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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, June 14, 1904, 1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

In the absence of the President, the Vice-Chairman took the chair.

Aldermen

Timothy P. Sullivan, Vice-Chairman;	Frank Gass, Andrew M. Gillen, Elias Goodman, Max S. Grifenhagen, Henry F. Grimm, Ferdinand Haenlein, John J. Haggerty, Leopold W. Harburger, Philip Harnischfeger, Patrick Higgins, William T. James, Samuel H. Jones, Patrick S. Keeley, Francis P. Kenney, J. Richard Kevin, Ardolph L. Kline, Herman Koch, Martin W. Lochner, Frederick Lundy, John T. McCall, John E. McCarthy, Patrick H. Malone, Isaac Marks, James Cowden Meyers,	William E. Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Hammond Odell, James Owens, Pierce N. Poole, James W. Redmond, Frederick Richter, Beverley R. Robinson, John A. Schappert, Joseph Schloss, Cornelius A. Shea, Daniel E. Sickles, Michael Stapleton, Peter J. Stumpf, Frank D. Sturges, Moritz Tolk, John J. Twomey, Franklin B. Ware, Moses J. Wafer, William Wentz, John Wirth,
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George Cromwell, President Borough of Richmond.

Joseph Cassidy, President Borough of Queens.

Louis F. Haffen, President Borough of The Bronx.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of June 7, 1904. On motion of Alderman Richter, further reading was dispensed with, and the minutes were approved as printed.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 735.

Micrometer Lodge, No. 460, I. A. of M.,
Toolmakers, Diemakers and Diesinkers, No. 127 Park Row,
New York, June 9, 1904.

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

Gentlemen—At a regular meeting of Micrometer Lodge, No. 460, New York City International Association of Machinists, it was voted unanimously to communicate to your Honorable Body the expression of our earnest desire to have the pending bill of the Hack and Cab Drivers' Association, No. 332, of Greater New York, considered favorably by your Board when the said bill comes up for final action.

The membership of our union residing in the various Assembly Districts of Greater New York see in this particular instance an opportunity to ascertain the senti-

ment of their Alderman towards organized labor, and realizing as they do the unfairness—not to mention the unlawfulness—of permitting any individual, or set of individuals, or company, corporation, etc., to obtain an exclusive monopoly of the streets or any part of the streets of New York City, thereby denying citizens—in this instance members of the Hack and Cab Drivers' Association—their constitutional right of equality of opportunity to obtain a livelihood, hope that in view of these circumstances an attitude will prevail among the members of your Body consistent with the fundamental principles of democracy, thereby establishing precedent for the future that will be duly appreciated by labor organizations who are fast realizing the vital necessity of paying the closest attention to the record and principles of men whom they advocate politically.

Thanking your Honorable Body in advance for favorable action in the matter, we remain

Very respectfully,

MICROMETER LODGE, No. 460, I. A. of M.

Thos. H. Shore, President.

A. J. Brunell, Recording Secretary.

No. 736.

Electric Lodge, No. 313,
International Association of Machinists,
New York, June 13, 1904.

Board of Aldermen, New York City, N. Y.:

Sirs—We understand that a bill has been presented for your consideration and action restricting the location of cab and hack stands to the regular allotted public stands and forbidding the renting by hotels and other enterprises to individuals of the sole right to stand before their property in the public highway. We feel that the public at large object to this blocking of the highways by hacks and cabs, with no benefit resulting therefrom, and that it is only fair to the hack and cab owners generally that none be given a special and unwarranted privilege.

Electric Lodge, No. 313, I. A. of M., hopes, therefore, that the Board will give this matter careful consideration and will decide democratically.

Yours truly,

GEORGE M. MARR, Secretary.

No. 877 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.

No. 737.

Office of the Central Federated Union,
University Settlement Building, 184 Eldridge Street, Cor. Rivington Street,
New York, June 9, 1904.

To the Hon. DOWLING, Alderman, New York:

Dear Sir—I am instructed to request you to favor the adoption of the following ordinance, a hearing on which was had on Friday, June 3, 1904:

"Ordinance.

"Section 1. No hack or carriage kept for hire shall be allowed to stand upon any street in waiting for employment except upon the designated public hack stands in the City; and any owner or driver of any hack or carriage kept for hire which shall stand waiting for employment, or shall seek or solicit passengers while standing waiting for employment upon any street other than the designated public hack stands in said City shall be liable to a fine of ten dollars.

"Sec. 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed."

Very truly,

ERNEST BOLME, Corresponding Secretary.

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

No. 738.

Joseph H. Adams, Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law,
No. 32 Nassau Street,
New York, June 10, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall,
New York:

My Dear Sir—I have the honor to resign herewith by appointment as Commissioner of Deeds for The City of New York, to take effect immediately. I remain,

Very truly yours,

J. H. ADAMS.

Which resignation was accepted and the paper placed on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Police Department:

No. 739.

Police Department of The City of New York,
No. 300 Mulberry Street,
New York, June 8, 1904.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Sirs—The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner McAdoo:

Whereas, The interests of the Police Department absolutely require the erection of a new station-house, prison and stable for the purposes of the Nineteenth Precinct; and

Whereas, It appears after exhaustive search that it is impossible to secure for The City of New York a building for temporary quarters for the Police Force of that Precinct, during the erection of a station-house, prison and stable, if the same should be erected upon the present site, viz.: No. 137 West Thirtieth street and adjoining premises owned by the City, No. 135 West Thirtieth street,

Therefore, I, William McAdoo, Police Commissioner of the Police Department of The City of New York, do hereby select the land and premises known as Nos. 141 to 147 West Twenty-eighth street, in The City of New York, as a site for a station-house, prison and stable for the Nineteenth Precinct; and it is

Ordered, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and are hereby respectfully requested to adopt a resolution approving the selection of premises Nos. 141 to 147 West Twenty-eighth street as a site for a station-house, prison and stable for the Nineteenth Police Precinct, and that they be respectfully requested to authorize the acquisition of said premises for such purpose by condemnation proceedings.

Ordered, That for the purpose of submitting these proceedings to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment two similar surveys, maps or plans of such land and premises be prepared, one of which shall be filed in the office of the Police Department, and one in the office of the County Clerk, and that a copy of such map be submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment with these proceedings.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the First Signal Corps:

No. 740.

First Company Signal Corps, N. G., N. Y.,
No. 930 Seventh avenue, New York City,
August 1, 1904

Form "A."

Salary Schedule.

Armories and Drill Rooms.

"Salaries—General Administration"—

Allowed for 1904 (366 days)..... \$3,660 00

Estimate for 1905..... 4,015 00

Increase..... \$355 00

Employees Chargeable to Above Appropriation.

Salary Paid July 1, 1904—	
1 Armorer	\$1,464 00
1 Janitor	1,464 00
1 Laborer	732 00
3 Total	\$3,660 00
Proposed Salary for 1905—	
1 Armorer	\$1,460 00
1 Janitor	1,460 00
1 Laborer	1,095 00
3 Total	\$4,015 00
Increase	\$365 00

By a recent act of the Legislature the compensation of Laborers in armories was increased from \$2 to \$3 per day.

O. ERLANDSEN,

Captain, Signal Corps, National Guard, N. Y., Commanding First Company.
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator:

No. 741.

BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, }
NEW YORK, May 31, 1904. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Pursuant to chapter 230, section 30 of the Laws of 1898, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM M. HOES,
Public Administrator of the County of New York.

A Transcript of Such of His Accounts as Have Been Closed or Finally Settled Since the Date of His Last Report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount Paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions Paid into the City Treasury.	Amount Paid to Legatees or Next of Kin.	Amount Paid into City Treasury for Unknown Next of Kin.
Mitrie A. Pickett	Apr. 20, 1904	\$313 47	\$288 30	\$15 67	\$1 50	.....
Michael Buttner	Mar. 19, 1904	2,111 87	107 73	105 19	1,818 55	.....
Joseph Bickert .....	.....	455 50	215 56	22 78	217 25	.....
John G. Patrick .....	.....	110 88	105 34	5 54	.....	.....
Isabella S. Anderson	May 9, 1904	1,146 74	12 60	57 34	1,076 60	.....
Margaret Condon	May 9, 1904	219 70	77 63	10 59	131 11	.....
Jeannie E. Kimbrell .....	.....	2 56	.....	.....	1 96	.....
Thomas L. Mackay .....	.....	14 61	9 85	1 00	3 76	.....
Adolph Forker	May 11, 1904	283 00	17 20	14 15	251 65	.....
Michael Kelly .....	.....	284 40	270 18	14 22	.....	.....
John M. Stroebel .....	.....	252 81	118 30	.....	134 51	.....
Martha L. Washington	May 10, 1904	295 73	284 88	14 79	172 31	.....
Mary Gilmartin	May 19, 1904	481 58	167 66	18 39	169 75	.....
Patrick Curry	May 19, 1904	315 80	77 80	10 00	102 12	.....
John D. O'Brien .....	.....	189 92	.....	.....	.....	.....
Annie Chaub .....	.....	102 12	.....	.....	.....	.....
Estate received from Board of Health, February 26, 1904, Mary Moore and others, as per list attached	Feb. 26, 1904	9 36	.....	47	.....	8 89
Estate received from Commissioner of Charities, February 4, 1904, Lizzie G. Rankin and others, as per list attached	Feb. 4, 1904	65 11	.....	3 26	.....	61 85
Estate received from Bellevue Hospital, February 4, 1904, Vincent Privitera and others, as per list attached	Feb. 4, 1904	83 88	.....	4 19	.....	79 69
Estate received from Coroners, February 16, 1904, Ed. Sandolm and others, as per list attached	Feb. 16, 1904	92 00	.....	4 60	.....	87 40
Estate received from Commissioner of Correction, February 1, 1904, A. Rolb and others, as per list attached	Feb. 1, 1904	14 78	.....	74	.....	14 04
Peter Rocks .....	.....	82 10	27 60	4 11	50 39	.....
Total .....	.....	\$6,968 01	\$1,782 60	\$332 22	\$4,499 20	\$353 99

A Statement of the Title of Any Estate on Which Any Money Has Been Received Since the Date of the Last Report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.	NAME OF DECEASED.	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.
Otto Miller	\$4 00	Thomas D. Mackay	\$14 61
Michael A. Buckley	85 10	Conrad Kanenstein	23 48
Catherine Fargati	1 50	Mary Hammond	4 27
Alois D. Schirch	4,520 26	William L. Lville	133 66
Adolph Bergmann	25 00	Frederick Echarte	4,334 23
Adam Strickler	20 75	Wilhelm Schroeder	10 00
John Buttner	116 09	Julius Laber	1,224 98
Estate received from Board of Health, Mary Moore and others, as per list attached	9 36	Frances Murray	25 00
Albert Gotschenberg	130 48	John C. McKenzie	32 00
Appoline Weibel	2,451 96	Catherine Laughlin	782 00
Max Sieben	405 61	John Burns	51 00
Sophia Gunther	252 34	Agnes Tilghman	162 00
Eliza Morrow	318 62	Otto Miller	16 63
Peter Rocks	82 10	James Dempsey	30 00
Agnes McCauley	1,146 58	John O'Connor	15
Minnie Otto	319 98	Domingo Bolivar	467 65
Simon Troller	674 03	Luigi Petich	231 31
Peter Rima	1,448 33	Mary A. E. Carter	1,275 93
James Strobel	252 81	Margaret McDonald	107 94
Isidor Geist	643 01	William Hollweg	680 07
Everett Benthuyzen	110 00	Carl Schulz	401 32
Domingo Bolivar	138 65	John Baptiste	722 73
Amalia Picot	2 00	John G. Block	759 55
Elizabeth Billiland	759 40	Alexander J. Jordan	169 92
James Finerty	58 00	John Moll	258 81
Catherine Moore	18 75	Gabriel Salerno	101 00
Charles D. Crawford	8 27	Maggie McCoy	52
Emily R. D'Elpeux	1 70	Annie McCormick	164 12
Estate received from Bellevue Hospital, Johnston McCready and others, as per list attached	128 16	Denis J. Byrne	405 40
Delia Cushman	10 59	Cham Lieb Greenberg	1,002 00
Fannie Siegel	29 06	Vincenzo Salerno	200 00
Robert Paracca	43 09	Andor Isaksen	197 66
Richard A. E. Gobler	218 54	Anton Lind	103 02
Luigi Petich	268 89	Amalia Picot	76 00
Justus Heilbronn	14,151 08	Henry Siessen	12 45
Henry Aichens	18 28	Estate received from House of Relief, Patrick Coffey and others	85 45
Mary J. Cowen	35 67	Interest received from banks on average amount of deposits	482 07
			\$43,657 07

Cash Received from Commissioners of Charities February 4, 1904.

Name.	Amount.	Name.	Amount.
Lizzie G. Rankin	\$0 17	Maggie Lahey	\$1 52
Michael Diskan	5 00	George Clark	54
Frank De Hooghe	7 02	Moses Karnere	56
Morris Leebowitz, less expenses 10 cents	5 03	Augustus Kessler	45
August Gerard	01	Michael Mitchell	3 00
Gallie Held	50	Otto Grafstrom	28
David Schweiter	1 75	Samuel Lenahan	4 00
Jane Brown	1 00	Charles B. Mins	1 00
Saverio Conterucci	15	Michael Keeney	1 27
Michael Fogarty	65	Cornelius Sullivan	43
James Medevay	1 00	Maggie Corcoran	15 00
Philip McGuire	4 00	Lizzie Buskey	25
Peter Langer	1 00	Henry Lang	35
Tim Lynch	60	Patrick Flynn	3 00
Francis Hayden	25	Caroline Alexander	1 00
Philip Murray	2 52	Weisel Bieli	80
Joseph Griffin	71	Total	\$65 11
Gisvani Pira	30		

Cash Received from Bellevue Hospital February 4, 1904.

Name.	Amount.	Name.	Amount.
Vincent Privitera	\$0 27	Henry Clay	\$0 69
Joseph Hart	10	Patrick Nichols	65
Margaret O'Donnell	18	Thomas Davidson	30
John Finlay	10	Alice Lehmann	2 35
James Conroy	05	John Conway	79
Henry Ulymann	25	Bridget Brandy	36
William Wilson	35	Orwin Weinberger	05
Susie Bushler	05	James Varbach	50
Unknown man	30	Lawrence Balcar	1 64
Mary Devina	16	Peter J. Carney	20
Patrick O'Hara	08	Blaney Newton	35
Rose Neglepal	30	Conrad Klingeler	01
Neva Lyons	07	Washington Box	70
John Conroy	06	Joseph Seiarre	57
Henry Zabernick	1 52	Joseph Pascale	41
Jane Synington	80	James Lennon	25
Rudolph Balkus	2 01	John Sullivan	1 22
Margaret Heindmarsh	02	Katherine O'Reilly	1 00
Annie Cramer	15	Anna Kustin	1 00
Henry Gladran	20	Annie Garvey	79
Rose Duffy	10	Edward Cavanagh	10 60
John Masterton	80	Frank Smith	12
Dominick Martano	1 00	James Johnson	1 01
Francis Banman	50	James Barrett	25
Matilda Wilson	72	Caspar Stages	1 00
Caroline Saghiatree	1 00	Sarah Cotton	50
Garrette Steward	24	Hyppopite Laffervy	05
Robert Meldt	81	John Hemmingway	25
Thomas Bake	2 00	Kate McGrath	87
Kate Reilly	13	Unknown man, August 20, 1903, less 20 cents	80
Jesse Kip	10	Hugh Graham	11
Philip Franz	2 00	William Forbes	1 81
John Jordan	12	Peter McGuire	10
Fritz Stahr	45	Vincenzo Douci	4 00
James Brumond	10	Michael Riccardella	10
Thompson E. Buch	3 00	Philomore Humphrey	20
Peter Mullins	2 00	Miguel Pa Jains	60
Francis Nedisdona	1 56	Mrs. Thompson	50
Margaret Todd	50	Patrick O'Connell	25
T. Vanelli	39	William Rapelli	3 93
Roger Reyley	15 10	Charles Moore	50
Adam Jeffries	1 15	James Banks	09
John Byson	03	Regina Gluck	05
Patrick Mellert	12	Strowan Kestelick	10
Fred Deistler	35	Total	\$83 88
Jacob Fisher	1 00		
Annie Meehan	30		
John Dreis	55		

Cash Received from Coroner's Office February 16, 1904.

Name.	Amount.	Name.	Amount.
Ed. Sandolm	\$22 11	Charles Greenwood	\$0 18
John Smith	25 00	Michael McDonald	02
James Brady and wife	8 00	Bernard McGee	55
Unknown man, No. 508 West Fifty-third street, less expenses 70 cents	5 05	Unknown man, No. 4 Delancey street	29
David Davis	90	Minnie Mahoney	36
Antoine Useline	2 95	Jacob Vetterlee	01
Victor Banner	2 50	Unknown man, J. Hood Wright Hospital	15
Louis Lehms	10	John McNulty	1 00
Unknown man, Central Park and Sixty-fifth street	02	James Tausey	15
John Davis	1 20	Susie Mackswell	85
Henry Johnson	1 41	John Kelly	3 45
Michael Hennessy	1 00	Christ Beuchart	1 10
Unknown man, No. 174 West Fourth street	06	Unknown man, One Hundred and Fourteenth street and East river	68
Louis Brendson	21	Arthur Smith	1 41
John Quinn	10	Unknown man, Pier "A," North river	1 24
Unknown man, No. 41 Bowery	1 30	Unknown man, No. 209 West Nineteenth street	70
Joseph Medlock	25	Nellie Rosine, less expenses 20 cents	1 80
Benjamin Brown	2 00	Unknown woman, No. 158 East Twenty-third street, St. Blaise Hotel	26
James McDermott	1 15	Adolph Cohen	05
Unknown woman, No. 222 Monroe street	20	Unknown	10
Unknown man, foot of West Fifty-fourth street	06	A. Drucker, cash 3 cents; sale of Canadian money 75 cents	78
Unknown man, Pier 13, North river	25	James McGuinness	1 00
Unknown man, skeleton, No. 75 New street	05	Total	\$92 00

Cash Received from Commissioner of Correction February 1, 1904.

Name.	Amount.	Name.	Amount.
A. Robb	\$4 00	Kate Keyes	\$0 43
William Smith	1 73	Kate Callahan	28
Patrick None	2 58	Annie O'Connor	13
Eugene F. Clark	10	John Cunningham	47
J. J. Manning	4 94	Total	\$14 78
Maria Phillips	12		

Cash Received from Department of Health, Riverside Hospital, February 26, 1904.

Name.	Amount.	Name.	Amount.
Mary Moore	\$7 91	Andrew B. Hunt	\$0 52
Frances Mahler	93	Total	\$9 36

Cash Received from Bellevue Hospital April 22, 1904.

Name.	Amount.	Name.	Amount.
Johnston McCready	\$12 00	Tommy Muskma	\$0 92
John Bressington	1 00	Julius Zimmer	50
Ellen Sullivan	15	Edward Hoffmann	70
Emil Nicholas	04	Daniel McGraw	35
Albert Schookm	85	Mary Daily	50
John O'Connor	05	Adolph Mack	15
Larry O'Toole	6 85	Frank Benhardt	10
Charles Lanigan	14	John Collolly	80
Michael Murphy	1 10	John Curley	15
Michael Downing	1 14	Thomas Walsh	25
Andrea Barbera	4 42	Natalie Payalli	80
Hugo Loeba	2 00	David Woods	14
Charles E. Jonas	2 05	George Weintraud	25
John Smith	60	Maria Moore	2 43
George Jones	10	William Cappel	01
Leonard Fernandez	30	Joseph Feldman	04
Frank Morton	1 00	Thomas Healy	2 00
Henry Rogers	94	Ernest Bessinger	5 69
John O'Hanlon	20	James Ganon	20
Annie Carroll	1 12	James Jackson	25
Charles Palario	1 52	George Gardner	3 00
Elizabeth Dorsey	46	William Moore	31
Mary Corrigan	75	James Gorman	15
William Campbell	02	William G. Metzger	05
William Sheppard	15	James Flynn	81
Gerardo Berelagna	3 00	Dominico Stigo	19
Mary Kennedy	07	John Spear	25
Pearl Bregor	05	Adam Seonsky	1 36
Leonard Alpts	15	William Tierney	10
Jacob Friday	30	John Olevy	30
William Black	05	Henry Banner	30
Charles Feller	33	John Hanser	15
Patrick Phalen	75	Unknown woman, Bellevue Hospital,	
Thomas McIntyre	10	February 17, 1904	74
Marshall Kender	2 65	Henry Flander	32
Louis Nelson	1 00	Henry Corrigan	32
Edward Fitzgerald	36	Emil Wehrle	34
John Blake	57	Thomas Jackson	05
John Burk	1 50	Peter Nelson	55
Edward Brown	65	Dennis Moriarty	58
William Saunders	17	John O'Brien	1 23
John Donlon	10	Amelia Hope	55
Bridget Kelly	45	William Watson	23
Michael Domm	1 51	Ernest Schumaker	37
George Hill	7 00	Alfred Ericson	5 25
Joseph White	5 00	John Clark	1 49
Joseph Greene	30	Henry Davis	80
James Hogan	1 50	William Wilson	07
Batham Goor	10	Edward Connors	5 55
John Foukner	11 20	Otto Hansen	1 00
Edward Cullen	49	George Becker	1 00
Solomon Solomon	50	Unknown man, Bellevue Hospital,	
Moses Webskye	2 00	February 6, 1904	14
Hans Brocks	60	Thomas Healy	3 00
George Cook	10		
Guisepec Donofero	10	Total	\$128 16

Cash Received from the House of Relief May 16, 1904.

Name.	Amount.	Name.	Amount.
Patrick Coffee	\$0 10	William Hallweg	\$11 22
Frederick Ketchaw	41	William Margraf	3 04
Michael Welsh	10	John Anderson, \$20.60 less 40 cents.	20 20
Raphael Dalitto	87	Angelo Guadagno	10
John Kayes	10	John McGlove	5 00
Margaret Byers	3 00	John O'Brien	1 12
Michael Ciavarelli	09	Ambros Juba	2 37
Thomas Lachane	62	Thomas Patterson	1 17
William Welsh	20	James Hade	20
Joseph Donohue	62	Frederick A. Martin	68
Samuel Miller	80	Charles Schindler	17
Isaac Dreyfuss	20	Ernest Vogel	1 03
Daniel Mahr	15	Frank Rousseau	2 11
James McAuley	03	John Reade	01
Martin Hansoman	06	Albert Galinsky	3 67
Aniello Scalo	23	Edward Jenny	50
John Murphy	15	Charles Baumbusch	50
John H. Hill	28	Abraham Warmby	16
Michael Murphy	11	Ye Quong Wah	5 16
John Williams	40	Harry Murphy	20
Andrew Hallenden	1 94	Jaspar Meyer	5 00
Walter Peck	64	Henry Market	16
Terrence Fitzpatrick	10	John Tvory	20
Michael Connors	1 65	Victor Barry	10
Charles Davis	02	John Waggott	7 00
Silvester Biagi	80		
Harry Steers	50	Total	\$85 45

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Police Department, transmitting resolution.

No. 742.

Police Department of The City of New York,
No. 300 Mulberry Street,
New York, June 9, 1904.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner McAdoo:

Whereas, The Board of Aldermen, at a meeting held May 31, 1904, adopted the following:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 276 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, and upon the recommendation of the Mayor and the Police Commissioner, made in accordance therewith, the Inspectors of Police in the Police Department of The City of New York are hereby increased in number from 15 to 16 (approved by the Mayor June 7, 1904); and

Whereas, It appears that the liability of the Police Department in the amount of appropriation for the year 1904, viz.: "Salaries Police Fund—Police Commissioners and Police Force," is such in amount that the Police Commissioner could not pay the compensation of an additional Inspector of Police without exceeding the appropriation made to the Police Department for said account; therefore

Ordered, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds for the payment of one additional Inspector of Police in the Police Department of The City of New York from June 1, 1904, viz.: seven months at the rate of thirty-five hundred dollars per annum, amounting to two thousand and forty-one dollars and sixty-two cents.

Very respectfully,
WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

In connection therewith, Alderman McCall offered the following:

Resolved, That upon the request of the Police Commissioner, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of two thousand and forty-one dollars and sixty-two cents (\$2,041.62), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the salary of one additional Inspector of Police in the Police Department of The City of New York, from June 1, 1904, being salary for seven months at the rate of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) per annum.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-President laid before the Board the following communication from the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Commissioner:

No. 743.

Office of the Commissioner Representing The City of New York to the
Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, Missouri,
Room No. 192, No. 280 Broadway,
New York, June 9, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—Inclosed herewith find resolution to be presented to the Honorable Board of Aldermen providing additional funds for the purposes of this Commission.

In relation thereto, I would respectfully state that the presentation of this request is made absolutely necessary by reason of the fact that many items of expense have been incurred which could not be foreseen by this Commission, and further because several departments which have contributed in a very great measure to the undoubted success of the exhibit now being made by this City have incurred additional liabilities in perfecting their exhibits, which this Commission will be obliged to assume. Besides meeting these additional obligations, it will be necessary for this Commission to provide for the future maintenance and care of the building erected by this City and the exhibits installed therein, and also to make provision for the packing and reshipment of the exhibits, many of which would prove to be added attractions if permanently installed in some of our local institutions.

I take the liberty, therefore, to ask you to give to the matter of the adoption of the said resolution your favorable consideration, that I may be enabled to liquidate outstanding indebtedness and to perfect my plans to have this City fittingly represented during the continuance of the Exposition.

Thanking your Honorable Board for the many courtesies shown to me in the past, I remain

Yours very truly,

THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner.

Whereas, The sum of twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500) will be required in addition to the amount heretofore authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the purpose of carrying out the plans for a suitable exhibit by The City of New York at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue additional Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500) to be applied to the perfection of the plans for the exhibit of The City of New York at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, Missouri.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

No. 744.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—The City of New York,
June 11, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held this day fixing the terms and conditions of the proposed consent on the part of The City of New York to the Harlem Transfer Company to lay tracks in Railroad avenue, East, Borough of The Bronx, together with a copy of a map referred to in said resolution.

This action was taken pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on April 19, 1904, and approved by the Mayor April 21, 1904.

Respectfully,

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Proposed Terms and Conditions Granting the Consent of The City of New York to The Harlem Transfer Company to Lay Tracks in Railroad Avenue, East, Borough of The Bronx.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment having received from the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to a resolution of such Board adopted April 19, 1904, and approved by the Mayor April 21, 1904, a proposed consent of the Corporation of The City of New York to the use of Railroad avenue, East, between the bulkhead-line of the Harlem river and East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street in the Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating thereon a double railroad track by the Harlem Transfer Company, does hereby, pursuant to the Greater New York Charter, fix the terms and conditions of the proposed consent, and the money value of such privilege or rights proposed, as follows:

I.—Said consent shall be for a period of time coterminous with the lease now held by said Harlem Transfer Company of the bulkhead at the foot of Railroad avenue and the extensions or renewals of said lease, not exceeding twenty-five years from the granting of said consent, said consent being revocable at the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

II.—The Harlem Transfer Company, its successor or assigns, shall pay into the treasury of The City of New York the following sums of money:

During the first five years the annual sum of.....	\$1,320 00
During the second five years the annual sum of.....	1,390 00
During the third five years the annual sum of.....	1,455 00
During the fourth five years the annual sum of.....	1,530 00
During the fifth five years the annual sum of.....	1,600 00

—after which the permission, unless sooner revoked, shall expire by limitation.

III.—The resolution granting such consent or right should be in substance, as to the terms and conditions of such consent, in the words and figures following:

Resolved, That the consent of the corporation of The City of New York be and the same is hereby given to the Harlem Transfer Company, a corporation, to lay, maintain and operate two (2) railroad tracks along Railroad avenue, East, beginning at the bulkhead-line of the Harlem river, and extending northerly along said avenue to a point south of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, as shown and indicated upon the map marked "The Harlem Transfer Company, Map showing proposed tracks in Railroad avenue, Borough of The Bronx, New York City. Proposed tracks shown in red. Scale 1 inch, 20 feet. Dated May 6, 1904, made by Edward D. B. Brown, Engineer, and signed Harlem Transfer Company, per J. C. Watson, General Manager," copy of which is annexed hereto, and which is made a part hereof, upon the following terms and conditions:

First—Said consent shall be for a period of time coterminous with the lease now held by the said Harlem Transfer Company of the bulkhead at the foot of Railroad avenue, and the extensions or renewals of said lease, not exceeding twenty-five years from the granting of said consent.

Second—The Harlem Transfer Company, its successor or assigns, shall pay into the Treasury of The City of New York, the following sums of money:

During the first five years the annual sum of.....	\$1,320 00
During the second five years the annual sum of.....	1,390 00
During the third five years the annual sum of.....	1,455 00
During the fourth five years the annual sum of.....	1,530 00
During the fifth five years the annual sum of.....	1,600 00

—after which the permission, unless sooner revoked, shall expire by limitation.

Such sums shall be paid into the Treasury of The City of New York on November 1 in each year, provided, however, that the first payment shall be only that proportion of \$1,320 as the time between the approval of this consent and November 1 following, shall bear to the whole of one year.

Third—Upon the revocation or termination by limitation of this consent, the said company shall forthwith remove the plant and property, with its appurtenances, from the street, and the surface of the street shall be restored to a condition equal to that of the surrounding surface or pavement. In default of the performance of this condition by the said company, its successor or assigns, the proper local authorities may cause such tracks, property and plant to be removed from the street aforesaid, and the surface thereof to be restored in the manner above described, at the expense of the said company, its successor or assigns, and such expense shall be recovered by The City of New York by action or otherwise.

Fourth—The consent hereby given 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 acts of the Harlem Transfer 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.

Fifth—The said railroad tracks may be used and operated by locomotive steam power or by any other motive power which may be approved by the Board of Railroad Commissioners in accordance with the provisions of the Railroad Law, excepting overhead electrical power; provided, however, that the locomotive steam engines used shall be housed or boxed so as to conform to the type commonly known as the dummy engine.

The number of cars to be included in any train operated upon the railroad tracks shall be limited to ten, and the speed of the engine and cars shall never exceed six miles per hour.

Sixth—The railroad tracks constructed under this consent shall be maintained and operated solely for the purpose of the transportation of goods, wares and merchandise and for no other purpose, and especially for no purpose in connection with the passenger traffic as commonly understood.

Seventh—Such railroad tracks shall be constructed, maintained and operated in the latest improved manner of street railroad construction and operation, and solely upon the terms and according to the lines and surveys and of the character of the rails and other parts of the construction approved by the President of the Borough of The Bronx. Such railroad tracks of the said company, its successor or assigns, shall be maintained in good and safe condition throughout the terms of this consent.

Eighth—Such railroad tracks shall be constructed, maintained and operated subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of The City of New York who have jurisdiction in such matters under the Charter of The City of New York.

