for each winter season, or part thereof, to clean an equivalent amount of street surface from house line to house line.

Twenty-first—The Company shall cause to be paved that portion of the street between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and two feet in width outside of its tracks upon and along the streets, avenues and highways of the route hereby authorized, which are now either unpaved or paved with macadam. The work of such paving shall be done under the supervision of the Municipal authorities having jurisdiction in such matters. Such authorities shall designate the character of the pavement to be laid.

As long as the said railroad, or any portion thereof, remains in the street, avenue or highway, the Company shall pave and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of the street, avenue or highway in which said railroad is constructed, between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and for a distance of two feet beyond the rails on either side thereof, under the supervision of the local authorities, whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe. And it shall not be necessary, in the event that the portion of the surface of the street, avenue or highway in which said railroad is constructed, shall not be repaired by the Company as hereinbefore provided, for the City to give any notice to the Company of such state of disrepair, but the City may make such repairs and charge the same to the Company, which the said Company agrees to pay, any statute to the contrary notwithstanding. And the City shall have the right to change the material or character of the pavement of any such street, avenue or highway, and in that event the Company, its successors or

assigns, shall be bound to replace such pavement in the manner directed by the proper city officer at its own expense and the provision as to repairs herein contained shall apply to such renewal or altered pavement. The Company agrees to pay to the City any sum or sums that the City may pay, either as a result of a judgment against it or by way of settlement or compromise, for any injuries either to person or property arising from failure of the Company to pave and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of the street, avenue or highway in which said railway is constructed, as hereinbefore provided.

Twenty-second—Any alteration which may be required to the sewerage or drainage system, or to any subsurface structures, pipes, conduits, etc., laid in the streets on account of the construction or operation of the railroad, shall be made at the sole cost of the railroad company and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

Twenty-third—The Company hereby agrees not to issue stock other than has been heretofore issued until a certificate of authority therefor has been issued by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or until such Board shall further certify in writing as to the amount of stock reasonably required for the purposes of the Company. The stock of the Company shall not be issued in excess of the amount so certified.

The Company shall not increase its capital stock above the \$25,000 now authorized, without the consent in writing of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, stating the amount of the authorized increase. For the purpose of making this determination as to the amount of stocks to be issued, or the amount of the authorized increase of the capital stock of the Company, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may take and hear testimony under oath, and examine the books and papers of the Company, and require verified statements from the officers thereof pertaining to the value of the property and of the franchise owned or operated by the Company. Such determination shall be made within sixty (60) days after the final submission of the papers or of the final hearing on the application for the issue or increase of capital stock.

Twenty-fourth—The Company shall at all times keep accurate books of account of the gross earnings from the privileges granted under this contract. The Company shall on or before November 1 of each year make a verified report to the Comptroller of The City of New York of the business done by the Company for the year ending September 30 next preceding, as he may prescribe. Such report shall contain a statement of the gross receipts from operation of the railway, together with such other information and in such detail as the Comptroller may require. The Comptroller shall have access to all books of the Company for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report, and may examine its officers and agents.

Twenty-fifth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, this contract may be forfeited by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten days to the Company, or at the option of the Board by resolution of said Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the railroad constructed and in use by virtue of this contract shall thereupon become the property of the City without proceedings at law or in equity.

Twenty-sixth—If the Company, its successors or assigns, shall fail to give efficient public service at the rates herein fixed, or fail to maintain its structures in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the Board may give notice to the Company specifying any default on the part of the Company, and requiring the Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time; and upon failure of the Company to remedy such default within a reasonable time, the Company shall for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, except for those defaults or defects for which penalties are hereinafter provided, pay to the City the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the Board, in case such structures which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid, shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund hereinafter provided.

Twenty-seventh—The Company shall assume all liability to persons or property by reason of the construction or operation of the railroad authorized by this contract, and it is a condition of this contract that the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property on account of the same, and the Company hereby agrees to repay to the City any damage which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or default of the Company.

Twenty-eighth—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred hereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of The City of New York the sum of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000) either in money or securities, to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of all the terms and conditions of this contract, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege hereby granted, the efficiency of the public service rendered, the repairs of the street pavement, the removal of snow and ice and the quality of construction of the railroad; and in case of default in the performance by the Company of such terms and conditions the City shall have the right to cause the work to be done and the materials to be furnished for the performance thereof after due notice, and shall collect the reasonable cost thereof from the said fund without legal proceedings; or after default in the payment of the annual charges, shall collect the same, with interest, from the said fund after ten days' notice in writing to the Company; or in case of failure to keep the said terms and conditions of this contract relating to the headway, heating and lighting of cars, fenders, wheel guards and watering of street pavements, the Company shall pay a penalty of twenty-five dollars (\$25) per day for each day of violation, and the further sum of ten dollars (\$10) per day for each car that shall not be properly heated, lighted or supplied with fenders or wheel guards, in case of the violation of the provision relating to those matters.

The procedure for the imposition and collection of the penalties in this contract shall be as follows: The Comptroller of the City, on complaint made, shall, in writing, notify the Company, through its President, to appear before him on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why it should not be penalized in accordance with the foregoing provisions. If the Company fails to make an appearance, or, after a hearing, appears in the judgment of the Comptroller to be in fault, said Comptroller shall forthwith impose the prescribed penalty, or where the amount

of the penalty is not prescribed herein, such amount as appears to him to be just, and without legal procedure withdraw the amount of such penalty from the security fund deposited with him. In case of any drafts made upon the security fund the Company shall, upon ten (10) days' notice in writing, pay to the Comptroller of the City a sum sufficient to restore said security fund to the original amount of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000), and in default thereof this contract shall be canceled and annulled at the option of the Board, acting in behalf of the City. No action or proceeding or right under the provisions of this contract shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to the City.

Sec. 3. This contract is also upon the further and express condition that the provisions of the Railroad Law, applicable thereto, and all laws or ordinances now in force, or which may be adopted affecting the surface railroads operating in the City, not inconsistent with the terms and conditions hereinbefore fixed, shall be strictly complied with by the Company.

Sec. 4. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms and conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

In witness whereof, the party of the first part, by its Mayor, thereunto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed, and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed, and the party of the second part, by its officers, thereunto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

By.....Mayor.

[CORPORATE SEAL.]

Attest:.....City Clerk.

FORT GEORGE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

By.....President.

[SEAL.]

Attest:.....Secretary.

(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, including the provision as to rates, fares and charges are as hereinbefore specified and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the Fort George Street Railway Company and the said form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to Friday, May 24, 1907, in the City Record, and at least twice during the ten days immediately prior to May 24, in "The Sun" and "The World," two daily newspapers designated by the Mayor thereof and published in The City of New York, at the expense of the Fort George Street Railway Company, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the Fort George Street Railway Company, and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing any such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 24, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary.

New York, April 12, 1907. m1,24

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held November 9, 1906, the following petition was received:

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

The petition of New York and Richmond Gas Company respectfully shows:

First—Your petitioner is a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York, for the purpose of manufacturing and supplying gas for light, heat and power for public and private use, in the County of Richmond, in the State of New York.

Second—Your petitioner desires to obtain from The City of New York and hereby respectfully applies for its consent to, and a grant of the franchise, right and privilege to lay, construct, maintain and operate pipes, mains and conductors with the necessary branches and connections therefrom, in, under and along all of the streets, avenues, highways, boulevards, parkways and public places within the territory comprised in the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Richmond (formerly the Town of Westfield), in the City and State of New York, for the purpose of transmitting and supplying gas for light, heat and power to public and private consumers.

Third—Your petitioner is and has been for several years last past engaged in the business of manufacturing, supplying and distributing gas for light, heat and power in the territory comprised in the First, Second, Third and Fourth Wards of the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, and has constructed, maintained and operated and now maintains and operates numerous lines of pipes, mains and conductors in the streets, avenues, highways and public places within said wards.

Fourth—That no other company or individual is engaged in manufacturing or supplying gas for light, heat or power for either public or private use within the boundaries of the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Richmond and the inhabitants of said ward have no means of securing gas for light, heat or power at the present time. That said Fifth Ward is the only ward in the Borough of Richmond in which no gas is manufactured or supplied to public or private consumers, and a large number of the residents and property owners in said ward have requested your petitioner to construct and lay pipes and mains in the streets, avenues, highways and public places of said ward for the purpose of supplying them with gas.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that the assent of your Honorable Board of the Corporation of The City of New York be granted to it to construct, lay, maintain and operate pipes, mains and conductors with the necessary branches and connections therefrom in, under and along the streets, avenues, highways, parks and public places within the territory comprised in the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Richmond for transmitting and distributing gas for light, heat and power to public and private consumers, and that

the desired consent, grant or franchise be embodied in the form of a contract with proper terms and conditions in accordance with the provisions of the Greater New York Charter.

Dated, New York, November 1, 1906.

NEW YORK AND RICHMOND GAS COMPANY,

By THOS. O. HORTON,
Secretary.

State of New York, County of Richmond, ss.:

Thomas O. Horton, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Secretary of New York and Richmond Gas Company, the petitioner named in the foregoing petition; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the same is true to his own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true. That the reason why this verification is not made by the petitioner is that it is a corporation; that deponent is an officer of said corporation—to wit, Secretary—and that the grounds of his information in regard to the matters stated in the foregoing petition so far as the same are not within his personal knowledge are statements and reports made by officers or employees of the corporation to him as Secretary thereof.

THOS. O. HORTON.

Sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1906.

JAMES McCaffrey,
Notary Public,

(Seal) Richmond County,
New York.

—and at the meeting of April 26, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The foregoing petition from the New York and Richmond Gas Company, dated November 1, 1906, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held November 9, 1906,

Resolved, That in pursuance of law, this Board sets Friday, the 10th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary is directed to cause such petition and these resolutions to be published for at least two (2) days in two daily newspapers in The City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the City Record immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary.

New York, April 26, 1907.

Copies of the report of the Division of Franchises may be had at Room 79, No. 280 Broadway, New York City.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Estimate and Apportionment, held April 5, 1907, in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, the following proceedings were had:

Whereas, The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company has, under date of May 25, 1906, made application to this Board for a grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate ducts or subways through, under and along East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, Kingsbridge road and other streets in the Borough of The Bronx; and

Whereas, Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance to such laws this Board adopted a resolution September 14, 1906, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as September 28, 1906, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two days in "The Sun" and "The New York Times," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the City Record for ten days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for and proposed to be granted to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor; now therefore it is

Resolved, That the following form of the resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board as follows, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby grants to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company the franchise or right fully set out and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying all of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates and charges upon and subject to the terms and conditions in said proposed form of contract contained, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows, to wit:

New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company.

PROPOSED FORM OF CONTRACT.

This Contract, made this _____ day of _____, 190____, by and between THE CITY OF NEW YORK, party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, and the NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY, for itself, and as lessee of the NEW YORK AND RICHMOND RAILROAD COMPANY, a domestic corporation of the State of New York, hereinafter called the Company, party of the second part, witnesses:

In consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree as follows:

Section 1. The City of New York hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the franchise, right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate a subway not to exceed two feet and eleven inches in width, with the necessary splicing chambers, for the sole purpose of transmitting power for the operation of its trains by electricity, as required by chapter 425 of the Laws of 1903, said subway to be beneath the surface of the following named streets, avenues and highways between the points described as follows, all situate in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, to wit:

Beginning at a point in Webster avenue where East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, if prolonged southeasterly, would intersect the right of way of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company; thence northwesterly across Webster avenue to East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and thence northwesterly through East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to a point between Valentine avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and Kingsbridge road; thence in a general northwesterly direction through Kingsbridge road to a point where said Kingsbridge road intersects the right of way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company.

