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## COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a Meeting Held in Room 16, City Hall, at 11 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, April 12, 1904.

Present—George B. McClellan, Mayor; Edward M. Grout, Comptroller; Patrick Keenan, Chamberlain, and Charles V. Fornes, President, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting held March 29, 1904, were approved as printed.

The following communication was received from the Commissioner of Docks relative to the Staten Island Ferry matter (see pages 140, 143, 145, 169 and 170):

NEW YORK, April 4, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, and Chairman of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

SIR—Noting the communication dated March 30, from the Secretary to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, in which I was invited to make a further report to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, relative to the Staten Island Ferry or any plan of it, together with such matters as I may wish to communicate regardless of any prior resolutions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, I beg to submit the following for your consideration:

The lease of the present ferry franchise expires by limitation on June 1 next, and it will be necessary for the City to take decisive action relative to the continuance of the service in the immediate future.

Two courses are open to the City for the continuation of the ferry service, namely: either to take possession of the terminal at St. George, pursuant to chapter 624 of the Laws of 1903, and to purchase the boats necessary for the service, or else to purchase the property at St. George by agreement, with a stipulation in said agreement for the present owners of the franchise to continue the operation of the ferry until some date in the future when the City will be in possession of its new boats, and have sufficient alterations made in the present terminals so as to enable the boats to operate properly.

In my opinion the latter course would be the best to pursue, and I respectfully recommend that the Commissioner of Docks be directed to submit to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund a form of agreement, with the price at which the terminal at St. George can be secured, with the necessary stipulation for the present owners of the ferry franchise to continue the operation of the ferry service as it is operated at present, with a new rate of compensation based on the changes in the area of City property used for the ferry service, also taking into account the necessity of carrying on the work of construction both at Whitehall street, Manhattan, and St. George, Richmond, while the ferry is in operation, and such agreement to continue not longer than May 1, 1905.

A commission of experts having reported and recommended a layout plan for the track arrangement at St. George, and which was previously sent to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, it is my opinion that the general layout of this plan should be followed, as I am advised by the steam railroad interests that they regard this plan favorably and are prepared to arrange their track system in accordance therewith. The trolley interests, however, up to the present time, are opposed to this plan, and in a communication to the Commissioner of Docks submitted a plan radically different, the main features of difference being that the trolley plan referred to showed the trolley tracks alone in the terminal at an elevation above the main deck and showed the steam railroad tracks at their present level.

In a municipal terminal it is to my mind unjust to make any discrimination between two distinct interests transporting passengers to the ferry, the result of which

would be not only to give one company an advantage over the other, but would also in this case compel those who are obliged to use the steam railroad to pass across the vehicle line in coming to and from the boats.

The plan which I have forwarded places both the trolley and the steam railroad companies as nearly as possible on an equality. Objection was made at the last meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by the counsel for the trolley company to the elevation of the trolley loops (about 8 feet above the waiting room floor).

I would call the attention of the Commissioners to the fact that this elevation is made only in the interests of safety, in order to make it possible for the passengers to pass to and from the cars without crossing the loop, thereby avoiding the dangerous condition such as may be observed at the Manhattan end of the Brooklyn Bridge.

I respectfully recommend that the Commissioner of Docks be directed to carry out the ground track scheme shown on the track plan forwarded to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund with the report dated January 25, 1904, subject to such modification in detail as may be deemed advisable in arranging with the trolley and steam railroads for the use of the City's Staten Island Ferry terminal.

In the report to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund dated January 25, 1904, it was recommended that a freight ferry (with passenger accommodation) be operated between Whitehall street, Manhattan, and the foot of Canal street, Stapleton, S. I., and, further, that the contemplated ferry service between Manhattan and Port Richmond, S. I., be not taken up until such time as the St. George and Stapleton ferry service were finally established.

I beg to recommend that I be directed to proceed in accordance with the above.

In regard to the detail of the treatment of the buildings at St. George, Stapleton, and Whitehall street, I beg to call the attention of the Commissioners to the fact that certain elaborate plans were prepared under the direction of the former Commissioner of Docks for the terminals at the above localities, involving an estimated expenditure for the one at St. George of \$1,250,000, at Stapleton of \$250,000 immediately, with a final expenditure of \$750,000. The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have taken no action relative to these plans, and as, in my opinion, all necessary accommodation can be secured by an expenditure of about \$650,000 at St. George and about \$125,000 at Stapleton, as shown in the plans and sketches submitted with my communication of January 25 last.

I beg to recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund approve of the above, and, further, that I be authorized to cause the architects' plans for the ferry terminals, which were prepared on the basis of the larger expenditure, to be modified approximately in accordance with the above, and to retain such expert architectural and engineering services as may be necessary to modify the plans prepared, or to prepare new plans on the basis of the smaller expenditure, this to include the preparation of plans for the necessary alterations to the present Whitehall terminal.

I have recommended the purchase by agreement of the property necessary to secure the St. George terminal, in order to provide for the stipulation as to the continuance of the ferry by the present lessee, pending the changes in the terminal and the building of the boats, as then the City could more properly be held responsible than if the City were to run a municipal ferry with the present facilities.

Should the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund not direct on this method of procedure, it will be necessary to proceed to acquire the property at St. George under chapter 624 of the Laws of 1903, and have a commission of estimate and appraisal appointed for the St. George property and also for the necessary property at Stapleton.

In regard to the proposed new boats, bids were opened on the 28th of March, but were all rejected, as I deemed them too high. Protests were made by practically all of the New York shipbuilding concerns, giving as a reason that the specifications discriminated against them in the application of the eight-hour labor clause, and further protesting against the amount of percentage retained on monthly estimates of work done and the amount of bond required. These matters will be taken up with the Corporation Counsel in order to ascertain what changes can be made in the contract so as to secure for the City the benefit of competition, in addition to which certain alterations will be made in the general specifications which will cheapen but not materially modify the efficiency of the boats, and bids will again be asked for in the immediate future.

Very respectfully,

MAURICE FEATHERSON, Commissioner.

In connection therewith the Comptroller presented the following report of the Engineer of the Department of Finance and offered the following resolutions:

APRIL 11, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioner of Docks, in a communication dated April 4, 1904, to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, states that as the lease of the present franchise for the ferry to Staten Island expires June 1 next, and the City is not as yet in a position to operate the ferry, it will be necessary to take decisive action relative to the continuation of the service for the immediate future and until such time as the City has boats of its own. The Commissioner further states:

"Two courses are open to the City for the continuation of the ferry service, namely: Either to take possession of the terminal at St. George, pursuant to chapter 624 of the Laws of 1903, and to purchase the boats necessary for the service, or else to purchase the property at St. George by agreement, with a stipulation in said agreement for the present owners of the franchise to continue the operation of the ferry until some date in the future when the City will be in possession of its new boats, and have sufficient alterations made in the present terminals so as to enable the boats to operate properly."

The Commissioner recommends the latter course, and if such a course could be adopted I would concur, but I understand that the situation is somewhat different, in that the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, owners of the land required for the ferry terminal at St. George, have but a partial interest in the ferry, and in consequence, are not in a position to make any proposition other than to sell the land.

This information comes to me through Mr. Charles L. Spier, who states that he represents the Rapid Transit Ferry Company, the present lessee, and that the company can and will, during the present week, make a proposition to the Dock Commissioner for the continuation of the service.

I am therefore of the opinion that the Dock Commissioner should be authorized to enter into negotiations with,

1st. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for the purchase of the terminal property at St. George, the City to take title June 1, 1904; and

2d. The Rapid Transit Ferry Company, for a continuation of the service under such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreed upon,

—both propositions to be submitted to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for approval at an early date.

The proposed track layout at St. George, with the steam railroad and trolley interests as they exist to-day, I consider the best, and I fully concur in the recommendations of the Commissioner, and advise they be approved. As stated by the Commissioner, I think it unjust to make any discrimination between two distinct railroad interests. The plan proposed gives equal facilities to each railroad to and from the ferry-house.

In regard to the treatment of the buildings at St. George, Stapleton and Whitehall street, the Commissioner calls attention to the fact that certain elaborate plans were prepared "under the direction of the former Commissioner of Docks for the terminals at the above localities, involving an estimated expenditure for the one at St. George of \$1,250,000; at Stapleton of \$250,000, immediately, with a final expenditure of \$750,000."

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have taken no action relative to these plans, and the Commissioner states that in his opinion all the necessary accommodations can be secured by an expenditure of about \$650,000 at St. George and about \$125,000 at Stapleton, as shown on sketches submitted with his communication of January 25, 1904.

I concur in the views of the Commissioner that the proposed ferry terminal at St. George, to cost \$600,000, would give all the ferry facilities that are required, but would not give a very elaborate ferry-house. In the present communication the Commissioner puts the expenditure at \$650,000; this will allow for a few architectural effects.



I would suggest that the architects who drew the original plans be instructed to modify their original plans or prepare new plans on a basis of a certain expenditure, that is, John Carrere, architect, be instructed to prepare plans for a terminal ferry-house at St. George on a basis of an expenditure of \$650,000, and that Snelling & Potter, architects, be instructed to prepare plans for a terminal ferry-house, etc., at Stapleton at a cost of about \$125,000.

I consider it advantageous to obtain the services of the architects who drew the original plans, at the respective terminals, for they are more conversant with the subject, and could possibly modify their original plans to come within the amounts proposed.

Relative to the terminal building at Whitehall street, I would suggest that the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries be authorized, as he requests, to obtain such expert services as may be necessary for the preparation of plans, estimates, etc., for the new ferry-house at Whitehall street.

Respectfully,  
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize and direct the Commissioner of Docks as follows:

1st. To enter into negotiations with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for the purchase of terminal property at St. George, Borough of Richmond; the City to take title June 1, 1904.

2d. To enter into negotiations with the Rapid Transit Ferry Company for the continuation of the ferry service between boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond under such terms as may be mutually agreed upon.

—both propositions to be submitted to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for approval at an early date.

Resolved, That the layout plan for the track arrangement at St. George, as recommended by the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Board of Consulting Engineers, namely, Mr. Bryan, of the Interborough Railway Company; Mr. Wilgus, Vice-President and Chief Engineer of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and Mr. Winters, the President of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Railroad Company, and submitted by the Commissioner of Docks with communication dated February 4, 1904, be and the same is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Docks be and is hereby requested to instruct the architects who drew the original plans for the proposed ferry terminal at St. George, Borough of Richmond, to modify their original plans or to prepare new plans on the basis of a certain expenditure—that is, John Carrere, architect, be instructed to prepare plans for the terminal ferry-house at St. George on the basis of an expenditure of six hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$650,000), and that Messrs. Snelling and Potter, architects, be instructed to prepare plans for a terminal ferry-house, etc., at Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, at a cost of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$125,000).