Ninth—The Harlem Transfer Company, its successor or assigns, shall at the time of the laying of the tracks hereby authorized to be laid, pave with granite blocks or other material, as required by the proper City authorities, upon a good and sufficient foundation, a roadway of a width of twenty-four (24) feet in the centre of Railroad avenue, East, extending from the bulkhead platform to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street under the supervision of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, and shall pay the cost thereof.

Tenth—The said company, its successor or assigns, shall keep in permanent repair the pavement of the roadway required to be laid by it, under the supervision of the proper local authorities, and whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe.

Eleventh—The said company, its successor or assigns, shall at all times keep the street between the tracks free and clear from ice and snow.

Twelfth—Said company shall be liable for all damages to persons or property and to the street and the sewer therein by reason of the construction or operation of said railroad tracks, and it is a condition of this consent that The City of New York assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this consent.

Thirteenth—This consent is 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 relating to surface railroads operating in The City of New York shall be strictly complied with.

Fourteenth—The said company, its successor or assigns, shall commence the construction of the railroad tracks under this consent and complete the same within one year from the date when it has obtained the necessary permits and resolutions of the City officials and departments and on or before June 1, 1905; otherwise this consent shall be forfeited forthwith and without any proceedings either at law or otherwise for that purpose; provided, however, that such time may be extended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for a period not exceeding six months.

Fifteenth—This consent is upon the express condition that the said company, within thirty days after it has been duly authorized to construct, maintain and operate its railroad tracks hereunder 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 five hundred dollars (\$500), either in money or in securities, to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance of the terms and conditions of this consent, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charge for the consent, the repairs of the street pavement and the removal of snow and ice and the quality or construction of the railroad tracks. In case default in the performance by said company of such terms and conditions, The City of New York 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 such fund after ten days' notice in writing to the said company.

In case of any drafts so made upon the 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 five hundred dollars (\$500), and in default thereof the consent hereby given may be cancelled 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 any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to The City of New York.

Sixteenth—This consent shall not become operative until said company shall duly execute, under its corporate seal, an instrument in writing wherein said company shall promise, covenant and agree on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms and conditions and requirements in this consent fixed and contained, and file the same in the office of the Comptroller of The City of New York within thirty days after the signing of this resolution by the Mayor.

Seventeenth—The compensation herein reserved shall commence from the date of the approval of this resolution by the Mayor.

Eighteenth—The consent hereby granted is revocable at the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

A true copy of resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held June 10, 1904.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

No. 745.

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
June 13, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 1, 1904, fixing the compensation to be paid to The City of New York by the New York Butchers Dressed Meat Company, for the privilege of laying and maintaining a 16-inch cast-iron suction pipe in West Thirty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, for the purpose of conducting salt water from the Hudson river.

Yours very truly,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That the compensation to be paid to The City of New York by the New York Butchers Dressed Meat Company for the privilege of laying and maintaining a sixteen-inch cast-iron suction pipe in West Thirty-ninth street, from a point on the north side of said street about two hundred and fourteen (214) feet west of Eleventh avenue to the westerly line of Twelfth avenue, a distance of about six hundred and eighty-six (686) feet, in the Borough of Manhattan, the said pipe to be used for the purpose of conducting salt water from the Hudson river, shall be ten hundred and thirteen dollars and fifty cents (\$1,013.50) per annum, to be paid to the Department of Finance, and a fee of two hundred and fifty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$253.37) for opening the street, to be paid to the President of the Borough of Manhattan; compensation to commence from the date of the adoption of this resolution

and to continue until such time as the said New York Butchers Dressed Meat Company be granted permission to remove the said pipe and the pavement has been relaid to the satisfaction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan; the opening of the street and the relaying of the pavement to be done at the expense of the said New York Butchers Dressed Meat Company, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and subject to such conditions as he shall prescribe; provided also that the said New York Butchers Dressed Meat Company shall give a satisfactory bond for the faithful performance of all the conditions prescribed by the said President of the Borough of Manhattan and by resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted May 17, 1904, and approved by the Mayor May 24, 1904, said bond to be approved by the Comptroller and filed in his office.

A true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1904.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

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

No. 746.

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
June 13, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1904, amending resolution adopted May 6, 1904, in relation to the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$250,000, for the erection of buildings and additions thereto under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Public Charities.

Yours very truly,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held May 6, 1904, in relation to the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) for the erection of buildings and additions thereto, under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Public Charities, be amended to read as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), to provide means for the erection of new buildings and additions, improving and permanently bettering and equipping existing buildings, under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Public Charities, 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 two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

A true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1904.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

No. 747.

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
June 13, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1904, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$40,000 for the purpose of improving Battery Park, in the Borough of Manhattan, by providing for the improvement, permanent betterment and equipment of the Aquarium Building in said Park, together with copy of a communication from the Engineer of the Department of Finance relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) to provide means for the purpose of improving Battery Park, in the Borough of Manhattan, by providing for the improvement, permanent betterment and equipment of the Aquarium Building in said park.

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 June 10, 1904, 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 by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), for the purpose of improving Battery Park, in the Borough of Manhattan, by providing for the improvement, permanent betterment and equipment of the Aquarium Building in said Park, as set forth in the estimate of the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, of the amounts of bonds to be issued during the year 1904; said amount to be expended upon plans and specifications approved by the New York Zoological Society and by said Commissioner; 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 forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

May 26, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

Sir—In relation to application dated April 6, 1904, of Hon. John J. Pallas, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for an appropriation of \$40,000, for alterations and repairs to the Aquarium, Battery Park.

I would report that the work proposed to be done and the estimate of each as furnished by the architects is as follows:

1. Tunneling	\$16,500 00
2. Tiling of flooring	2,000 00
3. New steam and heating plant	11,500 00
4. New foundations under pools	5,000 00
5. New supply and drainage pipes to pools	2,500 00
Architect's fees and contingencies	2,500 00

Total \$40,000 00

The work in detail consists:

Item 1, Tunneling—It is proposed to construct a tunnel 5 feet wide by 4 feet deep to run from the boiler room around the interior of the Aquarium with connecting tunnels to pool, etc. In this tunnel will be placed all the water and steam-pipes. Manholes will be placed at convenient localities to allow easy access to the tunnel in case of needed repairs to any of the pipes.

Item 2, Tiling of Floor—New tile over the new tunnel and other portions of the floor where it will be necessary to tear it up to make the proposed alterations.

Item 3, New Steam and Heating Plant—The main and returns are all in poor condition and should be replaced by new. It is proposed to repair the present boilers, installing new mains and returns, placing same within the new tunnel.

Item 4, New Foundations Under Pools—On examination of one pool, it was found that one end has been undermined, by water leaking from the supply main; there is a hole at least 4 feet by 5 feet, from 1 foot to 2 feet in depth; \$5,000 has been estimated for this work, but it is not definitely settled how much work will have to be done, and the manner of doing the work. These items can only be determined after the excavation is made for the tunnel adjacent to each pool, then the condition of the earth foundation under the respective pools, and the manner of reinforcing can be determined.

In this connection it would seem advisable for the Department of Parks to cause excavations to be made, adjacent to the pools, on the line of the supply-pipe to each pool, so that the prospective bidders can see or be informed of the extent of the work.

While the estimate of \$5,000 is based upon incomplete data, examination of the premises leads me to think that it is not excessive.

Item 5, New Supply and Drainage Pipes to Pools—All of the present lines are defective, and should be replaced by new ones. It is proposed to place the new lines within the new tunnel.

All of the above specified works may be considered as "permanent betterments," the items of repairs are not repairs to existing work, but are caused by the new work.

All of the work being necessary, and the total estimate not excessive, I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly authorize the Comptroller, pursuant to section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$40,000, to provide for certain alterations in the New York Aquarium, to wit:

New tunnel.
Tiling of floor.
New steam and heating plant.
New foundations under pools.
New supply and drainage pipes to pools.

Respectfully,
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting ordinance

No. 748.

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
June 13, 1904. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1904, authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock to an amount not exceeding \$100,000, for the purpose of making a map or plan of a portion of the Second, Third and Fourth Wards of the Borough of Queens, together with copies of reports of the Chief Engineer of the Board and the Topographical Engineer of the Borough, also copy of letter from the Secretary to the President of the Borough, all relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,
J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), for the purpose of making a map or plan of a portion of the Second, Third and Fourth Wards of the Borough of Queens.

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 June 10, 1904, 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 by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 making a map or plan of a portion of the Second, Third and Fourth Wards of the Borough of Queens, 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."

May 4, 1904.

J. W. STEVENSON, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—Herewith I forward you resolution requesting that the Comptroller be directed to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the amount of \$184,300, for the purpose of making a map or plan of a portion of the Second, Third and Fourth Wards of the Borough of Queens, which kindly have placed on the calendar for the next meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and oblige,

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) GEO. S. JERVIS, Secretary to President.

P. S.—I also inclose estimate from the Engineer-in-Charge of the Topographical Bureau, Borough of Queens, as to the cost of making said map or plan.—G. S. J.

Hon. JOSEPH CASSIDY, President, Borough of Queens:

Dear Sir—I submit herewith an estimate of the cost of surveying and compiling the topographical map of a portion of the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Queens, from the borough line of Brooklyn to the former village line of Jamaica; and from the Fourth Ward northerly line to Jamaica bay.

Also surveying, compiling and laying out that portion of the Second Ward between the Brooklyn Borough line, Myrtle avenue and the Fourth Ward boundary line, completing the survey and compiling the balance of the Second Ward.

Monumenting the streets in the Second Ward as laid down and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on November 13, 1903.

Also monumenting the streets at Ingle side, Third Ward.

Surveying and monumenting the streets as laid out in November, 1903, 5,500 acres at \$10 per acre.....

Compiling, computing and drawing final section maps, 5,500 acres at \$3 per acre.....

Surveying and compiling the topographical map of the balance of the Second Ward, 8,000 acres at \$8 per acre.....

Surveying and compiling 5,000 acres in the Fourth Ward at \$8 per acre....

Two parties in Long Island City resetting monuments and revising street grades, seven months at \$1,000 per month.....

One party for triangulation, seven months at \$500 per month.....

Three Searchers, seven months at \$300 per month.....

Surveying and monumenting the streets at Ingle side, 1,500 acres at \$10 per acre.....

Compiling, computing and drawing final section maps of 1,500 acres at \$3 per acre.....

Street opening proceedings, eight Draughtsmen, seven months at \$1,000 per month.....

Two Draughtsmen for general work, seven months at \$250 per month....

Levels, transits, tapes, rods, plane tables, drawing materials, etc.....

Monuments.....

Transportation expenses.....

Total.....

Balance of appropriation, June 1, 1904.....

Additional amount required.....

REPORT No. 2001.

MAY 21, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held on May 13, 1904, the accompanying communication from the President of the Borough of Queens, through his Secretary, was referred to me for investigation and report.

In this communication the Board is requested to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock in the amount of \$184,300 for the purpose of continuing the work of mapping the Borough of Queens. It is accompanied by a report of the Topographical Engineer of the borough, giving an estimate of the cost of surveying and compiling topographical maps and monumenting streets, of computing and drawing final section maps, resetting monuments and revising street grades, triangulation, etc., and includes provision for the making of street opening maps, the purchase of necessary monuments, instruments

and drawing materials, while provision is also made for three Searchers, and for the transportation expenses of parties in the field.

The estimate is made upon an acreage basis, it being assumed that it will be possible to make the necessary topographical surveys for the mapping of 13,000 acres, at \$8 an acre; to survey and monument 7,000 acres at \$10 an acre, and to do the necessary computing and the making of the sectional maps for 10,000 acres at \$3 an acre.

This is an immense amount of work to be done during the remaining seven months of this year, and it would, in my judgment, be utterly impossible to organize a sufficient number of parties to accomplish it.

On June 19 of last year a request of the President of the Borough of Queens for \$90,500, for topographical work in his borough, was referred to me, and on July 1 I made a report, in which I endeavored to show what it would be possible to accomplish during the remainder of that year, the conclusion being that it would not be practicable to expend more than \$83,000 on topographical work, as a maximum. The present report is being made one month earlier, and there is, therefore, one more month available for work.

The arrangement of a schedule of parties for the different kinds of work would be largely a matter of guesswork, as the carrying out of any such plan would depend upon the availability of men on the eligible lists of the Civil Service Commission, who would accept appointments. The organization of field parties to do so large an amount of work requires time, and must be a matter of gradual development. I believe it futile, therefore, to attempt to estimate just the number of men who could profitably be employed, or where they could be placed to the best advantage. The present pay-roll of the Topographical Bureau is approximately \$6,000 per month, the amount allowed for the current year having been \$64,852.50.

I cannot state too emphatically my conviction that the most liberal appropriations for topographical work for the boroughs of Queens and Richmond are necessary. This has been demonstrated frequently by the inability of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize improvements which are sorely needed and which would stimulate the development of both of these suburban boroughs. Investors and home-seekers are waiting to get in and improve the property. They can do nothing until a street plan has been adopted. A street plan cannot be made until the necessary topographical surveys have been completed. To rush this work through hastily and inadvisedly would be to throw away the greatest opportunity which has ever been presented to this country to make a city plan which shall fully avail of the topographical features of the territory, unless it may have been in the case of the City of Washington. In that case, however, a plan was made several generations before the development began. Now everything is ready for the development, and the plan only is lacking. I believe, therefore, that no expense should be spared to study the subject most thoroughly and to arrive at the best solution which is possible. To accomplish this I believe that the most expert advice obtainable should be secured as to the general features of the plans for both these boroughs.

The work which the Borough President proposes to do with the money which he asks for is the detail mapping, the laying out of streets and blocks. The broader aspects of the problem cannot be studied, when the entire attention of the Topographical Bureau is engrossed with the details. I therefore believe that any allowance which may be made for topographical work should provide for the employment of experts, who could advise with the Borough President upon the general plan of work before the details have been carried so far as to make it impossible to adopt a general plan to the conditions which exist. I beg to recommend, therefore, that the sum of \$75,000 be allowed the President of the Borough of Queens for topographical work. This sum is suggested with the idea that the present force can be increased as rapidly as possible until it has reached four times its present size, and that a sufficient sum would then remain for the employment of expert advice and also for the purchase of fire-proof filing cases for the valuable maps and records which have already accumulated.

The manner in which these records are now housed is dangerous in the extreme. It will be several years before the new Borough Hall will be ready for use, but steel cases can be made at once, which would be available in the new building, and I think it is of the utmost importance that steps be taken to secure them without further delay.

I believe that the allowance should also be sufficiently liberal to carry the work of the Topographical Bureau through the first two months of the year 1905. Now that the Amended Charter permits the issue of Corporate Stock for such purposes as the mapping of the City, it may be that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will make much smaller, if any, appropriations for this purpose, and it would be most unfortunate if work had to be abandoned at the beginning of the new year for lack of an available appropriation. I believe, however, that the amount above suggested, in addition to the \$37,800 of the present appropriation, which it is estimated will be available on June 1, will provide for any such emergency.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

Subsequently the committee reported as follows:

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on June 14, 1904, the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock of \$100,000 for purpose of making map or plan of a portion of the Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

JOHN T. McCALL, JAMES W. REDMOND, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, OWEN J. MURPHY, Committee on Finance.

President Cassidy asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report. The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Culklin, Davies, Dietz, Dougherty, Downing, Doyle, Gaffney, Gass, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kline, Koch, Lochner, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Stapleton, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—50.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting ordinance:

No. 749.

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
June 13, 1904. }

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1904, authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$75,000 for the purpose of making a map or plan of Ward 1 and parts of Wards 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Borough of Richmond, together with copies of communications from the President of said borough and report of the Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) for the purpose of making a map or plan of Ward 1 and parts of Wards 2, 3, 4 and 5, of the Borough of Richmond.

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 June 10, 1904, 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 by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), for the purpose of making a map or plan of Ward 1 and parts of Wards 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the

Borough of Richmond, 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 seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

REPORT NO. 2005.

MAY 24, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on May 13, 1904, there was referred to me for investigation and report a communication from the President of the Borough of Richmond, asking that additional funds to the amount of \$122,200 be allowed him for topographical work in his borough, this work to consist of the surveying and mapping of First Ward and parts of Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Wards. Accompanying the letter of the Borough President is a report from the Topographical Engineer of the Borough, containing a detailed statement of the manner in which this money would be expended. The estimate includes the surveying, mapping and compiling of 5,380 acres at an estimated cost of from \$12 to \$16 per acre; the completion of topographical surveys of 2,850 acres, including the mapping, at a cost estimated to be from \$5 to \$8 per acre; the setting of monuments; running of precise levels; triangulation; revising street lines and grades; together with an allowance for office expenses, instruments, supplies and transportation. It is estimated that there could be expended on this work during the remaining seven months of the year the sum of \$145,900, while the balance of the appropriation on June 1 is estimated to be \$23,700, and the Borough President requests that an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$122,200 be authorized to permit him to carry out the work.

In reporting on May 21 upon a similar request from the President of the Borough of Queens, I commented upon the difficulty of organizing parties to do the work on so extensive a scale, and emphasized the great necessity of pushing topographical work in the boroughs of Queens and Richmond with the greatest possible speed. It was also strongly recommended that expert advice be secured in laying out a general system of streets, parks and boulevards in these boroughs before the detail mapping of streets and blocks was undertaken, in order that a general well-considered scheme might govern the detail work, instead of allowing the general plan to be controlled by the detail mapping of small areas without due regard to unity and consistency of the whole design.

The estimates per acre are higher in the Borough of Richmond than those presented for the Borough of Queens. This was to be expected, as the topography is much more rugged in the former borough, and the making of contour maps is a more formidable task.

In the budget for the present year there was allowed the President of the Borough of Richmond for topographical work the sum of \$43,980, with an additional allowance of \$13,500 for preliminary surveys, street opening maps and monumenting streets and avenues. The Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond has given me an estimate of the number of additional men which he thinks could at once be employed to advantage, the expense of which for six months would be about \$60,000.

As was pointed out in the report on the similar request from the President of the Borough of Queens, organization of the increased force would be a gradual development and it would be several months before it could possibly be placed upon the basis outlined by the Commissioner. Making a reasonable allowance for the expense of the topographical work during the first two months of the year 1905, in case there should not be any appropriation available after the close of the present year, I believe that it would be proper to place at the disposal of the President of the Borough of Richmond the sum of \$60,000, which, with the estimated balance of \$23,700 on June 1, would be sufficient to carry on the work without embarrassment until March 1, 1905.

It is recommended that an issue of Corporate Stock for that amount be authorized.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

May 12, 1904.

J. W. STEVENSON, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

Dear Sir—I inclose to you herewith proposed form of resolution for adoption by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$122,200, for the purpose of carrying on the work of making the map or plan of Ward 1, and parts of Wards 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Borough of Richmond.

Appropriations for this purpose for use in the Borough of Richmond have in the past been totally inadequate, and the need for a much more rapid advance in this work in the borough is becoming daily more apparent. Practically no work of this kind had been done in Richmond prior to consolidation, and the character of the topography of the borough, which is exceptionally hilly and broken, has made the work since that time, with the limited appropriations available for the purpose, slow and laborious; moreover, the hilly and broken character of the ground makes the work more expensive per acre than similar work in any of the other boroughs of the City.

I inclose herewith an itemized statement prepared by my Topographical Engineer, showing the purposes for which the appropriation asked for will be used. Will you kindly place the matter on the calendar for consideration by the Board at its meeting to-morrow.

I am sending copies of this communication, the proposed resolution, and the statement of my Topographical Engineer to each member of the Board.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

Hon. GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough of Richmond, St. George, Staten Island:

SIR—I present herewith an approximate estimate of the cost of surveying, mapping and compiling the topographical map of Ward 1; Ward 2, north of Beach street and Cebra avenue; Ward 3, east of Richmond avenue and Brook road; Ward 4, north and east of Old Town road; Fingerboard road and Perth Amboy Division of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad, and Ward 5, south of Church and Beach streets; also an estimate for the completion of the surveys now in progress for the topographical maps of a part of Ward 4, at Mariners' Harbor, between Richmond avenue, Washington avenue, Holland avenue and Newark bay; part of Ward 4, at Garretsons, between Richmond road, Old Town road, the Ocean and Liberty avenue, and the Stapleton drainage area in Wards 2 and 4.

1. Surveying, mapping and compiling the topographical map of Ward 1 (including secondary traverse work and location of houses), 3,400 acres, at \$15 per acre.....	\$51,000 00
2. Surveying, mapping and compiling the topographical map of Ward 2, north of Beach street and Cebra avenue, 130 acres, at \$16 per acre.....	2,080 00
3. Surveying, mapping and compiling the topographical map of Ward 3, east of Richmond avenue and Brook road, 250 acres, at \$12 per acre.....	3,000 00
4. Surveying, mapping and compiling the topographical map of Ward 4, north and east of Old Town road, Fingerboard road and Perth Amboy Division, Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company, 1,500 acres, at \$12 per acre.....	18,000 00
5. Surveying, mapping and compiling the topographical map of part of Ward 5, at Tottenville, south of Church and Beach streets, 100 acres, at \$12 per acre.....	12,000 00
6. Completing the survey for topographical map of Mariners' Harbor, including mapping and compiling, 1,000 acres, at \$5 per acre.....	5,000 00
7. Completing survey for the topographical map of Garretsons, including mapping and compiling, 750 acres, at \$6 per acre.....	4,500 00
8. Completing survey of Stapleton, drainage area, including mapping and compiling, 1,100 acres, at \$8 per acre.....	8,800 00
Monumenting, one party, 7 months, at \$500 per month.....	3,500 00
Precise levels, two parties, 7 months, at \$700 per month.....	4,900 00
Triangulation, one party, 7 months, at \$500 per month.....	3,500 00
Precise traverses, three parties, 7 months, at \$1,200 per month.....	8,400 00

Revising and extending street lines and grades, three parties, 7 months, at \$1,200 per month.....	8,400 00
Four Draughtsmen and Computers for general work, 7 months, at \$500 per month.....	3,500 00
1 Stenographer and Clerk, 7 months, at \$100 per month.....	700 00
1 Map Clerk, 7 months, at \$100 per month.....	700 00
1 Messenger, 7 months, at \$60 per month.....	420 00
Instruments and supplies.....	4,000 00
Transportation, 7 months, at \$500 per month.....	3,500 00

\$145,900 00

Balance of appropriation (estimated) June 1, 1904..... 23,700 00

Additional amount required..... \$122,200 00

Respectfully,
(Signed) GEORGE W. TUTTLE,
Assistant Topographical Engineer.

Subsequently the Committee reported as follows:

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on June 14, 1904, the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$75,000, for map or plan of a portion of the Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, WILLIAM WENTZ, JAMES W. REDMOND, OWEN J. MURPHY, Committee on Finance.

President Cromwell asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Callahan, Chambers, Davies, Dougherty, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Harburger, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Koch, Lochner, McCall, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Schappert, Schloss, Stapleton, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wirth; President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—45.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting resolution:

No. 750.

Department of Finance—City of New York,
June 13, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1904, recommending to the Board of Aldermen the fixing of the salary of the position of Clerk in the Department of Correction at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum, together with copy of a communication from the Commissioner of Correction relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at meeting held June 10, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Clerk in the Department of Correction be fixed at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum";

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Clerk in the Department of Correction at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum.

Department of Correction of The City of New York,
Commissioner's Office, No. 148 East Twentieth Street,
New York, June 3, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor and Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—I would respectfully ask that your Honorable Board will establish the grade of Clerk in the Department of Correction, at a salary of \$1,800 per annum, to date from June 1, 1904.

I trust that your Board will take early and favorable action on this request.

Very respectfully yours,

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

Alderman Haggerty moved the adoption of this resolution.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culkin, Davies, Donohue, Dougherty, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gass, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Higgins, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, McCall, Malone, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Stumpf, Sturges, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—52.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting resolutions:

No. 751.

Department of Finance—City of New York,
June 13, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1904, recommending the fixing of the salary of the position of Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings in the Department of Education, at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, together with copies of resolution from the Board of Education and communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held June 10, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings, in the Department of Education, be fixed at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings, in the Department of Education, at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum.

To the Board of Education:
The Committee on Supplies respectfully reports that it has given very careful consideration to a recommendation made by the Committee on Buildings that the salary of Mr. Clarence M. Morgan, Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings for the Borough of The Bronx, be increased from \$2,500 to \$3,000 per annum, said increase having been provided for in the Departmental Budget for the current year. Mr. Morgan has been filling this position for several years, and has performed his duties with entire satisfaction. His work and responsibility are rapidly increasing, and he

has already under his supervision a larger number of classrooms than the Deputy Superintendent for the Borough of Queens, who receives a larger compensation.

Your committee concurs in the recommendation made by the Committee on Buildings and recommends that the salary of the Deputy Superintendent above named be increased as stated. It will be necessary for action to be taken by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen.

The following resolutions are submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That, subject to the Rules and Regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, and to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen, the salary of Mr. Clarence M. Morgan, Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings for the Borough of The Bronx, be increased to \$3,000 per annum, said increase to take effect May 1, 1904.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby respectfully requested to recommend to the Board of Aldermen that the salary of the position of Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings in the Department of Education be fixed at \$3,000, for the reason above set forth, the same to take effect from and after May 1, 1904.

A true copy of report and resolutions adopted by the Board of Education on April 27, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Supplies respectfully reports that it has given very careful consideration to a recommendation made by the Committee on Buildings that the salary of Mr. Clarence M. Morgan, Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings for the Borough of The Bronx, be increased from \$2,500 to \$3,000 per annum, said increase having been provided for in the Departmental Budget for the current year. Mr. Morgan has been filling this position for several years, and has performed his duties with entire satisfaction. His work and responsibility are rapidly increasing and he has already under his supervision a larger number of classrooms than the Deputy Superintendent for the Borough of Queens, who received a larger compensation.

Your Committee concurs in the recommendation made by the Committee on Buildings and recommends that the salary of the Deputy Superintendent above named be increased as stated. It will be necessary for action to be taken by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen.

The following resolutions are submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That, subject to the Rules and Regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, and to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen, the salary of Mr. Clarence M. Morgan, Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings for the Borough of The Bronx, be increased to \$3,000 per annum, said increase to take effect May 1, 1904.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby respectfully requested to recommend to the Board of Aldermen that the salary of the position of Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings in the Department of Education, be fixed at \$3,000 for the reasons above set forth, the same to take effect from and after May 1, 1904.

A true copy of report and resolutions adopted by the Board of Education on April 27, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

(Copy.)

The City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx,
Municipal Building, Crotona Park,
New York, June 4, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

Dear Sir—I inclose herewith a copy of letter received by me in relation to the increase of salary of Mr. Clarence Morgan, Deputy Superintendent of Buildings of the Board of Education, from \$2,500 to \$3,000, and would recommend—that the increase requested be granted.

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

(Copy.)

New York, June 1, 1904.

Hon. LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, etc., One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street and Third Avenue, New York City:

My Dear Mr. Haffen—I understand that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has referred to you the matter of increase of salary of Mr. Clarence Morgan, Deputy Superintendent of Buildings of the Board of Education, from \$2,500 to \$3,000.

The Bronx members of the Board have considered this matter for some time and decided that there was no reason why the Deputy Superintendent for The Bronx should not have a salary nearer to that of the other boroughs than what he has been receiving.

For instance, the Deputy for Queens receives \$3,750 per year, Deputy for Brooklyn \$4,000 and Deputy for Manhattan \$4,000.

The object of this letter is to ask that you approve of Mr. Morgan's salary being raised from \$2,500 to \$3,000, as recommended by the Board of Education, and am

Yours truly,
Committee.

No. 752.

Department of Finance—City of New York,
June 13, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 10, 1904, recommending the fixing of the salary of the position of Topographical Engineer, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, together with copy of communication from the President of said borough relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,
J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held June 10, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Topographical Engineer under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond, be fixed at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Topographical Engineer under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum.

(Copy.)

Office of the President—Borough of Richmond,
New Brighton, N. Y., June 3, 1904.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

Gentlemen—I would ask that you fix the position, title and salary of Topographical Engineer in the Borough of Richmond at \$3,000.

The work has been conducted in the past by an Assistant Topographical Engineer, but in the increasing importance of this field we need to have a higher position established.

Yours truly,
(Signed) GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

No. 753.

Department of Finance—City of New York,
June 13, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted June 10, 1904, amending resolution adopted May 13, 1904, relative to the fixing of the salaries

of various positions in the office of the Commissioner of Licenses, by substituting the word "Deputy" for the word "Assistant," in the title of Assistant Chief Inspector, and the title of "Process Server" for that of "Messenger."

Very truly yours,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

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

No. 754.

Department of Finance—City of New York,
June 13, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1904, recommending the fixing of the salaries of the positions of Secretary to the President of the Board of Health and Sanitary Engineer in the Department of Health, at the rates of \$3,000 and \$2,400, respectively, per annum; together with copies of resolutions adopted by said Board of Health relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held June 10, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salaries of the following positions in the Department of Health be fixed as follows:

	Per Annum.
Secretary to the President of the Board of Health.....	\$3,000 00
Sanitary Engineer.....	2,400 00

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

June 8, 1904.

At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York, held this day, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, owing to the greatly increased amount of work devolving upon the President of the Board of Health, and the necessity for more assistance of a confidential character to be rendered to the said President, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to create the position of one additional Secretary to the President of the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York, with compensation at the rate of three thousand dollars per annum.

A true copy:

(Signed) EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

June 8, 1904.

At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York, held this day, on motion the following preambles and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Department of Health is at present allowed the services of one Sanitary Engineer; and

Whereas, The territory covered by the five different boroughs of The City of New York is of such extent as to make it practically impossible for one such Sanitary Engineer to perform the duties devolving upon him in a proper manner; and

Whereas, For the purpose of adopting proper measures to prevent the spread of malarial fever, and for the extermination of the mosquito pest the services of at least one additional Sanitary Engineer is required; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to create the position of one additional Sanitary Engineer in the Department of Health, with compensation at the rate of twenty-four hundred dollars per annum.

A true copy:

(Signed) EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

Alderman McCall moved the adoption of this resolution.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Boerner, Boyhan, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Culkun, Davies, Dietz, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Gass, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haggerty, Harburger, Higgins, Jones, Kenney, Kevin, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, Malone, Marks, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Sickles, Stapleton, Sturges, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—50.

No. 755.

Department of Finance—City of New York,
June 13, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 10, 1904, recommending to the Board of Aldermen the fixing of the salary of the position of Clerk in the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission at the rate of \$2,100 per annum, together with copy of a communication from the Secretary of the Municipal Civil Service Commission relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held June 10, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Clerk in the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission be fixed at the rate of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per annum";

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Clerk in the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission at the rate of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per annum.

(Copy.)

Municipal Civil Service Commission of The City of New York,
No. 61 Elm Street, Corner of Leonard,
New York, June 1, 1904.

Hon. J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—At a meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, held on Wednesday, May 25, 1904, it was

Resolved, That in accordance with section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to recommend to the Board of Aldermen the fixing of the position of Clerk with compensation at the rate of twenty-one hundred dollars per annum, in the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission. Will you kindly present this request of the Commission to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at the earliest possible date?