Also beginning at a point on the westerly side of the right of way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company on the easterly side of Exterior street, about 300 feet south from West One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street; thence westerly across said Exterior street to and along private property of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company;

—the said right of way and the location of the said splicing chambers being shown on a map entitled:

"N. Y. C. & H. R. R. Leased and Operated Lines. Electrification of Lines. Location Plan—Cable Ducts, Kingsbridge Road and 194th Street, New York City."

—dated October 30, 1905, signed by W. J. Wilgus, Vice-President, copy of which is annexed hereto and made a part of this grant.

Sec. 2. The grant of this franchise, right and privilege is subject to the following conditions:

First—The said franchise, right and privilege to lay one subway in each of the streets, avenues or highways, and between the limits as hereinbefore described, and the franchise, right and privilege to maintain and operate the same shall be held and enjoyed by the said Company, its lessees or successors, for a term of twenty-five years from the date of the signing of this contract, with the privilege of renewal of said grant for a further period of twenty-five years, upon a fair revaluation of said franchise, right and privilege.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal, it shall make application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, or to any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the said Board. Such application shall be made at any time not earlier than two years and not later than one year before the expiration of the original term of this grant. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient, if agreed to in writing by the Company, and by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or by such other authority in its place. If the Company and the Board, or such other authority in its place for the City, shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one year before the expiration of the original term of this grant, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding twenty-five years shall be reasonable, and either the City (by the Board or by such other authority in its place) or the Company shall be bound upon request of the other to enter into a written agreement with such other, fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable; and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate at such amount as shall be determined by three disinterested freeholders selected in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder, and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluations aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six months prior to the expiration of the contract, and their report shall be filed with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, within three months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers, and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigations without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine the books of the Company and its officers under oath. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but shall not in any event be less than the minimum amount fixed as the sum to be paid annually for the last year of this original grant. If in any case the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the termination of the original term of this grant, then the Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined, and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate. The compensation and expenses of the said appraisers shall be borne jointly by the City and the Company, each paying one-half thereof.

Second—Upon the termination of this contract, or if the same be renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any other cause, all subways and appurtenances thereto, constructed pursuant to this contract, shall be and become the property of The City of New York, without compensation therefor, and the same may be used by The City for any purpose whatsoever. If, however, at the termination of this grant, as above, the City, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, shall so order by resolution, the said Company shall remove, at its own expense, said subway and all appurtenances thereto, and shall restore the streets and pavements to their original condition.

Third—The Company, its successors or assigns, shall pay to The City of New York for this privilege an annual sum of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500). Such sum shall be paid into the treasury of The City of New York on November 1 of each year, and shall be for the annual amount due to September 30 next preceding; provided, however, that the first payment shall be only for that proportion of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500) as the time of signing of this contract by the Mayor before September 30 next preceding shall bear to the whole of one year.

Any and all payments made by the terms of this franchise to The City of New York by the Company shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of The City of New York or by any law of the State of New York.

Fourth—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of the privilege hereby granted, whether original or renewal, as hereinbefore provided, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other company, providing for payments of subway rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges hereby granted, whether original

or renewal, or of any part thereof, or of any of the routes mentioned herein, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this grant, and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said condition as to payment, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise, exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this grant. Nothing herein contained shall apply to any mortgagee or mere lienor, but shall apply to any purchaser upon foreclosure or under or by virtue of any provision of a mortgage or lien.

Fifth—The rights and privileges granted hereby shall not be assigned either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall title thereto or right, interest or property therein pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company, its successor or assigns, or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations or otherwise, without the consent of The City of New York, acting by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successor in authority, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents. This provision, however, shall not apply to the making of a mortgage, but shall apply to a sale under foreclosure.

Sixth—The grant of this privilege is subject to whatever right, title or interest the owners of abutting property or others may have in and to the streets, avenues and highways on the route heretofore described.

Seventh—The Company shall commence construction of the subway herein authorized within two months after the signing of this contract, and shall complete the construction of the same within five months from the same date, otherwise this grant shall cease and determine, and all sums paid or which may be deposited with the Comptroller of the City as hereinafter provided, shall thereupon be forfeited to the City; provided, however, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may in its discretion extend such time for a period not exceeding one year, but such extension shall not be made unless the reasons given by the grantee for non-fulfillment are in the opinion of the Board, for causes over which the grantee had no control and was in no wise responsible.

Eighth—The operation of electrical conduits, conductors and devices, is subject to such rules and regulations as the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall from time to time have adopted or may hereafter adopt, for the installation and operation of apparatus of this character in and through the streets of this City, and no work shall be done under its franchise until and unless the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall have issued a permit for its construction.

Ninth—All construction which shall be made under this grant shall be done in a manner solely upon the terms and conditions hereafter to be imposed by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, or their respective successors in authority. The said Company shall submit a working plan of construction to the said President and to the said Commissioner, which shall include and show in detail the method of construction of said subway, connections, splicing chambers or manholes and other appurtenances, and the mode of protection of all subsurface construction under the streets, avenues and highways described in the routes.

Tenth—The Company shall give notice to the President of the Borough of The Bronx and to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, in writing, of its intention to begin construction of the work hereby authorized, at least forty-eight hours before such construction commences. The Company shall also give notice to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in writing, of the date on which work is commenced and also the date on which the same is completed.

Eleventh—Any pavement disturbed during the construction or repair of said subway at any time during the term of the grant shall be restored to its original condition by the Company. The Company shall pave and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of the street in which said subway is constructed immediately adjacent to and for a distance of five feet in all directions around the cover or covers of each and every splicing chamber, under the supervision of the local authorities whenever the same become in a state of disrepair or whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe. And it shall not be necessary in the event that the portion of the surface of the street, avenue or highway which the said Company obligates itself to keep in repair shall not be repaired by the Company as hereinbefore provided, for the City to give any notice to the Company of such state of disrepair, but the City may make such repairs and charge the same to the Company which the said Company agrees to pay.

Twelfth—The Company shall, in the course of construction of the subway, maintain and care for all underground and overground structures in its route, or directly interfered with by its construction, and any necessary interference shall be subject to reasonable regulation by the department of the government of the City under control or charge thereof.

Thirteenth—Any alteration which may be required in the sewerage or drainage system of the City, or to any subsurface structures laid in the streets, avenues and highways along the route of the subway, on account of the construction or operation of the same, shall be made at the sole cost of the Company, and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

Fourteenth—Any alteration in the subway and its appurtenances which shall be made necessary shall, after due notice of the said alteration has been served upon the Company by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, be made at the sole cost of the Company, and in such manner as the City officials having authority and jurisdiction may prescribe.

Fifteenth—Should the City require for any public improvement the space occupied by the subway in the streets, avenues or highways for which permission is herein granted, the Company shall, at its own expense, alter the position of and rebuild said subway as directed by the proper City officials.

Sixteenth—All plans for the drainage of the subway and splicing chambers shall be submitted to and approved by the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Seventeenth—The said Company shall bear the expense of inspection, which may be required by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, of all the work of construction required, or removal of the said subway, which shall be done under this grant.

Eighteenth—Correct maps shall be furnished to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Comptroller, President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, by the Company, showing the exact location of the subway, the splicing chambers or other appurtenances constructed, with reference to the curb lines of the streets and the street surface, and the same shall be furnished to the said several departments or officials within sixty days after the completion of the work authorized by this grant.

Nineteenth—The grant of this privilege shall not affect in any way the right of The City of New York to grant a similar privilege upon the same or other terms and conditions to any other person or corporation.

Twentieth—The Company shall assume all liability by reason of the construction and operation of the subway, and the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property by reason of its construction.

As a condition of this grant the Company, its successor or assigns, hereby agrees to repay to the City any damages which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or defaults of the Company, its successor or assigns. Due notice of any such demand shall be given to the Company.

Twenty-first—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, this contract may be forfeited or avoided by The City of New York by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten days to the said Company.

Twenty-second—The subway hereby authorized shall be used only by the Company, and for no purpose other than transmission of electrical current in the operation, management and maintenance of its railroads owned or leased.

Twenty-third—If the said Company, its successors or assigns, shall fail to maintain its structures in good condition throughout the full term of its occupancy of such streets, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York may give written notice to the said Company specifying any default on the part of said Company, and requiring said Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time, and upon the failure of the Company to remedy said default within a reasonable time, said Company shall for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, pay to The City of New York a sum of fifty dollars (\$50) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the said City, in case such structures which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid, shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the said Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund heretofore provided.

Twenty-fourth—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company, within thirty days after the execution of this contract and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred thereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of The City of New York the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), either in money or in securities to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of the terms and conditions of this grant, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege and the penalties herein provided, and in case of default in the performance by said Company of such terms and conditions, The City of New York shall have the right, after due notice, to collect the same from the said fund without legal proceedings, or after default in the payment of the annual charges shall collect the same, with interest, from said fund after ten days' notice in writing to the said Company. In case of any drafts so made upon this security fund, the said Company shall, upon thirty days' notice in writing, pay to the Comptroller of The City of New York a sum of money sufficient to restore the said fund to the original amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), and in default thereof the grant hereby made may be canceled and annulled at the option of the Comptroller of The City of New York, acting on behalf of said City. No action or proceeding or rights under the provisions of this section shall affect other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to The City of New York.

Twenty-fifth—The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

In witness whereof, the party of the first part, by its Mayor, thereunto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed, and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed, and the party of the second part, by its officers, thereunto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

By _____ Mayor.

(Corporate Seal).

Attest:

City Clerk,
THE NEW YORK CENTRAL
AND HUDSON RIVER
RAILROAD COMPANY,

By _____

Attest:

President.

Secretary.

(Seal).

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates and charges, are as hereinbefore specified and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right; Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and the said form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to May 10, 1907, in the CITY RECORD and at least twice during the ten days immediately prior to May 10, 1907, in "The Sun" and "The New York Times," two daily newspapers designated by the Mayor therefor and published in The City of New York, at the expense of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolutions authorizing any such contract, will at a meeting of said

Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 10, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary.

New York, April 5, 1907.

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BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1907,

Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (2,500) TONS OF 1 1/2-INCH BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS OF TRAP-ROCK, STATEN ISLAND SYENITE, AT SUCH POINTS AND IN SUCH QUANTITIES, FROM TIME TO TIME, AS THE SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS MAY DIRECT, UPON THE ROADS WITHIN THE PORTION OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND KNOWN AS STONE DISTRICT No. 1.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is until October 1, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The contracts must be bid for separately, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said President. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Richmond Building, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL,
President.