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Docks be and is hereby authorized to obtain such expert services as may be necessary for the preparation of plans, estimates, etc., for a new ferry terminal house at the foot of Whitehall street, Borough of Manhattan.

The report was accepted and the resolutions severally unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Commissioner of Docks relative to the purchase of 70 feet of bulkhead on the East river, commencing at a point 230 feet easterly of the easterly line of Gouverneur Slip Pier, east, from the Century Stearic Acid Candle Works:

NEW YORK, March 28, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, and Chairman of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

SIR—On May 20, 1903, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorized the Commissioner of Docks to serve offers upon the owners of the 282 feet of bulkhead on the East river easterly of Pier, old 52, East river, as follows:

For 130 feet of bulkhead extending easterly from the easterly line of the pier .....	\$26,910 00
For the next 100 feet extending further eastwardly .....	20,700 00
For the next 52 feet extending still further eastwardly .....	10,764 00

The last-mentioned 52 feet of bulkhead is the property of the Century Stearic Acid Candle Works, and the offer is based upon a rate of \$207 per front foot. The request of the former Commissioner of Docks for authority to serve the offers apparently must have been made upon the assumption that the said company owned but 52 feet of the bulkhead, but after investigation I find that the company really owns practically 70 feet of the bulkhead thereat; of course, it would not be to the interest of the City to acquire 52 feet of the bulkhead, leaving the company still holding title to some 18 feet adjoining.

I would therefore respectfully request that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize the Commissioner of Docks to make and serve upon the owners of the property a written offer for the purchase of the bulkhead commencing at a point 230 feet easterly of the easterly line of Gouverneur Slip Pier, east, formerly known as Pier, old 52, East river, and running thence easterly a distance of about 70 feet, more or less, at the rate of \$207 per running foot, and that in the event of such offer not being accepted that the Commissioner of Docks be authorized to direct the Corporation Counsel to take legal proceedings to acquire the property.

Yours respectfully,

MAURICE FEATHERSON, Commissioner.

This application may be properly approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and I would recommend that so much of the resolution adopted May 20, 1903 (Minutes, page 505), as refers to the purchase of 52 feet of bulkhead from the Century Stearic Acid Candle Works be rescinded, and a new resolution adopted authorizing the Dock Commissioner to offer said company a price of \$207 per foot for 70 feet, more or less.

70 feet at \$207 .....	\$14,490 00
Assessed valuation (1904) .....	10,000 00

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer, Department of Finance.

MARCH 31, 1904.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That so much of the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held May 20, 1903, as relates to the purchase from the Century Stearic Acid Candle Works of the fifty-two feet of bulkhead, commencing at a point two hundred and thirty feet easterly of the easterly line of Gouverneur Slip Pier, East, formerly known as Pier, old 52, East river, and running easterly a distance of fifty-two feet, be, and the same is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 822 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize and direct the Commissioner of Docks to make and serve upon the Century Stearic Acid Candle Works a written offer to purchase the bulkhead, commencing at a point two hundred and thirty feet easterly of the easterly line of Gouverneur Slip Pier, East, formerly known as Pier, old 52, East river, and running thence easterly a distance of seventy feet more or less, at the rate of two hundred and seven dollars (\$207) per running foot, and that, in the event of such offer not being accepted, the Commissioner of Docks is hereby authorized to direct the Corporation Counsel to take the legal proceedings to acquire the property, as further provided in said section.

Which were severally unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following statement and resolution relative to the lease of premises corner of Westchester and Greene avenues, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the President of the Borough (see page 16):

APRIL 6, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under date of January 20, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute renewals of leases to the City of the following-described premises for the use of the President of the Borough of The Bronx:

"The plot of land situated on the southeast corner of Westchester and Greene avenues, Borough of The Bronx, for a term of one year from January 1, 1904, at an annual rental of one hundred dollars (\$100), payable quarterly and on the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; Mary E. Moore, lessor."

It seems that Mary E. Moore is not now the owner of the premises, and the present owner requests that the resolution be amended by inserting the name Michael J. Gilhuly as lessor, and I would so recommend.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Resolved, That so much of the resolution adopted by this Board, at meeting held January 20, 1904, as relates to a lease to the City from Mary E. Moore, of the plot of land situated on the southeast corner of Westchester and Greene avenues, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the President of the Borough of The Bronx (paragraph 1) be and the same is hereby amended by substituting the name of "Michael J. Gilhuly" as the lessor in place of "Mary E. Moore."

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Department of Street Cleaning, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises No. 239 Ninth street, Borough of Brooklyn:

NEW YORK, March 31, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, and Chairman of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

SIR—I request the consent and approval of your Board, pursuant to section 541 of the Charter, for a renewal of the lease from the Nassau Trust Company (126 Broadway, Brooklyn), as executor of the last will and testament of William N. Tebo, deceased, of the store of the premises known as No. 239 Ninth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for another term of three years from May 1, 1904, at the annual rental of \$360, payable quarterly; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

Respectfully,

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a renewal of this lease upon the same terms as in the present existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

APRIL 7, 1904.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, of a renewal of the lease to the City, from the Nassau Trust Company, as the executor of the Estate of William N. Tebo, deceased, of the store of premises No. 239 Ninth street, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of three years from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable quarterly; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Department of Street Cleaning, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises No. 728 Hicks street, Borough of Brooklyn:

NEW YORK, February 24, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, and Chairman of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

SIR—I request the consent and approval of your Board, pursuant to section 541 of the Greater New York Charter, for a renewal of the lease from John J. Brady, as agent (residing at No. 726 Hicks street), of the store at the premises known as No. 728 Hicks street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for another term of three (3) years, from May 1, 1904, at the annual rental of \$300, payable quarterly, and otherwise on the same terms and conditions as are contained in the existing lease.

Respectfully,

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

Approved for renewal upon the same terms and conditions as are in the present existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, of a renewal of the lease to the City from John J. Brady, as agent, of the store of premises No. 728 Hicks street, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of three (3) years, from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of three hundred dollars (\$300), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Examining Board of Plumbers, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises at No. 149 Church street, Borough of Manhattan:

NEW YORK, March 28, 1904.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, City: GENTLEMEN—We respectfully ask your honorable members to renew the lease of Rooms Nos. 14, 15 and 16, Aldrich Building, No. 149 Church street, now used by this Board. The location is central for applicants from all the boroughs and the rooms meet with all the requirements of the Board. The present lease expires May 1, 1904.

Respectfully,

ROBERT McCABE, President, Examining Board of Plumbers.

Approved for renewal upon the same terms and conditions as are in present existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from Elizabeth W. Aldrich, executrix, etc., of Rooms



Nos. 14, 15 and 16, on the second floor of the Aldrich Building, No. 149 Church street, Borough of Manhattan, occupied by the Examining Board of Plumbers, for a term of one year from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of nine hundred and sixty dollars (\$960), payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the President of the Borough of Queens relative to a renewal of the lease of premises at No. 48 Jackson avenue, Long Island City:

LONG ISLAND CITY, March 21, 1904.

To the Sinking Fund Commission, City Hall, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—The lease on the ground floor and basement of the premises known as No. 48 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, and occupied by the Bureau of Street Cleaning, which was previously leased by The City of New York, expired on the 1st inst., and Mr. Cassidy requests me to ask if you will kindly have said lease renewed.

Yours respectfully,

GEO. S. JERVIS, Secretary to President.

Approved for renewal for a period of two years from March 1, 1904; otherwise, upon the same terms and conditions as contained in present existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

APRIL 4, 1904.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City from Mary L. Dennler of the ground floor and basement of premises known as No. 48 Jackson avenue, First Ward, Borough of Queens, for the use of the President of the Borough of Queens, for a term of two years from March 1, 1904, at an annual rental of three hundred and eighty-four dollars (\$384), payable monthly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals relative to a renewal of the lease of property No. 518 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Borough of Manhattan:

NEW YORK, March 31, 1904.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Esq., Secretary, Sinking Fund Commission, Room 12, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

DEAR SIR—The Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, at its meeting held Tuesday afternoon, March 29, adopted a resolution requesting the Sinking Fund Commissioners to make renewal of the lease of property at No. 518 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, now used as a home for Nurses and women employees of Harlem Hospital, the new lease to run one year from May 1, and the renewal to be upon the same terms as those obtaining in the last lease.

Yours respectfully,

J. K. PAULDING, Secretary, Board of Trustees.

Approved for renewal for one year upon the same terms and conditions as contained in present existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

APRIL 4, 1904.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from Mrs. Helen J. Capell, of premises known as No. 518 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the Harlem Hospital as a dwelling for the Nurses and employees, for a term of one year from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of four hundred and eighty dollars (\$480), payable monthly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following report and resolution were received from the Board of Education relative to a lease of rooms in the Educational Alliance Building, No. 197 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan:

Mr. Adams presented the following:

To the Executive Committee:

The Committee on Buildings respectfully reports that it has received a communication from the Educational Alliance, stating that, pursuant to provisions made in the lease entered into with the Board of Education on June 29, 1897, for the use of certain rooms in premises No. 197 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, it had decided to terminate said lease on May 1, 1904, for the reason that it did not feel justified in continuing the same at the nominal rental paid, \$25 per month.

As Acting City Superintendent Davis states that these premises are urgently needed, all the schools in this neighborhood being very much crowded, further negotiations were carried on with the Alliance, and it was found that there were ten rooms in this building which were especially adapted for school purposes, being completely equipped with school furniture, and which the owners stated they would lease to this Board at a reasonable rental.

The President of the Alliance and the Chairman of the House Committee appeared before your committee, and the whole matter was exhaustively considered. The sum of \$2,500 per annum was mutually decided to be a fair rental, and the Departments of Health and Buildings were requested to furnish certificates as to the satisfactory sanitary and structural condition of the building. These certificates have been received, and your committee believes that it would be expedient to lease these premises, a belief which is also shared by the Local School Board of District No. 3.

The following resolutions are therefore submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That on and after May 1, 1904, the lease of the five rooms in the premises No. 197 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, which will expire on the date mentioned, be and it is hereby abrogated.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a lease of Rooms Nos. 14, 16, 17, 18, 25, 26, 27, 28, 42A and 42B, in the premises No. 197 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, for a term of two years from May 1, 1904, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, at an annual rental of \$2,500, payable quarterly, the lessors, The Educational Alliance, Isador Straus, president, to furnish light, heat, water, janitor's service, and make repairs, and to have the use and occupation of the premises after school hours and on all days other than school days; it being also mutually understood and agreed that the use of the elevators by teachers, school children and all persons connected with the Department of Education is not included.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of the Board of Education on March 16, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

In connection therewith the Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Regarding the ten rooms to be leased by the Board of Education for school purposes in the Educational Alliance Building, No. 197 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of two years from May 1, 1904, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, at the annual rental of \$2,500, payable quarterly, and upon the other terms and conditions set forth in the papers herewith, I have the honor to report as follows:

The Board of Education has for the past six years been using six rooms under lease at the nominal rental of \$25 a month, being Rooms 14, 16, 17 and 18, on the second floor (up one flight), for kindergarten purposes, and 42A and 42B on the fifth floor, for primary classes.