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

Alderman McCall moved the adoption of this resolution.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Downing, Gass, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haggerty, Higgins, Jones, Kenney, Kevin, Lochner, McCall, Malone, Marks, Arthur H. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schloss, Stapleton, Twomey, Ware, Wentz, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—40.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Street Cleaning:

No. 756.

Department of Street Cleaning,
New York, May 25, 1904.

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—I transmit herewith a form of resolution, which I request the Board of Aldermen to adopt, in reference to contingent and incidental expenses of this Department.

A resolution to this effect has been in force since March, 1898, authorizing the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100). That sum is inadequate for any one set of payments and for that reason entails considerable delay besides unnecessary work in the payment of these minor and necessary expenses.

Respectfully,

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Department of Street Cleaning, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may, by a requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars. The Commissioner of Street Cleaning may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may by him be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the contingencies of the Department of Street Cleaning; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 496—(G. O. No. 82).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on May 3, 1904 (Minutes, page 206), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock of \$3,491.45 additional means for purchase of site for public building, Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of three thousand four hundred and ninety-one dollars and forty-five cents (\$3,491.45), to provide means for the payment of the award, the interest thereon and the cost and expenses in the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the easterly side of Stuyvesant street and the westerly side of Jay street, between DeKalb street and South street, First Ward of the Borough of Richmond, selected as a site for a public building.

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 29, 1904, 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 Revised 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 three thousand four hundred and ninety-one dollars and forty-five cents (\$3,491.45), to provide means for the payment of the award, the interest thereon and the cost and expenses in the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the easterly side of Stuyvesant street and the westerly side of Jay street, between DeKalb street and South street, First Ward of the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a public building, and that when authority 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 Revised Greater New York Charter, to the amount of three thousand four hundred and ninety-one dollars and forty-five cents (\$3,491.45), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 525.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 3, 1904 (Minutes, page 278), the annexed resolution in favor of providing compensation for services of Counsel to the Committee on Codification, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject and finding that compensation for like services rendered in 1897, i. e., the codification of the revised ordinances of the former Mayor and Commonalty of The City of New York was \$5,000, and that the work performed on the present contemplated code was largely in excess of that entailed in the preparation of the former, they believe the remuneration should be the same. They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, 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 expense of counsel in the preparation of a codification of the general ordinances of The City of New York, under the supervision of the Committee on Codification, in accordance with the provisions of section 57 of the amended Greater New York Charter.

Whereas, The Committee on Codification of the City Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen of 1902-1903 did prepare and report a code on the which the said Board of Aldermen took no formal action; and

Whereas, The report of said Committee was duly referred to this Board and by it committed to the Committee on Code, in whose possession it now is for consideration; and

Whereas, By and through the efforts of the Committee of 1902-1903, the Legislature of this State took affirmative action, resulting in the authorization of the publication in the contemplated Code, of the Park Ordinances, the Building Code, the Sanitary Code, etc., as distinct chapters therein and forming part thereof; and

Whereas, The present Board of Aldermen adopted an ordinance on weights and measures, which was practically prepared and recommended by the Code Committee of 1902-1903; therefore

Resolved, That our Finance Committee be and it is hereby instructed to carefully examine the work done by the Committee on Codification of 1902-1903 and to recommend adequate and equitable compensation to counsel employed by said Committee, including also such amounts as may have necessarily been incurred by counsel or the Committee in the work referred to.

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, JAMES W. REDMOND, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, Committee on Finance.

Alderman McCall asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culklin, Davies, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Gass, Goodman, Grifenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Arthur H. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Sickles, Stumpf, Sturges, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—60.

No. 558—(G. O. No. 83).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 10, 1904 (Minutes, page 305), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$10,000,000, to provide means for construction of Manhattan Bridge, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, your committee having heard the Commissioner of Bridges in the matter, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of ten million dollars (\$10,000,000), to provide means for the acquisition of lands required for the bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, known as Manhattan Bridge (No. 3), and for the necessary expenses connected with the construction of said bridge.

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 May 6, 1904, 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 by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of ten million dollars (\$10,000,000) for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of lands required for the bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, known as Manhattan Bridge (No. 3), and for the necessary expenses connected with the construction of said bridge, 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 ten million dollars (\$10,000,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

(Copy.)

Department of Bridges—City of New York,
February 17, 1904.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Pursuant to the resolution adopted by you on the 22d of January, 1904, I hereby respectfully submit an estimate of the amount of Corporate Stock (not assessment bonds nor bonds for street and park openings), which I expect to request you to authorize to be issued during the current year, as follows:

Bridge	Real Estate.	Construction.	Total.
Williamsbridge	\$3,600,000 00	\$900,000 00	\$4,500,000 00
Manhattan	1,000,000 00	9,000,000 00	10,000,000 00
Blackwell's Island	600,000 00	400,000 00	1,000,000 00
Fordham Heights	300,000 00	600,000 00	900,000 00
Pelham Bay .....	.....	600,000 00	600,000 00
Madison Avenue .....	.....	1,500,000 00	1,500,000 00
Willis Avenue Approach (see note) ..	.....	57,000 00	57,000 00
Lemon Creek .....	.....	200,000 00	200,000 00
	\$5,500,000 00	\$13,257,000 00	\$18,757,000 00

(Note—This item is at present pending before your Board upon a communication previously sent you.)

Respectfully,

(Signed)

GEO. E. BEST, Commissioner of Bridges.
JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 559.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 10, 1904 (Minutes, page 307), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$250,000, for erection of buildings under jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Charities, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, and for the reasons set forth in the communication from the Commissioner of Charities, hereto annexed, they recommend that the said ordinance be rejected.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) to provide means for the erection of buildings and additions thereto under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Public Charities.

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 May 6, 1904, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), to provide means for the erection of buildings and additions thereto, under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Public Charities, 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 two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Alderman McCall asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report. The Vice-Chairman 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 Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culklin, Diemer, Donohue, Doull, Downing, Gass, Gillen, Grifenhagen, Haenlein, Harburger, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Arthur H. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schloss, Shea, Sickles, Stumpf, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—48.

No. 560.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 10, 1904 (Minutes, page 308), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$25,000, for completion of new jail, Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) to provide means for the completion of the new jail in the Borough of Richmond.

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 May 6, 1904, 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 by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) to pro-

vide means for the completion of the new jail in the Borough of Richmond, 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 twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

President Cromwell asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Davies, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Dowling, Gass, Downing, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Harburger, Harnischfeger, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kline, Koch, Lochner, McCall, Marks, Meyers, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Shea, Sickles, Stumpf, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—54.

No. 592—(G. O. No. 84).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on May 17, 1904 (Minutes, page 361), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$640,000, for construction of new Fordham Hospital, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE, providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of six hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$640,000) to provide means for expenses in connection with the construction of the new Fordham Hospital, Borough of The Bronx.

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 May 13, 1904, 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 by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 six hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$640,000), to provide means for expenses in connection with the construction of the new Fordham Hospital at the junction of Crotona avenue and Southern Boulevard, Borough of The Bronx, and the acquisition of land therefor, 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 dollars (\$640,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 595.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 17, 1904 (Minutes, page 367), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$1,000,000, to provide means to pay expenses connected with the Water Supply, respectfully

REPORT:

That having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary for the reasons given to your Committee by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and as set forth in his communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), to provide means to pay for the expenses connected with the water supply of The City of New York.

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 May 13, 1904, 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 one million dollars (\$1,000,000), to provide the necessary means to pay for the expenses connected with the water supply of The City of New York, as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter, 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 dollars (\$1,000,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Commissioner's Office, Nos. 13-21 Park Row,
City of New York, March 29, 1904.

Hon. J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—In compliance with your request, I herewith transmit the approximate estimate of bonds required to be issued by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the improvements contemplated by this Department, and respectfully recommend its approval.

Yours very truly,

JNO. T. OAKLEY, Commissioner.

Hon. JOHN T. OAKLEY, Commissioner:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith estimate for the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as requested in their letter of January 26, 1904, of the amount of Corporate Stock which will be required for necessary extensions and improvements to the plant under the control of this Bureau in the boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond. While the amount may at first seem large, it must be remembered that one item alone, the laying of the 48-inch mains from the Jerome Park Reservoir in Jerome avenue and the laying of the main in Southern Boulevard, involve an expenditure of nearly a million and a half dollars. This matter will be referred to later. The annual appropriations for the Department for the last four years have been entirely inadequate, and although requests have been made for funds to enable this Bureau to make necessary extensions, the issue of Corporate Stock has been limited. This necessarily involves a proportionately larger expenditure this year to properly provide for extensions of mains and improvements to pumping stations in the several boroughs, in order that an adequate supply of water may be furnished the residents in various parts of these districts.

Items 1 and 2. The Jerome Park Reservoir is being pushed to completion, but no provision has been made for the distribution of the water stored in this reservoir when the water is turned into this basin. It has been decided that it is the function of this Department, and not of the Aqueduct Commission, to lay these mains, and it is therefore incumbent upon us to provide the necessary means of utilizing this reservoir when finished. The total cost of laying all the trunk lines necessary to equip The Bronx with a sufficient and adequate supply and procure the full benefits of the storage in the Jerome Park Reservoir would cost about \$6,000,000. Work on the greater part of these trunk lines should be commenced at an early date, but, in order to reduce the cost of the estimates for this year as far as possible, I have restricted the request for appropriations for this purpose to the laying of 48-inch mains in Jerome avenue to the Harlem river, and under the Harlem river to Seventh avenue, and down Seventh avenue to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and the main in Southern Boulevard from Boston avenue to Hunt's Point road. The two mains in Jerome avenue will supplement the present aqueduct and connect the Jerome Park Reservoir with the Borough of Manhattan, thus allowing the storage at this point to supplement the present storage in Manhattan. As the present storage in the reservoirs in the City is limited, and as

we have reached the limit of the capacity of the present aqueduct, this is an important step to take to provide against a possible shortage of water in dry seasons in the future. The construction of these mains will also facilitate any necessary repairs to the aqueduct at a future date.

Item 3. There are many points in Manhattan where, owing to the development of factories, large apartment houses and hotels, the old 6-inch mains have become entirely inadequate, and the pressures as a consequence have become so reduced as to provide a very poor supply of water. It is urgently necessary to supplement these mains with pipes of a larger size, and the \$500,000 requested for necessary distributing mains in Manhattan is for the purpose of reinforcing the service in these sections.

Item 4. In The Bronx there are many streets which have already been graded, and in many cases paved, with curbstones set and sidewalks, and in some cases supplied with sewers, where there is no water supply. Of course, this materially affects the development of this section, as well as the values of property, and I have requested \$500,000 for the purpose of laying mains in streets in this condition. This work, I think, is imperative. It is the duty of the City to anticipate the certain growth of The Bronx in these various streets.

Item 5. The Department of Public Works in the Borough of The Bronx is doing an enormous amount of work in establishing new grades for streets upon which houses have already been built. A change of grade necessitates relaying the water mains, and as our annual appropriations for the operation of this Bureau are entirely inadequate to take care of this work, I have made request for the necessary money to provide for relaying mains where needed.

Item 6. The City acquired the property of the New York and Westchester Water Company on the first of February of last year. This company formerly supplied the territory in The Bronx lying east of the Bronx river. The distribution system of this company was in very poor condition, and there are many streets upon which there are houses which have no water supply. During the past year we have laid about twenty miles of mains in this section, but there is much more to be done in this line in order to furnish an adequate supply, and an appropriation of \$300,000 is asked for this purpose.

Item 7. There are in the Borough of Manhattan eight thousand hydrants of an old pattern, which are not provided with the means of draining the barrel after use. As a result, our repair gangs are continually at work thawing out these hydrants in cold weather. Without considering the expense of maintaining these hydrants, the question of danger from fire due to failure of the hydrants to furnish water at a critical moment makes it imperative to replace these hydrants with others of a newer and more modern type.

Item 8. At the present time there is but one 36-inch suction main at the One Hundred and Seventy-ninth Street Pumping Station, and as the total capacity of this station is about 63,000,000 gallons per day, this main is entirely too small for the service. It is desired to supplement this main with a second one in order to provide the necessary water for the station.

Item 9. The boilers and steam piping at the One Hundred and Seventy-ninth Street Pumping Station are old, and the steam piping is not properly designed or erected. This results in a loss of efficiency, causing an excessive use of fuel. It is desired to change the present boilers and piping, with a view to increasing the efficiency of the plant. I have no doubt the saving in fuel resulting from such change would more than repay the interest and fixed charges on the cost of the installation.

Item 10. The present coal conveying system, which elevates the coal from the river to the coal-house, has been in use for a number of years and is completely worn out. This plant is continually breaking down and is in need of frequent repair. The breakage of this plant at times is a serious matter, as a large portion of the City is dependent on the operation of this station. It is necessary to replace this machinery at as early a date as possible.

Item 11. All the oil used at the One Hundred and Seventy-ninth Street Pumping Station is now stored in the cellar. It seems preposterous to have twenty or thirty barrels of oil stored in the basement of a pumping station where machinery worth hundreds of thousands of dollars is stalled, and subject the plant to the possible danger of fire. It would be impossible to supply the upper West Side and the Murray Hill District with water if a fire should occur at this point. It is desired, therefore, to remove the oil from this station and store it on the outside in a safe place. The cost of this work, as shown on the estimate, will be about \$8,000.

Item 12. Proper provision for the ventilation of the engine and fire rooms at the One Hundred and Seventy-ninth Street Station was not made by the architect who designed these buildings, the result being that in summer the temperature on the galleries of the engines reaches 140 degrees. It is not to be expected that Engine-men will properly care for their machinery when they have to work in such a temperature. I feel that the value of the machinery is such as to warrant any expense which would tend to maintain it in the best condition. It is desired to place ventilators in the roof so that the men may work with more comfort.

Item 13. The above applies to the roof of the Jerome Park Pumping Station also.

Item 14. It is customary throughout the watershed for the City to build fences on the boundary lines of all their property. No such fencing has been provided at Rye Lake, and this work should be completed at an early date.

Item 15. Contract has also been let for the repairs to the spillway and a portion of the channel at the East Branch Reservoir, which was badly washed in the freshet in December, 1901. It will be necessary, however, to continue this work further down stream in order to properly protect our property.

Item 16. The Village of Mt. Kisco has already prepared plans and specifications for a sewage system, and has requested us to confer with the State Board of Health and provide the necessary means of protecting our water supply from contamination. It is proposed to empty the sewage into the Kisco river, which is a tributary of the Croton. It will be incumbent upon us, in the near future, to provide such a plant, and plans have already been completed for the same. This work should be commenced without delay, and not later than the spring or early summer.

Item 17. During the past year several miles of mains have been laid in Long Island City, but there are several districts where large manufacturing interests have centered in which there is no fire protection. It is incumbent upon the City to protect this property and to encourage the establishment of industries of this kind in this section. The appropriation of \$200,000 requested is for the purpose of providing mains to supply water in these sections.

Item 18. The statements in regard to the shortage of water in Long Island City apply equally to the Flushing districts in Ward Three, and it is desired to lay a force main of sufficient capacity from Bayside Pumping Station to the stand-pipe in Flushing to supplement the present system. The urgency for the appropriations for Queens cannot be too strongly put before you. There is hardly a town of five thousand people in the United States which is as poorly supplied with water as Long Island City and Ward Three, and the situation is really a disgrace.

Item 19. The water supply in the Borough of Queens has been in deplorable condition, and while during the past year the system has been very much augmented, it is necessary to go further to provide for the coming summer. There is a possibility of getting more water at Station No. 1, and I recommend that an appropriation of \$15,000 be made for wells at that point.

Item 20. During the year the water service from the Tottenville Station has been extended along the Amboy road, and it is desired to extend this still further. An appropriation of \$50,000 is asked for this purpose. This is done in order to increase the usefulness of the Tottenville Pumping Station.

Item 21. The present engine-house at the Tottenville Pumping Station is inadequate and unsuitable. It is desired to replace it with a house of proper dimensions. For this purpose \$10,000 has been asked.

Very respectfully,

N. S. HILL, JR., Chief Engineer.

Estimate of the Cost of Necessary Improvements, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Bureau of Chief Engineer, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond, for 1904.

Manhattan and The Bronx.

Pipes and Distribution.

(1) Two 48-inch mains, from the Jerome Park Reservoir through Davison and Jerome avenues, to and across the Harlem river to Seventh avenue,

down Seventh avenue to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; estimated cost.....	\$1,300,000 00	
(2) One 48-inch main, in Southern Boulevard, from Boston avenue to Hunt's Point road.....	108,000 00	
(3) For necessary distributing mains in Manhattan...	500,000 00	
(4) For necessary distributing mains in streets already graded, with curbstones set, sidewalks, and in some cases sewers, but in which there is no water supply, in the territory west of the Bronx river, Borough of The Bronx.....	500,000 00	
(5) For relaying mains, owing to changes in the grade of the streets in the Borough of The Bronx...	500,000 00	
(6) For extensions of mains east of the Bronx river, Borough of The Bronx.....	300,000 00	
(7) For new fire hydrants to replace defective and obsolete types now in use.....	200,000 00	
		\$3,408,000 00
Mechanical Division.		
One Hundred and Seventy-ninth Street Pumping Station.		
(8) Additional 36-inch feed line, from Shaft No. 26 to the pumps in the pumping station.....	\$9,000 00	
(9) New boilers, steam and water piping.....	30,000 00	
(10) Taking out old and installing an improved belt coal conveyor and appurtenances.....	50,000 00	
(11) Storage house for oil outside the pumping station, and an improved method of feeding oil to engines	8,000 00	
(12) Improvements to roofs of engine and boiler house to properly ventilate buildings.....	10,000 00	
Total.....		\$107,000 00
Jerome Park Pumping Station.		
(13) Improved roof of pumping station, to provide proper ventilation	10,000 00	
Total.....		117,000 00
		\$3,525,000 00
County Division.		
(14) For fence walls around Rye Reservoir and Dam..	\$20,000 00	
(15) To pave and rip-rap channel of East Branch, below the reservoir, from where the present contract ends, to junction with Bog Brook Branch.....	28,000 00	
(16) To provide necessary sewage disposal plant at Mt. Kisco, in order to protect the Kisco river from contamination, made necessary by the introduction of a sewerage system into that village.....	40,000 00	
		88,000 00
Total, Manhattan and The Bronx.....		\$3,613,000 00
Queens.		
Pipes and Distribution.		
(17) For additional distributing mains, to provide adequate fire protection in districts now unprotected in Long Island City.....	\$200,000 00	
(18) To lay force mains of sufficient capacity, from Bay-side Pumping Station to stand-pipe in Flushing, Ward Three	100,000 00	
		\$300,000 00
Mechanical Division.		
(19) For driving wells at Station No. 1, Long Island City	15,000 00	
Total for Queens		\$315,000 00
Richmond.		
Pipes and Distribution.		
(20) For extension of service main in Amboy road.....	\$50,000 00	
Mechanical Division.		
(21) Building new engine-house at Tottenville.....	10,000 00	
Total for Richmond		\$60,000 00

March 22, 1904.

Hon. THOMAS F. BYRNES, Deputy Commissioner:

Dear Sir—In compliance with your request of the 14th inst., I beg to report herewith on the works for the maintenance, improvement and extension of the water supply in this borough, which it is necessary to undertake during the present year, and for which bond issues will be required.

In preparing this report, I have carefully borne in mind the explicit directions from the Commissioner and from you to exclude whatever was not necessary during the present year, and to endeavor by all means to reduce the amount of appropriations to be asked as much as possible, with due regard, however, to the safety and proper maintenance of the water supply and its efficient and economical management.

The works to be carried out during the present year and their estimated cost are as follows, mentioned in their order of precedence:

Item.	Proposed Works.	Estimated Cost.
1.	Increased pumping and boiler capacity for Ridgewood, South Side..	\$70,000 00
2.	Extending and remodeling Ridgewood, North Side.....	500,000 00
3.	Cross-connecting force mains leading from the Ridgewood engine-house to Ridgewood Reservoir.....	10,000 00
4.	Replacing existing small tuberculated mains and laying additional mains, to remove dead ends on the Mt. Prospect and New Lots systems	700,000 00
5.	Filter bed for Valley Stream.....	40,000 00
6.	Extension of distribution	300,000 00
7.	Additional hydrants on existing large mains.....	90,000 00
8.	Remodeling of New Lots Station.....	160,000 00
9.	Remodeling of Spring Creek Station.....	175,000 00
	Total estimated cost.....	\$2,045,000 00

The various items in the above schedule will now be briefly discussed:

Item 1. Increased Pumping and Boiler Capacity for Ridgewood, South Side—The battery of Bigelow boilers, installed at this station in 1890, have long passed the limit of economical operation, so that the cost of repairs is excessive and the interruptions to the service due to their poor condition too frequent. It is proposed to replace these boilers by a new battery of somewhat larger capacity than the existing one. The pumping capacity at this station is also to be increased to the extent of 20,000,000 gallons a day by installing a centrifugal pump driven by a steam turbine. The present daily pumping capacity at the North Side, Ridgewood Station, is 90,000,000 gallons, and the daily capacity of the South Side is 50,000,000 gallons, making an aggregate total for both plants of 140,000,000 gallons in 24 hours. Owing to the frequent overhauling and repairs needed on the high duty and complicated engines, the safe aggregate capacity of both stations should not be estimated at more than 100,000,000 gallons per day, assuming one 20,000,000 gallon engine on the North Side and two 10,000,000 gallon engines on the South Side to be out of commission. The average pumping at Ridgewood in February last was approximately 110,000,000 gallons, or 10,000,000 gallons beyond the above estimated safe capacity, and next winter, with the normal increase

in consumption, the conditions will be still worse. The additional engine is, therefore, imperatively needed. The engine proposed is extremely simple, and can be installed at a low cost and within a comparatively short time. Should the results of this centrifugal be such as we have reason to anticipate, it will be adopted later on to entirely remodel this station, which is very uneconomical, and also for the proposed remodeling of the Ridgewood Station on the North Side. There is sufficient floor space on the South Side engine-room for this engine without interfering with the existing ones.

The estimated cost of the engines and boilers herein proposed is, as already stated, \$70,000, and the work would be completed within about eight or nine months from the beginning of work.

Item 2. Extending and Remodeling Ridgewood, North Side—This work is required not only to provide pumping capacity for both the Ridgewood and the high service, but also to secure a considerable economy of operation as well as increased efficiency. In the Annual Report for 1902 will be found a discussion of the plan to concentrate both the Ridgewood and high service pumping at the Ridgewood Station and to suppress the Mt. Prospect Station. It is shown in that report that a yearly saving of about \$35,500 would thereby be secured, which, capitalized at 3 per cent., would represent, in round figures, the sum of about \$1,180,000. Furthermore, that by this plan the high service district could be enlarged, as required by present and prospective conditions, and its efficiency increased; and lastly, that if the Mt. Prospect Station were to be continued, it would have to be enlarged and extended at considerable cost. In pursuance of this plan, the advantages of which are obvious, a 48-inch force main is at present being laid from the Ridgewood engine-house to the Mt. Prospect reservoir and tower, which will be ultimately used to deliver from Ridgewood the water required for the high service system at the Mt. Prospect reservoir and tower.

The plan for the remodeling of the Ridgewood Station provides for the removal of the old No. 3 beam engine, now 35 years old, which would be replaced by a new 20,000,000-gallon engine. Also for two 15,000,000-gallon engines for the Mt. Prospect service, besides the necessary boilers and building extension. Should the turbine and centrifugal pumps which it is proposed to install in the South Side yield the results expected, similar types of engines will be adopted, as already stated, on the North Side, and two 20,000,000-gallon engines will be erected for the Ridgewood service instead of the single one already mentioned, which is to replace No. 3. And in that case a new boiler house would be erected to the west of the present engine house, which would be a counterpart of the boiler house to the east of the latter, and the new engines would be erected within the existing engine house and passageway leading from the latter to the new boiler house. The new boilers would be erected in the new boiler house.

The whole work could be completed for \$500,000, which is the amount of the appropriation herein asked. If, on the other hand, the results from the centrifugal and turbine to be installed on the South Side fell short of our anticipation, the engines to be erected on the North Side would be of the usual vertical compound or triple expansion type, and the total cost of remodeling the station would probably be about \$800,000 more than herein asked. In this case the \$500,000 now to be appropriated would be devoted to the work of remodeling the building and for the boilers and an additional appropriation would be asked next year for the erection of the engines. Should the centrifugal and turbine plan be carried out, the whole work could be completed in about eighteen months from the beginning of work.

Item 3. Cross-connecting Force Mains Leading from the Ridgewood Engine House to Ridgewood Reservoir—This work is required in order to connect the six force mains leading from the Ridgewood Engine House to Ridgewood Reservoir, four of which are 36 inches in diameter, one 42 inches and the other 48 inches. By this means a large decrease would be secured in the frictional head against which the engines now work, owing to the fact that the old 36-inch mains are badly tuberculated and that one of these 36-inch mains is often out of service, since in only one case is there more than one engine connected to a main. In other words, the whole main capacity would at all times be available, whatever the number of engines in service, with the resulting advantage of a considerable decrease in frictional resistance, which means wasteful work.

This work could be completed in four months after beginning work, and it is estimated that the cost, as already stated, would be \$10,000.

Item 4. Replacing Existing Small Tuberculated Mains and Laying Additional Mains, to Remove Dead Ends on the Mt. Prospect and New Lots Systems—As stated in the last annual report and in previous ones, a comprehensive plan has been prepared by this Bureau for remodeling the distribution system throughout the older section of Brooklyn, of which the main features are the provision of new 48-inch trunk mains with the necessary branches, and the laying of other mains from 12-inches to 24-inches, blocking the whole territory through which these mains would be laid in rectangles, so that no house would be more than two blocks distant from one of these new mains, and leaving for the future the replacing of the smaller tuberculated mains within these rectangles. By this means the benefits of the remodeled system were spread over the largest possible territory. Furthermore, this work was to be carried on in three or four years, not only to distribute the expense over a longer period, but to prevent the wholesale and impracticable tearing up of the streets and the resulting interruption to traffic. In pursuance of this plan we have already made contracts for the 48-inch mains, which are under way, and for practically all the mains from 20 inches up. The appropriation herein requested, therefore, is for that part of the plan which it is deemed advisable to carry out this year, of laying 12-inch and 16-inch mains. The appropriation also provides for the connection of dead ends, of which there are 190 on the Mt. Prospect service and about 100 on the New Lots service. Much difficulty is experienced both from leakage in the gates forming the boundary between the high and low service and from the stagnation of water at the dead ends. It is proposed to lay boundary mains in the street forming the limits of the New Lots service and of the Mt. Prospect Reservoir and Tower service. This would greatly increase the efficiency of the distribution system for fire purposes and would do away with the leakage through the gates and avoid the complaints from stagnation of water at the dead ends.

The amount of the appropriation asked for this work is \$700,000, and the work could be completed within about one year after commencing work.

Item 5. Filter Beds for Valley Stream—The water from Valley stream is subject to serious pollution, and, following out the general policy of filtering all the water from the surface streams on the west or old watershed, it is proposed to establish slow sand filters for the water from this brook. The filter beds would be probably of the same type as those adopted for the Simonson's stream, and the water after being filtered would have to be pumped into the conduit at either our present Watts Pond Station or at the proposed Watts Pond Infiltration Gallery Station. We are at present filtering the flow from our Baisleys, Springfield and Horse Brook streams, and have under contract filters for the Simonson's stream. This leaves the Valley Stream, Pines and Schodack brook as the only streams on the old watershed which are not filtered, and of these three streams the Valley stream is much more liable to contamination. It will be proposed next year to filter the Pines and Schodack brook supplies.

The estimated cost of this work is \$40,000, and it could be completed in about six months after beginning work.

Item 6. Extension of Distribution—The work under this head comprises the yearly extension of the distributing mains, for which we have now a particularly large number of petitions from the outlying wards, mainly in the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards. It is proposed to apply about \$150,000 of the amount herein asked for these extensions, which will only be made where houses are either in course of construction or about to be commenced. The other \$150,000 are intended to provide for the cost of laying the most important sections of the large trunk mains from our 48-inch main on Fort Hamilton avenue, which will be necessary to deliver the requisite supply for domestic and fire purposes throughout the outlying wards. This Bureau has recommended the policy of laying each year a portion of these trunk mains and also the distribution mains, as required, so as to ultimately provide adequate distribution for both domestic and fire purposes.

The estimated cost of this work is \$300,000, and it could be completed in about one year from the time of beginning work.

Item 7. Additional Hydrants on Existing Large Mains—When the system of distribution was originally laid out, hydrants were not placed on mains larger than 12 inches in diameter, and this practice has been followed up to recent years. It has resulted in there being a comparatively large length of 20 and 30 inch mains on which no hydrants have been placed and where hydrants would prove of great advantage in case of fire, it being possible to obtain a large supply through these mains. It is proposed to place hydrants on these mains at intervals of about 200 feet. The

estimate includes the cost of a main laid around the Borough Hall Park, with twelve triple nozzle hydrants connected thereto, this main being supplied by the 36-inch main at present crossing the park, thus giving an adequate supply for the fire engines to fight a fire in any of the large buildings surrounding the Borough Hall.

The estimated cost of this work is \$90,000, and it could be completed in about one year from the time of beginning work.

Item 8. Remodeling of New Lots Station—The existing New Lots Station was acquired by the City through the purchase of the Long Island Water Supply Company's plant and is ill-adapted for the purpose to which it was put. The Engineer's house is a frame structure located over the engine room, and the plant has been criticized by the Fire Underwriters on account of danger of interruption of the service by fire in the dwelling over the engine room. This plant can safely supply about 4,000,000 gallons a day with the present wells, and the deep wells which are now being tested may probably give an additional supply of from 1,000,000 to 2,000,000 gallons a day, making the total capacity of the plant between 5,000,000 and 6,000,000 gallons a day. Provision has been made in the remodeling for a new building and steel chimney, with new deep wells, boilers, engines, delivery main and standpipe, so that the station when completed, can pump into a standpipe to supply the high section adjoining the Ridgewood Reservoir, which cannot, at present, be supplied by our Ridgewood or New Lots service, and the system will be so cross-connected to the Ridgewood service that the full capacity of the station can be utilized at all times, even though the consumption of the area supplied be less than the capacity of the station. As has already been discussed in my previous reports, it will be necessary to make some arrangement whereby water can be supplied in the Borough of Queens from the high service standpipe, as it will be many years before the system in the Borough of Queens could economically supply this district.

The estimated cost of this work is \$160,000 and it could be completed in about one year from the time of beginning work.

Item 9. Remodeling of Spring Creek Station—The operation of this station is relatively too costly, as we have two separate pumping plants within a short distance, requiring a separate crew at each plant. The engines and boilers at the old permanent plant are old and wasteful and the engines and boilers at the new plant, which was intended to be a temporary one, are equally antiquated and uneconomical, the material being second-hand when first installed. This results in a very large amount of expenditure, both for fuel and repairs. It is proposed to build a new engine and boiler-house and equip it with modern high duty engines and new boilers. A main would be laid connecting this point with the New Lots or Ridgewood systems, so that the water would be pumped directly into the distribution system instead of being pumped, as at present, into the conduit and flowing for about a mile to Ridgewood, where it is again pumped into the reservoir. By this remodeling we would obtain the economy of high duty in the operation of the engines, a reduction in the force required and the doing away with the cost of pumping at the Ridgewood Station.