The City of New York, April 20, 1907.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the above office, until 12 o'clock m., on

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1907,

Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR MATERIALS AND WORK OF THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION IN REINFORCED CONCRETE OF THE FOUNDATIONS, BUILDING, RUNWAY, CONNECTING FLUE AND CHIMNEY FOR A REFUSE DESTROYER AT WEST NEW BRIGHTON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bidders will be required to state in their bids or estimates one price or sum for the whole work herein contemplated under Item No. 1, and for such additional work as may be necessary under Items Nos. 2, 3 and 4, as follows:

Item No. 1. For the erection and completion of the foundations, building, runway, connecting flue and chimney of the West New Brighton refuse destructor, in accordance with the general plans, construction details, form of agreement and specifications, including all materials, supervision, labor, transportation, implements, tools, apparatus, machinery, power scaffolding, moulds, forms, work and necessary appliances of every description.

Item No. 2. For 10 cubic yards of additional concrete, furnished and placed in position, with all work, appliances and materials incidental thereto.

Item No. 3. For 5 tons of additional steel reinforcement, furnished and placed in position, with all work, appliances and materials incidental thereto.

Item No. 4. For 200 linear feet of additional reinforced concrete piling, furnished and placed, with all work, appliances and materials incidental thereto.

The time for the completion of the work, and the full performance of the contract is 120 days. The amount of security required will be not less than Fifty (50) per cent. of the total amount of the bid or estimate.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, plans and specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said President, or the plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

A deposit of ten dollars (\$10) as security for the return of the plans and specifications will be required.

Successful experience in the design and construction of reinforced concrete work is necessary.

The City of New York, April 4, 1907.

GEORGE CROMWELL,
President.

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BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

The Board of City Record meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.

PATRICK J. TRACY,
Supervisor, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907.

CONTRACT No. 1073.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 10,000 BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 180 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Seventy-five Hundred Dollars.

The bidder will state the price, per barrel, by which the bids will be tested.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

J. A. BENDEL, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 20, 1907.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907.

CONTRACT No. 1060.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING ABOUT 150,000 CUBIC YARDS ON THE EAST AND HARLEM RIVERS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND THE BRONX, AND IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before March 31, 1908.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price, per cubic yard, by which the bids will be tested.

Dredging will be required to be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

J. A. BENDEL, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 29, 1907.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 1061.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STATIONERY AND MISCELLANEOUS OFFICE SUPPLIES.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of sixty calendar days.

The amount of security required is:

Class 1—Secretary's office supplies and stationery \$1,200 00
Class 2—Engineer-in-Chief's office supplies and stationery 1,400 00
Class 3—Drafting supplies and stationery 1,100 00

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, gross, dozen, box or other unit of measure. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item (class) and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item (class).

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

J. A. BENDEL, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 22, 1907.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1907.

CONTRACT No. 1063.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING THE MUNICIPAL FERRYBOATS OR OTHER FLOATING PROPERTY OF THE DEPARTMENT, AND FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES THEREFOR.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 365 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Fifty Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price for each class contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of said Department.

J. A. BENDEL, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 19, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, March 31, 1904.

THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE amounts of bonds required on contracts awarded by this Department, as follows:

On all contracts for supplies, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is not over \$200,000, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$200,000, but not over \$1,000,000, 25 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 20 per cent. of the estimated cost.

JOSEPH W. SAVAGE, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1907.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LIMESTONE AND LIMESTONE SCREENINGS IN PARKS AND ON PARKWAYS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

The time allowed for the execution of the contract and the delivery of the material is during the year 1907.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

MOSES HERRMAN, President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY, President;

MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, Commissioners of Parks.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1907.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND SETTING UP COMPLETE ONE FLAGPOLE ON SHORE ROAD, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is within thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

MOSES HERRMAN, President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY, President;

MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, Commissioners of Parks.

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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The Sun," "The New York Times."

Evening—"The Globe," "The Evening Mail."

Weekly—"Democracy," "Real Estate Record and Guide."

German—"Staats-Zeitung."

Designated by the Board of City Record, January 22, 1906. Amended March 1, 1906, November 20, 1906, and February 20, 1907.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, FIFTH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1907.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS ON LAWRENCE STREET, FROM FLUSHING AVENUE TO WOLCOTT AVENUE, FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one hundred working days.

The amount of security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

22,000 cubic yards earth excavation.

1,600 cubic yards earth filling, furnished.

7,900 linear feet concrete curb.

38,500 square feet new flagstones.

2,200 square feet new bluestone bridging.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS ON HARRIS AVENUE, FROM JACKSON AVENUE TO HUNTER AVENUE, AND FROM THE CRESCENT TO VERNON AVENUE, FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one hundred and twenty working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

100 linear feet old bluestone curbstone, redressed, rejointed and reset.

700 cubic yards rock excavation.

1,900 cubic yards earth excavation.

20,500 cubic yards earth filling, furnished.

5,782 linear feet concrete curb.

25,500 square feet new flagstones.

5,516 square feet new bluestone bridging.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS ON HOYT AVENUE, FROM

THE BOULEVARD TO LAWRENCE STREET, AND FROM DEBEVOISE AVENUE TO FLUSHING AVENUE, FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one hundred and twenty working days.

The amount of security required will be Eighteen Thousand Dollars (\$18,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

25,000 cubic yards earth excavation.

6,800 linear feet concrete curb.

31,500 square feet new flagstones.

7,500 square feet new bluestone bridging.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH VITRIFIED FIRECLAY BRICK OR BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A SAND FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF GROVER STREET, SECOND WARD, FROM A POINT ABOUT 200 FEET NORTH OF ONDERDONK AVENUE TO WOODWARD AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be eighteen working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

917 square yards vitrified fireclay brick or block pavement.

No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN FOURTEENTH AVENUE, OR STEMLER STREET, FROM VANDEVENTER AVENUE TO GRAND AVENUE, FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for the constructing and completing sewer and appurtenances will be 30 working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

565 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer.

575 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer, for house connections.

4 manholes, complete.

20 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

1,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for foundation.

3,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 6. TO CONSTRUCT A TEMPORARY SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN FLUSHING AVENUE, FROM THE BROOKLYN BOROUGH LINE TO ATLANTIC STREET, IN THE SECOND WARD.

The time allowed for the constructing and completing the sewer and appurtenances will be 120 working days.

The amount of security required will be Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

3,450 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer.

21 manholes, complete.

25 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

20,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 7. TO CONSTRUCT A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN GRAHAM AVENUE, FROM VERNON AVENUE TO HANCOCK STREET, AND FROM THE BOULEVARD TO SHERMAN STREET, IN THE FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for the constructing and completing the sewer and appurtenances will be 60 working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

560 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer.

760 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer, for house connections.

6 manholes, complete.

50 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

40 cubic yards of concrete, in place.

2,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for foundation.

5,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 8. TO CONSTRUCT SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EIGHTH AVENUE (POMEROY STREET), FROM GRAND AVENUE TO VANDEVENTER AVENUE, IN THE FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for the constructing and completing the sewer and appurtenances will be 60 working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

575 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer.

760 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer, for house connections.

6 manholes, complete.

50 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

40 cubic yards of concrete, in place.

2,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for foundation.

5,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 9. TO CONSTRUCT A CATCH BASIN ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF UNION AVENUE AND SHELTON AVENUE, AT JAMAICA, FOURTH WARD.

The time allowed for the constructing and completing said catch basin and appurtenances will be 15 working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

30 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete culvert pipe.

1 receiving basin, complete.

5 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

1,000 feet (B. M.) timber for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 10. TO CONSTRUCT A CATCH BASIN ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SIXTH AVENUE AND GRAHAM AVENUE, AND ALSO ONE ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SIXTH AVENUE AND GRAHAM AVENUE, FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for the constructing and completing catch basin and appurtenances will be 20 working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

50 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete culvert pipe.

2 receiving basins, complete.

5 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

1,000 feet (B. M.) timber for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 11. TO CONSTRUCT A CATCH BASIN ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF GRAHAM AVENUE AND HAMILTON STREET IN THE FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for the constructing and completing of the catch basin and appurtenances will be fifteen working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

25 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt glazed or cement concrete culvert pipe.

1 receiving basin, complete.

5 cubic yards of rock excavated and removed.

500 feet (B. M.) timber for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND REPAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF BOULEVARD, FROM PARK AVENUE (END OF BRICK PAVEMENT) TO CARNAGA AVENUE, FIFTH WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity is as follows:

40,000 square yards of macadam pavement.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND REPAVING WITH VITRIFIED FIRE CLAY BRICK OR BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A RELAND MACADAM FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BOULEVARD, FROM REMSEN AVENUE TO EASTERN AVENUE, FIFTH WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,150 square yards of vitrified fire clay brick or block pavement.

4,150 square yards of macadam to be relaid as foundation.

4,600 linear feet of concrete curb, furnished and set.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BERGEN AVENUE, FROM FULTON STREET TO HILLSIDE AVENUE, FOURTH WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

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The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 5,400 square yards of vitrified fire-clay brick or block pavement.
- 5,400 square yards of macadem, to be relaid as foundation.
- 3,000 linear feet of concrete curb, furnished and set.

No. 22. TO CONSTRUCT A TEMPORARY SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN NINETEENTH STREET, FROM THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF SIXTH AVENUE TO A POINT ABOUT 250 FEET SOUTH THEREOF, AT COLLEGE POINT, THIRD WARD.

The time allowed for constructing and completing of the sewer and appurtenances will be 30 days.
The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 310 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer.
- 2 manholes, complete.
- 10 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.
- 1,000 feet (B. M.) timber for foundation.
- 2,000 feet (B. M.) timber for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 23. TO CONSTRUCT A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN THE BOULEVARD, FROM NOTT AVENUE TO BODINE STREET, IN THE FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for the constructing and completing the sewer and appurtenances will be 120 days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 540 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer.
- 285 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer.
- 50 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete culvert pipe.
- 1,100 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete pipe for house connections.
- 7 manholes, complete.
- 2 receiving basins, complete.
- 500 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

- 2,000 feet (B. M.) timber for foundation.
- 5,000 feet (B. M.) timber for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 24. TO CONSTRUCT A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN FREEMAN AVENUE, FROM JACKSON AVENUE TO ACADEMY STREET, IN THE FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the sewer and appurtenances will be 120 days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 1,230 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer.
- 4 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer.
- 4 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete pipe sewer.
- 80 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete culvert pipe.
- 1,560 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete pipe for house connections.
- 10 manholes, complete.
- 3 receiving basins, complete.
- 40 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

- 5,000 feet (B. M.) timber for foundation.
- 5,000 feet (B. M.) timber for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 25. TO CONSTRUCT THE NECESSARY RECEIVING BASIN ON THE WEST SIDE OF ACADEMY STREET, OPPOSITE SOUTH WASHINGTON PLACE, IN THE FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the receiving basin will be 15 working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 15 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed or cement concrete culvert pipe.
- 1 receiving basin, complete.
- 2,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot or other unit of measure by which the bids will be tested.

The extension must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from a total.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.
Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, April 24, 1907.

JOSEPH BERTEL,
President of the Borough of Queens.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS, No. 320 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF A PUBLIC hearing on the form of contract for that portion of the Brooklyn Loop Lines in the new extension of Delancey street, from Centre street to the Bowery (section 9-0-4), Borough of Manhattan, in this office, on Thursday, the 16th of May, at 3 p. m.