The rooms to be covered by the new lease are:

Room 14 .....	37 feet by 23 feet
Room 16 .....	22 feet by 21 feet
Room 17 .....	18 feet by 24 feet
Room 18 .....	18 feet by 24 feet
—all on the second floor.	
Room 25 .....	25 feet by 27 feet
Room 26 .....	23 feet by 22 feet
Room 27 .....	18 feet by 28 feet
Room 28 .....	18 feet by 23 feet
—all on the third floor.	

(These additional rooms have been in possession of the Board of Education since March 14.)

Room 42A .....	33 feet by 17 feet
Room 42B .....	33 feet by 17 feet
—on the fifth floor.	

Making a total floor space of 5,263 square feet.

The rent of \$2,500 a year is therefore at the rate of about 47 cents a square foot, which is fair and reasonable for rentals in this neighborhood, the Educational Alliance itself now paying \$456 a year for two rooms, each 14 feet by 16 feet, on the second floor of a private house at No. 201 East Broadway, or at the rate of over 70 cents a square foot.

In addition to the rooms in the Alliance Building covered by the City's lease, the Board of Education has had and will continue to use several other rooms by courtesy. For instance, on the fifth floor, opposite Rooms 42A and 42B, is a gymnasium room, 48 feet by 54 feet, which is thrown open to the children as a play room under the supervision of the Teachers, without extra charge. Also on the second floor, Rooms 13 and 15, although not included in the lease, are open daily as lunch and play rooms. The new lease will not cover Exhibition Room A, but this room will continue to be used as a kindergarten room when not required for other uses.

The children and Teachers on the fifth floor, as a matter of courtesy, are allowed to use the elevator. The stairways are all fireproof and the rooms to be leased are well lighted, with the possible exception of Room 25, which has windows fronting only on a court.

After an examination of the premises, I am of the opinion that the rental of \$2,500 a year for the ten rooms covered by the proposed lease is fair and reasonable, not taking into account the other rooms used by courtesy.

Copies of the reports of the Department of Health and the Department of Buildings, transmitted by the Board of Education, state that the building is suitable for school purposes. I would therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing the lease of Rooms Nos. 14, 16, 17, 18, 25, 26, 27, 28, 42A and 42B, in the Educational Alliance Building, No. 197 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of two years from May 1, 1904, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, at an annual rental of \$2,500, payable quarterly, the lessor, Educational Alliance, Isador Straus, president, to furnish light, heat, water, janitor service and make repairs, and to have the use and occupation of the premises after school hours, and on all days other than school days, it being also mutually understood and agreed that the use of the elevators by the Teachers, school children and all persons connected with the Department of Education is not included.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Board of Education, of a lease to the City, from the Educational Alliance, Isador Straus President, of Rooms Nos. 14, 16, 17, 18, 25, 26, 27, 28, 42A, 42B, in the Educational Alliance Building, No. 197 East Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of two years from May 1, 1904, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year at an annual rental of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), payable quarterly; the lessor to furnish light, heat, water, janitor service and make repairs, and to have the use and occupation of the premises after school hours, and on all days other than school days, it being mutually understood and agreed that the use of the elevators by the teachers, school children and all persons connected with the Department of Education is not included—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made. The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following report and resolution were received from the Board of Education relative to a renewal of the lease of rooms in the Long Island City Turn Verein Hall, at Kouwenhoven street, near Jamaica avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens:

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Buildings respectfully reports that the lease of the rooms in the building known as the Long Island City Turn Verein (Inc.), and situated at Kouwenhoven street and Jamaica avenue, Borough of Queens, will expire on August 1, 1904.

The City Superintendent states that a further occupancy of these premises will be necessary to afford kindergarten accommodations to Public School 6, and the Departments of Health and Buildings certify that the said premises are suitable for school purposes.

The following resolution is submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a renewal of the lease of the southwest room and ante-room on the first floor and the use of the basement in the building known as the Long Island City Turn Verein Hall, Kouwenhoven street and Jamaica avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for a period of one year from August 1, 1904, at an annual rental of \$400, and on the same terms and conditions as in the existing lease. Lessor, Long Island City Turn Verein (Incorporated); President, Fred Becker, No. 170 Ninth avenue, Long Island City.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on March 23, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

In connection therewith, the Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

MARCH 28, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education, at a meeting held March 23, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a renewal of the lease of the southwest room and ante-room on the first floor and the use of the basement in the building known as the Long Island City Turn Verein Hall, Kouwenhoven street and Jamaica avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for a period of one year from August 1, 1904, at an annual rental of \$400, and on the same terms and conditions as in the existing lease. Lessor, Long Island City Turn Verein Hall (incorporated). President, Fred Becker, No. 170 Ninth avenue, Long Island City."



I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund approve of the request of the Board of Education and adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease upon the same terms and conditions as are in the present existing lease.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Board of Education, of a renewal of the lease to the City from the Long Island City Turn Verein (incorporated), Fred Becker, President, of the southwest room and the ante-room on the first floor, and the use of the basement in the Long Island City Turn Verein Hall, Kouwenhoven street, near Jamaica avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, for a term of one year from August 1, 1904, at an annual rental of four hundred dollars (\$400), payable quarterly, and upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolutions relative to the lease of the parlor floor of premises No. 977 Flatbush avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Board of Education:

APRIL 9, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held on November 18, 1903, adopted a resolution authorizing the Board of Education to enter into a lease of the parlor floor of premises No. 977 Flatbush avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, to be used as an annex to Erasmus Hall High School.

It seems that the owner of the property has declined to execute a renewal unless there will be included therein a specific statement that the Board of Education will not occupy said premises after September 1, 1904. I see no objection to having such a clause inserted in the lease, as the lessor so desires, although I do not see the necessity therefor, for the reason that the lease expires of itself on September 1, 1904, and the owner need only refuse to renew it, but inasmuch as it is requested to have this amendment made, I respectfully recommend that the Sinking Fund Commissioners adopt a resolution rescinding their resolution of November 18, 1903, and adopt the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Board of Education of a lease to the City from Ambrose A. Wicklund of room with closet adjoining on the parlor floor of the building known as No. 977 Flatbush avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Board of Education for a term of one year from September 1, 1903, at an annual rental of three hundred dollars, payable quarterly, the owner to provide heat and janitor service, the Board of Education to make the necessary repairs and alterations—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interest of the City that such lease be made.

Which resolution, when adopted, will, I think, comply with the request of the lessor and of the resolution of the Board of Education.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at a meeting held November 18, 1903, authorizing a lease of the parlor floor of premises No. 977 Flatbush avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, to be used as an annex to the Erasmus Hall High School, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Board of Education of a lease to the City from Ambrose A. Wicklund, of room with closet adjoining on the parlor floor of the building known as No. 977 Flatbush avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Board of Education, for a term of one year from September 1, 1903, at an annual rental of three hundred dollars (\$300), payable quarterly, the owner to provide heat and janitor service; the Board of Education to make the necessary repairs and alterations—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolutions severally unanimously adopted.

The following report and resolution were received from the Board of Education, relative to the leases of premises known as Balzer Hall and the vacant lot adjoining, located on Prospect and Grant streets, Borough of Brooklyn:

To the Executive Committee:

The Committee on Buildings respectfully reports that on November 18, 1903 (see Journal, page 3097), a resolution was adopted requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize a renewal of the lease of the premises known as Balzer Hall, and the adjoining lot at Prospect and Grant streets, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of two years from April 19, 1904, at an annual rental of \$800; owners, Adam and Elizabeth F. Balzer. On January 20, 1904, the requisite authority was granted by the Sinking Fund Commission, but on proceeding to execute the renewal it was learned that Adam Balzer had no interest whatever in the property, that the adjoining lot, formerly owned by him, was sold under foreclosure proceedings some eighteen months ago, and that the owner is now Jennie V. Wilbur, John Z. Lott, attorney.

Mrs. Balzer is willing to lease Balzer Hall at a rental of \$600 per annum, and Mrs. Wilbur will lease the vacant lot adjoining at a rental of \$200 per annum, making the total rental the same as now paid.

The following resolutions are submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That so much of the resolution adopted by the Executive Committee November 18, 1903 (see Journal, page 3097), as applied to requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize a renewal of the lease of Balzer Hall and the vacant lot adjoining be and it is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to rescind the resolution adopted by them on January 20, 1904, approving the execution of the renewal aforesaid;

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they are hereby requested to authorize a lease of the premises known as Balzer Hall, located at Prospect and Grant streets, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of two years, from April 19, 1904, at an annual rental of six hundred dollars, payable quarterly, the Board of Education to make the necessary repairs. Owner, Elizabeth F. Balzer.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a lease of the plot of land 49 feet 11½ inches by 144 feet, situated on the northerly side of Grant street, immediately adjoining Balzer Hall, Prospect and Grant streets, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of two years, from April 19, 1904, at an annual rental of two hundred dollars. Owner, Jennie V. Wilbur, John Z. Lott, attorney.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of the Board of Education on March 16, 1904:

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

In connection therewith the Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolutions:

APRIL 11, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education, at a meeting held November 18, 1903, requested the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize the renewal of a lease of the premises known as Balzer Hall, and the vacant lot adjoining, located on Prospect and Grant

streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of two years from April 19, 1904, at an annual rental of \$800.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on January 20, 1904, approved of the lease by adopting the necessary resolution. At a meeting of the Board of Education, held on the 16th day of March, 1904, a resolution was adopted rescinding their resolution of November 18, 1903, and requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to rescind their resolution of January 20, 1904, and adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of the premises known as Balzer Hall, located on Prospect and Grant streets, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of two years from April 19, 1904, at an annual rental of \$600, payable quarterly, the Board of Education to make the necessary repairs; lessor, Elizabeth F. Balzer. And also to adopt a second resolution authorizing a lease of the plot of land 49 feet 11½ inches by 144 feet, situated on the northerly side of Grant street, immediately adjoining Balzer Hall, Prospect and Grant streets, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of two years, from April 19, 1904, at an annual rental of \$200, payable quarterly; lessor, Jennie V. Wilbur; John Z. Lott, attorney.