The estimated cost of this work is \$175,000, and it could be completed in about one year from the time of beginning work.

Additional Improvements and Extensions Which Are Not Asked for but Which Will Be Needed in the Near Future—In addition to the work outlined above, there will be required not later than next year, additional conduit capacity, both for the eastern and western watersheds, and it will probably prove to be economical to have this conduit constructed to withstand a pressure sufficient to pump the water directly into the Ridgewood Reservoir.

The infiltration galleries now being built can be equipped with high pressure pumps and directly connected to this conduit, and the conduit could be laid, for a greater part of the distance, along the line other than the existing conduit line, thus removing the danger of an interruption to the entire service by a breakage of the main while under high pressure. This conduit would be laid so that it could be readily connected to the Forest Park Reservoir, if it is decided to construct that reservoir.

To increase the supply it will be necessary to add additional infiltration galleries, and the most available site to be developed is the proposed gallery with a central station near the present Springfield Station. If it be deemed advisable, an additional station can readily be established within the City limits and so designed as to pump directly into the distribution system. By this means the water could be furnished at a comparatively low cost.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) I. M. DE VARONA, Chief Engineer.

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Alderman McCall asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Callahan, Coggey, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Lochner, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Stapleton, Stumpf, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, and President Haffen—52.

No. 615.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on May 24, 1904 (Minutes, page 430), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$345,000, for interior baths, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of three hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$345,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay for the acquisition of sites and the construction of buildings for three (3) interior public baths in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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 May 20, 1904, and authorizing 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 by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 three hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$345,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay for the acquisition of sites and the construction of buildings for three (3) interior public baths in the Borough of Brooklyn, 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 three hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$345,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Alderman McCall asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culklin, Davies, Diemer, Donohue, Doull, Downing, Doyle, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Sickles, Stapleton, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—60.

No. 616.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on May 24, 1904 (Minutes, page 432), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$633,000, for interior baths, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of six hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars (\$633,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay for the acquisition of sites and the construction of buildings for four (4) interior public baths in the 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 May 20, 1904, 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 by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 six hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars (\$633,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay for the acquisition of sites and the construction of buildings for four (4) interior public baths in the 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 the amount of six hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars (\$633,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Alderman McCall asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Culklin, Davies, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—55.

No. 617.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on May 24, 1904 (Minutes, page 433), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$75,000, for interior public bath, Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), to provide means to pay for the acquisition of site and the construction of a building for an interior public bath in the Borough of The Bronx.

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 May 20, 1904, 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 by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay for the acquisition of site and the construction of a building for an interior public bath in the 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 the amount of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

President Haffen asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Davies, Dougherty, Dowling, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Stumpf, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—56.

No. 620.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on May 24, 1904 (Minutes, page 438), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds of \$5,000 for preparing indexes in County Clerk's office, Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said 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 is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds thereof to be used in the purchasing and installation of a modern lexicographical index system in the office of the County Clerk of Richmond County.

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

President Cromwell asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Culklin, Davies, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, Meyers, Arthur H. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Schappert, Schloss, Sickles, Stapleton, Stumpf, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wentz, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—60.

No. 638.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on May 24, 1904 (Minutes, page 569), the annexed resolution to provide for incidental expenses of Commissioner of Licenses, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, It will be necessary from time to time for the Commissioner of Licenses to make disbursements for minor and incidental expenses necessary to the proper administration of the Bureau of Licenses, created under the provisions of chapter 432, Laws of 1904, and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has provided a contingent appropriation for such purpose; now be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller of The City of New York be and is hereby authorized and requested to advance to the Commissioner of Licenses on his requisition the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) for the purpose of defraying such minor

and incidental expenses, provided, however, that receipted vouchers therefor be submitted for audit before a further requisition is made.

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Alderman McCall asked and obtained immediate consideration.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culin, Davies, Donohue, Downing, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Harburger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, McCall, Malone, Marks, Arthur H. Murphy, Redmond, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Stumpf, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Cassidy and the Vice-Chairman—46.

No. 656.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 24, 1904 (Minutes, page 582), the annexed resolution in favor of paying bill of P. H. McDonald, \$100, for engrossing resolutions on death of Hon. Marcus A. Hanna, respectfully

REPORT:

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 a warrant in favor of P. H. McDonald for the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100), the said sum to be payment in full for engrossing resolutions on the death of Hon. Marcus A. Hanna, which were adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 16, 1904 and approved by his Honor the Mayor February 23, 1904; the said amount to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies, 1904."

JOHN T. McCALL, JOHN H. DONOHUE, WILLIAM WENTZ, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Alderman McCall asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culin, Davies, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kline, Koch, Lochner, McCall, McCarthy, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Robinson, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Stumpf, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—65.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Alderman Wafer called up Special Order No. 16, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 587.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on May 17, 1904 (Minutes, page 354), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salary of Assistant Deputy Comptroller, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held May 13, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Assistant Deputy Comptroller, in the Department of Finance, be fixed at the rate of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Assistant Deputy Comptroller, in the Department of Finance, at the rate of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) per annum.

PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, FRANK L. DOWLING, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, JOHN H. DONOHUE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Callahan, Coggey, Collins, Culin, Davies, Donohue, Dougherty, Dowling, Downing, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Harburger, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Redmond, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Sturges, Tolk, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, President Cassidy and President Haffen—47.
Negative—Aldermen Baldwin, Chambers, Doull, Doyle, McCall and McCarthy—6.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES RESUMED.

Report of Committee on Finance—

No. 688.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on June 7, 1904 (Minutes, page 842), the annexed communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, requesting an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$8,000, for rebuilding pipe sewer in East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of eight thousand dollars, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to meet the cost of rebuilding the pipe sewer in East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Willow avenue and Walnut avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

JOHN T. McCALL, JAMES W. REDMOND, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, OWEN J. MURPHY, JOHN H. DONOHUE, Committee on Finance.

Alderman Harnischfeger asked and obtained immediate consideration of this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dietz, Dougherty, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gass, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Stumpf, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—61.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Downing asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 757.

AN ORDINANCE relating to the health and comfort of passengers on open cars.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
Section 1. Any person standing in front of a seated passenger, or otherwise occupying the space between any two seats that is for the comfort and for the ingress and egress of passengers in any open car operated in The City of New York who shall refuse upon request to vacate said space shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding fifty dollars or of imprisonment not exceeding three months, or by both fine and imprisonment.

Section 2. A copy of this ordinance shall be prominently posted in every open passenger car in The City of New York, and failure to do so shall subject the cor-

poration or company operating the cars to a penalty of twenty-five dollars for every open car in which the copy of this ordinance is not displayed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads, with instructions to hold a public hearing.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AGAIN RESUMED.

Report of the Committee on Finance.

No. 628.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on May 24, 1904 (Minutes, page 567), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$15,000, for repairing Fulton street, Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), for the purpose of repairing Fulton street in the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Queens.

JOHN T. McCALL, JAMES W. REDMOND, OWEN J. MURPHY, JOHN H. DONOHUE, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, WILLIAM WENTZ, Committee on Finance.

President Cassidy asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Culin, Davies, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Kevin, Kline, Koch, Lochner, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz; President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—61.

Report of Committee on Public Letting—

No. 561.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred, on May 10, 1904 (Minutes, page 313), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to enter into contract, without public letting, for the repair of the 6-inch submarine water-pipe which crosses East river to Riker's Island at Barretto Point, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, and an emergent matter, and therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity is hereby authorized to contract for and enter into an agreement with the Merritt & Chapman Derrick and Wrecking Company for the repair of the six-inch submarine water-pipe which crosses East river to Riker's Island at Barretto Point, in excess of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) without advertisement or public letting.

JOHN J. TWOMEY, FRANK GASS, WILLIAM T. JAMES, PIERCE M. POOLE, JOHN WIRTH, WILLIAM C. BOERNER, ANDREW M. GILLEN, Committee on Public Letting.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culin, Davies, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Stumpf, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—63.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 597.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 17, 1904 (Minutes, page 380), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$25,000, for repairs to Queens County Court-house, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), for the purpose of making alterations and repairs to the Queens County Court-house Building at Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

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 May 13, 1904, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes herein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, 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 twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), for the purpose of making alterations and repairs to the Queens County Court-house Building at Long Island City, Borough of Queens, to wit:

1. Repairs to roof, cornice and metal work of Court-house; new copper mansard roof, gutters and leaders.

2. New roofs on Administration Building and Jail, with copper gutters and leaders.

3. Install new boiler, engine, fan blower, heating chamber, etc., with all the necessary ducts, dampers and connections for heating and ventilating the Court-house and the three floors of the Administration Building.

—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 twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN F. McCALL, JAMES W. REDMOND, OWEN J. MURPHY, JOHN H. DONOHUE, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, WILLIAM WENTZ, Committee on Finance.

President Cassidy asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Davies, Dougherty, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Shea, Stapleton, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—54.

No. 251.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on March 1, 1904 (Minutes, page 700), the annexed communication from the Police Commissioner asking authority to contract for completion of the Seventy-fifth Precinct Station-house without public letting, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, By resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 8, 1903, and approved by the Mayor December 18, 1903, the Commissioner of Police was authorized to accept the estimate of Thomas G. Carlin for extra work required in the construction of a station-house for the Seventy-fifth Precinct in a sum not to exceed three thousand seven hundred dollars, and to award contract for same without public letting; and

Whereas, It appears that the cost of such extra work is five thousand two hundred and sixty-five dollars and fifteen cents; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Police be and he is hereby authorized to pay to Thomas G. Carlin the difference between the amount authorized for such work, three thousand seven hundred dollars, and the actual cost of the same, five thousand two hundred and sixty-five dollars and fifteen cents, viz.: one thousand five hundred and sixty-five dollars, and to award the contract for same without advertising for competing bids.

JOHN T. McCALL, JAMES W. REDMOND, OWEN J. MURPHY, WILLIAM WENTZ, JOHN H. DONOHUE, Committee on Finance.

Police Department of The City of New York,
No. 300 Mulberry street,
New York, February 24, 1904.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Sirs—The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner McAdoo:

Whereas, By resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 8, 1903, and approved by the Mayor December 18, 1903, as follows:

"That permission be and is hereby given to the Police Commissioner to accept the estimate of Thomas G. Carlin for extra work required in the construction of a station-house for the Seventy-fifth Precinct, in a sum not to exceed \$3,700, and to award contract for same without advertising for competing bids;" and

Whereas, It appears from the statement of Thomas G. Carlin, dated February 10, 1904, that the cost of such extra work is \$5,265.15,

Ordered, That the Board of Aldermen be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Police Commissioner to pay to Thomas G. Carlin the difference between the amount authorized for such work, \$3,700, and the actual cost of the same, \$5,265.15, viz.: \$1,565.15, and to award the contract for same without advertising for competing bids.

Ordered, That a copy of the proceedings of February 6, 1904, in this matter, together with a copy of statements of Thomas G. Carlin, dated February 10, 1904, and copy of report thereon of R. Thomas Short, architect, dated February 18, 1904, be respectfully referred to the Board of Aldermen.

Very respectfully,
WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

Extract From Proceedings of February 6, 1904.

Whereas, Contract was entered into with Thomas G. Carlin by the Police Commissioner, for the Police Department of The City of New York, dated May 28, 1903, for the construction of a station-house for the Seventy-fifth Precinct for the sum and price of \$88,800, and it appearing from reports of the architect (R. Thomas Short) that it is necessary to perform additional work on account of the character of the ground where the foundations of said building are to be dug and built, and that four estimates for said work have been received by the Police Commissioner, the lowest being that of said contractor, Thomas G. Carlin; and

Whereas, By resolution adopted December 8, 1903, approved by the Mayor December 18, 1903, the Board of Aldermen adopted the following:

"That permission be and is hereby given to the Police Commissioner to accept the estimate of Thomas G. Carlin for extra work required in the construction of a station-house for the Seventy-fifth Precinct, in a sum not to exceed \$3,700, and to award contract for the same without advertising for competing bids."

Ordered, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of \$3,700 to pay the expense for extra work required in the construction of a station-house for the Seventy-fifth Precinct.

Ordered, That copy of resolution of the Board of Aldermen hereinabove referred to be respectfully referred to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment with these proceedings.

(Copy.)

Office of Thomas G. Carlin, Mason and Builder,
No. 215 Montague Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.,
February 10, 1904.

In Account with City of New York, Department of Police.

To extra foundations dampproofing, etc., as per prices submitted, for the Seventy-fifth Precinct station-house, etc.—

1,068 1-3 linear feet sheath piling, at \$1.50.....	\$1,602 50
385 cubic yards excavating, at \$1.25.....	481 25
2,500 cubic feet concrete base, at 35 cents.....	875 00
71,800 brick laid in Portland cement, at \$21.....	1,507 80
Dampproofing, as per specifications.....	798 60

Total \$5,265 15

(Copy.)

Office of Thomas G. Carlin, Mason and Builder,
No. 215 Montague Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.,
February 10, 1904.

Hon. WILLIAM McADOO, Commissioner, No. 300 Mulberry Street, Manhattan, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—Inclosed please find bill for extra foundations at Seventy-fifth Precinct station-house, etc., at Fourth street, Long Island City.

In relation to same I respectfully call to your attention the facts as follows: The prices for various items were agreed on by Commissioner Greene and myself, but the quantities at the time of starting this work could not be estimated. Commissioner Greene estimated the total cost to be \$3,700, and through the Board of Aldermen had a resolution passed authorizing a contract to that amount. Actual measurement by Architect Short is the basis of inclosed bill, and as the work was completed in October last I respectfully ask your prompt attention to same.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) THOS. G. CARLIN.

(Copy.)

Herbert S. Harde and R. Thomas Short, Architects,
Nos. 3-5 West Twenty-ninth Street,
New York, February 18, 1904.

Hon. WILLIAM McADOO, Police Commissioner, No. 300 Mulberry Street, New York City:

Dear Sir—The inclosed bill from Thomas G. Carlin for extra foundation and waterproofing work at Seventy-fifth Precinct Police Station-house, Long Island City, N. Y., submitted by your Department to me for report on same is herewith returned.

The bill is correct, except that the damp-proofing, as per specifications, is not entirely completed. The amount of work executed is correct. The amounts per foot, yard, etc., were agreed upon by Commissioner Greene some time ago, after obtaining competitive estimates from five contractors. The statements contained in Mr. Carlin's letter attached to this bill are correct.

The Board of Aldermen adopted a resolution on December 8, 1903, which resolution was approved by the Mayor December 18, 1903, granting permission to the Police Commissioner to accept the estimate of Thomas G. Carlin for extra work at the prices charged for in Mr. Carlin's bill, but stating that the total amount was not to exceed three thousand seven hundred dollars (\$3,700). This amount, I had stated to Commissioner Greene, would be an approximate estimate of the cost of the extra work, but on excavating, we found the nature of the ground was worse than we had anticipated, and consequently extra footings had to be built and more sheath piling was required, etc., bringing the cost up to the amount of bill as rendered.

Mr. Carlin, with the approval of myself, and also with the approval of Commissioner Greene, went ahead with this work so as not to delay the erection of the building,

and said work was executed before the resolution was passed and approved. I did not know, neither did Mr. Carlin, that the resolution would limit the expenditure to \$3,700, as Mr. Carlin had given no lump figure except for the damp-proofing. Most of the work, i. e., the excavating, concrete bases, sheath piling and brick being agreed upon at so much per foot, yard, etc.

Should you desire any further information in regard to this I would be pleased to call and consult with you personally.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) R. THOMAS SHORT.

Alderman Redmond asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Coggey, Collins, Culklin, Davies, Diemer, Dietz, Dougherty, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Stumpf, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—65.

No. 594.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on May 17, 1904 (Minutes, page 365), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$25,000, for a crematory for the Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) to provide for the purchase, acquisition or construction of a crematory for the Borough of Queens.

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 May 13, 1904, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, in a communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment dated February 18, 1904, has made requisition for an issue of bonds to the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) to provide for the purchase, acquisition or construction of a crematory, as provided by section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, for the Borough of Queens, therefore be it

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by 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 twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be expended for the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN T. McCALL, JAMES W. REDMOND, OWEN J. MURPHY, JOHN H. DONOHUE, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, WILLIAM WENTZ, Committee on Finance.

President Cassidy asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Culklin, Dietz, Dougherty, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Koch, Lochner, McCall, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Twomey, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—45.

No. 627.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 24, 1904 (Minutes, page 567), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,750, for purchase of book typewriting machines for use in office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,750) for the purpose of purchasing ten book-typewriting machines for the use of the Clerk of the County of Queens.

JOHN T. McCALL, JAMES W. REDMOND, OWEN J. MURPHY, JOHN H. DONOHUE, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, WILLIAM WENTZ, Committee on Finance.

President Cassidy asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

The Vice-Chairman 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, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Collins, Culklin, Davies, Diemer, Donohue, Dougherty, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Griffenhagen, Grimm, Haenlein, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Koch, Lochner, Lundy, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Owen J. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Stumpf, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—62.

Cassidy and Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—62.

Alderman Gillen moved that the Board return to the order of business of Motions, Ordinances and Resolutions.

Which was adopted.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 758.

By the President—

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

By the President—

Philip Satra, No. 24 Thatford avenue, Brooklyn.
Levin L. Brown, No. 170 Broadway, Manhattan.
Max Myers, No. 136 West One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Manhattan.
Emil Ackermann, No. 658 West Thirty-ninth street, Manhattan.
Louis G. Hassett, No. 125 West Thirty-third street, Manhattan.
W. D. Sloane, No. 887 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.
E. B. Dunne, No. 114 West Twenty-ninth street, Manhattan.
Nathaniel Levy, No. 346 Broadway, Manhattan.
Paul C. Cloyd, No. 208 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Manhattan.
Jas. D. Coote, No. 19 West Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan.
Benjamin Hunt, No. 105 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Manhattan.
Alex. Sidney Rosenthal, No. 131 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Boerner—
Louis Straus, No. 690 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Brenner—
Edward Rothschild, No. 124 Boerum street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bridges—
William F. Lynam, No. 376 Pearl street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Culklin—
John C. Gardiner, No. 240 West Fourteenth street, Manhattan.

- By Alderman Diemer—
Henry Roeder, No. 32 Hart street, Brooklyn.
William H. Doherty, No. 119 Nassau street, Manhattan.
Henry Stamm, No. 195 Floyd street, Brooklyn.
- By Alderman Downing—
Thomas H. Wagstaff, No. 202 Park place, Brooklyn.
John F. Finucane, No. 168 Montague street, Brooklyn.
Roswell S. Hunt, Jr., No. 168 Montague street, Brooklyn.
Joseph C. Fisher, No. 168 Montague street, Brooklyn.
Joseph V. Mather, No. 171 Wyckoff avenue, Brooklyn.
William Lewis, No. 168 Montague street, Brooklyn.
- By Alderman Goodman—
Edward Solomon, No. 1765 Madison avenue, Manhattan.
Myles Purvin, No. 309 Broadway, Manhattan.
Gladys Wright, No. 149 Broadway, Manhattan.
Thomas F. Wolfe, No. 74 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Gunther—
Charles R. McCarthy, No. 397 Seventh street, Brooklyn.
- By Alderman Hann—
C. B. Plante, No. 583 Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn.
John V. Ohnewald, No. 280 East Fifth street, Brooklyn.
Adrian C. Grover, No. 251 Hicks street, Brooklyn.
- By Alderman Harburger—
Simon Graboff, No. 189 Avenue B, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Higgins—
Harry Gordon Lynn, No. 210 Waverley place, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Jones—
Roy M. Robinson, No. 30 Broad street, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Kenney—
Edgar I. Hillary, No. 136 Hancock street, Brooklyn.
- By Alderman Kevin—
Louis Weber, No. 400 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.
E. S. C. Littlefield, No. 88 Hooper street, Brooklyn.
- By Alderman McCall—
Leo Strauss, No. 1521 First avenue, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Marks—
Henry Lieb, No. 309 Broadway, Manhattan.
Jacob Klein, No. 206 East Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan.
Isaac Cohen, No. 346 Broadway, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Morris—
Chas. A. M. Rosenbaum, No. 2435 Jerome avenue, The Bronx.
- By Alderman Odell—
John Whalley, No. 321A Fifteenth street, Brooklyn.
- By Alderman Richter—
Joseph T. Ryan, No. 311 West Fiftieth street, Manhattan.
Margaret E. Hart, No. 207 Broadway, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Robinson—
Phenix Ingraham, No. 13 West Ninth street, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Schloss—
Chas. E. Lansing, No. 32 West Ninety-fifth street, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Stapleton—
Ettore DeSteffano, No. 4 Mulberry street, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Stumpf—
Lester S. Holes, No. 989 Fox street, The Bronx.
William La Velle, Home street, Hoe avenue, The Bronx.
- By Alderman Tolk—
Louis Multer, No. 221 Broome street, Manhattan.
- By Alderman Ware—
Thomas J. Shelley, No. 169 East Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan.
Katherine Walsh, No. 32 Nassau street, Manhattan.
The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
- Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Baldwin, Bennett, Boerner, Boyhan, Brenner, Bridges, Callahan, Chambers, Cuklin, Davies, Diemer, Donohue, Dougherty, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Gass, Gillen, Goodman, Grifenhagen, Haenlein, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, James, Jones, Kenney, Koch, Lochner, McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Meyers, Morris, Arthur H. Murphy, Odell, Owens, Poole, Redmond, Richter, Schappert, Schloss, Shea, Stapleton, Sturges, Tolk, Twomey, Ware, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, President Cromwell, President Cassidy, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—57.
- No. 759.
- By Alderman Ware—
Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it do adjourn to meet on Tuesday, June 28, 1904, at 1 o'clock.
Which was adopted.
- No. 760.
- By Alderman Twomey—
Resolved, That it be and is hereby respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that an improved iron drinking fountain be erected and maintained at the northwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Tenth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.
Which was adopted.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

At this point Alderman Haggerty announced that the Railroad Committee would hold a continued hearing on the application of the New York and Port Chester Railroad Company on Tuesday, June 28, 1904, at 11 o'clock A. M., in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Manhattan.

No. 761.

By Alderman Schappert—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Herman Reismann to erect and maintain a watering-trough in front of his premises on the northwest corner of First avenue and Eighty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied 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 adopted.

No. 762.

By Alderman Schloss—
Resolved, That it be and is hereby respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two street lamps be placed and lighted in front of the African Methodist Episcopal Church at No. 129 West Eighty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.
Which was adopted.

No. 763.

By the same—
Whereas, Transportation facilities on the Ninth Avenue Elevated Railroad between the hours of 1 A. M. and 5.30 P. M. (about) are inadequate to the demands of the many who ride regularly thereon, principally market, produce and business men, causing loss of time and subjecting them to the dangers of variable and inclement weathers because of the seemingly unnecessary transfer which they are compelled to make at Fifty-ninth street during said hours; and

Whereas, Several petitions have been filed with the management of the said railroad company respecting the inconvenience, and praying for relief in the shape of through trains, which petitions have thus far brought no response; and

Whereas, The said Ninth Avenue Elevated Railroad is an artery, if not the main one, of transit to the ferries and railroad terminals on the west side of the City to and from which travelers should be afforded better means of communication; and

Whereas, The constantly increasing population and the rapidly developing business interests along the upper west side of the City demand a saving of time in going to and from their homes and businesses and should be accorded some measure of relief compatible with other conditions; therefore

Resolved, That, supplemental to the requests heretofore made, the Interborough Rapid Transit Company be and hereby is requested by the Board of Aldermen to install a system of through trains all night on its Ninth avenue branch of the elevated railroad, so that the relief sought in the foregoing preamble may be afforded.

Resolved, further, That the State Board of Railroad Commissioners be and hereby is requested to give such aid to the foregoing prayer as may be meet and proper in the premises.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

No. 764.

By Alderman Stumpf—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John W. Ward to place, erect and maintain a retaining wall within the stoop line in front of his premises on the northeast corner of Spofford avenue and Manida street, Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.
Which was adopted.

No. 765.

By Alderman Richter—
AN ORDINANCE regulating the sprinkling of the streets, lanes and highways of The City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen as follows:

Section 1. All persons and corporations engaged in sprinkling the streets, lanes or highways of The City of New York shall be required to contract with the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the purchase and sale of the water necessary therefor, and obtain the approval of the President of the Borough to such contract, but in no case shall there be contracted for or used more water than shall be sufficient to thoroughly lay the dust on such streets, lanes and highways.

Every street railroad corporation in the boroughs of Richmond and Queens shall sprinkle the pavement between its tracks and rails when and as often as directed so to do by the Superintendent of Highways. Water shall be furnished for this purpose free of charge by The City of New York.

Sec. 2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of the foregoing section are hereby repealed.

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

No. 766.

By Alderman McCall—
Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the amended Greater New York Charter, to award contracts, without public letting, for making the necessary repairs to the County Court-house in the County of New York, the total expenditure therefor not to exceed the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000).

In connection therewith Alderman McCall presented the following:

Supreme Court, County Court-house—Judges' Chambers, }
New York, June 14, 1904. }

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

We, as members of a committee appointed by the Justices of the Supreme Court to aid in having needed repairs made in the County Court-house, write to recommend the favorable consideration of a resolution which we are informed is to be presented to your Honorable Body, and by which it is sought to authorize the President of the Borough of Manhattan to award contracts for making repairs to the County Court-house, without public letting, the total expenditure not to exceed \$50,000. The work to be done is chiefly in respect to the ventilation of the building, and as this work will be of an experimental character, it seems to us that it ought to be done in parts, so that as a part is done the efficiency of that part may be considered in determining the manner in which the parts that are to follow should be done. In other words it would be well in the doing of this work that we should be able to avail ourselves of the information to be gained from the use of such part or parts of the work as may be finished at any particular time; there will thus be a greater probability of a satisfactory result upon the completion of the whole work.

In the past, plans and specifications prepared upon theories with respect to ventilation have rarely been followed with the results which were sought.

Respectfully yours,

CHARLES H. TRUAX.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 767.

By the same—
Whereas, In accordance with the provisions of resolutions adopted by the Board of Aldermen May 10, 1904, and approved by the Mayor May 19, 1904, the Superintendent of Buildings for the Borough of Manhattan has prepared and submits herewith a comprehensive plan for the reorganization of the Bureau of Buildings, therefore

Resolved, That the said plan, with the recommendations therein contained, is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That it is recommended to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that an issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount equal to the additional expense involved in carrying out said plan of the Superintendent of Buildings be authorized at as early a day as practicable, and the same forwarded to the Board of Aldermen for concurrence therein.

City of New York,
Office of the Superintendent of Buildings for the Borough of Manhattan, }
No. 220 Fourth avenue, June 6, 1904. }

Hon. JOHN F. AHEARN, President of the Borough of Manhattan:

Dear Sir—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on May 10, 1904, and approved by his Honor the Mayor on May 19, 1904, as follows:

"That the Superintendent of the Bureau of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized to prepare a comprehensive plan for the reorganization of the Bureau of Buildings, the salient points of which shall be

"(1st). A numerical increase in the force of Inspectors commensurate with the needs of said Bureau.

"(2d). The laying out of Inspection Districts which shall cover reasonable territory, and in and for which an Inspector may be held to account for transgressions of the Building Rules and Regulations.

"(3d). More reasonable compensation for Inspectors, so that the head of the Bureau may be enabled to procure the services of the best informed in relation to building requirements.

"(4th). A system of examinations under which appointments are to be made which will bring to the service practical and experienced men, rather than men whose qualifications are theoretic and academic."

I hereby respectfully submit the following plan:

(1st). The Inspectors' force is entirely inadequate and should be increased as follows:

25 additional Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry;

8 additional Inspectors of Iron;

4 additional Inspectors of Elevators;

5 additional Inspectors of Plumbing;

—which, with the present number, would make a force of one hundred and fifty (150) Inspectors. I will also require

6 additional Chief Inspectors of Buildings, and

6 Secretaries—or one for each Chief Inspector.

(2d). I propose to lay out the Inspection Districts so that the territory assigned to each Inspector will be such as to enable said Inspector to visit each building in course of erection or alteration in his district daily.

The Inspection Districts will be divided among the Chief Inspectors in proportion to the building operations therein, and they will hold the District Inspectors under their charge strictly accountable for the work assigned them.

(3d). I propose that each Inspector shall receive a salary of \$2,000 per annum; that the Chief Inspector receive \$4,000 per annum; that the Assistant Engineers receive

\$2,400 per annum; and that the present Chief Inspector of Buildings receive \$4,000 per annum.

In my opinion, the Inspectors and Engineers are inadequately compensated for the expert and technical work required of them. The present Inspectors now receive but \$1,200 per annum, which is a small remuneration for their services. They are subject to duty throughout the year, night and day, and I consider their positions and responsibilities the most important in the service of the City. The Engineers of this bureau examine and pass upon all plans filed for the erection and alteration of buildings, a responsibility which should command a much higher compensation than they are now receiving.

The city of Boston pays its Inspectors of Buildings from \$1,800 to \$2,000 per annum; the city of Chicago pays its Inspectors \$1,800 per annum; the Borough of Brooklyn pays an average of \$1,700 per annum; the Department of Education of this City pays its Inspectors of Construction of School Buildings at the rate of \$1,500 per annum; whereas, the Inspectors of this bureau, who are expected to visit every building in this City in the course of erection or alteration, from its commencement to its completion, and to discover every unsafe building, receive but \$1,200 per annum.

The force of Elevator Inspectors is too small. There are five thousand passenger elevators in this borough, and under the provisions of the Building Code this bureau is required to make an inspection of the same at least once every three months. This is a physical impossibility with the present force of twelve Elevator Inspectors, if the inspections are thoroughly and properly made.

If the foregoing plan is adopted, in my opinion there will be no recurrence of such an unfortunate calamity as the falling of the Hotel Darlington building, as each building will be under constant surveillance by competent Inspectors, and this cannot be accomplished with the present force.

The building operations in this City are constantly increasing, plans having been submitted to this bureau during the year 1903 representing an outlay of \$75,104,200 for new buildings, and \$11,308,031 for alterations to buildings; and, in addition, 2,616 buildings were reported by the Inspectors during said period as being in an unsafe condition. From the number of plans submitted during the five months ending May 31, 1904, the indications are that there will be a marked increase in the building operations of the present year over those of 1903.

Trusting that the foregoing plan may be adopted, and believing that the objects thereby sought to be obtained will be accomplished, I remain,

Respectfully,

ISAAC A. HOPPER,

Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

Department of Finance—City of New York, }
June 6, 1904. }

Hon. JOHN F. AHEARN, President, Borough of Manhattan:

Dear Sir—At a recent meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment I was directed to transmit to you the inclosed copy of "Memorial of the Associated Employees of the Bureau of Buildings of The City of New York" relative to salaries of Inspectors of Buildings. You are requested to report your action thereon.