A. E. ORR,
President.

BION L. BURROWS,
Secretary.

Dated New York, April 26, 1907.

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BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS, No. 320 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF A public hearing on the form of contracts for the construction of parts of the proposed Brooklyn loop lines, as follows:

1. Centre street, Borough of Manhattan, between Pearl street and Park row.
2. Delancey street, Borough of Manhattan, between the Bowery and Norfolk street, in Room 401, No. 320 Broadway, on

THURSDAY, MAY 9, 1907,
at 3 o'clock p. m.

A. E. ORR,
President.

BION L. BURROWS,
Secretary.

Dated New York, April 19, 1907.

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INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS.

(CENTRE STREET, FROM CANAL TO BROOME.)

THE CITY OF NEW YORK (HEREIN after called the City) acting by its Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners (hereinafter called the Board) contemplates building a certain Rapid Transit Railroad, known as Route No. 9, in Centre street (Manhattan) and other streets in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, including ultimately Delancey street, Grand street, Desbrosses street, Canal street and William street, in Manhattan, and Fulton street, Lafayette avenue and Broadway, in Brooklyn.

By this advertisement the City invites proposals to construct that part of said railroad which is situated in Centre street, between Canal street and Broome street, in accordance with the detailed plans and specifications adopted therefor.

The general plan of construction calls for a sub-surface railroad. There will be four tracks in Centre street, and provisions for a spur turning west into Grand street.

A station between Hester and Grand streets will be constructed, and suitable cross-overs, turn-outs and sidings are also to be provided, all as shown in the detailed plans of construction. The tunnels are to have a height of not less than thirteen (13) feet in the clear, and a maximum width of fifteen (15) feet for each track, except at curves, etc., where the width may be increased. The roof of the tunnels is generally to be as near the surface of the street as street conditions and grades will permit, but will be depressed whenever necessary to avoid grade crossings. The roof and sides of the tunnels will be of iron or steel and masonry. Entrances to the station are intended to be placed within private property, rights in which will be acquired for the purpose.

The manner of construction shall be by excavation under cover, unless otherwise directed by the Board.

In the detailed plans for construction, provisions for pipe galleries through Centre street, from Canal street to Broome street, are included. Bids for the construction of the railroad must be accompanied by a separate bid for the construction of the pipe galleries above referred to, as it is essential for the City to separate the cost of the railroad from the cost of the pipe galleries. The Board reserves the right to accept a bid for construction of the railroad and at the same time to reject the accompanying bid for pipe galleries.

The price stated for railroad construction is to include the furnishing of all materials and the performance of all labor requisite to the complete construction of that part of the proposed railroad which is to be built under this contract, including all sewer and street construction and reconstruction and other work caused by or incidental to the construction of the same as set out in the proposed form of contract.

A fuller description of the work to be done is set forth, and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are stated in the printed form of contract now on file in the office of the Board, No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, and in the detailed drawings therein referred to, at which office copies of the contract and of the form of bond and contractor's proposal may be had on application. The contract drawings may be inspected at the same office. The printed form of contract and the detailed drawings are to be deemed a part of this invitation.

Partial payments to the contractor will be made monthly as the work proceeds, as provided in the form of contract.

The work of construction (including pipe galleries) is to be completed as soon as practicable, and within twenty months from the date of delivery of the contract.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE SAID OFFICE OF THE BOARD, AT NO. 320 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1907,

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON, AT WHICH TIME OR AT A LATER DATE TO BE FIXED BY THE BOARD THE PROPOSALS WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Board, copies of which may be obtained at the office of the Board.

Each proposal must be signed and acknowledged and also verified by an affidavit of the bidder (or if it be a corporation then by an officer thereof) to the effect that the several matters therein stated are in all respects true. If the proposal is made by a firm, it will be sufficient if the proposal is signed and acknowledged, and the affidavit sworn to, by one member of the firm.

Each proposal must specify an office within The City of New York at which notices may be delivered; and delivery of a notice at such office shall be deemed a sufficient delivery and notice to the bidder.

Each proposal or bid must contain the name and place of residence of the person or persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; and if the bidder shall be a corporation, there shall be submitted a certified copy of its certificate of incorporation, with a certificate of the amount of stock paid in in cash, and the names and business addresses of all officers and directors of the corporation shall be stated; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making a proposal or bid for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of department, chief of bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, or any member or employee of the Board, is interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

No proposal will be allowed to be withdrawn for any reason whatever after it shall have been deposited with the Board.

The Board is not obliged by law to accept any of the proposals received by it, but may reject all such proposals and readvertise, or may accept any of such proposals as will in the judgment of the Board best promote the public interest, and award a contract accordingly, subject to approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as required by law.

The award of the contract or contracts (if awarded) will be made by the Board within ten days after the opening of the proposals. The bidder or bidders whose proposal shall be accepted shall in person or by duly authorized representative attend at the said office of the Board within ten days after the delivery of a notice by the Board that the proposal is accepted, and that the contract is approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; and such bidder or bidders shall then deliver a contract in the form referred to, duly executed with its execution duly proved.

At the time of the delivery of a contract, the contractor will be required to furnish security to the City by giving a bond in the penalty of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. At the option of the successful bidder cash or ap-

proved securities may be deposited instead of giving a bond. If securities are deposited in place of a bond under this contract, they must be of the character of securities in which savings banks may invest their funds and must be approved by the Board. The contractor's bond must be in the form annexed to the form of contract.

In addition and as further security to the City, ten per cent. of each amount certified from time to time to be due to the contractor will be retained until the work is fully completed.

Each bidder must state in his proposal the names and places of business of the proposed sureties on the bond and describe any securities proposed to be deposited.

Bidders whose proposals are otherwise satisfactory to the Board may, in case the sureties or securities named by them are not approved by the Board, substitute in their proposals the names of new sureties or a different schedule of securities approved by the Board; but such substitution must be made within five days after notice of disapproval by the Board, unless this period is extended by the Board.

In case of failure or neglect to execute and deliver the contract or to make the required deposit or to execute and deliver the required bond, such bidder or bidders will, at the option of the Board, be deemed either to have made the contract or to have abandoned the contract. In the latter case the Board will give notice thereof to the defaulting bidder or bidders. And the Board may thereupon proceed to make another contract with such, if any, of the original bidders, as, in the opinion of the Board, it will be to the best interest of the City to contract with, or may by new advertisement invite further proposals. The defaulting bidder or bidders shall thereupon be liable to the City for all loss and damage by it sustained, including the excess, if any, of the amount it shall pay any other contractor over the amount of the bid of such defaulting bidder or bidders.

Every proposal must, when submitted, be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "Proposal for Constructing Rapid Transit Railroad—(Centre Street, from Canal to Broome)" and must be delivered to the Board or to its Secretary; and in the presence of the person offering the proposal it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. No proposal will be received or deposited unless accompanied by a certified check drawn upon a National or State bank or trust company within The City of New York and satisfactory to the Board, payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, for the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

If the Board shall give notice to any bidder that his or its proposal is accepted and the contract is approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and if the bidder shall fail within ten days thereafter or within such further period, if any, as may be prescribed by the Board, to execute and deliver the contract and to execute and deliver the bond with sureties, or make a deposit in cash or securities, then this invitation to contractors and proposal accepted as aforesaid shall be a contract binding the bidder to pay to the City the damages by it sustained by reason of such failure; and in such case the bidder hereby absolutely assigns to the City the ownership of the check accompanying his or its proposal as a payment on account of such damages.

Such check must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the proposal, but must be separately delivered to the Board or to its Secretary, who will give a proper voucher for the deposit.

All such deposits made by bidders whose proposals shall not be accepted by the Board will be returned to the person or persons making the same within five days after the contract shall be executed and delivered. The deposit of the successful bidder or bidders will be returned when the contract is executed and its provisions as to security are complied with.

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

By
A. E. ORR, President.
BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1907,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED TO REPAIR ROOF OF BARN AT THE NEW YORK CITY FARM COLONY, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Architect of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

ROBERT W. HEBBERD,
Commissioner.

Dated April 30, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1907,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A VERANDA, ETC., ON THE MALE DORMITORY, RANDALL'S ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Architect of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

ROBERT W. HEBBERD,
Commissioner.

Dated April 30, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 9.45 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1907,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO ERECT AND COMPLETE A FENCE AT THE KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, KINGSTON AVENUE AND FENIMORE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 100 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

THOMAS DARLINGTON, M. D., President;
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Board of Health.

Dated April 23, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

WATER RATES FOR 1907-8 WILL BE due and payable May 1, 1907.

If not paid before August 1, 1907, a penalty of five per cent. is added, and if not paid before November 1, 1907, an additional penalty of ten per cent. (a total of fifteen per cent.) will be added.

Bills for water rates may be obtained on and after May 1 on personal application.

For the convenience of taxpayers and to facilitate the business of the Department, it is requested that application be made by mail for such bills, at once.

Address Charles C. Wissel, Deputy Commissioner, Room No. 2, Hackett Building, Long Island City.

Bills will be issued on ward, volume, block and lot numbers only. Bills will not be issued on street numbers.

Applications for bills, or payments by mail, should be accompanied by addressed, stamped envelopes for return, to secure prompt attention.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Commissioner.
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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1907,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CORPORATION COCKS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety (90) calendar days.

The amount of the security shall be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

FOR UNLOADING, HAULING, STORING AND TRIMMING 4,800 TONS OF COAL, REQUIRED FOR VARIOUS PUMPING STATIONS, AS FOLLOWS:

Section II.—For Aqueduct, Ozonee, Morris Park, Baisley, Jameco, St. Albans and Springfield Pumping Stations, semi-bituminous coal.

The full period of the contract will be until July 30, 1907.

The amount of the security required will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and contracts awarded to the lowest bidders in the aggregate.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities and places as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at Room 25, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Commissioner.

Dated April 25, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1907,

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOPCOCKS, HYDRANTS, HYDRANT HEADS, WOODEN HYDRANT BOXES,

DRINKING TROUGHS AND CAST IRON HYDRANT FENDERS.

Delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract to be fully completed on or before two hundred and fifty calendar days.

The amount of security required will be fifty (50%) per centum of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder may state a price for one or all of the items of supplies called for in the bid or estimate, per ton, pound or other unit by which the bids or estimates will be tested. The bids or estimates will be compared and a contract awarded to the lowest bidder on each separate item of supplies specified and contained in the contract and specifications.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities and places as may be directed by the Engineer.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 1521.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Commissioner of Water Supply,
Gas and Electricity.

The City of New York, April 25, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, MAIN OFFICE NO. 19 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

PUBLIC NOTICE.**SALE OF UNREDEEMED INCUMBRANCES.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to section 545 of the Greater New York Charter, and under the authority of a final order issued on the 18th day of April, 1907, out of the Municipal Court of The City of New York for the Second Judicial District, Borough of Manhattan, by a Justice sitting therein, I will, on

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1907,

at 10.30 a. m., in Yard No. 2 of the Department of Street Cleaning, at West Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, sell trucks, carts, wagons, pushcarts, boxes, milk cans, beer kegs and other movable things.

MACDONOUGH CRAVEN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1907,

at 10.30 a. m., in Yard No. 1 of the Department of Street Cleaning, at Canal street and West street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, sell trucks, carts, wagons, pushcarts, milk cans, beer kegs and other movable things.