This request of the Board of Education arises from the fact of a change of ownership in the property, and I would respectfully recommend that the request of the Board of Education be approved, and resolutions be adopted in accordance therewith.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held January 20, 1904, authorizing a lease of premises known as Balzer Hall and the vacant lot adjoining, located on Prospect and Grant streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Board of Education, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Board of Education, of a lease to the City from Elizabeth F. Balzer, of premises known as Balzer Hall, located on Prospect and Grant streets, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of two years from April 19, 1904, at an annual rental of six hundred dollars (\$600), payable quarterly, the Board of Education to make the necessary repairs—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Board of Education, of a lease to the City from Jennie V. Wilbur, John Z. Lott, attorney, of the plot of land forty-nine feet eleven and one-half inches (49' 11½") by one hundred and forty-four feet (144'), situated on the northerly side of Grant street, immediately adjoining Balzer Hall, located on Prospect and Grant streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of two years from April 19, 1904, at an annual rental of two hundred dollars (\$200), payable quarterly—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolutions severally unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report of the Appraiser of Real Estate, and offered the following resolution relative to a renewal of the leases of premises No. 1216 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, and No. 426 East Seventy-second street, Borough of Manhattan:

APRIL 9, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education, at a meeting held January 27, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a renewal of the leases of the following-named premises for school purposes on the terms and at the rentals specified:

PREMISES.	OWNER.	PUBLIC SCHOOL.	LEASE EXPIRES.	TERM.	ANNUAL RENT.
No. 1216 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.	Cornelius Sullivan, No. 292 Claremont avenue, Brooklyn.	C. H. S., Annex...	July 1, 1904.	1 Year ..	\$600 00
No. 426 East Seventy-second street, Manhattan.	Associated Alumnae, Normal College.	82, Annex .....	Mar. 20, 1904.	1 Year ..	360 00

The Department of Buildings and the Department of Health having reported favorably upon the use of these premises for school purposes, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of these two leases upon the same terms and conditions as are in the present existing leases.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Board of Education of renewals of leases to the City, as follows:

1. The store of premises No. 1216 Bedford avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, used as an annex to the Commercial High School, for a term of one year, from July 1, 1904, at an annual rental of six hundred dollars (\$600), payable quarterly; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; Cornelius Sullivan, lessor.

2. The parlor floor of premises No. 426 East Seventy-second street, Borough of Manhattan, for a term of one year from March 20, 1904, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable quarterly; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; The Associated Alumnae of the Normal College, lessor;

—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rents fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such leases be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following report and resolution were received from the Board of Education relative to a lease of rooms in the Ridgewood Reform Church, situated at the southeast corner of Smith street and Rathjen avenue, Evergreen, Borough of Queens:

To the Executive Committee:

The Committee on Buildings respectfully reports that it has had under consideration the advisability of renting the basement of the Ridgewood Reformed Church, situated at the southeast corner of Smith street and Rathjen avenue, Evergreen, Borough of Queens.

The City Superintendent states that there is need for additional school accommodations in this vicinity, there being in Public School 68 four hundred and forty-three children on part time. The Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings for the borough reports that the rent is reasonable. The Department of Health and the Department of Buildings certify that with the exception of some repairs, which the Board of Education agrees to make, the building is sanitary, structurally safe and provided with necessary exits in case of fire.

The following resolution is therefore submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a lease of the entire basement of the Ridgewood Reformed Church, situated on the southeast corner of Smith street and Rathjen avenue, Evergreen, Borough of Queens, for a term of two years from May 1, 1904, with the privi-



lege of renewal for an additional year, at an annual rental of \$250 and water rent, payable quarterly; the lessors, the Ridgewood Reformed Church, Rev. George R. Israel, President, Frank W. Vail, Clerk, Evergreen, L. I., to keep the building in repair; the Board of Education to provide light, heat and janitor's service, make necessary alterations and provide sanitary accommodations.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of the Board of Education on March 16, 1904:

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

In connection therewith the Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

APRIL 11, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education, at a meeting held on March 16, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a lease of the entire basement of the Ridgewood Reformed Church, situated on the southeast corner of Smith street and Rathjen avenue, Evergreen, Borough of Queens, for a term of two years from May 1, 1904, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, at an annual rental of \$250 and water rent, payable quarterly; the lessors, the Ridgewood Reformed Church, Rev. George R. Israel, President, Frank W. Vail, Clerk, Evergreen, L. I., to keep the building in repair; the Board of Education to provide light, heat and janitor's service, make necessary alterations and provide sanitary accommodations."

The Department of Buildings and the Department of Health having reported favorably upon the use of these premises for school purposes, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of the premises, as requested by the Board of Education, the rent being reasonable and just.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Board of Education, of a lease to the City from the Ridgewood Reformed Church, Rev. George R. Israel, President, Frank W. Vail, Clerk, of the entire basement of the Ridgewood Reformed Church, situated on the southeast corner of Smith street and Rathjen avenue, Evergreen, Borough of Queens, for a term of two years from May 1, 1904, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year at an annual rental of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) and water rent, payable quarterly; lessors to keep the building in repair; the Board of Education to provide light, heat and janitor service, make the necessary alterations and provide sanitary accommodations—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report of the Appraiser of Real Estate and offered the following resolution, relative to a renewal of the lease of the parlor floor of premises No. 52 Sands street, Borough of Brooklyn:

APRIL 11, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education at a meeting held on March 16, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a renewal of the lease of the parlor floor of the premises No. 52 Sands street, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of one year from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of \$300, and on the same terms and conditions as in the existing lease. Lessor, Asacog Club, Mrs. H. Knox, president, No. 177 Joralemon street, Brooklyn."

The Department of Health and the Department of Buildings having reported favorably upon the use of these premises for school purposes, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of this lease upon the same terms and conditions as are in the present existing lease.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Board of Education, of a renewal of the lease to the City from the Asacog Club, Mrs. H. Knox, president, of the parlor floor of premises No. 52 Sands street, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of one year from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of three hundred dollars (\$300), payable quarterly; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report of the Appraiser of Real Estate and offered the following resolution, relative to a renewal of the lease of rooms in the Cord Meyer Building, on Broadway, Elmhurst, Borough of Queens, for the Board of Education:

APRIL 11, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education, at a meeting held on March 16, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a renewal of the lease of the two rooms on the south side of the second floor in the Cord Meyer Building, Broadway, Elmhurst, Borough of Queens, for a period of one year from August 1, 1904, at an annual rental of one hundred and sixty-eight dollars, and on the same terms and conditions as in the existing lease. Owner, Cord Meyer Company, Cord Meyer, President, No. 62 William street, City."

The Department of Buildings and the Department of Health having reported favorably upon the use of these premises for office purposes, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of this lease upon the same terms and conditions as are in the present existing lease.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution, by the Board of Education, of a renewal of the lease to the City from the Cord Meyer Company, Cord Meyer, President, of the two rooms on the second floor, south side, in the Cord Meyer Building, Elmhurst, Borough of Queens, for a term of one year from August 1, 1904, at an annual rental of one hundred and sixty-eight dollars (\$168), payable quarterly; otherwise, upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to the assignment to the Fire Department of the unoccupied building known as Public School 66, situated on Bailey avenue and Albany road, Kingsbridge, Borough of The Bronx, turned over to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by the Board of Education until such time as they shall need the same for school purposes:

APRIL 8, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—On December 17, 1896, the Board of Education adopted the following resolution:

"Whereas, The old public school-house and site formerly occupied by Grammar School 66, located at Kingsbridge, in the Thirty-fourth School Inspection District of The City of New York, are no longer required for school purposes;

"Resolved, That the said premises be and the same are hereby transferred to the custody of the Comptroller of The City of New York until such time as this Board may require the same for use."

The Board of Education, at a meeting held on the 23d day of March, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Whereas, A communication has been received from Hon. Nicholas J. Hayes, Fire Commissioner, requesting that the unoccupied building, formerly known as Public School 66, situated at Bailey avenue and Albany road, Kingsbridge, The Bronx, be turned over to the Fire Department for the purpose of using the same as a temporary headquarters for an engine company and a hook and ladder company, which are very much needed in that vicinity; and

"Whereas, The said building was turned over to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of 1896 until such time as it should be required for school purposes; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to turn over to the Fire Department the unoccupied school building on Bailey avenue and Albany road, Kingsbridge, The Bronx, until such time as the Department of Education shall request the surrender of the same for school purposes."

I would respectfully request that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution assigning to the Fire Department the unoccupied building, formerly known as Public School 66, situated at Bailey avenue and Albany road, Kingsbridge, Borough of The Bronx, during the pleasure of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Fire Department, the unoccupied building known as Public School 66, situated on Bailey avenue and Albany road, Kingsbridge, Borough of The Bronx, said assignment to continue during the pleasure of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolutions relative to the leases of premises Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Department of Public Charities:

APRIL 5, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held February 5, 1904, adopted a resolution authorizing a lease of the premises No. 126 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of one year from April 1, 1904, with the privilege of a renewal for another year, at an annual rental of \$1,000, and at the same time adopted another resolution authorizing a lease of the premises No. 128 Livingston street for a term of one year from April 1, 1904, at the same rental and under the same conditions. Both leases were for the use of the Department of Public Charities.

In a communication under date of March 29, 1904, Hon. James H. Tully, Commissioner of Public Charities, states that "the owners of the property have declined to renew the leases on the terms as indicated in the above resolutions, but we have finally settled upon the following terms, and would respectfully request that the leases be made in accordance with these terms: The lease of Nos 126 and 128 Livingston street each for a term of five years from April 1, 1904, at an annual rental of \$1,000 for each building, the City to pay water rates. Otherwise, on the same terms and conditions as in present existing lease, but there should be a clause in the lease to the effect that the lease can be terminated upon three months' notice if the Department is furnished quarters in the proposed new Municipal Building to be erected in Brooklyn; also a clause to the effect that the City is to restore the buildings to their condition when originally rented, and a clause that if Livingston street is widened the owners are not to be held responsible for damages to the tenant. The Commissioner requests that when the lease is drawn on these terms to please forward the same to the agent of the owners, Mr. John Matthews, No. 12 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn.

As to the terms of the lease with the terminating clause for the benefit of the City, I see no objection. I also see no objection to the City paying the water rates, and while this is an additional rental, at the same time by the Department allowing the water to run to waste it could be made an additional hardship to the owner. I also see no objection to the clause in the matter of the widening of Livingston street, for the reason that if Livingston street is widened as proposed, it will destroy the building, and the Department of Public Charities would have to seek quarters elsewhere. The owner is simply protecting himself in the matter of condemnation.