Yours very truly,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

"Memorial."

At the regular monthly meeting of the "Associated Employees of the Bureau of Buildings of The City of New York," held on May 1, 1903, the following resolutions were submitted and unanimously adopted.

Know ye by these presents that

Whereas, The "Constitution" of the "United States" and the "State of New York" have in a spirit of liberty granted unto all citizens the right to join together for mutual protection and advancement; while in the pursuit of happiness and

Whereas, It is a just saying, "That the mechanic is worthy of his hire," which must be admitted in every locality where equity and impartiality prevail; and whether skilled or unskilled, it is but right that the remuneration be in proportion to the value of the services rendered to the employer, be that employer an individual, firm, corporation, community, city or government;

Therefore, In order to set forth in clear, just and concise terms the facts which embody the duties of Inspectors of Buildings, in the "City of New York," the value of their services and responsibilities, and the insufficiency of the salaries paid them in proportion to the extent of said services, added to the consideration of the small percentage of mechanics competent to pass the examinations necessary to qualify, as indicated by the records of the "Civil Service Bureau," we hereby offer this "Memorial."

Stated briefly, the question resolves itself into the simple theorem, under two heads:

I.—Are or are not the present salaries of Inspectors of Buildings adequate or commensurate to the services rendered?

II.—Would the Inspectors be justified in asking for more salary? How should they ask for it? And how proceed successfully in order to obtain an increase in salary?

In answering the first query, it will be necessary to set forth the actual details of the duties and their values, in comparison with others of a similar nature, so we answer:

No; it is not adequate or sufficient, for the following reasons:

By comparison—The wages now prevailing in the trades engaged in the several branches will show that those who inspect the work are paid less than those who execute it, and the annexed schedule will explain that the following prices of labor paid up to May 1, 1903, is taken from the scale of wages paid members of the unions controlled by the New York Board of Building Trades:

Society of Carpenters and Joiners, per day.....	\$4 50
Tar, Felt and Waterproof Workers, per day.....	3 50
Plumbers and Gasfitters, per day.....	4 25
Plain and Ornamental Plasterers, per day.....	5 50
Plasterers' Laborers, per day.....	3 25
Amalgamated Painters and Decorators, per day.....	4 00
Amalgamated Sheet Iron and Metal Workers, per day.....	4 00
Metal Roofers, per day.....	4 00
Bricklayers, per hour.....	60
Steam and Hot Water Fitters, per day.....	4 00
Steam Pipe Helpers, per day.....	2 30
House Shorers and Movers, per day.....	3 50
Cement Masons, per day.....	4 50
Cement and Asphalt Laborers, per day.....	2 50
Electrical Workers, per day.....	4 00
Marble Cutters, per day.....	4 00
Marble Cutters' Helpers, per day.....	2 65
Marble Polishers and Rubbers, per day.....	3 50
Mosaic Workers' Helpers, per day.....	2 65
Tile Layers, per day.....	5 00
Tile Layers' Helpers, per day.....	3 00
Portable Hoisting Engineers, per week.....	24 00
Wood Lathers, per day.....	4 00
Metal Lathers, per day.....	4 00
Granite Cutters, per day.....	4 50
Journeyman Stone Cutters, per day.....	5 00
United Derrickmen, Riggers and Painters, per day.....	3 00
Housesmiths and Bridgemen, per day.....	4 00

From the above schedule it will be seen that the Inspectors of Buildings receive less salary than the wages of any of the mechanics and only 4 cents per day more than the highest paid laborer, despite superior qualifications as skilled mechanics and higher attainments as experts which they must possess to pass the Civil Service examination, as laid down by law. In plain words, they are rated below the status of the union mechanics and rank, in regard to the financial value, slightly above skilled laborers.

Taking up now the question of their increased duties and responsibilities we maintain that the Building Inspectors are entitled to an increased salary for the following reasons, viz.:

I.—By the necessity for closer vigilance on the work.

II.—By its hazardous nature, as buildings are now deeper and higher, and consequently more dangerous.

III.—By the increased technical knowledge required whereby Inspectors must read and keep abreast of contemporaneous practice.

IV.—By the risks involved in night duty, on fires, emergency unsafes, and so forth.

V.—By the fact that Inspectors, on account of their advanced education, knowledge and experience, are entitled to more compensation than the artisans whose varied and different branches of work they must not only be familiar with, but likewise inspect, supervise and see completed according to law, thus placing them on a par with the highest professional element of building construction, composed of architects and engineers, with whom they are in daily consultation in matters of building technics and law.

VI.—By the fact that Inspectors are subject to duty 365 days of the year.

VII.—Because their positions and responsibilities are primarily the most important in the municipal service of New York.

VIII.—The changed and exacting conditions, consequent with the rapid evolution of building construction since the year 1892, when the building code first went into force, a period of ten years has changed the entire nature of the forms of construction, in all details, from brick and timber methods, and elementary plumbing, to the skeleton steel and iron frames, complicated combinations of brick, stone, terra-cotta and various processes which comprise architectural engineering; and similarly with plumbing, for this, too, has undergone a complete revolution of methods and materials, so that the Plumbing Inspector of to-day must be a sanitary engineer; in the same way as a Construction Inspector must combine an architect's and engineer's knowledge, yet there has been no extra or increased compensation for either during these years. Concerning the Inspectors of Iron and Steel Work, it is to be said that they, too, must have had similar experience in the several branches of the trades coming under their supervision; for example, skeleton steel and iron frames and their multitudinous parts, and have worked as practical mechanics for a period of not less than five years, and be familiar with the theory of the construction. With all this requisite knowledge, they are still paid less than the mechanics whose work they superintend and inspect; bridgemen and iron-setters being paid \$5 per diem, while the salary of an Inspector of Iron Work is but \$3.29 per diem, proving that, although the Inspector must be possessed of greater technical knowledge than the mechanic, yet he receives less salary or wages, as you may be pleased to term the compensation. Elevator Inspectors, or Inspectors to supervise elevators, must also be skilled machinists of not less than ten years' experience, be thoroughly familiar with all the electrical and hydraulic machinery used in connection with elevators, and be mechanical engineers and elevator builders, for which qualifications they are paid less than the machinists and builders who erect the elevators.

Furthermore—The Inspectors are entitled to increased salary by the following comparative schedule:

The City of Boston pays its Inspectors of Buildings the sum of \$1,800 to \$2,000 per annum, with a population of 560,000.

City of Chicago pays its Inspectors \$1,800 per annum, with a population of 1,689,575.

City of New York pays its Inspectors \$1,200 per annum, with a population of 3,437,202, or \$600 less than the two sister cities of lesser population.

The United States Government pays each "Superintendent" of Construction in the employ of the "Architect of the Treasury," who is in charge of only one government building from \$6 per diem to \$3,000 per annum, according to the size of the building and the responsibilities involved. Private firms engaged in building construction, also corporations, pay their foremen \$6 and \$8 per day, and superintendents from \$40 to \$100 per week. The Department of Education of New York City pays each Inspector on the construction of one school building only, \$5.50 per diem, \$1,500 per annum. The Bureau of Sewers of The City of New York pays its Inspectors on the construction of new street sewers from \$1,200 to \$2,100 per annum, and this only involves leveling and the superintendence of the brickwork of the sewers. A Tenement House Inspector of The City of New York only requires slight technical knowledge, need have had no experience nor have been as a practical mechanic, yet he obtains a salary of \$1,200 per annum.

We therefore maintain that the present salaries of the Inspectors are too small in consideration of the comparisons set forth above, in addition to which might be added the facts, that the Charter of The City of New York compels them to be men of a calibre superior to any classified in Class D of the Civil Service list, and insists that each and every Inspector of Buildings must have at least five years' practical experience, be a skilled mechanic, pass two examinations, one before the Civil Service Commission and one before the Board of Examiners, either of which may disqualify him for office. The technical knowledge necessary to pass can only be acquired by years of actual practice at a trade or handicraft, and in many cases is absolutely unattainable in less than ten years.

In many of the cases quoted herein we have demonstrated there are many skilled employees of the City who are better paid with much less onerous duties and responsibilities; and for another example we might cite the Inspectors of Masonry on the rapid transit tunnel construction who are at present earning on an average of from \$4.50 to \$5.50 per diem, and with overtime from \$35 to \$40 per week; but the District Inspectors of the Bureaus of Buildings are each responsible for the construction of from 25 to 50 and the legal care, condition and safety of from 500 to 2,000 houses, ranging from the frame shed to the steel skeleton fireproof skyscrapers, receive the least compensation of all, viz.: the small sum of \$3.39 per diem, \$25 per week and \$1,200 per annum.

We therefore ask your Honorable Body to give full and earnest consideration to the statements contained in this "memorial," as we believe it holds facts and figures which are irrefutable and will tend to show the vital necessity for active and urgent action on the part of the association to increase compensations of the Inspectors of the several Bureaus of Buildings by an early and sincere effort to lay these facts before the higher authorities for their consideration and action.

We believe that an increase of salary can be obtained by placing the data and facts as herein set forth in the form of a "memorial" before the Superintendent of each borough, in order that each may scrutinize and approve of the procedure; and when approved or indorsed may serve as an instrument for him to lay before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment when the appropriations for the several departments for the years 1904 are under consideration; or it might be submitted in the meantime to the Presidents of the five boroughs for their approval by the Superintendents of Buildings before the fall of 1903, thus making the "memorial" lawful and regular.

In all the movements which will affect the welfare and progress of individuals and organizations a time arrives when concerted action becomes necessary; that the initiative must be taken, and the best ideas and methods essential to success be transmitted to paper; this, we believe, we have done in this "memorial," and such are fairly and impartially set forth.

Recognizing, however, the truth that there are many members among your Honorable Body whose suggestions and propositions would tend to strengthen and improve the value of the document, it is submitted in this elementary form as a simple basis for future action, and the promotion, discussion and interchange of ideas on the extremely important subject of increasing salaries.

The present progressive movement of the time shows that never in the mechanical history of New York have the trades and crafts reached such a scientific height, and we in conclusion put forward our request as being fair, just, equitable and due our increased attainments and responsibilities.

With the assurance to the organization of our best efforts in all things vital and beneficial to its members this "memorial" is very respectfully submitted.

Signed by committeemen of Inspectors from each borough.

HERBERT W. SMITH, Manhattan,
PATRICK H. SMITH, Brooklyn,
JOHN J. MONTGOMERY, The Bronx,
RICHARD DUNNE, Richmond,
JOHN CHAPMAN, Queens.

Committee on "Memorial."

Dated the 18th day of April, 1903.

Approved, adopted and signed,

OWEN B. MAGINNIS,

President of Associated Employees of the Bureaus of Buildings, City of New York.

Dated the 1st day of May, 1903.

Resolved, That copies of this "memorial" be made and sent to each of the Superintendents of the Bureaus of Buildings of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Richmond and Queens; also to the Mayor, Borough Presidents and members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Carried and so ordered.

Which was adopted.

No. 768.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of P. H. McDonald for the sum of forty dollars (\$40), the said sum to be payment in full for engrossing resolutions as follows: On the death of Hon. Joseph Schilling, adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 1, 1904, and approved by the Mayor March 7, 1904; on the death of Hon. Arthur Guthrie, adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 22, 1904, and approved by the Mayor March 24, 1904; the said sum to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies, 1904."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 769.

By Alderman Arthur H. Murphy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Tesoro to construct and maintain a retaining wall, not to exceed five feet in height, in front of his premises on One Hundred and Eighty-first street, between Hughes and Belmont avenues, Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 770.

By Alderman Harburger—

AN ORDINANCE relative to the distribution of unclaimed balances of intestate estates, remaining in the City Treasury.

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

Section 1. The Comptroller may distribute and pay any unclaimed balance of an intestate's estate remaining in the City Treasury, to the persons legally entitled thereto, whenever he, and the Public Administrator, shall be satisfied that the person claiming the same is legally entitled thereto; but, if they be not satisfied thereof, they shall report the case to the Board of Aldermen, for their direction.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

No. 771.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is respectfully requested to increase the salaries of the Court Attendants of the Municipal Courts of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx from one thousand dollars to twelve hundred dollars per annum, the latter being the amount paid to Court Attendants in the Magistrates' Courts.

Which was adopted.

No. 772.

By Alderman Gaffney—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of the estate of John Bickmann for the sum of eighteen dollars (\$18), the said sum to be payment in full for furnishing three coaches on the occasion of the funeral of the late Hon. William R. Grace, the same to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies, 1904."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 773.

By Alderman Doull—

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of three hundred and seventy dollars and fifteen cents (\$370.15), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to meet the expenses of the Special Committee of the Board of Aldermen appointed May 10, 1904, to inquire into the charges made in the public press in relation to the New York and Port Chester Railroad Company.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 774.

By Alderman Dougherty—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Schmidt to erect and maintain a water trough in front of his premises, No. 349 St. Ann's avenue, Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Owens moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Vice-Chairman declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, June 28, 1904, at 1 o'clock P. M.

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN

LOCAL BOARD, WASHINGTON HEIGHTS DISTRICT.

At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District, held May 10, 1904, the following members were present: Aldermen Goodman, Meyers, Grifenhagen, Davies and President Ahearn.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

The President presented for the Board's consideration the matter of changing the grade of West One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Broadway and Riverside Drive extension, and the closing of the passageway under the Riverside Drive extension.

The Consulting Engineer reported, under date of May 6, that he did not believe the passageway should be closed, but that there could be no objection to a connection between West One Hundred and Fifty-first street and the Drive by means of inclined approaches.

Mr. Seth P. Robinson, representing Jessie Gillender, owner of water front between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, stated that he had just been informed of the proceeding under way, and would require some time to investigate the subject.

Mr. John Allen Wall appeared before the Board and stated that he was not ready to give his views on the subject.

Mr. F. Stuart Williamson objected to the closing of the passageway under the Riverside Drive extension.

Mr. J. Romaine Brown, representing 150 feet on West One Hundred and Fifty-first street, and also Mrs. Fellows, owner of property on this street, was heard in support of the petition.

The President submitted for the Board's consideration communication from Washington Heights Taxpayers' Association to the effect that this association favored the change of grade on West One Hundred and Fifty-first street, so as to give an approach to the Riverside Drive extension.

On motion, the matter was laid over for two weeks, and the Alderman of the District requested to make a report on the subject.

The President submitted for the Board's consideration petition for the widening of Boulevard Lafayette, "and the laying out of tributary streets to the said widening, between West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street."

Mr. J. C. Butterly appeared before the Board as being in favor of this proposition. Mr. J. Romaine Brown, representing Mr. L. L. Smith, stated that he was in favor of 30 feet being taken instead of 40 feet.

As there was no report from the Commissioner of Public Works on this subject, matter was laid over two weeks, and the Alderman of the District requested to make a report on the subject.

Petition for the laying out for use as a public park, land bounded by West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Hamilton place and Broadway.

The Engineer of Street Openings reported that in consideration of the great number of charitable and benevolent institutions which were in the immediate neighborhood, that a small park should be created at this location. The estimated cost is \$115,000.

The following gentlemen appeared before the Board in support of this project:

Hon. Josiah T. Newcomb, Mr. John P. Leo and Mr. M. Warley Platzek.

On motion, the following resolution was introduced and adopted:

Whereas, A petition for a local improvement described below has been received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan; and

Whereas, He has appointed a time for a meeting of this Local Board not more than fifteen days after the receipt by him of the said petition, at which meeting the said petition would be submitted by him to the said Local Board, and he has caused the notice to be published in the CITY RECORD that said petition has been presented to him and is on file in his office for inspection, and of the time when and the place where there would be a meeting of this Local Board at which the said petition would be submitted by him to the said Board, which time was not less than ten days after the publication of this notice; and

Whereas, The said petition was duly submitted thereafter to the said Local Board, which did duly consider the same, and give a full hearing thereon; now therefore it is

Resolved, by the Local Board of the Washington Heights District, That the said petition be and the same hereby is granted; and it is hereby

Resolved, That this Board does hereby recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the laying out for use as a public park the land bounded by Broadway, West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Hamilton place, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.

And it is hereby further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.

The President presented for the Board's consideration petition for the laying out of West One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Boulevard Lafayette to the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

On motion, the following resolution was introduced and adopted:

Whereas, A petition for a local improvement described below has been received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan; and

Whereas, He has appointed a time for a meeting of this Local Board not more than fifteen days after the receipt by him of the said petition, at which meeting the said petition would be submitted by him to the said Local Board, and he has caused the notice to be published in the CITY RECORD that said petition has been presented to him and is on file in his office for inspection, and of the time when and the place where there would be a meeting of this Local Board at which the said petition would be submitted by him to the said Board, which time was not less than ten days after the publication of this notice; and

Whereas, The said petition was duly submitted thereafter to the said Local Board, which did duly consider the same, and give a full hearing thereon; now therefore it is

Resolved, by the Local Board of the Washington Heights District, That the said petition be and the same hereby is granted; and it is hereby

Resolved, That this Board does hereby recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the laying out on the map or plan of The City of New York, new street to be known as the continuation of West One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from the Boulevard Lafayette to the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.

And it is hereby further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.

The President presented for the Board's consideration the matter of acquiring title to land on the east side of the Boulevard Lafayette, at or near Dyckman street, for park purposes. The Engineer of Street Openings reported further on the subject and showed the estimated cost to be \$16,200.

On motion, subject was laid over for two weeks.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

BERNARD DOWNING, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466, Laws of 1901, section 383, I transmit the following report of the transactions of this office for the week ending June 8, 1904, exclusive of Bureau of Buildings:

Permits Issued.	
Sewer connections and repairs.....	57
Water connections and repairs.....	60
Laying gas mains and repairs.....	45
Placing building material on public highway.....	16
Constructing vault.....	1
Crossing sidewalk with team.....	6
Miscellaneous permits.....	26
Total.....	211
Number of permits renewed.....	32
Money Received for Permits.	
Sewer connections.....	\$861 42
Restoring and repaving streets.....	770 67
Vault privileges.....	354 00
Total deposited with the City Chamberlain.....	\$1,986 09

LABORING FORCE EMPLOYED DURING THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 4, 1904.

Bureau of Highways.	
Foremen.....	48
Assistant Foremen.....	10
Teams.....	101
Carts.....	16
Inspectors.....	8
Mechanics.....	69
Laborers.....	648
Total.....	900
Bureau of Sewers.	
Foremen.....	9
Assistant Foremen.....	6
Carts.....	14
Inspectors.....	3
Mechanics.....	5
Laborers.....	107
Total.....	144

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President Borough of The Bronx.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

LOCAL BOARD—STATEN ISLAND DISTRICT.

Meeting, Tuesday, June 7, 10 A. M.
Present—Aldermen Collins and Shea, President Cromwell.
The minutes of the meeting of May 17 were approved.

Petition 473.

To extend Southfield Boulevard eastward. First hearing. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works to prepare map in connection with proposed extension of the Southfield Boulevard to Tottenville.

Petition 474.

To open First street, Ward 1, westward to Lafayette avenue, to lay a sewer from Franklin avenue to Lafayette avenue, and to pave and curb that section of the street, when opened. First hearing.

President Cromwell stated that the petition involved four separate actions:

1. To place First street, from Franklin avenue to Lafayette avenue, on the map or plan of The City of New York, or so much of it as is not already on the map. 2. To open the street, as described, or so much of it as is not already accepted as a public street. 3. To lay a sewer. 4. To make surface improvements.

Mr. Thomas Garrett, attorney, representing the Messrs. Hart and Dr. Pentz, owners of abutting properties, asked that the petition be laid over in order that he might consult with other owners and file a formal protest.

Mr. W. H. C. Russell, petitioner, owner of abutting property and buildings, stated that his property suffers from existing conditions and that an established grade and a sewer are necessary.

Laid over and referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

Petition 475.

To lay a sanitary sewer in Bay avenue, Ward 3, to tidewater. First hearing.

Petitioners described the offensive and unhealthful conditions which make a sewer necessary. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works to report.

Complaint of Nuisance.

Mr. E. C. Delavan addressed the Board in relation to conditions unhealthful and injurious to property which exist between Jersey street and Westervelt avenue, Ward 1, embracing the valley watershed from the top of Bismark avenue to and including Seventh avenue, and asked that a system of grades and drainage be laid out by the Borough President, under the provisions of the Charter, as a preliminary to improvements.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

MAYBURY FLEMING, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

JUNE 7, 1904.

Present—Walter Cook, Warren A. Conover, William C. Smith, Charles G. Smith, Edward F. Croker, Charles Brendon and William J. Fryer (Chairman).

Meeting called to order at 2 P. M.

On motion, minutes approved as read.

Appeal 61—N. B. 96 of 1904, West Eighth street, Thirty-first Ward, Coney Island. Referred to Chief Croker and Mr. C. G. Smith for report. Laid over at last meeting for one week. Appeal amended. Laid over pending report of Committee.

Appeal 73—N. B. 331 of 1904, Nos. 320 and 322 Fifth avenue, Manhattan, Robert Maynick, appellant.

"To construct a deck-house on the roof of Nos. 320 and 322 Fifth avenue, to be used as a toilet-room, barber shop and two locker-rooms." Mr. Julius Frank appeared before the Board.

On motion, denied.

Appeal 74—Alteration 240 of 1904, No. 709 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, The Bronx, Gustave Schwarz, appellant.

"No. 1—Proposed extension is unlawful (section 142 of Code).

"If the proposed extension could only be built in width of present building the rooms of new extension will be small for their purpose, therefore an appeal is made for a modification of the law, that the said extension could be built as per plans.

"That full width of lot for new extension could be used as shown on plans.

"Larger and more comfortable rooms." Mr. Gustave Schwarz appeared before the Board.

On motion, approved as amended, the appellant agreeing that all outside walls be brick-filled.

Adjourned.

THOMAS F. DONOHUE, Clerk.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Borough of The Bronx.

June 11—Appointment of George Lane, Poplar street, Westchester, Carpenter, at a compensation at the rate of \$4 a day, to take effect this date.

Appointed.

John E. Farrell, No. 837 East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, Foreman Mason, at a compensation at the rate of \$100 a month.

John F. Walsh, Jr., Riverdale lane, Gardener, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day.

Cortland B. Latelle, No. 101 West One Hundred and First street, Carpenter, at a compensation at the rate of \$4 a day.

Patrick Long, No. 606 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Driver with horse and cart, at a compensation at the rate of \$3 a day.

William Lynch, No. 706 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, Driver with wagon and team, at a compensation at the rate of \$4.50 a day.

Joseph Sherer, No. 672 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, Paver, at a compensation at the rate of \$4.50 a day.

Charles E. Sopriewski, Ninth street and Fourth avenue, Williamsbridge, Laborer Rockman, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day.

Joseph Geraghty, Green avenue and Fifth street, Westchester, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day, Laborer Rockman.

John S. Klunder, Tenth street and Fourth avenue, Williamsbridge, Laborer Rockman, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day.

Patrick Leonard, No. 612 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, La-

borer Rockman, at a compensation at the rate of \$3.50 a day.

John J. McGuinness, No. 748 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Laborer Rockman, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day.

Frank A. Wager, No. 3116 Third avenue, Laborer Rockman, at a compensation at the rate of \$3 a day.

Thomas F. McCall, Westchester, Laborer Rockman, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day.

Lexington Field, Westchester, Laborer Rockman, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day.

Martin Honohan, Westchester, Laborer Rockman, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day.

Joseph H. Moore, Westchester, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day, Laborer Rockman.

James E. Dawson, Wakefield, Laborer Rockman, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day.

William J. Bannan, No. 673 East One Hundred and Forty-second street, Laborer Rockman, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day.

Transferred.

John Hughes, Tenth street and Avenue C, Unionport, Driver, from the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx to this Department, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 a day.

James W. Brown, No. 223 Willis avenue, Plumber, from the Department of Street Cleaning to this Department, at a compensation at the rate of \$4.50 a day.

Appointed.

William E. Thorne, Riverdale, Driver with wagon and team, at a compensation at the rate of \$4.50 a day.

Discharged.

Henry Brendle, No. 700 East one Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Driver with wagon and team.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

June 13—

Appointed, June 13—

Thomas J. Nealis, Driver, No. 1674 Third avenue.

Pay Fixed—

John Walsh, Blacksmith's Helper, \$3 per day.

Edward Coyle, Park Laborer, \$2.25 per day.

Edward F. O'Neill, Park Laborer, \$2.25 per day.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

June 15—Garrett W. Cotter, No. 441 Lexington avenue, Supervising Inspector; salary increased from \$1,500 per year to \$1,800 per year, and title changed to Inspector of Tenements. This change to take effect July 1, 1904.

Anna E. Slyman, No. 334 East Seventeenth street, Typewriting Copyist; salary increased from \$750 per year to \$900 per year, and title changed to Stenographer. This change to take effect July 1, 1904.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

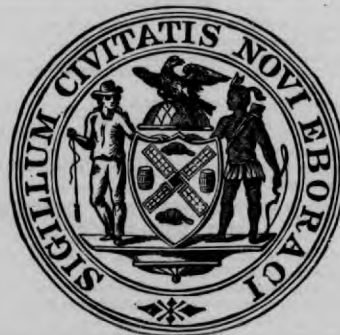
Office of the City Clerk, City Hall, New York, June 11, 1904.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Friday, June 17, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering the subject contained in the communication from the Mayor under date of June 7, 1904, regarding water supply.

All persons interested in the above matter are respectfully invited to attend.

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.



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Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEUBURGER, MARTIN T. McMAHON and WARREN W. FOSTER, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. 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.
General Term, Part I.
Part II.
Part III.
Part IV.
Part V.
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 H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, THEODORE F. HASCALL, FRANCIS B. DELEHANTY, SAMUEL SEABURY, Justices THOMAS F. SMITH, Clerk.

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—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM E. WYATT, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLARD H. OLMSTED, JOSEPH M. DEUBL, LORENZ ZELLER, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, 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, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.

Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, ROBERT J. WILKIN, 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. ROBERT J. WILKIN, Justice. JAMES P. SINNOTT, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN M. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, PETER P. BARLOW, MATTHEW P. BREEN, SEWARD BAKER, ALFRED G. OMEN, CHARLES S. WHITMAN, JOSEPH MOSS.
PHILIP BLOCH, Secretary.
First District—Criminal Court Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

SECOND DIVISION.

Borough of Brooklyn.
City Magistrates—ALFRED E. STEERS, A. V. B. VOORHEES, JR., JAMES G. TIGHE, EDWARD J. DOOLEY, JOHN NAUMER, E. G. HIGGENBOTHAM, FRANK E. O'RIELLY, HENRY J. FURLONG.
President of Board, JAMES G. TIGHE, No. 184½ Bergen street.
Secretary to the Board, THOMAS D. OSBORN, West Eighth street, Coney Island.
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—Gates and Reid avenues.
Seventh District—Grant street (Flatbush).
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Borough of Queens.

City Magistrates—MATTHEW J. SMITH, LUKE J. 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.
DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. THOMAS O'CONNELL, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room corner of Grand and Centre streets.
HYEMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's Office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens 10 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. ANDREW LANG, Clerk.

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 Fifth 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.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and continues open until close of business.
DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. 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. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings and return causes called at 9.30 A. M. Calendar trial causes, 10 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 MARZBACH, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventieth street. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. MICHAEL SKELLY, Clerk.

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, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9.45 A. M.

FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HEMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

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. 2630 Broadway.

ALFRED P. W. SEAMAN, Justice. JAMES V. GILLOON, Clerk.

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. 200 East Broadway.

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 opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. THOMAS F. DELEHANTY, Clerk.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 5 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, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.

JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice. THOMAS A. MAHER, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards 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.
Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Second District—Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 127 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 10 o'clock A. M.

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice; JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court opens at 10 o'clock.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.

THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice.
G. J. WIEDERHOLD, Clerk.
R. M. FENNE, T. Assistant Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fifth District—Eighth, Twenty-second, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-house, Bay Twenty-second street and Bath avenue, Bath Beach. Telephone, 8, Bath Beach.
CORNELIUS FURGUESON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five wards). Court-room, No. 46 Jackson avenue, 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, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
THOMAS C. KADLEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes 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. HENRY WALTER, JR., Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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, 189 Jamaica.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock 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.

JOHN J. KENNY, Justice. ANNING S. PRALL, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court held each day, except Saturdays, from 10 A. M. to 12 M.
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 held each day from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and continued until close of business.

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

MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1904.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FIFTH AVENUE (Briell street), from Broadway to Graham avenue, First Ward.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) days.

The amount of the security required is Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,950 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.
12,000 cubic yards of embankment, to be furnished.

9,950 square feet of new bluestone flagstone, furnished and laid.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON THIRD AVENUE (Lathrop street), from Washington avenue to Graham avenue, First Ward.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) days.

The amount of the security required is Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,575 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.
6,000 cubic yards of earth excavation.

12,500 square feet of new bluestone flagstone, furnished and laid.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, BRIDGING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FIFTEENTH AVENUE, from Broadway to Newtown road, First Ward.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) days.

The amount of the security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,250 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.
1,800 cubic yards of earth excavation.

6,200 square feet of new bluestone flagstone, furnished and laid.
130 square feet of new bluestone bridging.

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, BRIDGING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON SIXTH AVENUE (Bartow street), from Broadway to Graham avenue, First Ward.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) days.
The amount of the security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

ments of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 28th day of June, 1904, at 11 A. M., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF
MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 13, 1904.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of the City of New York, that a petition signed by a property owner and resident of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements to pave with asphalt West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Amsterdam avenue and Broadway, 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 28th day of June, 1904, at 11 A. M., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF
MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 13, 1904.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of the City of New York, that a petition signed by a property owner and resident of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements, to pave with asphalt West One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway, 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 28th day of June, 1904, at 11 A. M., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF
MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 13, 1904.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of the City of New York, that a petition signed by a property owner and resident of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements to lay out and extend upon the map or plan of The City of New York West One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Broadway to Fort Washington 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 Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 28th day of June, 1904, at 11 A. M., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,
Deputy Comptroller, 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.

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"North Side News," "Westchester Independent," "Bronx Sentinel."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Islander," "Staten Island Star," "Richmond County Herald," "Richmond County Democrat."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

"Long Island Daily Star," "Flushing Daily Times," "Flushing Evening Journal," "Newtown Register," "Jamaica Standard," "Rockaway News," "Long Island Farmer."

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard Union," "Brooklyn Free Press," "Brooklyn Weekly News," "Flatbush Weekly News."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

"Harlem Local Reporter" (Harlem District), "Democracy" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights, and Harlem Districts).
Designation by Board of City Record April 26, 1904.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, June 15, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Fifty-eighth Auction Sale of Unclaimed Property will be held at Police Headquarters, No. 300 Mulberry street, on

JUNE 28, 1904.

at 10 o'clock A. M., consisting of Revolvers, Guns, Air guns, Pistols, Razors, Tools, Knives, etc., etc.

John A. Dunn, Auctioneer.

THOMAS F. O'CONNOR,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.
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.

THOMAS F. O'CONNOR,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY Property Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 16 Smith 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.

JOSEPH J. CAREY,
Deputy Property Clerk.