MACDONOUGH CRAVEN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE.**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.****SALE OF UNUSED PROPERTY.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,

at 10 a. m., at Stable "G," Pacific street, between 10th and 11th streets, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to section 541 of the Greater New York Charter, the following unused property of the Department of Street Cleaning will be sold at public auction:

- 75 horses, more or less.
- 3 colts, more or less.
- 30,000 pounds old iron, including 28 old steel cart bodies, more or less.
- 977 feet old garden hose, more or less.
- 26 pounds old bicycle rubber tires, more or less.
- 294 old pipe horse collars, more or less.
- 90 old cart saddles, more or less.
- 2,166 pounds old harness, consisting of breechings, bridles, halters, Boston backers, lines, belly bands, bridle fronts and Dutch collars, more or less.
- 278 old truck and cart harnesses, more or less.
- 7 sets old carriage harness, more or less.
- 1 set single wagon harness, more or less.
- 4,917 pounds old canvas truck, cart and quarter blankets, more or less.
- 882 pounds old woolen stable and street blankets, more or less.
- 14 old iron manure wheelbarrows, more or less.
- 60 pounds horse hair, manes and tails only, more or less.
- 10 old bicycles, more or less.
- 4 old hoisting blocks, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE.

The horses are to be paid for in full at the time of the sale and to be removed before 3 o'clock p. m. on the day of the sale; on the rest of the property a deposit of 75 per cent. of the purchase price will be required on the day of the sale. The articles sold are to be removed within ten (10) days, or in default thereof the said deposit shall be forfeited to The City of New York as liquidated damages.

WM. H. EDWARDS,
Deputy Acting Commissioner.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1907,

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 224 WHEELS, 400 HUBS AND 425 HUB-BANDS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before June 30, 1907.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, each, or other unit of measure by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

WM. H. EDWARDS,

Deputy and Acting Commissioner

of Street Cleaning.

Dated April 2, 1907.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES in the vicinity of New York Bay to fill in can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

MACDONOUGH CRAVEN,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.**FIRST DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST TWO HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Kingsbridge road to Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1907.

WALTER MULLER,
J. R. NUGENT,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and widening of CANAL STREET WEST (although not yet named by proper authority), between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and a point 251.77 feet southerly, as shown on the map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 23, 1905, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1907.

FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER,
FREDERICK L. HAHN,
MARTIN J. MOORE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to certain lands and premises required for an easement for a STORM RELIEF TUNNEL SEWER, from the Webster avenue sewer, near Wendover avenue, in the Millbrook watershed (Sewerage District No. 33) to the Harlem river, about 231 feet north of High Bridge, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of

all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of May, 1907, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of May, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 27th day of May, 1907.

Third—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the court on that day.

Fourth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of damage, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 25, 1907.

AUGUST MAERUS,

Chairman.

BYRON REILLY,

ALBERT ELTERICH,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

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FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the dock or wharf property known as PIER (OLD) NO. 53, near the foot of Jackson street, East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the waterfront of The City of New York, on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial Department, to be held in Part III, thereof, at the County Court House, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee in the name of, and for the benefit of, The City of New York, in the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, and determined upon by the Board of Docks on the 13th day of April, 1871, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 27th day of April, 1871, and which said plan is on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, of all the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges not now owned by The City of New York, and appurtenant to the dock or wharf property known as Pier (old) No. 53, near the foot of Jackson street, East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, said interest being an undivided half interest. Said pier is bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the present bulkhead, distant 71.62 feet southerly from the northerly line of South street, measured on a line drawn at right angles with the northerly line of South street through a point distant 31.01 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jackson street, measured along the northerly line of South street, and running thence easterly and along the inner or northerly end of Pier (old) No. 53, 39.33 feet to the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 53;

Thence southerly and along said easterly side of Pier (old) No. 53, 127.06 feet to an angle in said easterly side;

Thence deflecting to the left and running southerly along said easterly side of Pier (old) No. 53, 65.4 feet to an angle in said easterly side;

Thence deflecting to the left and running southerly still along said easterly side of Pier (old) No. 53, 27.27 feet to the outer or southerly end of said pier;

Thence westerly and along said outer end of Pier (old) No. 53, 39.76 feet to the westerly side of said pier;

Thence northerly and along the westerly side of said pier 30 feet to an angle in said westerly side;

Thence deflecting to the right and running northerly, still along the westerly side of said pier 148.5 feet to an angle in said westerly side;

Thence deflecting to the right and running northerly and still along said westerly side 39.85 feet to the point or place of beginning, the area of said Pier (old) No. 53 comprising about 8,657 square feet;

—together with all right, title and interest in and to said pier or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 30, 1907.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,

Corporation Counsel,

Hall of Records,

Borough of Manhattan,

New York City.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the widening of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Jerome avenue and Walton avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day; and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 1, 1907.

FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER,
EDWARD F. MALLAHAN,
WM. WALLACE,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SEAMAN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Academy street to Isham street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 22d day of May, 1907.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet south-easterly of the southeasterly line of Seaman avenue and a property line distant southwesterly one hundred and eighty (180) feet and six (6) inches, more or less, from a point formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Seaman avenue and the southwesterly line of Academy street, and measured along said southeasterly line of Seaman avenue, running thence northwesterly along said property line to its intersection with the southwesterly prolongation of a line midway between Prescott avenue and Seaman avenue; thence northwesterly along said southwesterly prolongation and line midway between Prescott avenue and Seaman avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet northwesterly of the northwesterly line of Seaman avenue; thence northwesterly along said parallel line and its northeasterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet northeasterly of the northeasterly line of Isham street; thence southeasterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southeasterly of the southeasterly line of Seaman avenue; thence southwesterly along said northeasterly prolongation and parallel line and its southwesterly prolongation, to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to any of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 26, 1907.

DENIS A. SPELLISY,

Chairman;

MICHAEL B. STANTON,

JOHN S. GEAGON,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,

Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands, lands, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York, on the North river, between TWENTIETH STREET AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET and the westerly side of ELEVENTH AVENUE and the Hudson river, pursuant to a plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Man-

hattan in The City of New York, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York,
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
a25,m6

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the dock or wharf property known as GOUVERNEUR SLIP, PIER EAST, formerly known as Pier (old) No. 52, East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier, or any portion thereof, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York
April 24, 1907.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
a25,m6

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to PIERS (OLD) Nos. 19 AND 20, EAST RIVER, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said piers, or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property on or near the southerly side of South street, in said borough and City, between the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 19 and the westerly side of Pier (old) No. 20, East river, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York, on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A supplemental bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 24, 1907.
THOMAS F. DONNELLY,
MEYER JACKSON,
MICHAEL T. DALY,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
a25,m6

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to PIERS (OLD) NOS. 16 AND 17, EAST RIVER, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said piers or any portion thereof, not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property on or near the southerly line of South street, in said borough and City, between the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 16 and the westerly side of Pier (old) No. 17, and between the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 17 and the westerly side of Pier (old) No. 18, East river, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York, on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section

999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.
Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 24, 1907.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
a25,m6

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to PIER (OLD) NO. 13, EAST RIVER, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier, or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property on or near the southerly line of South street, in said borough and City, between the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 12 and the westerly side of Pier (old) No. 13, and appurtenant to the westerly one-half part of the bulkhead, dock or wharf property between the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 13, and the westerly side of Pier (old) No. 14, East river, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York,
April 24, 1907.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
a25,m6

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FAIRVIEW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Eleventh avenue to Broadway, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate of assessment for benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate of assessment, together with our benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1907.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn at right angles to the easterly line of Broadway from a point midway of the block between Fairview avenue and West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Broadway; thence running northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of Hillside avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation of Hillside avenue to the corner formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Nagle avenue and the northerly line of Hillside avenue; thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of Nagle avenue to the corner formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Nagle avenue and the easterly line of Ellwood street; thence easterly on a straight line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the westerly line of St. Nicholas avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom from a point midway of the block between Nagle avenue and Fairview avenue; thence southeasterly along the last-mentioned right-angled line and its southeasterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of Fort George avenue; thence easterly along said line parallel to Fort George avenue and southeasterly and southerly along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly and easterly from the northeasterly and easterly line of Amsterdam avenue to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the northerly line of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street; thence westerly along said last-mentioned prolongation and northerly line of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Wadsworth avenue and Broadway; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street from a point in the easterly line of Broadway midway of the block between Fairview avenue and West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as

such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 19, 1907.

HAROLD SWAIN,
Chairman;
SAMUEL S. SLATER,
JOHN J. QUINLAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
a25,m13

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BARRY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Leggett avenue to Longwood avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York,
April 23, 1907.

T. CHANNON PRESS,
THOMAS KIERMAN,
SEYMOUR MORK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
a23,m3

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FOX STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Longwood avenue to Intervale avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 23, 1907.

HENRY LIPPS, JR.,
GEO. J. CLARKE,
GERALD J. BARRY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
a23,m3

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WHITE PLAINS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from the northern boundary of The City of New York to Morris Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 22, 1907.

CHAS. DONOHUE,
SAML. MCILLAN,
EDWIN W. FISKE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
a22,m2

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WHITE PLAINS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris Park

avenue to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 22, 1907.

HENRY LIPPS, JR.,
JACOB STAHL, JR.,
RODERICK J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
a22,m2

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Fort Washington avenue to Riverside drive, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 8th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of May, 1907, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage map, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 10th day of May, 1907.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Edgecombe road and the easterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-third street; running thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Fort Washington avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to Fort Washington avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence westerly along said parallel line and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with a line midway between the easterly property line of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad and Riverside drive; thence northerly along said line midway between the easterly property line of the railroad and Riverside drive, to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the easterly line of Fort Washington avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly line of Edgecombe road; to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our first partial and separate report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 13th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of damage, the notice of motion to confirm our first partial and separate report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 5, 1907.

EDWARD J. McGEAN,
Chairman;
JAMES M. TULLY,
WALTER LINDNER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of the approaches to the bridge over the Spuyten Duyvil and Fort Morris Railroad on the line

and title to and possession of certain uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property necessary to be taken for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between the

southerly line of Thirty-eighth street prolonged, the southerly boundary line of property recently acquired by The City of New York for a wholesale market, the westerly line of Second avenue and the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, pursuant to a certain plan heretofore adopted by the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the Second Judicial Department, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee, in the name of and for the benefit of The City of New York, to certain uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property, with the buildings and structures erected thereon, for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between the southerly line of Thirty-eighth street prolonged, the southerly boundary line of property recently acquired by The City of New York for a wholesale market, the westerly line of Second avenue and the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, in the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between Twenty-eighth street and Sixty-first street, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 31st day of May, 1906, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 20th day of June, 1906, and which said uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property are situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Thirty-eighth street where it intersects the westerly line of Second avenue, and running thence westerly and along the westerly prolongation of the southerly line of Thirty-eighth street two thousand four hundred and fifty-two (2,452) feet to the pierhead line established by the Secretary of War in 1890; thence northerly and along said pierhead line one hundred and forty-seven and fourteen one-hundredths (147.14) feet to the southerly boundary line of property recently acquired in the Eighth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in the vicinity of the foot of Thirty-seventh street, for the construction and establishment of a public wholesale market, said southerly boundary line being drawn parallel with and distant three hundred and seventy-five (375) feet northerly from the centre line of Thirty-ninth street; thence easterly and along said southerly boundary line two thousand four hundred and twenty-four and ninety-six one-hundredths feet (2,424.96) to the westerly line of Second avenue, and thence southerly and along said westerly line of Second avenue one hundred and forty-four and six hundred and forty-seventh one-thousandths (144.647) feet to the point or place of beginning.