As to the clause in the lease to the effect that the City is "to restore the buildings to their condition when originally rented," I see great objection. These buildings were originally leased in May, 1899, and it will be impossible to tell at the end of five years, or to say even now, what condition the buildings were in at the time the lease was made in 1899, and I do not believe that the owner of the property can to-day state definitely what the condition of the buildings were in 1899. All rented buildings suffer more or less by use and occupation, and wear and tear of such occupation are allowed in all leases, and to permit this condition to be inserted in the lease would amount practically to rebuilding the building.

I would therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund rescind both resolutions in the matter of these two leases adopted by them on February 5, 1904, and to adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of the premises No. 126 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, with alley and horse-shed adjoining, for the use of the Department of Public Charities, for a term of five years from April 1, 1904, at an annual rental of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), payable quarterly, the City in addition to pay the water rates and the lease to contain the following clauses:

The City to have the privilege of terminating this lease at any time during its term on three months' notice if the Department is furnished quarters in the proposed new Municipal Building. Also a clause that if Livingston street is widened during the term of the lease, this lease to terminate immediately on the vesting of title in the City and without recourse to either party.

Also premises No. 128 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Department of Public Charities, for a term of five years from April 1, 1904, at an annual rental of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), payable quarterly, the City in addition to pay water rates and the lease to contain the following clauses:

The City to have the privilege of terminating this lease at any time during its term on three months' notice if the Department is furnished quarters in the proposed new Municipal Building. Also a clause that if Livingston street is widened during the term of the lease, this lease to terminate immediately on the vesting of title in the City, and without recourse to either party.

—the said rentals being reasonable and just.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held February 5, 1904, authorizing a renewal of the lease of premises No. 128 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Department of Public Charities, be and the same is hereby rescinded.



Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City, from Elias H. Seaman, of premises No. 128 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Department of Public Charities, for a term of five years from April 1, 1904, at an annual rental of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), payable quarterly; the City, in addition, to pay water rates and the lease to contain the following clauses:

"The City to have the privilege of terminating this lease at any time during its term, on three months' notice, if the Department is furnished quarters in the proposed new municipal building; also the clause, 'that if Livingston street is widened during the term of the lease, this lease to terminate immediately on the vesting of title in the City and without recourse to either party'; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter."

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held February 5, 1904, authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City of premises No. 126 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Department of Public Charities, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City, from the D. and M. Chauncey Real Estate Company, as agents, of premises No. 126 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, with alley and horseshed adjoining, for the use of the Department of Public Charities, for a term of five years, from April 1, 1904, at an annual rental of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), payable quarterly; the City, in addition, to pay the water rates, and the lease to contain the following clauses:

"The City to have the privilege of terminating this lease at any time during its term on three months' notice, if the Department is furnished quarters in the proposed new municipal building"; also a clause that if Livingston street is widened during the term of the lease, this lease to terminate immediately on the vesting of title in the City, and without recourse to either party; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same, when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolutions severally unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution, relative to a renewal of the lease of premises No. 1237 Franklin avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Health Department:

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Department of Health, in a communication under date of April 4, requests a renewal of a lease of the premises No. 1237 Franklin avenue, Borough of The Bronx, now occupied by the Department of Health for office purposes, upon the following terms:

The rent to be at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, and the lease to extend from May 1, 1904, to April 30, 1905.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on March 16, 1899, adopted a resolution authorizing the present existing lease, at an annual rental of \$1,200 per annum, for a period of five years, the owner to make certain repairs upon the house. While this is in part a renewal, the term of the lease is for one year instead of five.

I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of the premises No. 1237 Franklin avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Department of Health for office purposes, at an annual rental of \$1,200, payable quarterly, for a period of one year, from May 1, 1904, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the present existing lease.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City from Catherine F. Wetmore, as executrix, etc., of premises No. 1237 Franklin avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Department of Health, for a term of one year, from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of twelve hundred dollars, payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution, relative to a lease of premises No. 757 Myrtle avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the President of the Borough:

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—In a communication under date of March 30, 1904, the Superintendent of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices of the Borough of Brooklyn, requests a lease of premises No. 757 Myrtle avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of one year at an annual rental of \$360 for a storehouse for the use of the President of the Borough. This is to take the place of the present storehouse at No. 195 Atlantic avenue.

I have had the premises examined and have the honor to report that this is a 2-story frame building on Myrtle avenue near Nostrand avenue, the portion to be leased being the store or ground floor, 24 feet by 83 feet in size.

I consider the rent asked, \$360 per annum, reasonable and would therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of the store or ground floor of the premises No. 757 Myrtle avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of one year from date of occupation at an annual rental of \$360, lessor to make any necessary repairs. Lessor, Michael Regan, No. 759 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City from Michael Regan, of the store or ground floor of the premises No. 757 Myrtle avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of one year from date of occupation, at an annual rental of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360), payable quarterly; the lessor to make all the necessary repairs; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to a lease of premises No. 761 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Police Department:

MARCH 31, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Police Commissioner, in a communication under date of March 29, requests the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to a lease of premises No. 751 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, in the Borough of The Bronx, to provide a temporary stable for the Thirty-sixth Precinct for a period of one year, "with semi-annual renewal as long as may be required," rental \$1,200 per annum, payable monthly, the Police Department to make alterations and repairs and light, heat and water to be furnished or paid for by the City, janitor services to be attended to by the Hostlers of the Department. The necessity of the lease is owing to the tearing down of the present station and stable of the Thirty-sixth Precinct, for the purpose of erecting new buildings, and that sufficient appropriation has been made to cover the rent.

Last October a request was made by the Police Department for a lease of the same premises. The rental asked was \$150 per month or \$1,800 per annum. In our report, made at that time, we considered this rent excessive, and believed \$100 was full rental value for the accommodation to be furnished the City.

The property desired to be leased is known as lot 58, Block 2368, section 9, on land map of the County of New York, "an irregular parcel 25 feet front by 68.64 feet, and connecting with an interior plot 100 feet by 100 feet. Upon this interior plot there are several two-story frame buildings, used as stables, storage rooms and as a soda water manufactory. Mr. Garland informs me that the part of the property to be occupied by the Police Department includes only an upstairs stable room 28 feet by 60 feet, with 22 stalls, a hay room adjoining 15 feet by 35 feet, a runway and harness room about 30 feet by 10 feet, and in addition the Department to have the privilege of storing four vehicles under a covered shed on the ground floor. The stable is practically new and in good condition, and has a concrete floor between the rows of stalls."

The rent being reasonable and just, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of this property from date of occupation for a period of one year, with semi-annual renewal as long as may be required at an annual rental of \$1,200, payable monthly, the City to assume the obligation of water, light, heat and janitor service, and the lessor, Samuel Garland, No. 751 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, to remove all the manure from the premises.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City, from Samuel Garland, of the 2-story frame building known as No. 751 East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Police Department, for a period of one year from the date of occupation, with the privilege of semi-annual renewal as long as may be required, at an annual rental of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200), payable monthly, the City to assume the obligation to pay for water, light, heat and janitor service; the lessor to remove all the manure from the premises; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution relative to bill of the Mail and Express Company for printing minutes of the meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

APRIL 5, 1904.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—I present herewith a bill of the Mail and Express Company, amounting to eight hundred and eighty-one dollars and seventy-five cents (\$881.75), for printing 100 copies of the minutes of the meetings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, from October 16 to December 31, 1903, and index to same, and for binding eighty-five (85) volumes of said minutes.

The bill has been examined and found to be correct, and prices charged are reasonable and just. I offer the following resolution to pay the said bill from the appropriation of expenses of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Respectfully,

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn for the sum of eight hundred and eighty-one dollars and seventy-five cents (\$881.75), payable from the appropriation for 1903, entitled "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of," in favor of the Mail and Express Company, for printing 100 copies of the minutes of the meetings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, held November 18, December 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, 1903, and index, and for binding eighty-five (85) volumes of the said minutes.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolutions, relative to the change of title of Miss Bertha M. Schmitt, from Stenographer and Typewriter to Clerk:

APRIL 6, 1904.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of this Board held February 4, 1903, a resolution was adopted approving of the appointment by the Secretary of a Stenographer and Typewriter, said appointee to be taken from the Civil Service list. On January 22, 1903, Miss Bertha M. Schmitt was appointed to such position. Since this appointment was made, however, Miss Schmitt has gradually become more valuable to the Secretary as a Clerk than as a Stenographer and Typewriter, and it is therefore desired that her title be changed to Clerk. Before this can be done, however, it will be necessary to have the salary for the position of Clerk fixed by the Board of Aldermen.

I therefore offer the following resolutions for the consideration of the Board.

Yours very truly,

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,  
Secretary, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to recommend to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salary for the position of Clerk in the office of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be fixed at twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

Resolved, That when the salary of the position of Clerk in the office of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund has been fixed by the Board of Aldermen, the Secretary is hereby authorized, subject to approval of the Civil Service Commissioners, to change the title of Miss Bertha M. Schmitt from "Stenographer and Typewriter" to "Clerk," with salary at twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

Which resolutions were severally unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolutions, relative to an amendment to resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of



seven lots at One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and College avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the President of the Borough:

APRIL 7, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, *Comptroller*:

SIR—The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held on the 20th day of January, 1904, acting upon a request of Borough President Haffen of The Bronx, authorized a renewal of a lease of vacant ground containing seven lots, five in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, fronting on College avenue, and two in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, west of College avenue, for a term of one year, from February 10, 1904, at an annual rental of \$700, payable quarterly, the Mott Haven Company, lessors.

Upon communicating with the Mott Haven Company requesting that they execute the lease, the Borough President was notified by the company that they would not renew the lease at the rate of \$700 per annum, but would renew the same at the rate of \$1,200 per annum. They stated that originally the Board of Education authorized condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of the site for school purposes and that afterwards they withdrew the resolution to acquire the property, and the Mott Haven Company fixed the low rate of \$700 as the rental for the use of the premises to the Borough President for the reason that he anticipated that the school authorities would be liable to take possession of the property at any moment, and that the City, being a tenant, the question of the occupation could not enter into the proceedings; that now they know the Board of Education does not intend to acquire the property at any time, and that the present rental has not for several years been sufficient to pay even the taxes and assessments disbursed by the company for the property; that they have consulted with a real estate expert and are advised that the rental value of the premises as vacant lots is at least \$2,000. The company, however, for the purpose of securing the City as a tenant, is willing to accept for the next year the rental of \$1,200. The Borough President, in a communication, requests, through his Department, that the lease be made.

I am of the opinion that the request of the Mott Haven Company is not excessive, and I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund amend their resolution of January 20, 1904, by substituting the words "twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200)," instead of "seven hundred dollars (\$700)."