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, March 26, 1904.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
OSCAR S. BAILEY,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M. on

TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, PAINTS, IRON, STEAMFITTERS, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.
The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before 10 days.

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 totals and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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 and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated June 14, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M. on

TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES.
The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.

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 totals and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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 and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.

Dated June 7, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 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, JUNE 28, 1904.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

CONTRACT FOR COAL.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 375 TONS WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE "STOVE" COAL, 175 TONS WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE "PEA" COAL, 60 TONS GEORGE'S CREEK CUMBERLAND COAL FOR BLACKSMITH'S USE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1904.

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 contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed per ton, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total for each item and awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made within the yard of the Department of Street Cleaning, on the south side of West Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh avenue and Twelfth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13-21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JUNE 13, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column of the "City Record."

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 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, JUNE 28, 1904.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 30, 1904.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per hundred pounds, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, and awards will be made to the lowest bidder 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 Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

F. M. GIBSON,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JUNE 13, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 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, JUNE 28, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 30, 1904.

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 contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per hundred pounds, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, and awards will be made to the lowest bidder 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 Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

F. M. GIBSON,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JUNE 13, 1904.

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 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

THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1904.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

CONTRACTS FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LONG LEAF YELLOW PINE LUMBER.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is two calendar weeks.

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 thousand feet, board measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

Delivery will be required to be made at One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and Madison avenue.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

F. M. GIBSON,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JUNE 13, 1904.

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 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 noon, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 17, 1904.

Borough of The Bronx.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before April 15, 1905.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

The bidder will state the price per cubic yard by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read and awards made to the lowest bidder per cubic yard.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JUNE 3, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 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 noon, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 17, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before April 15, 1905.

The amount of security required is \$100,000, if the contract is let for the entire Borough of Manhattan; and \$10,000 for each district, if the bid is for less than the entire eleven districts into which the Borough is divided for the purposes of the Department of Street Cleaning.

Each bid must be for one or more of the eleven districts into which the Borough of Manhattan is divided for the purposes of the Department of

Street Cleaning, and must state a price per cubic yard of snow and ice, for the actual fall of snow, as determined by the United States Weather Bureau, and the prices may differ for each of the said districts.

Awards, if made, will be to the lowest bidder for each of the said districts.

The amount of snow removed under contract in the Borough of Manhattan during the winter of 1903 and 1904 was 3,278,000 cubic yards.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JUNE 3, 1904.

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.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated JUNE 3, 1904.

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 401, No. 320 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, June 13, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held in the office of the Board, Room 401, No. 320 Broadway, on next Thursday, 16th inst., at 2.30 P. M., on the application of the New York and Jersey Railroad Company for a franchise to extend its line from its present proposed terminus at Christopher and West Tenth streets via Ninth street to Fourth avenue.

ALEXANDER E. ORR,
President.

BION L. BURROWS,
Secretary.

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BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN pursuance of the provisions of chapter 161, Laws of 1889, and chapter 356, Laws of 1894, that on Tuesday, June 28, 1904, the Board of Assessors of The City of New York will meet at its office, No. 320 Broadway, Manhattan, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of giving a hearing to all concerned upon and in order to make the apportionment or assessment for the expense of the following named improvements in the Borough of Brooklyn (former Town of Flatbush), as in the said laws provided:

List 6794. Sewers in east side of Ocean parkway, from Beverley road (Avenue B) to Ditmas avenue (Avenue E); in East Seventh, East Eighth and East Ninth streets, from Beverley road to Ditmas avenue; in Coney Island avenue (east and west sides), from Beverley road to Ditmas avenue, and in Avenues C and D, from Ocean parkway to Coney Island avenue.

The district upon which it is proposed to levy the said assessment includes the east side of Ocean parkway, and both sides of East Seventh, East Eighth and East Ninth streets, and Coney Island avenue, from Ditmas avenue to Beverley road; both sides of Avenue C and Avenue D, from Ocean parkway to Coney Island avenue.

List 6795. Sewers in East Twenty-first street, between Avenues C and D; in East Nineteenth street, between Avenues C and D; in East Eighteenth street, between Avenues C and D; in East Seventeenth street, between Avenues C and D; in East Fourteenth street, between Avenues C and D; in East Thirteenth street, between Avenues C and D; in East Twelfth street, between Avenues C and D; in East Eleventh street, between Avenues C and D; in Avenue G, between Coney Island avenue and Flatbush avenue; and in Avenue D, between East Eleventh street and Flatbush avenue.

The district upon which it is proposed to levy the said assessment includes both sides of East Eleventh, East Twelfth, East Thirteenth and East Fourteenth streets, from Avenue C to Avenue E; both sides of East Seventeenth, East Eighteenth, East Nineteenth and East Twenty-first streets, from Avenue C to Avenue D; both sides of Avenue C, from Coney Island avenue to Flatbush avenue, and both sides of Avenue D, from East Eleventh street to Flatbush avenue.

The assessment roll and map, showing each lot or plot so to be assessed, together with the amount proposed to be levied on each lot or plot, is now on file in the office of the said Board of Assessors, and open to the inspection of all interested.

ROBERT MUH,
ANTONIO ZUCCA,
CHARLES A. O'MALLEY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary.

No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
June 16, 1904.

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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.:

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 7640, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and paving with asphalt pavement Seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.

List 8028, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, paving gutters and laying cement sidewalks in Tenth avenue, between Thirty-ninth street and New Utrecht avenue.

List 8071, No. 3.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 8033, No. 10. Temporary sewer and appurtenances in Fourth avenue, between Fifteenth and Eighteenth streets; in Fifth avenue, between Fifteenth and Seventeenth streets; in Sixteenth street, between White Plains road and Fifth avenue; in Seventeenth street, between summit west of Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, and in Eighteenth street, between summit west of Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue.

List 8038, No. 11. Rebuilding receiving-basins on East One Hundred and Sixty-first street at the following locations: Melrose avenue, at the northeast corner, southeast and southwest corners; Park avenue, at the northwest and southwest corners; Sherman avenue, at the northeast and northwest corners; opposite Sherman avenue, south side of street; Sheridan avenue, at the northwest and southwest corners; and constructing receiving-basins on East One Hundred and Sixty-first street at the following locations: Grant avenue, at the northeast corner, and Sheridan avenue, at the northeast and southeast corners.

List 8043, No. 12. Receiving-basins and appurtenances on Ogden avenue, at the southeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, and northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; on Forest avenue, at the northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-first street and southwest corner of One Hundred and Sixtieth street; on East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, at the southeast corner of Tinton avenue and northeast corner of Jackson avenue; on Bergen avenue, at the northeast corner of Rose street and southeast corner of Grove street and northwest corner of Grove street; on Brook avenue, at the northwest corner of Rose street, at the southeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and southwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street; at the southeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, at the southeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and southwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; on East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, at the northeast corner of Ryder avenue and southeast corner of Ryder avenue; on Park avenue, at the southeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and southeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and at the southeast corner of St. Paul's place; on Park avenue, East, at the northeast corner of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and southeast corner of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, at the northeast corner of One Hundred and Eighty-third street and southeast corner of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, at the northeast corner of One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, at the northeast corner of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and southeast corner of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; on Park avenue, West, at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Eighty-second street and northwest corner of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; on Morris avenue, at the northeast corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and southeast corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, to connect with the Park avenue sewer at East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; on Bainbridge avenue, at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street.

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 Seventh street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Tenth avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to New Utrecht avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighteenth street, from Cortelyou road to Dorchester road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Linden avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Rogers avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Olive street, from Devoe street to Metropolitan avenue, and from Grand street to Powers street.

No. 6. Both sides of Nineteenth street, from Avenue C to Newkirk avenue; both sides of Avenue D, from East Nineteenth street to East Sixteenth street; both sides of Ditmars avenue, from Ocean avenue to East Nineteenth street; north side of Newkirk avenue, from Ocean avenue to East Nineteenth street; both sides of Avenue C, from Fifteenth to Nineteenth street; both sides of East Eighteenth street, from Beverly road to Avenue D; both sides of East Seventeenth street, from Beverly road to Avenue D; both sides of East Sixteenth street, from Beverly road to Avenue C; west side of Ocean avenue, from Newkirk avenue to Ditmars avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of Nostrand avenue, from Midwood street to President street; east side of Rogers avenue, from Midwood street to Sullivan street; west side of Rogers avenue, from Maple street to Sullivan street; both sides of New York avenue, from Malbone street to President street; both sides of Brooklyn avenue, from Malbone street to President street, excepting east side of Brooklyn avenue, from Crown to Montgomery street; both sides of intermediate streets between Nostrand avenue and New York avenue, and Malbone street and Montgomery street; north side of Midwood street, from Rogers avenue to Nostrand avenue; both sides of Maple street, from Rogers avenue to Nostrand avenue; both sides of Lincoln road and Lefferts avenue, from Bedford to Nostrand avenue; both sides of Sterling street, from Rogers to Nostrand avenue; both sides of Malbone street, from Rogers avenue to Brooklyn avenue; both sides of Montgomery street, from a point distant about 381 feet west of Nostrand avenue to Brooklyn avenue; both sides of Crown street, from a point distant about 195 feet west of Nostrand avenue to Brooklyn avenue; both sides of Carroll street, from Nostrand to Brooklyn avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Tenth avenue, from Academy street to Broadway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Exchange place, from Broad street to William street.

No. 10. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from Fifteenth to Eighteenth street; both sides of Fifth avenue, from Fifteenth to Seventeenth street; both sides of Sixteenth street, from White Plains road to Fifth avenue; both sides of Seventeenth street, from a point distant about 452 feet west of Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue; both sides of Eighteenth street, from a point distant about 435 feet west of Fourth avenue to Fourth avenue; both sides of Kingsbridge road, from Fourth avenue to Eighteenth street; both sides of Old White Plains road, from Fourth avenue to Eighteenth street (Wakefield).

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Elton avenue to Cortlandt avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Park avenue to Morris avenue; north-west side of Park avenue, from One Hundred and Sixtieth to One Hundred and Sixty-first street; block bounded by Grant and Morris avenues and One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets; south side of One Hun-

dred and Sixty-first street, from Morris avenue to Mott avenue; east side of Sheridan avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-eighth to One Hundred and Sixty-first street; north side of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, extending about 160 feet west of Sheridan avenue; block bounded by One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, Sherman avenue and Grant avenue; block bounded by Sheridan and Sherman avenues, One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets; block bounded by One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, Sheridan avenue and Grand Boulevard and Concourse; west side of Sheridan avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

No. 12. North side of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Ogden avenue to Summit avenue; west side of Ogden avenue, extending about 210 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; south side of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Nelson to Ogden avenue; east side of Ogden avenue, extending about 220 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; east side of Jackson avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-eighth to One Hundred and Sixtieth street; south side of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Forest to Jackson avenue; south side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Union to Tinton avenue; east side of Jackson avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-first to One Hundred and Sixty-third street; south side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Forest to Jackson avenue; east side of Forest avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-first to One Hundred and Sixty-third street; east side of Bergen avenue, from Westchester avenue to Grove street; north side of Rose street, from Brook avenue to Bergen avenue; west side of Brook avenue, from Rose to Grove street; both sides of Bergen avenue, from Grove street to Brook avenue; west side of Brook avenue, from Grove street to Brook avenue; triangle bounded by Grove street, Brook avenue and Bergen avenue; south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Brown place to St. Ann's avenue; south side of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Brown place to St. Ann's avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Ryder to Third avenue; west side of Third avenue, extending about 48 feet south of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and about 100 feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; south side of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Park to Washington avenue; south side of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Park to Washington avenue; west side of Washington avenue, extending about 266 feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; east side of Park avenue, from One Hundred and Seventieth street to St. Paul's place; south side of St. Paul's place, from Park to Washington avenue; west side of Park avenue, West, from Tremont avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; east side of Park avenue, East, from Tremont avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Washington to Park avenue, East; west side of Park avenue, West, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth to One Hundred and Eightieth street; east side of Park avenue, East, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth to One Hundred and Eightieth street; north side of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Park avenue, East, to Washington avenue; west side of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-second to One Hundred and Eighty-third street; north side of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Webster to Park avenue, West; east side of Webster avenue, extending about 85 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-second street; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Park avenue, East, to Washington avenue; west side of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-second to One Hundred and Eighty-third street; north side of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Washington avenue to Park avenue, East; south side of One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Park avenue, East, to Washington avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, from Park avenue, East, to Washington avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, extending about 425 feet easterly from Morris avenue; east side of Park avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; west side of Bainbridge avenue, from One Hundred and Ninety-fourth to One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street; north side of One Hundred and Ninety-fourth and south side of One Hundred and Ninety-sixth streets, from Bainbridge to Briggs avenue.

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 July 12, 1904, at 1 P. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ROBERT MUH,
ANTONIO ZUCCA,
CHARLES A. O'MALLEY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
June 10, 1904. }
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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following-named streets to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before June 28, 1904, at 1 o'clock P. M., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 8095. Brook avenue, from East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Third avenue, except where already paved.

List 8096. Canal place, from the south line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the south line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

List 8101. Hull street, from East Two Hundred and Seventy street to Gun Hill road.

List 8102. Lafayette avenue, from Longwood avenue to the Bronx river.

List 8106. One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Summit avenue to Anderson avenue.

List 8108. One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

List 8110. One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue.

List 8111. One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Boston road to Crotona Park, East.

List 8112. One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Fulton avenue to Park avenue.

List 8113. One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

List 8114. One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, East, from Boston road to Southern Boulevard.

List 8115. One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Park avenue to Third avenue.

List 8117. One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, East, from Park avenue to Third avenue.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 8121. Hamburg avenue, between Cornelia street and Moffat street.

List 8123. Ashford street, between Jamaica and Arlington avenues.

List 8124. Christopher street, between East New York avenue and Livonia street.

List 8125. Euclid avenue, between Atlantic and Liberty avenues.

List 8126. Fifty-fifth street, between New Utrecht avenue and Fifteenth avenue.

List 8127. Fifty-fifth street, between New Utrecht avenue and Kouwenhoven lane.

List 8128. Green street, from Provost street to the end of the cobble-stone pavement about 200 feet west.

ROBERT MUH,

ANTONIO ZUCCA,

CHARLES A. O'MALLEY,

Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,

Secretary,

No. 320 Broadway,

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
June 10, 1904. }
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DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COMMISSIONER OF BRIDGES WILL
sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

FRIDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF JUNE, 1904,

at 10 o'clock A. M., on the premises, all the buildings and parts of buildings and existing structures with all the materials in or appurtenant thereto, then contained within the following described parcels of land, situate in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, to wit:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Plymouth street with the westerly side of Adams street, and running thence along the westerly side of Adams street south 2 degrees 32 minutes 44 seconds west (200.11'); thence north 87 degrees 21 minutes 26 seconds west (70.00'); thence north 2 degrees 38 minutes 34 seconds east (100.11'); thence north 87 degrees 21 minutes 26 seconds west (45.18'); thence north 2 degrees 32 minutes 44 seconds east (100.00'); thence north 87 degrees 24 minutes 55 seconds east (115.00') to the point or place of beginning, known as Nos. 118 to 124 Plymouth street and No. 137 Water street, and formerly occupied by Dodge & Olcott.

The said buildings and parts of buildings and existing structures above referred to will be sold only on condition that the purchaser enter into a contract to remove the said buildings, structures or parts thereof, and all materials comprising the same, including the tin, sheet iron, pipes and refuse therein and therefrom, and that he give or furnish a bond in an amount equal to twice the amount bid for each building or part of building so sold, and in such form and with such sureties as may be required or may be approved by the Commissioner of Bridges, to perform all the terms and conditions in the said contract contained. No bond will be accepted for a less amount than one hundred dollars (\$100).

The whole of the purchase price bid and the auctioneer's fees shall be paid by the successful bidder in cash or bankable funds at the time of the sale, which sale will be made in conformity with this advertisement, the contract, specifications, and bond, copies of which may be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Bridges, Nos. 13-21 Park row, The City of New York, where a plan showing the number and location of the buildings and parts of buildings may be seen.

Removal of said buildings to be begun within five days after the date of sale with a sufficient force to complete the removal within sixty days.

For failure to comply with any or all of the terms of sale the money paid on day of sale will be forfeited, and the building or buildings will be sold on account of the purchaser, and if any part thereof remain unsold it may be disposed of as waste.

The Commissioner of Bridges reserves the right, on the day of the sale, to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings included in any of the foregoing parcels, and to sell the same separately.

Dated The City of New York, June 7, 1904.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, 13-21 PARK ROW, }
MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK. }

GEORGE E. BEST,

Commissioner of Bridges.

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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The American," "The Morning Telegraph."

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Weekly—"The Gaelic American," "The New York Realty Journal."

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Designated by the Board of City Record, April 26, 1904.

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 11 o'clock A. M., on

MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. SANITARY REPAIRS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2, 9, 28, 54, 67, 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 2.....\$700 00
Public School 9.....600 00
Public School 28.....500 00
Public School 54.....300 00
Public School 67.....600 00

No. 2. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT, IN ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 17, ON THE NORTH SIDE OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, 150 FEET WEST OF THIRD AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 50 working days. The amount of security required is One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FORMING KINDERGARTEN ROOMS ON FIRST STORY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 159, ON ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREETS, BETWEEN SECOND AND THIRD AVENUES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 30 working days. The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

Borough of Queens.

No. 4. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 11, 14, 16, 19, 20, 27, 31, 58, 72, 76, 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 as follows:

Public School 1.....\$700 00
Public School 2.....500 00
Public School 4.....500 00
Public School 6.....600 00
Public School 7.....500 00
Public School 11.....1,600 00
Public School 14.....1,100 00
Public School 16.....1,400 00
Public School 19.....1,200 00
Public School 20.....1,300 00
Public School 27.....600 00
Public School 31.....300 00
Public School 58.....4,000 00
Public School 72.....900 00
Public School 76.....400 00

No. 5. REPAIRING FURNITURE ETC., IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 4, 7, 47, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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 1.....\$600 00
Public School 4.....700 00
Public School 7.....500 00
Public School 47.....1,400 00

Borough of Richmond.

No. 6. ADDITION TO AND IMPROVING PREMISES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 12, ON STEUBEN STREET, RHINE AND DANUBE AVENUES, CONCORD, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time of completion is 90 working days.

The amount of security required is Twenty-three Thousand Dollars.

On Contracts Nos. 2, 3 and 6 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contracts Nos. 1, 4 and 5 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.

The 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 may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be 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 Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, for work for their respective boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

JUNE 16, 1904.

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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 Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Normal College at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock A. M., on

MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

NORMAL COLLEGE.

FOR REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE PRESENT HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN THE NORMAL COLLEGE BUILDINGS, PARK AND LEXINGTON AVENUES, SIXTY-EIGHTH AND SIXTY-NINTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be to September 1, 1904, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, at estimating room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

ALRICK H. MAN,

Chairman, Executive Committee.

JUNE 16, 1904.

j15,27

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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

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 1904.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 2. ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 18, 20, 27, 28, 30, 31, 35 AND 38, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is 55 working days on each school, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 1.....\$500 00
Public School 2.....1,000 00
Public School 3.....400 00
Public School 4.....800 00
Public School 9.....1,400 00
Public School 10.....600 00
Public School 18.....700 00
Public School 20.....600 00
Public School 27.....400 00
Public School 28.....700 00
Public School 30.....600 00
Public School 31.....1,000 00
Public School 35.....600 00
Public School 38.....1,500 00

No. 4. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 29, ON THE WEST SIDE OF TRINITY AVENUE BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is 90 working days. The amount of security required is \$7,000.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 5. ITEM No. 1, FOR BUILDING ADDITION, ETC., AT No. 29 NORFOLK STREET, ADJOINING PUBLIC SCHOOL 75, SITUATED AT No. 25 NORFOLK STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is \$7,500.

No. 6. FOR REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT OF PARTITIONS AT THE RECREATION PIER, EAST RIVER, AT THE FOOT OF THIRD STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on item 1 will be ten (10) working days, as provided in the contract.

Estimates are to be submitted for the completion of Items 2, 3, 4 and 5, in 24 working days, the work being carried on in the ordinary manner, and for completion in 12 working days, the contractor to employ double shifts of men and to work day and night.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$1,000 00
Item 2.....	2,500 00
Item 3.....	200 00
Item 4.....	1,300 00
Item 5.....	200 00

Bidders are to submit a proposal for Item 1, and also a separate amount for all work called for in Item 2, 3, 4 and 5, and the award will be made to the person whose bid shall be for the lowest aggregate amount for all of the items.

Borough of Queens.

No. 7. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 22, ON THE NORTH-EAST CORNER OF SANFORD AVENUE AND MURRAY STREET, FLUSHING, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 150 working days.
The amount of security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 8. ITEM 2. ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 17, PROSPECT AVENUE, NEW BRITTON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time of completion is 50 working days.
The amount of security required is \$1,500.
On Contracts 4, 5, 7 and 8 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contracts 3 and 6 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.

The 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 may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be 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 Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, and Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, for work for their respective boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.

JUNE 11, 1904. j10,22

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SOUTH-WEST CORNER 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 Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education, until 3 P. M., on

MONDAY, JUNE 20, 1904.

ITEM NO. 1.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR REPAIRING AND ERECTING GYMNASIUM APPARATUS AND FURNISHING ALL REQUIRED MATERIALS AND REPAIRING, REPLACING AND SETTING IN POSITION THE MATERIAL FOR VACATION SCHOOL PLAYGROUNDS.

ITEM NO. 2.

Borough of The Bronx.

FURNISHING ALL REQUIRED MATERIALS AND REPAIRING, REPLACING AND SETTING IN POSITION THE MATERIAL FOR VACATION SCHOOL PLAYGROUND.

ITEM NO. 3.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FURNISHING ALL REQUIRED MATERIALS AND REPAIRING, REPLACING AND SETTING IN POSITION THE MATERIALS FOR VACATION SCHOOL PLAYGROUNDS NOW AT OR TO BE TRANSFERRED TO VARIOUS SCHOOLS, AND FURNISHING ALL REQUIRED MATERIALS AND REPAIRING, REPLACING AND SETTING UP IN POSITION THE WORKBENCHES, HORSES, SHELVES, HOUSEKEEPING GOODS, ETC., FOR VACATION SCHOOLS NOW AT OR TO BE TRANSFERRED TO VARIOUS SCHOOLS; ALSO TAKING UP AND STACKING FURNITURE IN VARIOUS CLASSROOMS.

ITEM NO. 4.

Borough of Queens.

REPAIRING AND ERECTING MATERIAL FOR VACATION SCHOOLS AND PLAYGROUNDS.

The time for furnishing and delivering the materials and the completion of the work, as provided in the contract, will be on or before July 7, 1904.

The amount of security required on Item No. 1 is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600); Item No. 2, One Hundred Dollars (\$100); Item No. 3, Fifteen Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$1,550); Item No. 4, Eighty Dollars (\$80).

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. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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 Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

PATRICK JONES,
Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated JUNE 9, 1904. j9,20

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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, JUNE 20, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR IMPROVING THE SANITARY CONDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 37, 33, 37, 53, 54, 71, 118 AND BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL, 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 31.....	\$2,000 00
Public School 33.....	500 00
Public School 37.....	2,800 00
Public School 53.....	4,300 00
Public School 54.....	600 00
Public School 71.....	6,000 00
Public School 118.....	1,900 00
Boys' High School.....	1,300 00

No. 2. ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, NOSTRAND AVENUE, CORNER HALSEY STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 55 working days.
The amount of security required is Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

On contract No. 2 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.
On Contract No. 1 the bidders must state the price of each or any article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The 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 may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be 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 Office, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.

JUNE 9, 1904. j8,20

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BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 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, JUNE 23, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE (1) AUTOMOBILE FOR USE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the delivery of the article and the performance of the contract is ten (10) days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars.

In submitting bid the make must be stated.
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 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 Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President.

Dated JUNE 9, 1904. j10,22

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 NO. 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, JUNE 23, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO INSTALL NEW PLUMBING AND FIXTURES IN THREE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIVE CELLS, MEN'S PRISON, ALSO ALTERATIONS IN TWO TOILET ROOMS, KINGS COUNTY JAIL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is eighty (80) days.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

A deposit of \$10 in cash or certified check will be required for each set of plans and drawings, which will be refunded upon the return of said plans and drawings to the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices, Room 29, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

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 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 Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President.

Dated JUNE 8, 1904. j10,22

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 NO. 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, JUNE 23, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ENGINEERS AND DRAUGHTSMEN'S SUPPLIES TO THE BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles and supplies and the performance of the contract expires December 31, 1904.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Five 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 pound, ton, dozen, gallon, 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 obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President.

Dated JUNE 4, 1904. j9,22

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 NO. 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, JUNE 23, 1904.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING DOUGLASS STREET, from Plaza street to Underhill avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

960 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

53,783 cubic yards of earth excavation.

50 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and twenty (120) working days.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Albemarle road to Beverley road.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

365 square yards of brick gutters, on concrete foundation.

2,069 cubic yards of earth excavation.

40 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

1,674 linear feet of concrete curb.

8,215 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 Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING EAST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from Glenwood road to Avenue H.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

245 cubic yards of earth excavation.

245 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

1,662 linear feet of concrete curb.

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. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, from Second avenue to the Shore road.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

3,515 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

28,850 cubic yards of earth excavation.

9,470 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

170 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is eighty (80) working days.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF FLATBUSH AVENUE, from Nostrand avenue to Avenue N.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

35,770 square yards of macadam pavement, including gutters and bridging.

420 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

3,770 square yards of brick gutter pavement, not to be bid for.

4,680 square feet of new bluestone bridging, not to be bid for.

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 Eleven Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ATLANTIC AVENUE, from East New York avenue to Atkins avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

30,240 square yards of asphalt pavement, including heading stones.

270 square yards of adjacent pavement.

4,920 cubic yards of concrete.

8,620 linear feet of new curbstone.

1,720 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

4 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

11,360 linear feet of heading stones, not to be bid for.

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 Twenty-five Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Third avenue to Sixth avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

7,140 square yards of asphalt block pavement.

30 square yards of adjacent pavement.

1,100 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

3,860 linear feet of new curbstone.

430 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

16 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 Dollars.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FRANKLIN AVENUE, from Eastern parkway to Washington avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

6,460 square yards of asphalt block pavement.

130 square yards of adjacent pavement.

1,080 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

3,430 linear feet of new curbstone.

2,070 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

8 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 Dollars.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SEVENTH AVENUE, from Fourteenth street to Twentieth street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

5,950 square yards of wood block pavement, 3 1/2 inches in depth.

100 square yards of adjacent pavement.

1,010 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

2,740 linear feet of new curbstone.

910 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

2 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 Eight Thousand Dollars.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SUMNER AVENUE, from Gates avenue to Lafayette avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

5,950 square yards of wood block pavement, 3 1/2 inches in depth.

100 square yards of adjacent pavement.

1,010 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

2,740 linear feet of new curbstone.

910 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

2 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 Eight Thousand Dollars.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SUMNER AVENUE, from Gates avenue to Lafayette avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,450 square yards of wood block pavement, 3 1/2 inches in depth.

30 square yards of adjacent pavement.

450 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

1,860 linear feet of new curbstone.

370 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

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 Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF VAN BUREN STREET, from Tompkins avenue to Stuyvesant avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

11,640 square yards of wood block pavement, 3 1/2 inches in depth.

30 square yards of adjacent pavement.

1,910 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

5,500 linear feet of new curbstone.

610 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

31 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street, Manhattan.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES,
Fire Commissioner.
J13,23
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Macomb's road, between its junction with Jerome avenue, north of West One Hundred and Seventieth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by this Board, May 20, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Macomb's road, between its junction with Jerome avenue opposite Marcy place and Macomb's road north of West One Hundred and Seventieth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

1. The grade at Jerome avenue and Marcy place to be 48.5 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;
2. The grade at the tangent point at the eastern curb-line of Macomb's road, being 48.82 feet northerly of the intersection of the eastern curb-line of Macomb's road with the westerly curb-line of Jerome avenue, to be 51.5 feet above mean high-water datum;
3. The grade at a point in Macomb's road 95 feet southerly of the intersection of the southern side-line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street with the western side-line of Macomb's road, to be 57.5 feet above mean high-water datum;
4. The grade at the intersection of Macomb's road with West One Hundred and Seventieth street to be 56.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
5. The grade at the tangent point of the eastern curb-line of Macomb's road where the same connects with the southern curb-line of that part of Macomb's road, which runs in a northwesterly direction from Jerome avenue, to be 49.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of June, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.
J13,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out a public park at the entrance to Washington Bridge, to be bounded by Boscobel avenue, Aqueduct avenue, Featherbed lane, Macomb's road and Devos street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by this Board, 20th day of May, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public park at the entrance to Washington Bridge, to be bounded by Boscobel avenue, Aqueduct avenue, Featherbed lane, Macomb's road and Devos street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of June, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.
J13,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Logan street, between Fulton street and Dinsmore place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by this Board 20th day of May, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Logan street between Fulton street and Dinsmore place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

1. Beginning at the intersection of Logan street and Fulton street, the elevation to be 41.78 feet, as heretofore;
2. Thence southerly to the intersection of "Street," the elevation to be 43.50 feet;
3. Thence southerly to the intersection of Dinsmore place, the elevation to be 39.30, as heretofore;

All elevations refer to mean high-water datum as established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of June, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.
J14,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out an approach to the bridge over Prospect avenue on the line of Seelye street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by this Board 24th day of May, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an approach to the bridge over Prospect avenue on the line of Seelye street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

1. Thence easterly along the southerly line of Seelye street, 30 feet, more or less;
2. Thence southerly along a line at right angles with Seelye street, 150 feet, more or less;
3. Thence westerly along a line parallel with Seelye street, 82 feet, more or less, to the easterly line of Prospect avenue;
4. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Prospect avenue 159 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

Known as Lots Nos. 3 and 6, Block 65, Twenty-ninth Ward Map, Borough of Brooklyn.

Beginning at the intersection formed by the southerly line of Seelye street with the westerly line of Prospect avenue;

1. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Prospect avenue, 192 feet, more or less;
2. Thence northerly along a line at right angles with Seelye street, 181 feet, more or less, to the southerly line of Seelye street;
3. Thence easterly along the southerly line of Seelye street, 63 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of June, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.
J13,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Vanderbilt street, between Coney Island avenue and Prospect avenue; and Sherman street, between Reeve place and Seelye street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by this Board 20th day of May, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Vanderbilt street, between Coney Island avenue and Prospect avenue; and Sherman street, between Reeve place and Seelye street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Vanderbilt street and Prospect avenue, the elevation to be 73.08 feet, as heretofore;

1. Thence easterly to the intersection of Sherman street, the elevation to be 71.35 feet;
2. Thence easterly to the intersection of Coney Island avenue, the elevation to be 73.42 feet, as heretofore.

Beginning at the intersection of Sherman street and Reeve place, the elevation to be 63.75 feet, as heretofore;

1. Thence northerly to the intersection of Vanderbilt street, the elevation to be 71.35 feet;
2. Thence northerly to the intersection of Seelye street, the elevation to be 95.00 feet, as heretofore.