—and which said property is shown on the plan above mentioned, adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 31st day of May, 1906, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 20th day of June, 1906, and which said plan is on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of certain uplands, filled in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property necessary to be taken for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between the centre line of TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET prolonged, the southerly line of THIRTY-SIXTH STREET prolonged, the westerly line of SECOND AVENUE, and the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, pursuant to a certain plan heretofore adopted by the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the Second Judicial Department, to be held for the hearing of motions at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee in the name of and for the benefit of The City of New York to certain uplands, filled in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property, with the buildings and structures erected thereon, for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between the centre line of Twenty-eighth street prolonged, the southerly line of Thirty-sixth street prolonged, the westerly line of Second avenue and the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, in the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between Twenty-eighth street and Sixty-first street, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 31st day of May, 1906, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund

on the 20th day of June, 1906, and which said uplands, filled in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property, are situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Second avenue, as laid down on the map of the State of New York to lay out streets, avenues and squares in the former City of Brooklyn, where the centre line of Twenty-eighth street intersects said westerly line of Second avenue, and running thence southerly and along the westerly line of said Second avenue to the southerly side of Thirty-sixth street; thence westerly and along the southerly line of Thirty-sixth street, and along the westerly prolongation of said southerly line to the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890; thence northerly and along said pierhead line until it intersects the westerly prolongation of the centre line of Twenty-eighth street, and thence easterly and along the westerly prolongation of and along the centre line of said Twenty-eighth street, to the point or place of beginning;

—and which said property is shown on the plan above mentioned, adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 31st day of May, 1906, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 20th day of June, 1906, and which said plan is on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETEENTH AVENUE, from West street to Sixtieth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, AS required by law, the final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter has been this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Hall of Records, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the same will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, May 2, 1907.
JAMES W. REDMOND,
WM. H. WHITE,
Commissioners.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York to acquire certain real estate upon PINE'S STREAM and EAST MEADOW STREAM in the Town of Hempstead, in the County of Nassau, for purposes of water supply.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE report of William H. E. Jay, William J. Youngs and William M. Copp, the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed herein, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Nassau on the 17th day of April, 1907, and that the said report will be presented for confirmation or such other action as may be proper, to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof for motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated April 17, 1907.
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn,
New York City.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF GARRETSON AVENUE and the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF CROMWELL AVENUE and the WESTERLY SIDE OF JEFFERSON STREET, in the Borough of Richmond, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, situated at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, Wednesday, May 1, 1907, file their objections, in writing, with us at our office, Room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, April 30, 1907.
WILLIAM ALLAIRE SHORTT,
THOMAS A. BRANIFF,
THOMAS GARRETT, JR.,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of AVENUE T, from Coney Island avenue to Ocean parkway, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of May, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 31st day of May, 1907.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Ocean parkway where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Avenue T and Avenue S; running thence easterly and along the centre line of the blocks between Avenue T and Avenue S to the westerly side of Coney Island avenue; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of Coney Island avenue to the centre line of the block between Avenue T and Avenue U; running thence westerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Avenue T and Avenue U to the easterly side of Ocean parkway; running thence northerly and along the easterly side of Ocean parkway to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of July, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 30, 1907.
PETER W. OSTRANDER,
Chairman;
HOWARD H. PLAISTED,
HARRY HOWARD DALE,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FORTY-FIRST STREET, from New Utrecht avenue to old City line, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of May, 1907, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 31st day of May, 1907.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the line dividing the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards where the centre line of the block between Forty-first street and Fortieth street intersects said line; running thence southeasterly and parallel with Forty-first street to the westerly side of New Utrecht avenue; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of New Utrecht avenue to its intersection with the northwesterly side of Tenth avenue; running thence southwesterly along the northwesterly side of Tenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Forty-first street and Forty-second street; running thence northwesterly and along the centre line of the blocks between Forty-first street and Forty-second street to the line dividing the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards; running thence northerly along the line dividing the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of July, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 30, 1907.

EUGENE V. BREWSTER,
Chairman;
CHARLES H. MOSES,
PHILIP L. FARRELL,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated at the SOUTHWESTERLY CORNER OF MACON STREET AND HOPKINSON AVENUE, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, duly selected as a site for a public library.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate with the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York at No. 277 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, April 27, 1907, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, No. 166 Montague street, Room 92, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 9th day of May, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, April 27, 1907.
THEODORE B. GATES,
FRANCIS A. MCLOSKEY,
BURT L. RICH,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening GRANT AVENUE, from Atlantic avenue to Liberty avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 16th day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 25th day of May, 1907.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning on the southerly side of Atlantic avenue, where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Grant avenue and Eldert's lane; running thence southerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Grant avenue and Eldert's lane to the northerly side of Liberty avenue; running thence westerly and along the northerly side of Liberty avenue to the centre line of the block between Sheridan avenue and Grant avenue; running thence northerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Sheridan avenue and Grant avenue to the southerly side of Atlantic avenue; running thence easterly and along the southerly side of Atlantic avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of July, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 25, 1907.
AUGUSTUS C. FISCHER,
Chairman;
JOHN H. DOUGLASS,
DANIEL G. CAMPION,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SIXTIETH STREET, between the bulkhead line and Third avenue, in the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to

one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 25, 1907.

M. E. FINNEGAN,
A. C. WHEELER,
CHARLES H. COTTON,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening FORTIETH STREET, from the former city line to New Utrecht avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 25, 1907.

S. T. MADDOX, JR.,
W. B. VARNAM,
WM. A. FORD,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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COUNTY OF KINGS.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the NORTHWESTERLY SIDE OF ARION PLACE AND THE SOUTHEASTERLY SIDE OF BELVIDERE STREET, one hundred feet south of Beaver street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Samuel T. Maddox, Jr., Lewis L. Fawcett and Edward D. Hennessy, Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceedings, have made and signed their final report herein and on April 22, 1907, filed the same in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and on the same day filed a duplicate of said report in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, in the Hall of Records, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in Kings County, on May 6, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, April 22, 1907.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,
Corporation Counsel.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to AVENUE L, from the easterly side of Nostrand avenue to the westerly side of Flatbush avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 26th day of September, 1904, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 30th day of September, 1904, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 23, Blocks 7630, 7631, 7632, 7633, 7634, 7635, 7636, 7637, 7648, 7649, 7650, 7651, 7652, 7653, 7654, 7655, 7810 and 7815, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said

owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place, as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 19, 1907.

JOSEPH P. CONWAY,
JOHN C. MCGROARTY,
JOS. F. CURREN,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from Sea View avenue to East New York avenue, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our amended and supplemental estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 7th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said amended and supplemental estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1907.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of East New York avenue where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between East Ninety-fourth street and East Ninety-fifth street; running thence southerly and along the centre line of the blocks between East Ninety-fourth street and East Ninety-fifth street to the northerly side of Sea View avenue; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Sea View avenue to the centre line of the block between East Ninety-third street and East Ninety-fourth street; running thence northerly and along the centre line of the blocks between East Ninety-third street and East Ninety-fourth street to the southerly side of East New York avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly side of East New York avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of July, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 17, 1907.

HERSEY EGGINTON,
F. H. KENNY,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of UNION AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Richmond terrace to the pier and bulkhead line, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment, in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 8th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 13th day of May, 1907.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Richmond terrace with

the northerly prolongation of the westerly line of Van Name avenue; running thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly line of Van Name avenue, to a point 150 feet northerly of the northerly line of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company; thence westerly at right angles to Van Name avenue to the westerly line of Van Pelt avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Van Pelt avenue to the lands of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company; thence westerly following the line of the said railroad to a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Bush avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line and said line prolonged to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of Richmond terrace; thence easterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have heretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 6, 1907.

FRANK H. INNES,
Chairman;
DAVID P. SCHWARTZ,
DAVID RABINOWITZ,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SUPREME COURT—THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT—ULSTER COUNTY.

ASHOKAN RESERVOIR.

SECTION No. 4.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended. Such application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in and for the Third Judicial District, at the Court House, in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, N. Y., on May 18, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and at least one of whom shall reside in the county where the real estate hereinafter described is situated, to act as Commissioners of Appraisal under said act and discharge all the duties conferred by the said law and the acts amendatory thereof, upon such Commissioners of Appraisal, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York.

The real estate to be acquired herein is situated in the Town of Olive, and is to be acquired in fee for the purpose of furnishing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water to The City of New York.

The following is a statement of the boundaries of the lands to be acquired herein, with a reference to the date and place of filing of the map.

All the parcels herein described are to be acquired in fee and are colored pink on the map hereinafter referred to:

All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster, and State of New York, shown on a map entitled "Reservoir Department, Section No. 4, Board of Water Supply of The City of New York. Map of real estate situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster, and State of New York, to be acquired by The City of New York under the provisions of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended, for the construction of Ashokan Reservoir, and appurtenances, in the vicinity of Olive City and Brodhead," which map was filed in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, at Kingston, New York, on the 4th day of March, 1907, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the junction of the centre lines of the Tongore and Samsonville roads, said point being the southeast corner of Parcel No. 145, and running thence along the centre line of the said Samsonville road and the southerly line of said Parcel No. 145 south 67 degrees 18 minutes west 195.4 feet to the southeast corner of Parcel No. 143; thence along the southerly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre line of Samsonville road, the following courses and distances: South 40 degrees 47 minutes west 55.7 feet, south 28 degrees 27 minutes west 409.8 feet, south 34 degrees 29 minutes west 55.3 feet, south 53 degrees 16 minutes west 32 feet, south 63 degrees 36 minutes west 290.1 feet and south 58 degrees 28 minutes west 97.7 feet; thence, still continuing along the southerly line of Parcel No. 143, north 3 degrees 44 minutes west 44.6 feet, north 80 degrees 26 minutes west 111.2 feet, south 59 degrees 2 minutes west 293.3 feet and south 28 degrees 26 minutes east 158.4 feet to the centre of the before-mentioned Samsonville road; thence along the same, and still continuing along the southerly line of said Parcel No. 143, south 53 degrees 5 minutes west 116.6 feet and south 71 degrees 30 minutes west 74.7 feet, to the northeast corner of Parcel No. 144; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 21 degrees 12 minutes east 72.3 feet to the southerly corner of said parcel; thence along the southerly line of said parcel, south 71 degrees 13 minutes west 160.8 feet, south 48 degrees 56 minutes west 100.9 feet, south 64 degrees 31 minutes west 80 feet, south 55 degrees 2 minutes west 102.3 feet, and north 77 degrees 47 minutes west 104.9 feet to a point in the southerly line of the before mentioned Parcel No. 143; thence along the said southerly line, south 55 degrees 3 minutes west 144.7 feet to a point in the easterly line of Parcel No. 142; thence