I would also respectfully recommend that the President of the Borough of The Bronx be requested to select a general locality within which a large storage yard might be acquired by the City, in order that the several leases that the City has for the purpose of his bureau be avoided. Some time since, the Board of Education turned over to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund a plot of ground in the Borough of The Bronx formerly acquired for school purposes. Part of this property was assigned to the Fire Department and part to the Police Department; the balance was assigned to the President of the Borough of The Bronx for practically the same purpose as he is using this Mott Haven property on College avenue. I think that the President of the Borough of The Bronx will agree with me that it is wise for the City to have its own storage yards, and that the time to acquire the same is now, rather than to wait until the values of real estate in the borough increase.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, *Comptroller*.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held January 20, 1904, authorizing a renewal of the lease of vacant ground containing seven lots, five in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, fronting on College avenue, and two in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, west of College avenue, for the use of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, for a term of one year from February 10, 1904, at an annual rental of seven hundred dollars (\$700), payable quarterly, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting "twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200)" as the rental, in place of "seven hundred dollars (\$700)."

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution requesting the President of the Borough of The Bronx to find a site in his borough which might be acquired by the City for use as a general storage yard (see report on preceding matter):

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx be and is hereby requested to find a site in the Borough of The Bronx, which might be acquired by the City, for use as a general storage yard, in order that the leasing of property for such purpose might be avoided, and that when such site has been selected and an option thereon has been obtained, he bring the matter before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for consummation.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution, relative to the rental of premises on the south side of Tremont avenue, 115 feet west of Anthony avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the President of the Borough:

APRIL 8, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, *Comptroller*:

SIR—The Hon. Louis F. Haffen, President of the Borough of The Bronx, in a communication under date of March 28, 1904, asks for the cancellation of the lease on April 1, 1904, of the premises on the south side of Tremont avenue, 115 feet west of Anthony avenue, running through to Mount Hope place, now occupied as a yard by the Department of Sewers.

This lease expires May 1, 1904, and was authorized by a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted April 22, 1903 (see Min. S. F., p. 397). A new lease is requested of that portion of the premises beginning on the south side of Tremont avenue, 115 feet west of Anthony avenue, size 75 by 140 feet, for a term of four months from April 1, 1904, at a monthly rental of \$40. The reason for this change is stated as follows:

"\* \* \* This property has been sold by Mrs. Nichols, the former owner, and the present owner does not wish to renew the lease. The present owner, I am informed, desires to build on the Mount Hope place side, and for that purpose wishes to obtain possession on April 1 of that portion extending 75 feet back, and wishes a release of that portion of the premises from the lease thereon, so that he can start to build at once. In consideration of this release, Mr. Pickard, the Property Clerk of this borough, informs me that the owner is willing to rent the remaining portion, about 75 by 140 feet, on the Tremont avenue side for four months at \$40 per month, and agrees to put up a building for office and storage purposes on the said Tremont avenue side in the place of the building now on the other end of the lot, which will be immediately torn down, if the City consents to this proposition."

Inasmuch as this lease expires upon May 1 next, and as I am informed that it is the intention of the Borough President to discontinue the use of this yard after August next, the new conditions being reasonable, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution that after the lessor of the premises has quit and surrendered his present existing lease to the City for the month of April, 1904, the annual rent of which is \$720, the Comptroller be authorized to execute a lease for a period of four months from April 1, 1904, of the plot of ground and buildings thereon, situated on the south side of Tremont avenue, 115 feet west of Anthony avenue, being about 75 feet in width by 140 feet in depth, at a monthly rental of \$40, for the use of the President of the Borough. Lessor, John Thomas.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, *Comptroller*.

Resolved, That after the lessor of premises of No. 567 Mount Hope place, Borough of The Bronx, has quit and surrendered his present existing lease to the City, for the month of April, 1904, the annual rental of which is seven hundred and twenty dollars

(\$720) per annum, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to pay to John Thomas the sum of forty dollars (\$40) per month, for a period of four months from April 1, 1904, being the rent of plot of ground and building thereon, situated on the south side of Tremont avenue, 115 feet west of Anthony avenue, being about 75 feet in width by 140 feet in depth, to be occupied by the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution relative to a lease of premises located on Sedgwick avenue and Depot place, High Bridge, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Police Department:

APRIL 8, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, *Comptroller*:

SIR—In a communication under date of April 5, 1904, the Police Commissioner, through his Chief Clerk, requests the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize the Comptroller to execute a lease of four stalls and floor space for patrol wagon and training cart of premises located on Sedgwick avenue and Depot place, High Bridge, Borough of The Bronx, from month to month, as long as may be required, at the rate of \$20 per month, payable monthly.

I have caused an examination to be made of the premises, and beg to report that this is a one-story frame barn, located at Sedgwick avenue and Depot place, High Bridge, Borough of The Bronx. The part to be leased consists of the ground floor on the easterly end, size 21 by 25 feet, containing four stalls.

The rent asked, \$20 per month, is reasonable, and I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a lease from month to month as long as required, from the date of occupation of the easterly end of the ground floor of the one-story frame barn, located at Sedgwick avenue and Depot place, High Bridge, Borough of The Bronx, size 21 by 25 feet, containing four stalls and floor space for patrol wagon and training cart, at \$20 a month, for the use of the Police Department. Lessor to make necessary repairs, pay water rent and furnish light and heat. Lessor, George H. Waters.

Respectfully submitted for approval.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Approved:

EDWARD M. GROUT, *Comptroller*.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City from George H. Waters, of the easterly end of the ground floor of the one-story frame barn, size 21 by 25 feet, containing four stalls and floor space for patrol wagon and training cart, located on Sedgwick avenue and Depot place, High Bridge, Borough of The Bronx, for the use of the Police Department, from month to month, as long as may be required, at the rate of twenty dollars (\$20) per month, payable monthly, to commence from the date of occupation, the lessor to make the necessary repairs, pay water rent and furnish light and heat; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, relative to a renewal of the lease of Room No. 205 in the Real Estate Exchange Building, No. 189 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Engineer detailed by the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, to look after the work of completing the triangulation of the City:

APRIL 6, 1904.

Mr. N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, *Deputy Comptroller, Secretary of the Sinking Fund Commission*:

DEAR SIR—In May of last year the City leased for the use of the Engineer in charge of the triangulation of the City, Room 205 in the Real Estate Exchange Building No. 189 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn.

This lease was made for one year, and will expire on May 15, 1904.

I beg to advise you that these offices will be needed for at least another year, and hope that the renewal of the lease will be authorized.

Is it in your judgment necessary for me to secure a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment requesting renewal of this lease, or can the request come from me, the work being entirely under my control as the representative of the Board?

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, *Chief Engineer*.

Approved for renewal for a period of one year upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the present existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

APRIL 9, 1904.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City from the Brooklyn Real Estate Exchange, Limited, of Room 205, on the second floor of the building known as the Real Estate Exchange, No. 189 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the Engineer detailed by the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey to look after the work of completing the triangulation of the City, for the term of one year from May 15, 1904, at an annual rental of three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350), payable monthly; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Armory Board relative to a renewal of the lease of premises No. 255 Sixth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use as headquarters by the Second Battalion, Naval Militia:

APRIL 6, 1904.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Armory Board, held April 4, 1904, the following was adopted:

"Resolved, That the Comptroller be requested to renew the lease of the premises known as No. 255 Sixth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the purposes of headquarters for the Second Battalion, Naval Militia, for the term of one year, beginning May 1, 1904, the other terms and conditions to be similar to the lease expiring at that time, and that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be requested to concur in the same."

Yours truly,

EUGENE A. FORNES, *Secretary*.

I would respectfully recommend that the above lease be renewed for the term of one year upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the present existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,  
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

APRIL 9, 1904.



In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from James H. Lane, of premises known as No. 255 Sixth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use as headquarters for the Second Battalion Naval Militia, N. G. N. Y., for a term of one year from May 1, 1904, at a monthly rental of ninety-two dollars and fifty cents (\$92.50); otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The following communication was received from the Armory Board relative to a renewal of the lease of Room L in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan:

APRIL 4, 1904.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Armory Board, held April 4, the following was adopted:

"Resolved, That the Comptroller be requested to renew the lease of the room on the street floor of the Stewart Building, containing four hundred and twenty-six square feet, and known as Room 'L,' for the use of the Armory Board, for the term of one year, beginning May 1, 1904, the other terms and conditions to be similar to the lease expiring at that time, and that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be requested to concur in the same."

Yours truly,

EUGENE A. FORNES, Secretary.

I would respectfully recommend that the above lease be renewed for a period of one year upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the present existing lease.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

APRIL 9, 1904.

In connection therewith the Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City from Horace Russell and Edward D. Harris, executors, etc., of the estate of Henry Hilton, deceased, of room known as "Room L," on the first floor of the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, for the use of the Board of Armory Commissioners, for a term of one year from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of nine hundred dollars (\$900), payable quarterly; otherwise, upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report, relative to bonds sold March 24, 1904:

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Sealed proposals were received by the Comptroller at his office on March 24, 1904, after due advertisement in pursuance of law, for \$3,000,000 of three and one-half per cent. Corporate Stock of The City of New York, exempt from taxation (as hereinafter more particularly described), principal and interest payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness.

Description of Stock.

AMOUNT.	TITLE.	AUTHORITY.	PRINCIPAL PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY ON
\$1,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Uses and Purposes of Docks and Ferries.....	Authorized by sections 169 and 180 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted June 19 and July 1, 1903.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
1,200,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for School Houses and Sites therefor....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted November 7, 1902; and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor December 2, 1902.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
75,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for High Schools and Sites therefor.....	Authorized by chapter 412 of the Laws of 1897; sections 169 and 170 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted March 31, 1902.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
150,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives in the City of New York....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted May 8 and July 1; and October 8, as amended November 13, 1903; and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor June 22, August 12, and November 24, 1903.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
75,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for New Buildings, etc., for the Department of Public Charities.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 1, 1903; and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor July 20, 1903.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
50,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction and Equipment of Public Comfort Stations in the Borough of Manhattan.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted March 27, 1903; and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor April 27, 1903.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
50,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction and Installation of a New Heating and Lighting Plant for the American Museum of Natural History, in the Borough of Manhattan.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted June 6, 1902; and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor July 30 and August 6, 1902.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.