All elevations refer to mean high-water datum, as established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of June, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.
J13,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out for use as a public park the land bounded by Broadway, West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Hamilton place, Twelfth Ward, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by this Board on the 20th day of May, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Appor-

tionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out for use as a public park the land bounded by Broadway, West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Hamilton place, Twelfth Ward, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point the southeasterly corner of Broadway and West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly along the southerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the westerly line of Hamilton place, distance 113.56 feet; thence southerly along the westerly line of said place, distance 217.08 feet; thence still southerly along said westerly line and deflecting to the right 2 degrees 37 minutes and 41 seconds, distance 66.54 feet to the easterly line of Broadway; thence northerly along the easterly line of Broadway, distance 259.83 feet to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, the point of place of beginning.

Land to be taken is found in Section 7, Block 1988 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of June, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.
J13,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to close and discontinue the public park at the southeast corner of Pearl and Broad streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by this Board on the 20th day of May, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing the public park at the southeast corner of Pearl and Broad streets, now occupied by "Fraunces' Tavern," in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of June, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.
J13,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out an extension of West One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the new avenue bounding High Bridge Park on the west, and establishing suitable grades therefor in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 20th day of May, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an extension of West One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street from Amsterdam avenue to the new avenue bounding High Bridge Park on the west, and establishing suitable grades therefor in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue distant 214.83 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; thence easterly and parallel to said street, distance 291.31 feet to the westerly line of the new avenue west of High Bridge Park; thence northerly along said westerly line, distance 60.10 feet; thence westerly and parallel, to first course, distance 287.95 feet to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said easterly line, distance 60 feet to the point of place of beginning.

Grades—West One Hundred and Eighty-sixth Street.

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue and the centre line of the new West One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, elevation 186.68 feet above City datum; thence easterly along the centre line, distance 289.63 feet to the easterly line of the new avenue, west of High Bridge Park, elevation 168.19 feet.

The land for the new street is found in Section 8, Block 2149 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of June, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.
J13,15

In the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

WHEREAS, THE COMMISSIONER OF Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of The City of New York, acting for and in behalf and in the name of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 as amended, has selected and determined certain real estate (as the term "real estate" is defined in the said Act) in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, as and for sources of public water supply in and for The City of New York, and deems it necessary to take and acquire the same and all the rights, titles and interests therein, and to extinguish all claims for damages on account of such rights, titles and interests, or growing out of such taking, for the purpose of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York, and of providing additional water works to supply The City of New York with water; said lands to be used for the development and improvement of the Gravesend Pumping Station; and

Whereas, The said Commissioner has prepared and submitted, under date of April 25, 1904, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, a map (Plate No. 2531) showing the said real estate to be taken and acquired as aforesaid, as provided in the said Act; therefore be it

Resolved, That a public notice be given of a hearing to be held by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 1st day of July, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which a full opportunity shall be afforded to any and all persons interested to be heard respecting such map and the taking and acquisition of the real estate as shown thereon.

Resolved, That such public notice be published once in each week for three successive weeks in the CITY RECORD, and in the Corporation newspapers, and in two papers published in the Borough of Brooklyn and County of Kings, in which borough and county the real estate to be taken and acquired is situated, and in two daily papers published in The City of New York.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at the meeting of said Board, held on the 20th day of May, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.
J13,15

In the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

WHEREAS, THE COMMISSIONER OF Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of The City of New York, acting for and in behalf and in the name of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 as amended, has selected and determined certain real estate (as the term "real estate" is defined in the said Act) in the Counties of Queens and Nassau, as and for sources of public water supply in and for The City of New York, and deems it necessary to take and acquire the same and all the rights, titles and interests therein, and to extinguish all claims for damages on account of such rights, titles and interests, or growing out of such taking, for the purpose of maintaining, preserving and increasing the supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York, and of providing additional water works to supply The City of New York with water; said lands to be used for the construction of additional conduits between Millburn Reservoir and Spring Creek Pumping Station; and

Whereas, The said Commissioner has prepared and submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under date of April 25, 1904, a map (Plate No. 2370) showing the said real estate to be taken and acquired as aforesaid, as provided in the said Act; therefore be it

Resolved, That a public notice be given of a hearing to be held by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 1st day of July, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which a full opportunity shall be afforded to any and all persons interested to be heard respecting such map and the taking and acquisition of the real estate as shown thereon.

Resolved, That such public notice be published once in each week for three successive weeks in the CITY RECORD, and in the Corporation newspapers, in two papers published in Queens County, in two papers published in Nassau County, in which counties the real estate to be taken and acquired is situated, and in two daily papers published in The City of New York.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at the meeting of said Board, held on the 20th day of May, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.
J13,15

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, ROOM No. 207 STUART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, JUNE 8, 1904.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON ON

TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 1904.

No. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING STONE WALL BOUNDARY FENCING ON THE NEW CROTON DAM DIVISION OF THE NEW CROTON AQUEDUCT, IN THE TOWNS OF YORKTOWN AND CORTLAND, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

The security required will be Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

The work shall be entirely completed to the satisfaction of the Aqueduct Commissioners on or before the expiration of (8) eight months from the signing of the contract.

The work to be done consists in constructing one hundred and thirty thousand (130,000) linear feet of stonewall fencing.

No. 2. FOR BUILDING FOUR HIGHWAY BRIDGE SUPERSTRUCTURES ACROSS THE NEW YORK AND PUTNAM, NEW YORK AND HARLEM, AND MAHOPAC BRANCH RAILROADS, IN THE TOWNS OF YORKTOWN, SOMERS AND LEWISBORO, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

The security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

The bridges will be required to be finished and erected approximately by January 1, 1905, and as more fully set forth in Clause "I." of the contract.

The work to be done consists in furnishing, erecting and painting, complete and ready for travel:

Bridge Q—Over the New York and Putnam Railroad, near Kitchawan Station, Road No. 17.

Bridge R—Over the New York and Harlem Railroad, near Katonah, Road No. 26.

Bridge S—Over Mahopac Branch (new route) New York and Harlem Railroad, Road No. 31½.

Bridge T—Over Mahopac Branch (new route) New York and Harlem Railroad, Road No. 31½.

The work is authorized by chapter 497, Laws of 1883, of the State of New York, and the amendments thereto.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, where the plans may be seen.

WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK,
President.
J13,28

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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 2 O'CLOCK P. M. ON

THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.
CONTRACT No. 858.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING G 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 for Class I, \$50, and Class II, \$50.

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 class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each 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 and the samples may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,

Commissioner of Docks.

Dated JUNE 10, 1904.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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 2 O'CLOCK P. M. ON

THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.
CONTRACT No. 859, Class I.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SAND.

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—
For class I, the sum of Nine Hundred Dollars.

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 and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,

Commissioner of Docks.

Dated JUNE 3, 1904.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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.

CHARLES J. COLLINS,

Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

WATER RATES FOR 1904-5 WILL BE DUE and payable May 1, 1904.

If not paid before August 1, 1904, a penalty of five per cent is added and if not paid before November 1, 1904, 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 as nec.

Address George H. Creed, 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 envelope for return to secure prompt attention.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,

Commissioner.

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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, JUNE 16, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) CUBIC YARDS BROKEN STONE OF TRAP-ROCK, AND FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) CUBIC YARDS SCREENINGS OF TRAP-ROCK, FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for delivery will be before October 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is Eight 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, the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

JOHN J. PALLAS,
WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners.

Dated JUNE 1, 1904.

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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, JUNE 16, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHTY (80) TONS NO. 1 TIMOTHY HAY, FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for delivery will be before January 1, 1905. The amount of security required is Eight Hundred 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, the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

JOHN J. PALLAS,
WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners.

Dated JUNE 1, 1904.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, 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, Municipal 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 advertisement 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 particular profession for which the examination is called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers as matters of news, and to the General Postoffice 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 minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK, MAY 4, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions:

MAY 20, 1904.
ASSISTANT ENGINEER, AQUEDUCT COMMISSION—TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Saturday, June 11, at 12 M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Technical.....	50
Experience.....	20
Mathematics.....	15
Report.....	15

Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.

Candidates should be familiar with all engineering work connected with reservoirs, aqueducts, water supply and kindred matters.

The salary attached to this position is from \$1,200 to \$1,800 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

MESSSENGER—MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Friday, June 3, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects	Weights.
Duties and City Information.....	5
Arithmetic.....	1
Writing.....	1
Experience.....	3

Candidates should have a working knowledge of localities, car and ferry routes.

A physical examination is required preliminary to the mental.

The salary attached to this position is from \$600 to \$1,200 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

HENRY BERLINGER,

Secretary.

CHEMIST—TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Monday, June 20 at 4 P. M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical.....	6
Mathematics.....	1
Experience.....	3
Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.	

Candidates should be familiar with analysis in general, and particularly with water analysis.

The salary attached to this position is \$1,200 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

INSPECTOR OF LICENSES—WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29, 1904, AT 10 A. M. Open to men and women.

The receipt of applications will close on Tuesday, June 21, at 4 P. M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Duties.....	6
Arithmetic.....	1
Experience.....	3
Percentage required is 70.	

Appointees will be called on to perform the duties required under the recent law affecting employment agencies.

About twenty vacancies exist in this position. The salary is \$1,500 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

LAW CLERK—THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, June 22, at 4 P. M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Spelling.....	15
Dictation.....	15
Handwriting.....	30
Arithmetic.....	20
Letterwriting.....	20
Special paper.....	5

70 per cent is required on each branch.

One vacancy at present exists in the office of the Commissioner of Licenses.

Salary attached to this position is \$1,500.

The minimum age is 21.

DIRECTOR OF PATHOLOGICAL LABORATORY—MONDAY, JUNE 20, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Monday, June 13, at 4 P. M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical.....	6
Experience.....	4
Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.	

Candidates should be able to organize and take charge of the pathological laboratory of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, and should be thoroughly familiar with the work required in such laboratories.

The salary attached to this position is \$5,000 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

HENRY BERLINGER,

Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, MARCH 17, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications for the position of MALE AND FEMALE CLEANERS, for the public schools, Department of Education, will be received on and after

March 23, 1904.

The work required of Cleaners is to clean all parts of the building and premises, such as scrubbing, dusting, cleaning windows, washing paint and furniture, shoveling snow and caring for the grounds, etc.

The Cleaners will be expected to put in at least eight hours work per day. Janitors are to assign the duties of the Cleaners and their hours for reporting and leaving the buildings.

The salary of the Male Cleaners is to be \$480 per annum; the salary of the Female Cleaners \$360 per annum.

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, LABOR BUREAU, CORNER WHITE AND CENTRE STREETS, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 9, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATIONS for position in the LABOR CLASS will be received as follows:

For all positions in Part III, including Blacksmith Bricklayer, etc., commencing Monday, March 28.

For all positions in Part II, including Battery-man, Bridge Mechanic, etc., commencing Monday, April 4.

For all positions in Part I, including Bridge-tender, Driver, etc., commencing Monday, April 11.

HENRY BERLINGER,

Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me and are on file in my office for inspection for—

No. 125. Regulating and grading, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary to a portion thirty (30) feet wide of Johnson avenue and on Spuyten Duyvil road, extending from Kaprock street to West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, so as to provide for the making of a road which will furnish means of communication between Spuyten Duyvil, at the intersection of Kaprock street and Johnson avenue, and Kingsbridge at West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street.

No. 126. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying of crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Creston avenue, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street.

No. 127. Constructing receiving-basin and appurtenances on the southwest corner of West Farms road and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street.

No. 128. Constructing receiving-basins and appurtenances at the

Southwest corner of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Clay avenue;

Southeast corner of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Clay avenue;

Northeast corner of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and Clay avenue;

West side of Clay avenue, opposite East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street;

East side of Clay avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and East One Hundred and Seventy-first street;

West side of Clay avenue, opposite East One Hundred and Seventy-first street;

Southeast corner of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and Clay avenue;

Northeast corner of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Clay avenue.

No. 129. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in Boston road, between the Southern Boulevard and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

No. 130. Public hearing on report made by the Chief Engineer of the Borough of The Bronx recommending changes in the grades of:

Harlem River terrace, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue;

Bailey avenue, between Sedgwick avenue and Kingsbridge road;

Bailey avenue, between West Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and Fort Independence street;

Heath avenue, between Bailey avenue and Fort Independence street;

Emmerich place, between Heath avenue and Kingsbridge road, and

Albany road, between West Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

No. 131. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Morris avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Seventieth street.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on June 16, 1904, at 3 P. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third Avenue.

LOUIS F. HAFEN,

President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Dated JUNE 2, 1904.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, 177TH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT A PETITION has been presented to me and is on file in my office for inspection for—

No. 132. For regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging of sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying of crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Dongan street, between Westchester avenue and Intervale avenue.

The petition for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on June 16, 1904, at 3 P. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third Avenue.

LOUIS F. HAFEN,

President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Dated JUNE 2, 1904.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, 177TH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me and are on file in my office for inspection for—

No. 133. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Morris avenue, from the existing sewer south of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; with branch in East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Morris avenue and Grant avenue.

No. 134. Paving with creosote-resinate wood pavement on a concrete foundation East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third Avenue to its easterly terminus at Stebbins avenue, and setting curb where necessary.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on June 16, 1904, at 3 P. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third Avenue.

LOUIS F. HAFEN,

President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Dated JUNE 4, 1904.

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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 BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

FOLSON PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND RECURRING, PAVING GUTTERS AND LAYING SIDEWALKS, between Linwood and Essex streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Folson place, from Linwood street to Essex street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALK opposite No. 201. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, opposite No. 201, on Block 1937, Lot No. 28.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET, north side—FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING SIDEWALKS, CURBING AND RECURBING, about 110 feet west of St. Nicholas avenue. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, beginning at a point about 100 feet west of St. Nicholas avenue, and extending about 200 feet westerly therefrom.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, between Convent and Amsterdam avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, extending about 177 feet west of Convent avenue.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH STREET—SEWER, between Eighth avenue and Macomb's Dam road. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to Macomb's Dam road.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH STREET—FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING SIDEWALKS in front of Nos. 102 and 104. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, in front of Nos. 102 and 104, on Block 1822, Lot No. 37.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8. EDGEcombe AVENUE, west side—REFLAGGING SIDEWALKS, between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets, beginning about 64 feet 8 inches south of the curve line of One Hundred and Sixtieth street. Area of assessment: West side of Edgecombe avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets, on Block 2109, Lot No. 33.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 14, 1904, and entered on June 15, 1904, 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 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, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, 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 August 15, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 15, 1904.

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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 MANHATTAN:

TWENTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 3. RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON THIRTY-FIRST STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. This assessment was certified to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, against Block 832, Lot No. 49, under the provisions of section 391 of the Greater New York Charter.

—that the same was entered on June 10, 1904, 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 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, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, 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 August 9, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 10, 1904.

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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 MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8. ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET—SEWERS, between Broadway and Amsterdam avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Broadway to Amsterdam avenue; east side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Eighty-third to One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; east side of St. Nicholas avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth to One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; south side of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Audubon avenue; both sides of Audubon avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth to One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 9, 1904, and entered on June 9, 1904, 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 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, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, 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 August 8, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 9, 1904.

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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 place in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 11 AND 12.

CRESTON AVENUE—OPENING, from Tremont avenue to Minerva place. Confirmed January 29, 1904; entered June 8, 1904. 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 northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street with the middle line of the blocks between Walton avenue and Morris avenue, running thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to the southerly line of Fordham road; thence northwesterly on a straight line to the point of intersection of the northerly line of Fordham road with the middle line of the blocks between Jerome avenue and Morris avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks between Jerome avenue and Morris avenue and the middle line of the block between Park View terrace and Morris avenue to the southerly line of that portion of Morris avenue which is parallel with East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street; thence northeasterly on a straight line to the point of intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street with the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and Creston avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line of the block to the westerly line of Minerva place; thence still northeasterly to the point of intersection of the easterly line of Minerva place with the southerly line of Jerome avenue; thence easterly along the southerly line of Jerome avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street and Minerva place; thence southerly and southeasterly along said middle line of the block to the westerly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southerly along the westerly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence westerly along said northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street 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 August 8, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 8, 1904.

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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 BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.

STERLING PLACE—PAVING, between Albany and Kingston avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sterling place, from Albany avenue to Kingston avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

ST. MARK'S AVENUE—PAVING, from Ralph avenue to a point 275 feet west of Rockaway avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of St. Mark's avenue, from Ralph avenue to a point about 425 feet east of Hopkinson avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of

Assessors on June 7, 1904, and entered on June 8, 1904, 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 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 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, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 August 8, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 8, 1904.

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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 AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTIONS 9 AND 11.

WASHINGTON AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES, from Third avenue to One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to Pelham avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street to Pelham avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET—SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, from Prospect avenue to summit east of Prospect avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Prospect avenue to a point 350 feet easterly therefrom.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 7, 1904, and entered on June 8, 1904, 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 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 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 August 8, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 8, 1904.

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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-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET AND SUBURBAN PLACE—SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, from Boston road to Crotona Park, East; and in CROTONA PARK, EAST, from summit west of Suburban place to summit east of One Hundred and Seventy-third street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Crotona Park, East, from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to a point about 625 feet easterly therefrom, and from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to a point about 155 feet westerly from Suburban place; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-third street and Suburban place, from Crotona Park, East, to Boston road.

QUARRY ROAD—SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to the summit west of Oak Tree place. Area of assessment: Both sides of Quarry road, from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to a point about 250 feet west of Oak Tree place.

BURNSIDE AVENUE—SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, with branches in WALTON AVENUE, MORRIS AVENUE and in CRESTON AVENUE, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; and in EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET, from Creston avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse. Area of assessment: Both sides of Burnside avenue, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; both sides of Walton avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to Burnside avenue; both sides of Creston avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to a point about 283 feet south of Burnside avenue; west side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to Burnside avenue; both sides of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, from Creston avenue to Grand Boulevard

and Concourse; south side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from the Concourse to Walton avenue.

DALY AVENUE—SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, from East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Daly avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; west side of Daly avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-eighth to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; both sides of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Daly avenue to Honeywell avenue; east side of Honeywell avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh to One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 1, 1904, and entered on June 1, 1904, 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 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 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 August 1, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 1, 1904.

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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 10.

KELLY STREET—SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, from Dongan street south to Intervale avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Kelly street, from Dongan street to Intervale avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on May 31, 1904, and entered on June 1, 1904, 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 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, 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 August 1, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 1, 1904.

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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 BROOKLYN:

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

NINETEENTH STREET—SEWER, between high-water mark and bulkhead-line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Nineteenth street, from Third avenue westerly to bulkhead-line.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 1, 1904, and entered June 1, 1904, 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 said date of 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 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, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 August 1, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 1, 1904.

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 MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 13 (MARBLE HILL).

KINGSBRIDGE AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from its intersection with Wicker place north to its intersection with Terrace View avenue north. Area of assessment: Both sides of Kingsbridge avenue, from a point about 361 feet south of Van Corlear place to Terrace View avenue north; both sides of Van Corlear place extending about 301 feet south of Kingsbridge avenue; south side of Wicker place, extending about 88 feet west of Kingsbridge avenue; north side of Wicker place, extending about 169 feet west of Kingsbridge avenue; south side of Terrace View avenue north, extending about 143 feet west of Kingsbridge avenue, and about 269 feet east of Kingsbridge avenue.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 1, 1904, and entered on June 1, 1904, 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 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, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, 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 August 1, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 1, 1904.

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 MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-first street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on May 31, 1904, and entered on June 1, 1904, 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 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, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, 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 August 1, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 1, 1904.

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 BROOKLYN.

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.
FORTY-FIFTH STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, south side, between Third and Fourth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Forty-fifth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, on Block 746, Lots Nos. 26 and 30.

FOURTH AVENUE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, west side, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets; **FIFTY-FIFTH STREET,** north side, and **FIFTY-FOURTH STREET,** south side, and **FENCING VACANT LOTS,** between Third and Fourth avenues. Area of assessment: West side of Fourth avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street, north side of Fifty-fourth street and south side of Fifty-fifth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, on Block 822, Lots Nos. 34, 39, 41, 42, 44 and 47.

NINTH WARD, SECTION 4.
PARK PLACE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, north side, between Classon and Franklin avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Park place, between Classon and Franklin avenues, on Block 1163, Lots Nos. 37, 71, 73, 75 and 80.

PARK PLACE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, south side, between Classon avenue and Franklin avenue. Area of assessment: South side of Park place, between Classon and Franklin avenues, on Block 1168, Lot No. 13.

STERLING PLACE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, south side, between Classon and Franklin avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Sterling place, between Franklin and Classon avenues, on Block 1175, Lots Nos. 45 and 47.

STERLING PLACE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, north side, between Classon and Franklin avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Sterling place, between Classon and Franklin avenues, on Block 1168, Lot No. 87.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2.

TREMONT STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, south side, between Richards and Van Brunt streets; **RICHARDS STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS,** west side, between Tremont and Van Brunt streets. Area of assessment: South side of Tremont street, between Richards and Van Brunt streets, and west side of Richards street, between Tremont and Van Brunt streets, on Block 531, Lots Nos. 13 to 24, inclusive, and 26 to 29, inclusive.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

RICHARDSON STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, north side, between Manhattan avenue and Herbert street; **MEERK AVENUE—FENCING VACANT LOTS,** southeast side, between Manhattan and Graham avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Richardson street, between Manhattan avenue and Herbert street, and southeast side of Meerk avenue, between Manhattan and Graham avenues, on Block 1, Lots Nos. 21, 31, 32, 33, 34, 38 and 39.

KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, southwest side, between Harrison place and Grattan street. Area of assessment: Southwest side of Knickerbocker avenue, between Harrison place and Grattan street, on Block 201, Lots Nos. 10 to 13, inclusive.

METROPOLITAN AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, south side, between Bushwick avenue and Olive street. Area of assessment: South side of Metropolitan avenue, between Bushwick avenue and Olive street, on Block 20, Lot No. 67.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 6.

KOSCIUSKO STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, north side, between Reid avenue and Broadway. Area of assessment: North side of Kosciusko street, between Reid avenue and Broadway, on Block 1604, Lots Nos. 45 and 46.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 6.

HERKIMER STREET AND SCHENECTADY AVENUE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, on the northwest corner. Area of assessment: Northwest corner of Schenectady avenue and Herkimer street, on Block 1700, Lot No. 44.

JEFFERSON AVENUE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, south side, between Sumner and Lewis avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Jefferson avenue, between Sumner and Lewis avenues, on Block 1654, Lot No. 14.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.
BERGEN STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, south side, between Utica and Rochester avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Bergen street, between Utica and Rochester avenues, on Block 1355, Lots Nos. 17 and 18.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD, SECTION 6.
HULL STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, north side, between Saratoga and Hopkinson avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Hull street, between Saratoga avenue and Hopkinson avenue, on Block 1532, Lots Nos. 50, 67 and 69.

MARION STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, north side, between Rockaway avenue and Broadway. Area of assessment: North side of Marion street, between Rockaway avenue and Broadway, on Block 1517, Lots Nos. 22 and 32.

SUMPTER STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, north side, between Hopkinson avenue and Rockaway avenue. Area of assessment: North side of Sumpter street, between Hopkinson and Rockaway avenues, on Block 1521, Lots Nos. 51 and 80.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

CLEVELAND STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND RECURBING, between Arlington and Atlantic avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Cleveland street, between Arlington and Atlantic avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD.
HART STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, southeast side, between Knickerbocker and Irving avenues. Area of assessment: Southeast side of Hart street, between Knickerbocker and Irving avenues, on Block 87, Lots Nos. 22 to 25, inclusive.

HART STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, southeast side, between Hamburg and Knickerbocker avenues. Area of assessment: Southeast side of Hart street, between Hamburg and Knickerbocker avenues, on Block 78, Lots Nos. 24 and 42.

IRVING AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, northeast side, between DeKalb avenue and Hart street; **DEKALB AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK,** northwest side, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues; **WYCKOFF AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK,** southwest side, between Hart street and DeKalb avenue. Area of assessment: Northeast side of Irving avenue and southwest side of Wyckoff avenue, between Hart street and DeKalb avenue, and northwest side of DeKalb avenue, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues, on Block 95, Lots Nos. 1, 3 to 11, inclusive, 14, 15, 16, 17, 29 to 32, inclusive, and 54 to 59, inclusive.

STOCKHOLM STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, northwest side, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues; **WYCKOFF AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK,** southwest side, between DeKalb avenue and Stockholm street. Area of assessment: Northwest side of Stockholm street, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues, and southwest side of Wyckoff avenue, between DeKalb avenue and Stockholm street, on Block 96, Lots Nos. 27, 28, 29 and 60.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

GREENE AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, northwest side, between St. Nicholas and Wyckoff avenues. Area of assessment: Northwest side of Greene avenue, between St. Nicholas and Wyckoff avenues, on Block 105, Lots Nos. 42 to 45, inclusive.

GATES AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, southeast side, between Hamburg and Knickerbocker avenues. Area of assessment: Southeast side of Gates avenue, between Hamburg and Knickerbocker avenues, on Block 65, Lots Nos. 23 and 24.

PUTNAM AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, northwest side, between Evergreen and Central avenues. Area of assessment: Northwest side of Putnam avenue, between Evergreen and Central avenues, on Block 38, Lot No. 35.

STOCKHOLM STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, southeast side, between Knickerbocker and Irving avenues. Area of assessment: Southeast side of Stockholm street, between Knickerbocker and Irving avenues, on Block 69, Lots Nos. 36 to 45, inclusive.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD.
ALBEMARLE ROAD—REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND RE-

CURBING AND PAVING SIDEWALKS, between Flatbush avenue and the land of the Brighton Beach Railroad. Area of assessment: Both sides of Albemarle road, from Flatbush avenue to the land of the Brighton Beach Railroad, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on May 31, 1904, and entered June 1, 1904, 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 said date of 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 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 assessments became liens, 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, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 August 1, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 1, 1904.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

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

FRIDAY, JUNE 17, 1904,

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 the following described property which it has by virtue of a lease from William V. B. Bennett, Supervisor of the Town of Gravesend, to the City of Brooklyn, which lease is dated December 24, 1896, and recorded in the Kings County Register's office on December 29, 1896.

Being all of that certain interior lot or parcel of land designated by the assessment No. 23 for the opening of East Twenty-eighth street, in the Town of Gravesend, and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the interior of the block bounded by Voorhees avenue, East Twenty-seventh and East Twenty-eighth streets and Emmons avenue, which point is at the intersection of two lines, one drawn at right angles to Voorhees avenue, and one hundred (100) feet southerly therefrom, and the other line drawn at right angles to East Twenty-seventh street and one hundred (100) feet easterly therefrom; thence running easterly eighteen (18) feet; thence running southerly ten (10) feet; thence running nearly westerly nineteen (19) feet; thence running northerly fifteen (15) feet to the point or place of beginning.

The minimum or upset price at which the interest of the City in and to the said premises to be sold is appraised and fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the sum of three dollars and fifty cents (\$3.50), being \$2.21 the original amount of the sale, and interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the date of sale, August 9, 1894, to May 9, 1904, the purchaser to pay the auctioneer's fees and the actual costs and disbursements necessitated by reason of the sale. The sale of said premises is to be made on the following terms and conditions:

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of his bid or purchase money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale, together with the actual costs and disbursements for expenses of examination, advertising, conveyance, etc. The quit-claim deed for the above-described premises to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held May 11, 1904.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 27, 1904.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

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, JUNE 20, 1904,

at 12 o'clock M., at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, No. 161 Broadway, the following described real estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz.:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, known as No. 28 Beaver street, bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Beaver street distant sixty-six feet two inches (66' 2") westerly from the southwesterly corner of Beaver and Broad streets; running thence southerly fifty feet (50') to the northerly side of Marketfield street; thence westerly along the northerly side of Marketfield street thirty-one feet seven inches (31' 7"); thence northerly fifty-three feet (53') to the southerly side of Beaver street; thence easterly along the southerly side of Beaver street thirty-one feet one inch (31' 1") to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less, premises being known as Lot No. 14, in Block 11, on the tax maps of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The minimum or upset price at which the said premises are to be sold is fixed and appraised by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the sum of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), and the sale is made upon the following:

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay ten per cent. of the amount of his bid, together with the auctioneer's fees at the time of the sale; thirty per cent. upon the delivery of the deed, which shall be thirty days from the date of the sale; the remaining sixty per cent. either to be paid at the date of the de-

livery of the deed or at the option of the purchaser to remain on bond and mortgage for five years, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, the mortgage to contain the customary thirty days' interest and ninety days' tax and assessment and insurance clauses.

The bond and mortgage may be paid off at any time within the term thereof on giving thirty days' notice to the Comptroller, or may be paid in installments of not less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) on any day when interest is due, or on thirty days' notice. The bond and mortgage will be prepared by the Corporation Counsel, and the sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) will be charged for drawing, acknowledging and recording the same.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from any such resale.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Said land is sold subject to a lease made between the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and John A. Aspinwall and Ambrose C. Kingsland, as executors of the last will and testament of William H. Aspinwall, deceased, of the City of New York, which lease is dated the 1st day of January, 1888, running for a period of twenty-one years, expiring January 1, 1909, and recorded in the book of Special Leases in the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, page 442, and to the free use, by the Fire Department of the City of New York, of that portion of the building, now occupied as a fuel station and more particularly described in said lease, for a period not exceeding six months.

Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held May 23, 1904.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 27, 1904.

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

THE INTEREST DUE ON JULY 1, 1904, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of the City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office, Room 39, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from June 15, 1903, to July 1, 1904.

The interest due on July 1, 1904, on the Coupon Bonds of the late City of Brooklyn will be paid on that day by the Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn, No. 26 Court street.

The interest due July 1, 1904, on the coupon bonds of corporations in Queens and Richmond counties will be received on that day for payment by the Comptroller at his office, Room 39, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller,
THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 24, 1904.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 26, 1903.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case, one surety company will be accepted as sufficient upon all contracts for supplies for furniture, and for gas and electric lighting to any amount, and upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

For supplies and furniture, with patented articles	\$5,000
Regulating, grading, paving (other than asphalt)—	
Not over 2 years	15,000
Over 2 years	5,000
School building repairs	10,000
Heating and lighting apparatus	5,000
New buildings—New docks	25,000
Sewers—Dredging and water mains—	
Not over 2 years	10,000
Over 2 years	5,000

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

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 12 o'clock M., on

FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, METALS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, WOODENWARE, AND FOR OTHER MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per dozen, etc., 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 awarded to the lowest bidder on each class, line or item, as stated in the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES H. TULLY,
Commissioner,
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 13, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, upon the written request of the Department of Public Parks of the said City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to acquire title to certain lands, property rights, easements and privileges necessary to be acquired pursuant to chapter 102 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An Act to lay out, establish and regulate a public driveway in the City of New York"—"THE SPEEDWAY."