along the said easterly line, south 58 degrees 14 minutes west 47.3 feet, south 25 degrees 19 minutes west 49.6 feet, south 35 degrees 59 minutes west 24.8 feet, and south 11 degrees 36 minutes west 193.5 feet to a point in the easterly line of Parcel No. 140; thence along the said easterly line, south 39 degrees 4 minutes east 52 feet, south 22 degrees 39 minutes west 458.8 feet, and north 67 degrees 43 minutes west 52.2 feet, crossing Samsonville road; thence still continuing along the said easterly line and the southerly line of Parcel No. 140 the following courses and distances: South 72 degrees 17 minutes west 602.6 feet, south 24 degrees 45 minutes west 272.5 feet, south 45 degrees 21 minutes west 399.3 feet, south 56 degrees 36 minutes west 466.4 feet, south 20 degrees 30 minutes west 751.3 feet, and north 70 degrees 28 minutes west 30.9 feet to the westerly line of said parcel; thence along the same, north 44 degrees 6 minutes west 251.1 feet; thence on a curve of 633 feet radius to the right 760 feet, and north 24 degrees 44 minutes east 963.7 feet, partly along the westerly line of Parcel No. 140; thence still continuing along the westerly line of Parcel No. 140 on a curve of 1,367 feet radius to the left 479.3 feet; thence north 4 degrees 40 minutes east 4,019.6 feet, partly along the westerly line of said Parcel No. 140, and along the westerly line of Parcel No. 149 and partly along the westerly line of Parcel No. 156; thence still continuing along the westerly line of Parcel No. 156 on a curve of 467 feet radius to the left 59.9 feet to the most southerly point of parcel No. 170; thence along the westerly and southerly lines of said parcel the following curves, courses and distances: On a curve of 467 feet radius to the left 386.2 feet and north 50 degrees 05 minutes west 261.8 feet; thence on a curve of 667 feet radius to the left 453.2 feet and north 89 degrees 00 minutes west 29 feet; thence along the southerly lines of parcels Nos. 179 and 177, north 89 degrees 00 minutes west 981.4 feet; thence on a curve of 1,067 feet radius to the left 647.1 feet and south 56 degrees 15 minutes west 119.3 feet to the most southerly point of the before-mentioned parcel No. 177; thence still continuing along the southerly line of said parcel No. 177, north 36 degrees 01 minute west 73.8 feet, north 10 degrees 43 minutes west 34.4 feet, north 36 degrees 47 minutes west 410.3 feet, north 60 degrees 10 minutes west 182.1 feet, north 81 degrees 59 minutes west 143.3 feet and south 86 degrees 32 minutes west 477.5 feet to the most westerly point of said parcel; thence along the westerly line of same, north 20 degrees 26 minutes east 322.8 feet, north 16 degrees 17 minutes east 871.2 feet and north 28 degrees 56 minutes west 480.8 feet to the northwest corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same the following courses and distances: North 50 degrees 14 minutes east 76 feet, north 53 degrees 42 minutes east 262.4 feet, north 62 degrees 19 minutes east 103.6 feet, south 5 degrees 58 minutes east 166.7 feet, south 68 degrees 54 minutes east 872.3 feet, south 59 degrees 54 minutes east 129.6 feet and north 16 degrees 03 minutes east 553.4 feet to the south property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company; thence along the same, and still continuing along the northerly line of parcel No. 177, on a curve of 1,179 feet radius to the left 630.7 feet, and north 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 52 feet, to the northwest corner of parcel No. 180; thence along the northerly line of said parcel north 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 112.5 feet to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly lines of the before-mentioned parcel No. 177 and parcel No. 175, north 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 2,106.2 feet, crossing Esopus creek to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 174; thence along the northerly line of said parcel and still continuing along the south property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company the following courses and distances: North 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 68 feet; thence on a curve of 1,466 feet radius to the left 395.9 feet, south 45 degrees 10 minutes west 246 feet, south 45 degrees 53 minutes east 33 feet and north 45 degrees 10 minutes east 308.6 feet; thence on a curve of 1,466 feet radius to the left 139.9 feet, north 66 degrees 08 minutes east 92 feet, and on a curve of 1,009 feet radius to the right 22.5 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 173; thence along the northerly line of said parcel and still continuing along the south property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company, on a curve of 1,009 feet radius to the right 840.6 feet, south 64 degrees 54 minutes east 617 feet and on a curve of 1,113 feet radius to the right 156.7 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 171; thence along the northerly line of said Parcel No. 171, and still continuing along the before mentioned railroad property line, on a curve of 113 feet radius to the right 474.5 feet; thence on a curve of 1,400 feet radius to the right 214.4 feet; thence on a curve of 1,943 feet radius to the left 372.9 feet and south 34 degrees 35 minutes east 110.7 feet to the most northerly point of Parcel No. 166; thence along the easterly line of said parcel and the west property line of the before mentioned railroad south 34 degrees 35 minutes east 205.1 feet; thence on a curve of 1,670 feet radius to the left 1,138.1 feet and south 73 degrees 39 minutes east 380.3 feet to the most easterly point of the before mentioned Parcel No. 166; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 79 degrees 30 minutes west 344.1 feet and south 6 degrees 23 minutes west 650.4 feet to the southeast corner of said parcel; thence along the southerly line of said parcel the following courses and distances: North 52 degrees 39 minutes west 223.2 feet and north 88 degrees 31 minutes west 349.6 feet, crossing a road leading from Olive Bridge to Shokan; thence south 34 degrees 37 minutes west 281.3 feet, south 36 degrees 05 minutes west 521.1 feet, south 32 degrees 55 minutes west 152.6 feet, south 42 degrees 41 minutes west 164.6 feet, south 52 degrees 49 minutes west 334.9 feet, south 81 degrees 57 minutes west 158.4 feet and north 84 degrees 46 minutes west 108.7 feet to the centre of Esopus creek and the northeast corner of parcel No. 154; thence along the centre of said creek and the easterly line of said parcel, south 5 degrees 02 minutes west 202.9 feet and south 15 degrees 32 minutes east 223.5 feet to the northeast corner of parcel No. 143; thence along the easterly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre of said creek, south 15 degrees 32 minutes east 28.9 feet and south 37 degrees 56 minutes east 218.5 feet; thence south 51 degrees 48 minutes west 86.5 feet, to the westerly shore line of the before mentioned creek; thence along the same, and still continuing along the easterly line of parcel No. 143, south 37 degrees 19 minutes east 139.2 feet and south 27 degrees 08 minutes east 139.6 feet; thence south 66 degrees 14 minutes west 396.6 feet to the centre of Tongore road; thence along the same and the easterly lines of the before mentioned parcel No. 143 and parcel No. 146, south 47 degrees 58 minutes east 132.8 feet to the most northerly point of parcel No. 145; thence along the easterly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre of said road, south 43 degrees 31 minutes east 153.8 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The fee is to be acquired by The City of New York in all the real estate parcels Nos. 140 to 180, inclusive, contained in the above description.

Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid, in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken in fee, as above described.

In case any property above described is used for any public purpose, such as a highway, etc., such use shall continue until The City of New York shall have legal right to take possession of or change the same.

Dated March 30, 1907.

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New York City.
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THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT—ULSTER COUNTY.

ASHOKAN RESERVOIR.

SECTION No. 5.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended. Such application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in and for the Third Judicial District, at the Court House in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, N. Y., on May 18, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and at least one of whom shall reside in the county where the real estate hereinafter described is situated, to act as Commissioners of Appraisal under said act and discharge all the duties conferred by the said law and the acts amendatory thereof upon such Commissioners of Appraisal, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York.

The real estate to be acquired herein is situated in the Town of Olive, and is to be acquired in fee for the purpose of furnishing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water to The City of New York.

The following is a statement of the boundaries of the lands to be acquired herein, with a reference to the date and place of filing of the map:

All the parcels herein described are to be acquired in fee and are colored pink on the map hereinafter referred to.

All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster and State of New York, shown on a certain map entitled "Reservoir Department, Section No. 5, Board of Water Supply of The City of New York. Map of real estate, situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster and State of New York, to be acquired by The City of New York under the provisions of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended, for the construction of Ashokan Reservoir, and appurtenances, in the vicinity of Brown's Station, north of railroad," which map was filed in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, at Kingston, New York, on the 4th day of March, 1907, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the north property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company, where the same is intersected by the lines between the Towns of Hurley and Olive, which point is also the most easterly point of parcel No. 181, and running thence along the southerly line of said parcel and the northerly line of said railroad, south 52 degrees 28 minutes west 1,179.7 feet to the most easterly point of parcel No. 182; thence along the southerly line of said parcel and the northerly line of the before-mentioned railroad, south 52 degrees 28 minutes west 1,219.9 feet, and on a curve of 2,898 feet radius to the left 118.9 feet to a point in the southerly line of parcel No. 183 in the centre of Beaver Kill; thence along the said southerly line on a curve of 2,898 feet radius to the left, 24.1 feet, to the most easterly point of parcel No. 184; thence along the easterly lines of said parcel and parcels Nos. 183 and 185, on a curve of 2,898 feet radius to the left, 1,346.6 feet and south 22 degrees 59 minutes west 761.4 feet; thence on a curve of 1,877 feet radius to the right 1,025.5 feet; thence on a curve of 2,259 feet radius to the right 625 feet to the centre of a road leading from Stone Church to Olive; thence still continuing along the north property line of the before mentioned railroad and along the southerly line of parcel No. 194, on a curve of 2,259 feet radius to the right 361 feet, and on a curve of 5,697 feet radius to the right 894.9 feet; thence south 88 degrees 17 minutes west 208.6 feet to the centre of a road leading from Broadhead and Shokan to Stone Church; thence still continuing along the north property line of the before mentioned railroad and running along the southerly lines of parcels Nos. 198, 199, 200, 206, 205, 212, 213, 218, 219 and 221, the following curves, courses and distances: South 88 degrees 17 minutes west 1,291.7 feet, north 40 degrees 00 minutes east 97 feet, north 7 degrees 00 minutes west 95 feet, south 87 degrees 15 minutes west 342.1 feet, and south 12 degrees 15 minutes west 145.1 feet; thence on a curve of 1,877 feet radius to the right 259.4 feet and north 73 degrees 39 minutes west 2,779.6 feet; thence on a curve of 1,604 feet radius to the right 1,093.1 feet and north 34 degrees 35 minutes west 315.8 feet; thence on a curve of 1,877 feet radius to the right 360.1 feet; thence on a curve of 1,466 feet radius to the left 224.7 feet; thence on a curve of 1,179 feet radius to the left 668.9 feet and north 64 degrees 54 minutes west 617 feet; thence on a curve of 1,075 feet radius to the left 919.4 feet and south 66 degrees 08 minutes west 92 feet; thence on a curve of 1,400 feet radius to the right 75 feet; thence north 4 degrees 34 minutes east 17.6 feet, north 18 degrees 35 minutes east 112.2 feet, north 70 degrees 51 minutes west 16.5 feet, south 18 degrees 35 minutes west 112.7 feet and south 4 degrees 34 minutes west 40.2 feet; thence on a curve of 1,400 feet radius to the right 469.1 feet, and south 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds west 2,118.4 feet, crossing Esopus creek, to the west side of a road leading from Olive City to West Shokan; thence along the same and the westerly line of parcel No. 221, north 36 degrees 00 minutes west 262.3 feet to the north-west corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same, north 85 degrees 16 minutes east 528.3 feet, crossing Esopus creek, to the easterly shore line of same; thence along the said shore line and the westerly line of Parcel No. 220, north 42 degrees 58 minutes west 188.1 feet; north 16 degrees 38 minutes west 241.1 feet and north