AMOUNT.	TITLE.	AUTHORITY.	PRINCIPAL PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY ON
\$50,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Completion of the Construction of the Unfinished Portions of the Building of the American Museum of Natural History, in the Borough of Manhattan.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted May 8, 1903; and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor June 22, 1903.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
50,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for Fire Department Purposes.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 1, 1903; and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor August 12, 1903.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
50,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Extension of Riverside Drive to the Boulevard Lafayette.....	Authorized by chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897; sections 169 and 170 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 1, 1903.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
50,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Improvement of Atlantic Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.....	Authorized by chapter 490 of the Laws of 1897 as amended by chapter 452 of the Laws of 1902; section 169 and 170 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 22, 1903.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to Provide for an Additional Supply of Water.....	Authorized by sections 169 and 178 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted September 5 and December 19, 1902.....	November 1, 1953	May 1 and November 1.
100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the New Aqueduct....	Authorized by chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883; sections 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended; and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted December 29, 1903.....	October 1, 1953	April 1 and October 1.

The said stock is free and exempt from all taxation in the State of New York, except taxation for State purposes, pursuant to the provisions of section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

The principal of and interest on said stock are payable in gold coin of the United States of America, of the present standard of weight and fineness, pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted June 9, 1908.

Proposals Received.

BIDDERS.	AMOUNT OF DEPOSIT.	CLASS OF CORPORATE STOCK.	AMOUNT.	PRICE PER \$100.
Richmond County Mutual Insurance Company.....	\$50 00	Any issue.....	\$1,500 00	100.25
Adam Nickel.....	200 00	Any issue.....	10,000 00	101.00
Edward Jackson.....	20 00	Any issue.....	1,000 00	100.25
E. L. Heller.....	300 00	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953, or for School Houses and Sites therefor, payable November 1, 1953.....	10,000 00	100.10
J. F. Smith, Executor.....	70 00	Any issue.....	3,500 00	100.25
The Standard Trust Company.....	60,000 00	All or any part.....	3,000,000 00	100.02
H. Lee Ansley.....	4,000 00	Any issue, but stock for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....	100,000 00	100.04
Knickerbocker Trust Company....	5,000 00	Any issue, but stock for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....	100,000 00	100.09
John B. Hooker, Jr.....	65 46	Any issue.....	250,000 00	100.05
E. F. Hutton & Co.....	3,000 00	Any issue.....	100 00	100.30
Rochester Trust and Safe Deposit Company.....	1,000 00	Any issue.....	100 00	100.35
A. Isaac & Co.....	2,000 00	Any issue.....	100 00	100.40
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farnson, Leach & Co.....	60,000 00	Any issue.....	100 00	100.45
Florence S. Gross.....	2 00	Any issue.....	150,000 00	100.02
For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....			50,000 00	100.45
All or any part of issues due November 1, 1953.....			100,000 00	100.00
All or any part of issue due October 1, 1953.....			2,900,000 00	100.04
Any issue.....			100,000 00	100.04
Any issue, but stock for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....			100 00	101.00
Any issue, but stock for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....			5,000 00	100.09
Any issue, but stock for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....			5,000 00	100.13
Any issue, but stock for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....			5,000 00	100.19
Any issue, but stock for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....			5,000 00	100.26
Any issue, but stock for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....			5,000 00	100.38
Any issue, but stock for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....			5,000 00	100.51
(or \$30,000 at \$100.26).				
Any issue.....			1,000 00	101.00
Any issue.....			500,000 00	100.125
Any issue.....			15,000 00	100.25
Any issue.....			1,200 00	101.00
Any issue.....			3,000 00	101.03
Any issue.....			10,000 00	100.00
For schoolhouses and sites therefor, payable November 1, 1953.....			500 00	101.00
Any issue.....			100 00	101.00
Any issue.....			500,000 00	100.10
Any issue.....			10,000 00	100.10
Any issue.....			6,000 00	100.00
Any issue.....			100 00	100.00
Any issue.....			200,000 00	100.00
Any issue.....			2,000 00	101.00
Any issue.....			600 00	101.00
Any issue due November 1, 1953.....			6,000 00	100.00



BIDDERS.	AMOUNT OF DEPOSIT.	CLASS OF CORPORATE STOCK.	AMOUNT.	PRICE PER \$100.
Harry W. Watrous, executor.....	\$2,000 00	Any issue.....	\$100,000 00	100.00
William H. Eddy.....	2,000 00	Any issue.....	100,000 00	100.17
Fay H. White.....	3 00	Any issue.....	150 00	103.00
Dudley S. Harde.....	2,000 00	Any issue, due November 1, 1953, but stock for the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries preferred.....	100,000 00	100.03
Abraham B. Coleman.....	2 00	Any issue, but stock for school houses and sites therefor, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....	10 00	100.10
John W. Sheppard.....	1 00	Any issue, but stock for school houses and sites therefor, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....	10 00	100.15
		Any issue, but stock for school houses and sites therefor, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....	10 00	100.30
		Any issue, but stock for school houses and sites therefor, payable November 1, 1953, preferred.....	10 00	100.25
		Total.....	\$8,362,200 00	

The said stock was awarded as follows:

BIDDERS.	CLASS OF CORPORATE STOCK.	AMOUNT.	PRICE PER \$100.
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	\$309,810 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For school houses and sites therefor, payable November 1, 1953.....	200,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For high schools and sites therefor, payable November 1, 1953.....	75,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For the improvement of parks, parkways and drives in The City of New York, payable November 1, 1953.....	150,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For new buildings, etc., for the Department of Public Charities, payable November 1, 1953.....	75,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For the construction and equipment of Public Comfort Stations in the Borough of Manhattan, payable November 1, 1953.....	50,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For the construction and installation of a new heating and lighting plant for the American Museum of Natural History, in the Borough of Manhattan, payable November 1, 1953.....	50,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For the completion of the construction of the unfinished portions of the American Museum of Natural History, in the Borough of Manhattan, payable November 1, 1953.....	50,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For Fire Department purposes, payable November 1, 1953.....	50,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For the extension of Riverside Drive to the Boulevard Lafayette, payable November 1, 1953.....	50,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For the improvement of Atlantic avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, payable November 1, 1953.....	50,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	To provide for an additional supply of water, payable November 1, 1953.....	100,000 00	100.04
Harvey Fisk & Sons and Farson, Leach & Co.....	For the New Aqueduct, payable October 1, 1953.....	100,000 00	100.04
Rickerbocker Trust Company.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	250,000 00	100.05
H. Lee Anstey.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	100,000 00	100.09
H. Lee Anstey.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	100,000 00	100.04
William H. Eddy.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	100,000 00	100.17
Rochester Trust and Safe Deposit Company.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	50,000 00	100.45
Isaac B. Kleinert.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	15,000 00	100.125
Frances S. Hood.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	30,000 00	100.26
E. L. Heller.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	10,000 00	100.10
Adam Nickel.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	10,000 00	104.00
J. E. Ryder.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	10,000 00	100.50
J. F. Smith, executor.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	3,500 00	100.25
Otto F. Jentz.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	3,000 00	101.00
James B. Black.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	2,000 00	101.00
Richmond County Mutual Insurance Company.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	1,500 00	100.25
Supreme Lodge of the Bohemian-Slavonian Benevolent Society of the United States.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	1,200 00	101.00
William J. Harding.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	1,000 00	101.00
Edward Jackson.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	1,000 00	100.25
Grand Lodge of the State of New York of the Bohemian-Slavonian Benevolent Society of the United States.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	600 00	101.00
Frederic S. Barnum.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	500 00	101.00
Fay H. White.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	150 00	103.00
Daniel Alfred Neu.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	100 00	105.00
Sara A. Croghan.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	100 00	101.00
Florence S. Gross.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	100 00	101.00
John B. Hooker, Jr.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	100 00	100.30
John B. Hooker, Jr.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	100 00	100.35
John B. Hooker, Jr.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	100 00	100.40
John B. Hooker, Jr.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	100 00	100.45
John W. Sheppard.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	10 00	100.10
John W. Sheppard.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	10 00	100.15
John W. Sheppard.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	10 00	100.20
John W. Sheppard.....	For the uses and purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries, payable November 1, 1953.....	10 00	100.25
Atlantic Mutual Insurance Company.....	For school houses and sites therefor, payable November 1, 1953.....	500,000 00	100.125
Seamen's Bank for Savings.....	For school houses and sites therefor, payable November 1, 1953.....	500,000 00	100.10
	Total.....	\$3,000,000 00	

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

NEW YORK, March 24, 1904.  
Filed.

The Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution, relative to fines payable to the—  
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children,  
Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children,  
American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals,  
Medical Society of the County of New York,  
New York County Medical Association, and the  
Dental Society of the State of New York:

APRIL 8, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The following fines imposed by the Court of Special Sessions, First and Second Divisions, have been collected at dates stated, March, 1904, and are payable pursuant to law to the several societies named:

To New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (section 5, chapter 122, Laws of 1876)—

Court of Special Sessions, First Division:

March 1. Morris Runkel.....	\$50 00
March 3. Morris Dolinsky.....	75 00
March 3. Guisippe Portanova.....	250 00
March 8. Simon Winograd.....	25 00
March 8. Antonie Gabrielle.....	75 00
March 22. Isaac Liedecker.....	75 00
March 22. Roy C. Woods.....	30 00
March 24. Morris Goldberg.....	25 00
March 24. Otto Jeaschke.....	25 00
March 31. Nicholay Mesce.....	50 00
Total.....	\$680 00

To Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (section 5, chapter 122, Laws of 1876)—

Court of Special Sessions, Second Division:

March 28. Harry Felix (paid Sheriff, Kings County).....	\$25 00
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To American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (section 6, chapter 420, Laws of 1886)—

Court of Special Sessions, First Division:

March 2. John Arnold.....	\$25 00
March 2. James Brennan.....	10 00
March 3. Daniel McBridge.....	10 00
March 10. John W. Malone (paid Warden, City Prison).....	10 00
March 16. Abraham Kohn.....	10 00
March 17. Antonio Guiffreda.....	20 00
March 23. Wilson Freeman.....	25 00
March 23. Guiseppe Janone.....	15 00
March 23. Solomon Scheinfeld.....	15 00
March 30. Joseph Sturmer.....	25 00
March 30. Max Hopfen.....	15 00
Total.....	\$180 00

Court of Special Sessions, Second Division:

March 11. Max Litwak (Brooklyn).....	\$10 00
March 11. Frank Toni (Brooklyn).....	10 00
March 18. Jerome Dixon (Brooklyn).....	10 00
March 18. Frank Romano (Brooklyn).....	10 00
March 18. Louis Rosenberg (Brooklyn).....	10 00
March 18. Joseph Falsand (Brooklyn).....	5 00
March 1. John Schlick (Queens).....	10 00
March 22. John Mazzio (Queens).....	10 00
March 22. Tony Zuzzo (Queens).....	5 00
Total.....	80 00

Total.....\$260 00

Less January 7, Richard Highberg.....100 00  
Returned by Warden, City Prison, in error, as Cruelty to Animals and paid Society as per resolution, March 22, 1904.