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 land affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our amended supplemental estimate, and that all persons interested therein, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and having objections thereto, shall file the same in writing, duly verified, with us, at our office, No. 141 Broadway, in said City of New York, on or before the 6th day of July, 1904, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at or before the 6th day of July, 1904, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of July, 1904, at 3 P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said amended supplemental estimate, together with our damage map, and all the affidavits, estimates and other documents used by us in making our said supplemental estimate were on the 4th day of June, 1904, duly deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, at the office of said Bureau, No. 90 West Broadway (Gerken Building), in said city, there to remain until the 7th day of July, 1904.

Third—That it is our intention to present our amended supplemental report for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of July, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, June 16, 1904.

GEORGE C. COFFIN, Chairman;
MATH. W. CHALMERS,
WILLIAM D. LEONARD,
Commissioners.

WALTER B. WILSON, Clerk.

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 SECOND STREET, although not yet named by proper authority, between York and Franklin avenues, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 28th day of June, 1904, 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 and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Second street, between York and Franklin avenues, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Franklin avenue distant 100.48 feet southerly from the intersection of the said easterly line of Franklin avenue and the southerly line of First Street: 1st. Thence easterly in a straight line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the above-mentioned southerly line of First street (as said First street exists for the first 800 feet, more or less, east of Franklin avenue) for 1,074.68 feet to the westerly line of York avenue;

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 83 degrees 23 minutes 50 seconds to the right along the last-mentioned line for 50.34 feet;

3d. Thence westerly parallel to and distant 50 feet southerly from the first course for 1,085.38 feet to the easterly line of Franklin avenue;

4th. Thence northerly along the last-mentioned line for 50.24 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Second street is shown on a map entitled "Plan and Profile showing the location and laying out and grades of Second street, from Franklin avenue to York avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York." Dated New Brighton, New York, March 4, 1903, and filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on the 29th day of April, 1904, and in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 2d day of May, 1904.

Dated New York, June 16, 1904.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.
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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 FOREST AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Brooks avenue and Manor road, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 28th day of June, 1904, 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 and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Forest avenue, between Brooks avenue and Manor road, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of Brooks avenue with the southerly line of Forest avenue, said point being 22.23 feet south of a monument:

1st. Thence northerly along the westerly line of Brooks avenue for 52.12 feet;

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 68 degrees 49 minutes 22 seconds to the left for 232.32 feet;

3d. Thence still westerly deflecting 18 degrees 3 minutes 4 seconds to the right for 815.36 feet to the easterly line of Manor road;

4th. Thence southerly along the last-mentioned line and deflecting 90 degrees 43 minutes 58 seconds to the left for 50 feet;

5th. Thence easterly deflecting 89 degrees 16 minutes 2 seconds to the left parallel to and distant 50 feet southerly from the third course for 822.66 feet;

6th. Thence still easterly parallel to and distant 50 feet southerly from the second course for 253.22 feet to the point of beginning.

Forest avenue is shown on "Plan and Profile showing location and laying out and grades of

Forest avenue, from Brooks avenue to Cherry lane at the Manor road, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York, prepared by the President of the Borough of Richmond under authority of chapter 466, Laws of 1901," which map was adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 22, 1903, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Richmond, the Clerk of the County of Richmond and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 7th day of January, 1904.

Dated New York, June 16, 1904.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.
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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 ASTONE HUNDRED AND NINE THIRTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Grand Boulevard and on course to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 7th day of May, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block Nos. 3166, 3177 and 3191, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 9th day of May, 1904; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the 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, 14th floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of July, 1904, 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 the 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 Manhattan, New York City, June 16, 1904.
GERALD J. PARRY,
WM. F. BURROUGHS,
M. RAUSCH,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 THIRTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to the Hudson river, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block Nos. 2000 and 2005, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 9th day of May, 1904; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of July, 1904, at 12 o'clock noon 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 the 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 Manhattan, New York City, June 16, 1904.

W. A. GRAMER,
JOHN J. MACKIN,
WILLIAM H. QUINN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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, tenement and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Amsterdam avenue to Fort Washington avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 7th day of May, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block Nos. 2130, 2131, 2142 and 2143, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 9th day of May, 1904; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of July, 1904, at 12 o'clock noon 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 the 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 Manhattan, New York City, June 16, 1904.
JO. J. SULLIVAN,
RICHARD O'KEEFE,
CHARLES E. BEASEL, Jr.,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to EAST THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Canarsie lane to Leerdag avenue, in the Twenty-ninth 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 2d day of December, 1903, 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 11th day of December, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in section No. 15, Blocks Nos. 4937, 4936, 4935, 4944, 4970, 4914, 483, 4984, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or 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 the 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 and 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 23d day of July, 1904, at 9 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, June 15, 1904.

JAMES TAYLOR,
E. D. CHILDS,
SIMON FRANK,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to NEW YORK AVENUE, from Church avenue to Canarsie lane or avenue, in the Twenty-ninth 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 2d day of December, 1903, 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 11th day of December, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section No. 15, Blocks Nos. 4886, 4887, 4901, 4944, 4918, 4932, 4913, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or 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 the 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 and 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 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 10th day of July, 1904, at 9 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, June 15, 1904.

S. T. MADDOX, JR.,
CHARLES W. CHURCH, JR.,
FRANKLIN B. VAN WARE,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to EAST THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Kings Highway to Flatbush avenue, in the Thirty-second 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 2d day of December, 1903, 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 11th day of December, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section No. 23, Blocks Nos. 7598, 7606, 7614, 7634, 7635, 7652, 7653, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or 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 the 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 and 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 21st day of July, 1904, at 9 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, June 15, 1904.

WM. W. WINGATE,
SAMUEL TOBIAS,
HARRY JAQUILLARD,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to THE PUBLIC PLACE BOUNDED BY MYRTLE AVENUE, KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE AND BIECKER STREET, in the Twenty-eighth 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 2d day of December, 1903, 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 11th day of December, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section No. 11, Block No. 309, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or 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 the said public place, 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 public place so to be opened, to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said public place, 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 public place, 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 12th day of July, 1904, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon 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 the 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, June 15, 1904.

FRANK HARVEY FIELD,
LLEWELLYN A. WRAY,
F. DE LYSLE SMITH,
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 NINEY SIXTH STREET, from Third Avenue to the Shore Road, in 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 15th day of October, 1903, 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 New York, in the Index of Conveyances, Section No. 18, Blocks Nos. 6120, 6121, 6122, 6123, 6124, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or 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 the 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 and 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 20th day of July, 1904, at 9 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 the 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, June 15, 1904.

WM. W. WINGATE,
GEO. W. APPELGATE,
GROSVENOR H. BACKUS,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
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 POPHAM AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to Montgomery Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 2877, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 9th day of May, 1904; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the

Greater New York Charter, as amended and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 13th day of July, 1904, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon 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 the 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 Manhattan, New York City, June 15, 1904.

J. C. JULIUS LANGEIN,
MARTIN J. HUBERTH,
JOHN A. HAWKINS,
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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bainbridge Avenue to Jerome Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 7th day of May, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Blocks Nos. 3296, 3297, 3304, 3305, 3319 and 3320, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 9th day of May, 1904; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office, on the 11th day of July, 1904, at 11:30 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 the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owners, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, June 14, 1904.

WALTER MULLER,
HENRY ILLWITZER,
STEPHEN FOSHAY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty 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 purpose of opening SUMMIT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The 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 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 6th day of July, 1904, 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 July, 1904, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 15th day of July, 1904.

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 The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Lind Avenue with the southerly side of Union place; thence westerly along the southerly side of Union place to the westerly side of Ogden Avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Ogden Avenue to its intersection with the northwesterly side of Jerome Avenue; thence southwesterly along the northwesterly side of Jerome Avenue to its intersection with the northeasterly side of Sedgwick Avenue; thence northwesterly and northerly along the northeasterly side of Sedgwick Avenue to its intersection with the easterly side of Lind Avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Lind Avenue 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 map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our supplemental and amended 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 I., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of October, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, May 23, 1904.

J. W. JACOBUS,
CHARLES HILTON BROWN,
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 BELMONT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Clay Avenue to Morris Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 7th day of May, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Blocks Nos. 2788, 2789, 2790, 2791, 2792, 2793 and 2794, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 9th day of May, 1904; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 11th day of July, 1904, at 11:30 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 the 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 Manhattan, New York City, June 14, 1904.

FRANCIS W. POLLOCK,
LOUIS G. CA'SIDY,
JAMES T. LANE,
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 and premises required for the opening and extending of PUBLIC PARK, bounded by Rae street, German place, Carr street and St. Ann's street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 2, 8, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned Public Park, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 9th day of May, 1904; and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said Public Park, 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 11th day of July, 1904, 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 the 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 Manhattan, New York City, June 14, 1904.

FRANCIS W. POLLOCK,
HENRY ILLWITZER,
MARTIN J. DONNELLY,
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 in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the land deemed necessary for the construction of a BRIDGE OVER THE BRONX RIVER AT WEST-CHESTER AVENUE, in The City of New York, authorized by chapter 617 of the Laws of 1896.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 11th day of September, 1899, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of May, 1899, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Section 11, Block No. 2759, and Section 17, Block No. 3017, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of acquiring title in fee wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the land deemed necessary for the construction of a bridge over the Bronx River at West-Chester Avenue in The City of New York, authorized by chapter 617 of the Laws of 1896, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1899, and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken therefor, and to perform the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 657 of the Laws of 1897 and by chapter 1, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof in so far as they may be applicable.

Further notice is hereby given that, by an order of the Supreme Court, duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 11th day of May, 1904, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York on the 16th day of May, 1904, the above-entitled proceeding is duly and regularly amended and corrected by including therein a certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, the same being more particularly bounded and described in the petition attached to said order.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate affected by this order 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 11th day of July, 1904, 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 the 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 Manhattan, New York City, June 9, 1904.

VICTOR J. DOWLING,
JOHN J. O'KEEFE,
J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, JR.,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on TWELFTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, Third Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly selected according to law as a site for school purposes.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE REPORT of John E. Van Nostrand, Clinton T. Roe and Archibald M. Simpson, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal duly appointed in the above-entitled matter, which report bears date the 25th day of May, 1904, was filed in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Park Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, on the 7th day of June, 1904, and a duplicate of said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the same day.

Notice is further given that the said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 10th day of June, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 7, 1904.
JOHN J. D. LANE,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.
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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 AVENUE L, from East Twenty-fourth street to East Twenty-first street, in the Thirty-second 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 27th day of June, 1904, 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 28th day of June, 1904, at 9 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 of 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 8th day of July, 1904.

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, to wit:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of East Twenty-first street with the centre line of the blocks between Avenue L and Avenue M; running thence northerly along the easterly side of East Twenty-first street to its intersection with the centre line of the blocks between Avenue L and Avenue K; running thence easterly along said centre line of the blocks between Avenue L and Avenue K to its intersection with the westerly side of East Twenty-fourth street; running thence southerly along the westerly side of East Twenty-fourth street to its intersection with the centre line of the blocks between Avenue L and Avenue M; running thence westerly along the said centre line of the blocks between Avenue L and Avenue M 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 8th day of September, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 8, 1904.

ISAAC FRANKLIN RUSSELL,
Chairman;
JAMES H. MULLARKY,
EDWARD L. COLLIER,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk. j8,24

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 NEW YORK AVENUE, from Canarsie road or avenue to Newkirk avenue, in the Twenty-Ninth 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, 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 27th day of June, 1904, 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 28th day of June, 1904, at 9 o'clock P. 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, of 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 8th day of July, 1904.

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 northerly side of Canarsie road where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between New York avenue and East Thirty-fourth street; running thence southerly along the centre line of the blocks between New York avenue and East Thirty-fourth street to the northerly side of Newkirk avenue; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Newkirk avenue to the centre line of the block between New York avenue and East Thirty-second street; running thence northerly along the centre line of the blocks between New York avenue and East Thirty-second street to the northerly side of Canarsie road; running thence easterly along the northerly side of Canarsie road 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 8th day of September, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 8, 1904.

HENRY F. COCHRANE, Chairman;
ALBERT GOODWIN,
DANIEL G. CAMPION,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk. j8,24

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 SIXTY-HIGH STREET, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Shore Road, in the Thirtieth 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 27th day of June, 1904, 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 28th day of June, 1904, 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, of 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 8th day of July, 1904.

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 Shore road where the same would be intersected by a line drawn parallel with and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of Sixty-eighth street; running thence easterly and parallel with Sixty-eighth street to the westerly side of Third avenue; running thence southerly and across Third avenue to a point on the easterly side of the northerly side of Sixty-eighth street; running thence easterly and along a line drawn parallel with Sixty-eighth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom to the westerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel with Sixty-eighth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of Sixty-eighth street; running thence westerly and along said parallel line to the easterly side of Third avenue; running thence northerly and across Third avenue to a point on the westerly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of Sixty-eighth street; running thence westerly and parallel with Sixty-eighth street to the easterly side of Shore road; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Shore road 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 8th day of September, 1904, at the opening of Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 8, 1904.

ISAAC FRANKLIN RUSSELL, Chairman;
LLEWELLYN A. WRAY,
EDWARD J. BYRNE,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk. j8,24

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 FLATLANDS AVENUE from Flatbush avenue to Paerdegat Basin, in the Thirty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in 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 21st day of June, 1904, 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, June 7, 1904.

ANDREW LEMON,
REVILLO WELLS,
CHARLES BRAUNSHAW,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk. j7,17

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated at the southwest corner of WENDOVER AVENUE AND WASHINGTON AVENUE, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT is the intention of the Corporation Counsel to make application at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1904, for the appointment of three disinterested citizens, residents of the Borough of The Bronx, as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real property situated in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Washington avenue with the southerly line of Wendover avenue, and running thence southerly along the westerly line of Washington avenue 200.26 feet; thence westerly and parallel with Wendover avenue 140.33 feet; thence northerly and parallel with Washington avenue 200.26 feet to the southerly line of Wendover avenue; thence easterly along the southerly line of Wendover avenue 140.38 feet to the westerly line of Washington avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated NEW YORK, June 3, 1904.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
2 Tyron Row,
New York City. j6,16

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 WYTHE AVENUE, from Norman avenue to North Thirteenth street, in the Fourteenth and Seventeenth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in 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 21st day of June, 1904, 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, June 7, 1904.

FRANK OBERNIER,
SOLON BARBANELL,
FRANK J. PRICE,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk. j7,17

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 EAST FORTIETH STREET, from Avenue H to Flatlands avenue, in the Thirteenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in 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 21st day of June, 1904, 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, June 7, 1904.

JOHN M. ZURN,
HENRY SHELTON,
FREDERICK UZNER,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk. j7,17

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 STERLING PLACE, from Schenectady avenue to Utica avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in 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 21st day of June, 1904, 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, June 7, 1904.

REESE R. GWILLIM,
HUGH MOORE,
DAVID S. SKINNER,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk. j7,17

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 SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, from Third avenue to the Shore road, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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, 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 21st day of June, 1904, 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 supplemental and additional 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, June 7, 1904.

ALFRED H. MARQUIS,
JAMES GRAHAM,
W. A. FISCHER,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk. j7,17

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of The City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ALBANY ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bailey avenue to Van Cortlandt Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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 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 27th day of June, 1904, 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 29th day of June, 1904, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broad-

way, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 6th day of July, 1904.

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 The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point formed by the intersection of the northeasterly line of Riverdale avenue with the southwesterly line of Broadway; running thence northeasterly along said line of Broadway to its intersection with the southwesterly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of the New York and Putnam Railway; thence northeasterly along said line of railway to its intersection with a line parallel to the northerly line of Van Cortlandt Park, South, and distant 200 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to a point due north of the intersection of the centre lines of Van Cortlandt avenue and Bailey avenue; thence due south to the southerly line of Bailey avenue; thence easterly and southeasterly along said line of Bailey avenue to its intersection with the southwesterly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence southeasterly along said line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Cannon place; thence southwesterly and southerly along said line of Cannon place and its southerly prolongation to its intersection with the northerly line of Heath avenue; thence westerly and southwesterly along the northerly and northwesterly line of Heath avenue to its intersection with the northeasterly line of Riverdale avenue; thence northwesterly along the northeasterly line of Riverdale avenue to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, 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 our supplemental and amended 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 6th day of October, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 12, 1904.

WILLIAM H. WILLIS, Chairman,
ROBERT GRIER MONKOE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk. j6,23

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 AVENUE L, from the easterly side of Nostrand avenue to the westerly side of Flatbush avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward, of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of June, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as Avenue L, from the easterly side of Nostrand avenue to the westerly side of Flatbush avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Avenue L, from the easterly side of Nostrand avenue to the westerly side of Flatbush avenue, as aforesaid, are shown on a map entitled the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an Act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several Acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming a part of the map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works; George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and George J. Bischof, Assistant Engineer-in-Charge, and dated May 18, 1903, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 21st day of May, 1903.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 6th day of June, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 166 Montague Street,
Brooklyn, N. Y. j6,16

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 EAST THIRTY-FIRST STREET, between East Broadway (Church avenue) and Flatlands avenue, excepting the lands occupied by the tracks of the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of June, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

The nature and the extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a street known as East Thirty-first street, between East Broadway (Church avenue) and Flatlands avenue, excepting the lands occupied by the tracks of the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

The lands required for the purpose of opening East Thirty-first street, between East Broadway (Church avenue) and Flatlands avenue, excepting the lands occupied by the tracks of the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad, as aforesaid, are shown on a map entitled the General Map or Plan of the Towns of New

Utrecht, Flatbush, Gravesend, Flatlands and New Lots, in the County of Kings, prepared by the Town Survey Commissioners, pursuant to an Act of the Legislature, passed May 1, 1869, and the several Acts amendatory thereof, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in the year 1874, now incorporated with and forming a part of the map of The City of New York, and also shown on a map of that portion of said street affected by these proceedings made by the Topographical Division of the Bureau of Highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, and signed by George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer, and dated April 28, 1902, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 1st day of May, 1902.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 6th day of June, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 166 Montague Street,
Brooklyn, N. Y.
j6,16

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 ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Kingsbridge road and Haven avenue, in the 12th 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 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 24th day of June, 1904, 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 June, 1904, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and amended 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 5th day of July, 1904.

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 parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue with the easterly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street; running thence westerly along said prolongation and last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Eleventh avenue and Audubon avenue; thence southerly along said middle line and its prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixtieth street; thence westerly along said last-mentioned parallel line and its prolongation to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Haven avenue; thence northerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence easterly along said last-mentioned prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Audubon avenue and Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence easterly along said parallel line and its prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly 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 our supplemental and amended 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 6th day of October, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 10, 1904.

CHARLES W. CULVER,
Chairman;
HENRY E. WOODWARD,
EUGENE L. BUSHE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
j4,22

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to AVENUE D, from Rogers avenue to East Thirty-fourth street, in the Twenty-ninth 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 2d day of December, 1903, 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 11th day of December, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, in Section 15, Blocks 4947, 4948, 4949, 4950, 4954, 4955, 4956, 4957; Section 16, Blocks 5103, 5104, 5105, 5214, 5215, 5216, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or 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 the 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, and 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 28th day of June, 1904, at 10 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, June 3, 1904.

WM. O. CAMPBELL,
JOHN K. NEAL,
S. S. TUTHILL,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.
j3,25

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 BAYVIEW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from West Fourth street to the northerly boundary of Pelham Bay Park, at Baychester Station, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and relative to acquiring title to all the lands and premises acquired for the purpose of opening Baychester avenue, from Fourth avenue or street and Vernon parkway, East, westerly to White Plains road, in the Twenty-fourth 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, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 27th day of June, 1904, 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 99 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 14, 1904.

CHAS. DONAHUE,
GRENVILLE T. EMMET,
MICHAEL E. DEVLIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
j14,24

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the southerly side of NINETEEN-STREET, between Park and Lexington avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a public library, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal, 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 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 Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, at their office, Room 805, No. 277 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties 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, June 10, 1904, file their objections to such estimate in writing, with us, at our office, Room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the said city, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office on the 22d day of June, 1904, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, June 9, 1904.

EPHRAIM A. JACOB,
MARTIN H. VOGEL,
CHARLES D. HOBBS,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
j10,21

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the northerly side of SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, between Broadway and Amsterdam avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected for school purposes according to law.

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, at Special Term, Part III., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, on the 17th day of June, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the appointment of three disinterested citizens, residents of the Borough of Manhattan, as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real property situated in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Parcel No. 1.

"Beginning at a point on the northerly line of West Sixty-fifth street distant 239 feet 11 inches westerly from the westerly line of Broadway, and running thence westerly along the northerly line of West Sixty-fifth street 100 feet to the easterly line of the present site of the High School of Commerce; thence northerly along the easterly line of the present site of the High School of Commerce 100 feet 5 inches; thence easterly and parallel with West Sixty-fifth street 100 feet; thence southerly at right angles to West Sixty-fifth street 100 feet 5 inches to the northerly line of West Sixty-fifth street, the point or place of beginning."

Parcel No. 2.

"Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of the present site of the High School of Commerce with the northerly line

of West Sixty-fifth street, which point is distant 200 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue, and running thence westerly along the northerly line of West Sixty-fifth street 100 feet; thence northerly and parallel with Amsterdam avenue 100 feet 5 inches; thence easterly and parallel with West Sixty-fifth street 100 feet to the westerly line of the present site of the High School of Commerce; thence southerly along the westerly line of the High School of Commerce 100 feet 5 inches to the northerly line of West Sixty-fifth street, the point or place of beginning."

Dated New York, June 3, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
j6,16

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 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.

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 June, 1904, 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 June, 1904, at 4 o'clock P. 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of July, 1904.

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 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 intersection of a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Westchester avenue with the southerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Clason's Point road; thence running northerly along said last-mentioned prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West Farms road; thence westerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West Farms road; thence westerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Morris Park avenue; thence northeasterly and easterly along said last-mentioned prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of White Plains road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the southerly line of Bronx and Pelham parkway; thence easterly along said southerly line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of White Plains road; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Morris Park avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Bronxdale avenue; thence southerly and southeasterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Lafayette street; thence southerly along said last-mentioned prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Grace avenue; thence southeasterly along said last-mentioned parallel line and its prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Westchester avenue; thence southeasterly and westerly along said last-mentioned 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 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 20th day of October, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 18, 1904.

WAUHOPE LYNN,
Chairman;
HENRY LIPPS, JR.,
JACOB STAHL, JR.,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
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 MORRIS PARK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from West Farms road to Bear Swamp road (at the lands of the Morris Park Race Course), in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The 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 June, 1904, 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 June, 1904, at 4 o'clock P. 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of July, 1904.

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 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 a line drawn parallel to and distant 300 feet easterly from the easterly line of Bronxdale avenue (Bear Swamp road) with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 650 feet northerly from the northerly line of Morris Park avenue; running thence southerly along said line parallel to Bronxdale avenue to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 650 feet southerly from the southerly line of Morris Park avenue; thence westerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Bronxdale avenue and Rose street; thence southerly along said prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 1,000 feet southerly from the southerly line of Morris Park avenue; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Unionport road; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the southerly property line of that portion of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad lying west of Unionport road; thence westerly along said prolongation and property line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 300 feet southerly from the southerly line of that portion of West Farms road lying north of the said railroad; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 650 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Morris Park avenue; thence northeasterly and easterly along said line parallel to Morris Park avenue 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 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 20th day of October, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 14, 1904.

JOHN W. WARD, Chairman;
THOMAS A. NEWELL,
PETER A. SHELL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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Notice of filing, etc., estimate and assessment of the damage and benefit caused by the acquisition of title to Spuyten Duyvil road, and of the damage to certain properties caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing of Kingsbridge road in front of said Spuyten Duyvil road, and of the benefit derived from the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in whole or in part of the Kingsbridge road, from West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and Riverdale avenue to the intersection of the said Kingsbridge road and the Spuyten Duyvil road, at or near the junction of the Spuyten Duyvil road, Johnson avenue and Palisade avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty 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 purpose of opening SPUYTEN DUYVIL ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, near Spuyten Duyvil Depot, to the junction of Riverdale avenue and West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, having also been directed by orders of the Special Term, Part I., of the Supreme Court, dated June 23, 1903, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the same day, to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any, which upon proof of all the facts should justly be made and legally awarded to Frank A. Beckman, Nora Leddy, Caroline Weigel, Thomas D. Tighe, Elizabeth N. Tierney, Julia T. Malloy, Peter Tarantino, Elizabeth M. Pryor, Patrick Stafford, Thomas Scanlon, Mary Scanlon, Rose Scanlon, Margaret Scanlon, Patrick Scanlon, Sarah C. Roden, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained, by reason of the abandonment, discontinuance and closing of the Kingsbridge road in front of their premises, and on which their premises of said petitioners abut, reference being had to the said petitions on file with the said orders for a more particular description thereof, and to our maps attached to our estimate and assessment; and to fix and determine a separate award for the said loss and damage, if any, and include the same in our report herein, pursuant to chapter 1006 of the Laws of 1895,

Hereby give notice to all persons interested in the above proceeding to acquire title to Spuyten Duyvil road and in the properties described in the foregoing petition and orders, and in the lands benefited by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in whole or in part of Kingsbridge road, from West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and Riverdale avenue to the intersection of the said Kingsbridge road with the Spuyten Duyvil road at or near the junction of the Spuyten Duyvil road, Johnson avenue and Palisade avenue; and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses, lots, 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 18th day of June, 1904, 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 20th day of June, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock P. 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 28th day of June, 1904.

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 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 northerly bulkhead line of the Harlem river with the westerly line of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway; running thence northerly along said last line to the northerly right-of-way line of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; thence northerly along said right-of-way line to the point of intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Spuyten Duyvil road; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said westerly line of Broadway to an intersection with the northerly bulkhead line of Spuyten Duyvil creek; thence westerly and southwesterly along said bulkhead line to its intersection with the northerly bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence westerly along said northerly bulkhead line of the Harlem river to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, and as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our 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 I., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of July, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, May 18, 1904.

EDWARD B. WHITNEY,
Chairman;
CHAS. V. HALLLEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application and petition of Robert Grier Monroe, as Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of The City of New York, for and in behalf and in the name of The City of New York, under chapter 46 of the Laws of 1897, as amended, known as the Greater New York Charter, to acquire certain real estate (as the term "real estate" is defined in the said act), situate in the Town of Carmel, County of Putnam and State of New York, 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 contamination and pollution of the same.

MAHOPAC, KIRK AND MUSCOOT.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the report of Henry W. Taft, John M. L. Igney and William H. Haldane, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Putnam, at Carmel, in the said County, on the 20th day of May, 1904.

Notice is further given that the said report includes and affects the parcels of land designated as Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 35, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 6 and 7, being all the parcels of land included in the said proceeding.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Second Judicial District, at the Chambers of the Hon. Martin J. Keogh, in the City of New Rochelle, County of Westchester, on the 25th day of June, 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated NEW YORK, May 24, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
Office and Post Office Address,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
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, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Audubon avenue to Wadsworth avenue, 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 21st day of June, 1904, 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 June, 1904, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 30th day of June, 1904.

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 a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and West One Hundred and Ninetieth street with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly line of Wadsworth avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Ninety-second street and West One Hundred and Ninety-third street; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and middle line to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly line of Audubon avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; then e southwesterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Ninetieth street and West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; thence northwesterly along said middle line and its northwesterly prolongation 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 our 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 18th day of October, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 9, 1904.

SAMUEL S. SLATER, Chairman;
MORRIS J. HIRSCH,
EDWARD L. LITHAUER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
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 FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Old City Line to West Street in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in 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 21st day of June, 1904, 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 99 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 38 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, June 7, 1904.

JOHN B. LORD,
DANIEL QUINN,
GEO. W. PALMER,
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 HEMLOCK STREET, from Glenmore avenue to Sutter avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in 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 21st day of June, 1904, 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 99 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 38 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, June 7, 1904.

R. M. WHITING,
EUGENE B. HOWELL,
GEORGE W. WILSON,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application and petition of Seth Low, Edward M. Grout, Alexander E. Orr, Charles Stewart Smith, Morris K. Jesup, John H. Starin, Woodbury Langdon and John Clafin, constituting the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners of The City of New York, for and on behalf of said City, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 4 of the Laws of 1897, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, relative to acquiring a perpetual underground right, easement and right of way under Joralemon street, from a point therein between the East river and Furman street to its intersection with Fulton street; Fulton street, from its intersection with Joralemon street to its intersection with Flatbush avenue; Flatbush avenue, from its intersection with Fulton street to a point at or near its intersection with Atlantic avenue; Fulton street, from its intersection with Joralemon street to its intersection with Court street; Court street, from its intersection with Joralemon street to its intersection with Fulton street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned, who, with William Brennan and Thomas J. Kenna, were heretofore appointed Commissioners of Appraisal herein, will apply at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 20th day of June, 1904, at the opening of the Court, for the appointment of two Commissioners of Appraisal in place of William Brennan and Thomas J. Kenna, resigned.

Dated NEW YORK, June 4, 1904.

JOHN LEFFERTS, JR.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
New York City

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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 NINTEENTH AVENUE, from West street to Sixtieth street, in the Thirtieth 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 27th day of June, 1904, 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 28th day of June, 1904, at 4 o'clock P. 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 8th day of July, 1904.

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 northerly side of Sixtieth street where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Nineteenth avenue and Twentieth avenue; running thence northerly and parallel with Nineteenth avenue to the intersection of the northerly side of Forty-ninth street with the west side of West street; running thence northerly along the westerly side of West street to its intersection with the southerly side of Forty-seventh street; running thence westerly along the southerly side of Forty-seventh street to the centre line of the block between Nineteenth avenue and Eighteenth avenue; running thence southerly and parallel with Nineteenth avenue to the northerly side of Sixtieth street; thence easterly along the northerly side of Sixtieth street 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 8th day of September, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 8, 1904.

JAMES W. REDMOND,
Chairman;
EDWARD J. BYRNE,
WILLIAM H. WHITE,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality 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 purpose of opening AUDUBON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Fort George avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of The 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 22d day of June, 1904, 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 99 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, June 9, 1904.

CHARLES HAZEN RUSSELL,
BENJ. OPPENHEIMER,
ANDREW RUEHL,
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 purpose of opening and extending of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Locust avenue to the East river, in the Twenty-third Ward of the 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 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 11th day of July, 1904, 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 11th day July, 1904, at 2 o'clock P. 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 13th day of July, 1904.

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 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 intersection of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fortieth street and East One Hundred and Forty-first street with the United States

bulkhead-line of the East river, running thence westerly along the United States East river bulkhead-line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet west of the westerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of Cypress avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Fortieth street and East One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, 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 our 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 11th day of October, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, May 25, 1904.

HENRY J. SMITH, Chairman,
ANTHONY MCOWEN,
GEORGE STARK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
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 GRACE CHURCH PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Simonson place, westerly about one hundred and thirty feet, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, 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, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of June, 1904, 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 Richmond, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 99 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, June 9, 1904.

WM. M. MULLEN,
AUGUSTUS ACKER,
JOHN S. DAVENPORT,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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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, the 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 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.