6 degrees 7 minutes east 309.7 feet to a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 220; thence along the said westerly line north 86 degrees 29 minutes east 376.6 feet and north 3 degrees 25 minutes east 813.8 feet to the north-west corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same, north 84 degrees 49 minutes east 135.2 feet, north 86 degrees 55 minutes east 909.9 feet and north 60 degrees 1 minute east 42.8 feet to the centre of a road leading from Shokan to Browns Station; thence along the centre of said road south 22 degrees 53 minutes east 33.4 feet; thence along the centre of a road leading to Olive, and still continuing along the northerly line of the before-mentioned Parcel No. 220, the following courses and distances: North 81 degrees 17 minutes east 71.9 feet, north 86 degrees 24 minutes east 342.2 feet, north 85 degrees 39 minutes east 280.4 feet, north 68 degrees 30 minutes east 202.9 feet, south 74 degrees 37 minutes east 164.4 feet and north 69 degrees 49 minutes east 144.7 feet to the north-west corner of Parcel No. 217; thence along the northerly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre line of the before-mentioned road north 69 degrees 50 minutes east 108 feet, north 73 degrees 15 minutes east 681.7 feet and north 79 degrees 5 minutes east 438 feet to the north-west corner of Parcel No. 216; thence along the northerly line of said parcel north 79 degrees 5 minutes east 20.1 feet to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 15 degrees 57 minutes east 500 feet and north 78 degrees 3 minutes east 817.9 feet to a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 213; thence along the said westerly line north 21 degrees 19 minutes west 518.8 feet to the north-west corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same north 80 degrees 3 minutes east 716.2 feet to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence along the easterly line of same south 7 degrees 19 minutes east 423.2 feet to the north-west corner of Parcel No. 215; thence along the northerly line of said parcel north 60 degrees 34 minutes east 1,136.2 feet to the most westerly point of Parcel No. 203; thence along the northerly line of said parcel the following courses and distances: North 66 degrees 30 minutes east 395.2 feet, north 42 degrees west 207.3 feet, north 74 degrees 19 minutes east 1,825.1 feet, south 53 degrees 25 minutes east 380.5 feet, south 50 degrees 55 minutes east 1,241.4 feet, south 40 degrees 39 minutes west 122.7 feet, south 46 degrees 21 minutes east 103 feet, north 53 degrees 56 minutes east 142.6 feet and south 52 degrees 39 minutes east 506.8 feet to a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 183; thence along the said westerly line north 40 degrees 16 minutes east 3,209.5 feet to the most northerly point of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same south 52 degrees 41 minutes east 3,050.6 feet; partly along the line between the Towns of Hurley and Olive, to the centre of Beaver Kill, and the most northerly point of Parcel No. 181; thence along the northerly line of said parcel south 53 degrees 18 minutes east 416.2 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The fee is to be acquired by The City of New York in all the real estate Parcels Nos. 181 to 222, inclusive, contained in the above description.

Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid, in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken in fee, as above described.

In case any property above described is used for any public purpose, such as a highway, etc., such use shall continue until The City of New York shall have legal right to take possession of or change the same.

Dated March 30, 1907.

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SUPREME COURT—NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

HILL VIEW RESERVOIR.

Section Number 1.

Notice of Application for the Appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended. Such application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Court House in the Village of White Plains, Westchester County, N. Y., on Saturday, May 4, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York and at least one of whom shall reside in the county where the real estate hereinafter described is situated, to act as Commissioners of Appraisal under said act and discharge all the duties conferred by the said law and the acts amendatory thereof, upon such Commissioners of Appraisal, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected is situated in the City of Yonkers, in the County of Westchester and State of New York.

The following is a brief description of the real estate sought to be taken, a reference to the date and place of filing of the map:

All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate situated in the City of Yonkers, County of Westchester and State of New York, shown on a map entitled "Southern Aqueduct Department, Section No. 1, Board of Water Supply of The City of New York. Map of real estate, situated in the City of Yonkers, County of Westchester and State of New York, to be acquired by The City of New York under the provisions of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended, for the construction of Hill View Reservoir, and appurtenances, north of McLean avenue, between Central Park avenue and Kimball avenue," which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, on the 18th day of February, 1907, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of Parcel No. 1, in the easterly line of Central Park avenue, and running thence along the westerly line of said parcel and the easterly line of said parcel north 40 degrees 27 minutes east 228.1 feet to the southwest corner of Parcel No. 2 and the westerly line of Jerome avenue; thence along the westerly line of said parcel north 40 degrees

27 minutes east 10 feet; thence on a curve of 1,005 feet radius to the left 37 feet to the easterly line of Jerome avenue and the most westerly point of Parcel No. 3; thence still continuing along the easterly line of Central Park avenue and the westerly lines of Parcels Nos. 3 and 5, on a curve of 1,005 feet radius to the left, 384 feet, and north 16 degrees 27 minutes east 647 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 5; thence along the northerly line of said parcel south 44 degrees 41 minutes east 1,501.7 feet, north 45 degrees 19 minutes east 25 feet and south 44 degrees 41 minutes east 175 feet to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence along the easterly line of same south 45 degrees 19 minutes west 100 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 8; thence along the northerly line of said parcel south 44 degrees 41 minutes east 9.8 feet to a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 34; thence along the said westerly line north 45 degrees 19 minutes east 275 feet to the centre of Richmond avenue; thence along the same and the south line of Parcel No. 54 north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 9.8 feet to the westerly line of said Parcel No. 54; thence along the same and the westerly line of Parcel No. 56 north 45 degrees 19 minutes east 313.7 feet to the north-west corner of Parcel No. 56 and the southerly line of Coutant avenue; thence along the southerly line of said avenue and the northerly lines of Parcels Nos. 56, 54, 55, 54 and 52 south 44 degrees 41 minutes east 1,230 feet to the southwest corner of the before mentioned Coutant avenue and Kimball avenue; thence along the westerly line of Kimball avenue and the westerly lines of Parcels Nos. 52, 49, 48, 23, 22 and 4, crossing Richmond and Ware avenues, the following courses and distances: South 45 degrees 19 minutes west 126.2 feet, south 38 degrees 28 minutes west 125.9 feet, south 22 degrees 50 minutes west 54.1 feet, south 25 degrees 26 minutes west 122.3 feet, south 42 degrees 16 minutes west 310.3 feet, south 24 degrees 12 minutes west 60.1 feet, south 20 degrees 44 minutes west 400.6 feet, south 17 degrees 59 minutes west 386.1 feet and south 18 degrees 33 minutes west 139.8 feet to the southeast corner of Parcel No. 4; thence along the southerly line of said parcel the following courses and distances: North 71 degrees 27 minutes west 460 feet, north 31 degrees 38 minutes west 2,034 feet and south 76 degrees 41 minutes west 268.2 feet to the southeast corner of Parcel No. 3; thence along the southerly line of said parcel south 79 degrees 41 minutes west 65.6 feet to the southeast corner of Parcel No. 2 in the easterly line of Jerome avenue; thence crossing the said avenue, and running along the southerly lines of said Parcel No. 2 and Parcel No. 1 north 49 degrees 33 minutes west 407.9 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The fee is to be acquired by The City of New York in all the real estate, Parcels Nos. 1 to 56, inclusive, contained in the above description.

Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken in fee, as above described.

Dated March 11, 1907.
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Beginning at the most westerly point of Parcel No. 95 in the easterly line of Central Park avenue and running thence along the easterly line of said avenue and the easterly lines of Parcels Nos. 95, 94, 96, 97, 98, 115 and 119, crossing Shipman avenue and Halsted avenue produced, the following courses and distances: North 16 degrees 27 minutes east 116.5 feet; thence on a curve of 1,383 feet radius to the right 694 feet; thence north 45 degrees 12 minutes east 1,328.1 feet to the most northerly point of Parcel No. 119; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 22 degrees 09 minutes west 191.3 feet; thence on a curve of 550 feet radius to the left 438.6 feet and south 28 degrees 32 minutes east 138.3 feet to the northerly line of Parcel No. 118; thence along the northerly and easterly lines of said parcel south 48 degrees 36 minutes east 275.9 feet, south 41 degrees 24 minutes west 129 feet and south 23 degrees 32 minutes east 482 feet to the easterly line of Parcel No. 117; thence along the same south 40 degrees 26 minutes east 498.9 feet and south 49 degrees 06 minutes west 100.5 feet to the southeast corner of Parcel No. 116 in the easterly line of Halsted avenue;

thence along the southerly line of said parcel south 49 degrees 06 minutes west 50 feet to the westerly line of said avenue and the easterly line of Parcel No. 112; thence along the same south 40 degrees 54 minutes east 360.1 feet, crossing Linsly avenue to the southwest corner of Halsted and Linsly avenues, and running thence south 45 degrees 16 minutes west 100.2 feet to the northeast corner of Parcel No. 78; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 40 degrees 54 minutes east 501.1 feet to the northerly line of Varian avenue; thence along the same and the northerly line of Parcel No. 78 south 45 degrees 16 minutes west 102.2 feet to the northeast corner of Varian and Shipman avenues; thence south 45 degrees 16 minutes west 50.1 feet, crossing said Shipman avenue, and running along the northerly line of Parcel No. 79 and partly along the northerly line of Parcel No. 77 to the northwest corner of Shipman and Varian avenues; thence along the westerly line of Shipman avenue and the easterly lines of Parcels Nos. 76, 75, 74, 73, 72, 71 and 70, and crossing Varian avenue south 40 degrees 54 minutes east 663.5 feet to the north-west corner of Shipman and Kimball avenues; thence along the northerly line of said Kimball avenue and the southerly lines of Parcels Nos. 70, 69 and 68 south 67 degrees 46 minutes west 105.6 feet, south 76 degrees 29 minutes west 119.1 feet and south 56 degrees 38 minutes west 76.5 feet to the northwest corner of Coutant and Kimball avenues; thence along the westerly line of Coutant avenue and the westerly line of Parcel No. 57 north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 1,230 feet, crossing Varian and Linsly avenues, to a point in the southerly line of Parcel No. 95; thence along the same south 45 degrees 19 minutes west 313.7 feet to the centre of Richmond avenue; thence along the same south 44 degrees 41 minutes east 9.8 feet; thence still continuing along the southerly line of Parcel No. 95 south 45 degrees 19 minutes west 275 feet to the easterly line of Ware avenue; thence along the same north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 9.8 feet; thence north 45 degrees 19 minutes east 100 feet to the westerly line of Parcel No. 95; thence along the same north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 175 feet, south 45 degrees 19 minutes west 25 feet and north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 1,501.7 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The fee is to be acquired by The City of New York in all the real estate, Parcels Nos. 57 to 119, inclusive, contained in the above description.

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PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.