Balance.....\$160 00

To Medical Society of the County of New York (section 153, chapter 661, Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 396, Laws of 1895)—

Court of Special Sessions, First Division:

March 2. Adams Sandow.....	\$50 00
March 17. Freda Zeler.....	50 00
March 25. Rosa Wallana.....	50 00
March 29. Julius Hauffein.....	50 00
March 31. Anna J. Dowling.....	50 00
March 31. Charles Storken.....	100 00
Total.....	\$350 00

To New York County Medical Association (section 153, chapter 661, Laws of 1893, as amended by chapter 398, Laws of 1895)—

Court of Special Sessions, First Division:

March 15. Max Weinberg, paid Warden, Workhouse.....	\$25 00
March 17. Mary Kolger.....	100 00
March 22. Julia Davidson.....	100 00
March 29. David Caplan.....	25 00
March 31. Paride Grasso.....	75 00
Total.....	\$325 00

To Dental Society of the State of New York (section 169, chapter 215, Laws of 1902)—

Court of Special Sessions, Second Division:

March 3. Joseph Seaman.....	\$50 00
March 25. Estella D. Stillwel.....	50 00
March 29. Karl J. Ricki.....	50 00
Total.....	\$150 00

All the above cases were prosecuted by the officers of the several societies to which fines are payable. The amount collected has been deposited to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest of the City Debt.

Respectfully,

I. S. BARRETT, Bookkeeper.

Resolved, That warrants payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of the following societies, etc., being the amount of fines imposed and collected by the Court of Special Sessions, First and Second Divisions, in the month of March, 1904, and payable to said societies, pursuant to law, viz.:

New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	\$680 00
Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	25 00
American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	160 00
Medical Society of the County of New York.....	350 00
New York County Medical Association.....	325 00
Dental Society of the State of New York.....	150 00

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.



The Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution relative to fines payable to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals:

MARCH 28, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, by letter dated December 28, 1903, made demand pursuant to section 668 of title 16 of the Penal Code for amount of the following fines, imposed and collected by Court of Special Sessions for violations of section 666 of said Penal Code of chapter 266, Laws of 1902, commonly referred to as the Automobile Law:

May 12, 1902.	Peter J. O'Grady.....	\$25 00
May 22, 1902.	Benjamin B. Tilt.....	25 00
June 4, 1902.	Lloyd Warren.....	25 00
June 12, 1902.	Thomas Green.....	15 00
June 17, 1902.	William A. Tilt.....	25 00
June 17, 1902.	John Flynn.....	25 00
June 17, 1902.	Clarence M. Hamilton.....	50 00
July 1, 1902.	Francis Genchane.....	50 00
July 7, 1902.	Julian Faron.....	50 00
July 23, 1902.	Henry G. Larcum.....	50 00
July 28, 1902.	Hugo Bendix.....	25 00
Aug. 12, 1902.	Victor Clavel.....	25 00
Aug. 15, 1902.	Robert C. Maxwell.....	30 00
Sept. 4, 1902.	Ronel Cullen.....	50 00
Sept. 19, 1902.	Alfred Beron.....	50 00
Sept. 26, 1902.	Julian C. Chase.....	25 00
Oct. 8, 1902.	Louis M. Bloomingdale.....	25 00
Oct. 24, 1902.	Charles R. Greuter.....	50 00
Oct. 31, 1902.	Andre Neffige.....	40 00
Nov. 10, 1902.	Robert Goelet.....	50 00
Nov. 13, 1902.	Jacob F. Pelger.....	50 00
Nov. 14, 1902.	Jules Colon.....	50 00
Nov. 17, 1902.	Edward Schultz.....	50 00
Nov. 24, 1902.	William Watson.....	25 00
Nov. 25, 1902.	John H. Peters.....	35 00
Dec. 4, 1902.	Gabriel Caldron.....	50 00
Dec. 9, 1902.	Julius Brown.....	50 00
Dec. 15, 1902.	Daniel J. Dillon.....	50 00
Dec. 22, 1902.	Francois Griecbam.....	25 00
Dec. 26, 1902.	George Ferrier.....	50 00
Dec. 26, 1902.	George Ferrier.....	50 00
Dec. 26, 1902.	George Baker.....	25 00
Dec. 31, 1902.	Cortlandt F. Bishop.....	50 00
Dec. 31, 1902.	Ernest Fabbri.....	50 00
Jan. 5, 1903.	F. K. M. Masury.....	35 00
Jan. 7, 1903.	Harold C. Hayward.....	25 00
Jan. 7, 1903.	John E. Smith.....	50 00
Jan. 7, 1903.	Deane Miller.....	25 00
Jan. 8, 1903.	Frederick Alexander.....	50 00
Jan. 9, 1903.	Harry Cornell.....	50 00
Jan. 12, 1903.	Joseph A. Henning.....	25 00
Jan. 12, 1903.	Irving I. Bloomingdale.....	25 00
Jan. 20, 1903.	William Weeks.....	25 00
Jan. 26, 1903.	Peter Vachey.....	50 00
Jan. 26, 1903.	Joseph Yarzau.....	25 00
Jan. 27, 1902.	Ernest Fellows.....	35 00
Jan. 27, 1903.	Justin Clemens.....	35 00
Jan. 30, 1903.	Joseph F. Padelford.....	25 00
Feb. 3, 1903.	Albert Saladin.....	50 00
Feb. 4, 1903.	James M. Mitchell.....	25 00
Feb. 9, 1903.	Parker Ball.....	25 00
Feb. 10, 1903.	Bert A. Rich.....	25 00
Feb. 11, 1903.	George W. Garrett.....	35 00
Feb. 19, 1903.	Jacob Pelzer.....	25 00
Feb. 20, 1903.	John Roberts.....	25 00
Feb. 24, 1903.	Joseph Morton.....	25 00
Feb. 26, 1903.	Wiley B. Raymond.....	50 00
Mar. 5, 1903.	Thomas McGowan.....	10 00
Mar. 9, 1903.	Albert E. Gallatin.....	25 00
Mar. 11, 1903.	W. H. Harrington, Jr.....	25 00
Mar. 24, 1903.	Gaston Plantiff.....	25 00
Mar. 24, 1903.	Christ Fricke.....	25 00
Mar. 25, 1903.	Curtis P. Brady.....	25 00
Mar. 27, 1903.	Marcus Prince.....	25 00
Apr. 2, 1903.	Charles R. Sullivan.....	25 00
Apr. 2, 1903.	Henry F. Harris.....	25 00
Apr. 2, 1903.	Charles L. Fitzgerald.....	25 00
Apr. 3, 1903.	Joseph Sheehan.....	25 00
Apr. 3, 1903.	John A. Hilier.....	25 00
Apr. 7, 1903.	George Waldon.....	25 00
Apr. 8, 1903.	Edward Sere.....	20 00
Apr. 10, 1903.	William R. Hearst.....	25 00
Apr. 14, 1903.	William N. Beach.....	20 00
Apr. 14, 1903.	George C. Gordon.....	35 00
Apr. 22, 1903.	Alexander B. Johnson.....	15 00
Apr. 22, 1903.	Clarence Little.....	25 00
Apr. 23, 1903.	Samuel E. Ayres.....	25 00
Apr. 23, 1903.	Robert Butt.....	25 00
Apr. 23, 1903.	David Landan.....	25 00
Apr. 23, 1903.	William R. Wicke.....	25 00
Apr. 24, 1903.	Nicholas Pullem.....	50 00
Apr. 27, 1903.	Leo Bullot.....	35 00
Apr. 28, 1903.	Alexis LeBlanc.....	25 00
Apr. 28, 1903.	Oscar Strong.....	25 00
Apr. 28, 1903.	William Pugh.....	25 00
Apr. 28, 1903.	John Pinkerton.....	20 00
Apr. 28, 1903.	Edward A. Hayden.....	25 00
Apr. 29, 1903.	Paul Keller.....	35 00
Apr. 29, 1903.	Joseph Tracy.....	25 00
Apr. 29, 1903.	E. R. Chapman.....	25 00
Apr. 30, 1903.	Charles Carlsan.....	20 00
Apr. 30, 1903.	Olaf Johnson.....	25 00
May 1, 1903.	H. V. R. Kennedy.....	20 00
May 1, 1903.	Jules E. Serre.....	20 00
May 4, 1903.	Herbert E. Trevelyan.....	25 00
May 4, 1903.	Charles Gerst.....	30 00
May 5, 1903.	William F. Donnelly.....	20 00
May 5, 1903.	W. W. Todeworth.....	10 00
May 5, 1903.	Frederick B. Monnell.....	20 00
May 5, 1903.	W. G. Brackman.....	25 00
May 6, 1903.	William E. Phelps.....	25 00
May 6, 1903.	Maxwell Ehrlich.....	25 00
May 6, 1903.	James H. Temple, Jr.....	10 00
May 7, 1903.	William C. Shanley.....	20 00
May 7, 1903.	Alexander Lurie.....	10 00
May 7, 1903.	Philip C. Adams.....	20 00
May 8, 1903.	John Henry.....	40 00
May 11, 1903.	George Haniquet.....	20 00
May 13, 1903.	Christ Fricke.....	45 00
May 13, 1903.	Benjamin Tiegman.....	25 00

Total.....\$3,380 00

The cases here enumerated are purely Police cases, the officers of the society having nothing to do with either the arrest, prosecution or conviction of the defendants.

The matter was referred to the Corporation Counsel, who, by letter dated March 22, says:

"It is my opinion that fines so imposed and collected are so payable to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals," etc.

The amount of fines claimed, \$3,380, was deposited to credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

Respectfully,

I. S. BARRETT, Bookkeeper.

Copy of letter to Corporation Counsel, January 12, 1904.

Reply of Corporation Counsel March 22, 1904, attached.

LAW DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,  
NEW YORK, March 22, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—I am in receipt of a communication dated January 12, 1904, and signed by N. Taylor Phillips, Deputy Comptroller, requesting my advice as to whether fines imposed for the fast driving of automobiles in the City, under the provisions of chapter 266 of the Laws of 1902, so far as it amends section 666 of the Penal Code, are payable, pursuant to the provisions of section 668 of the Penal Code, to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

It is my opinion that fines so imposed and collected are so payable to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, as section 668 (supra) provides that all fines, penalties or forfeitures imposed or collected for a violation of any of the provisions of Title XVI. of the Penal Code (among which section 666 is included) without regard to the nature of the particular offense upon which they may be predicated, are to be paid to such Society, and the Legislature, in enacting chapter 266 of the Laws of 1902, must be deemed to have been aware of this provision of section 668 of the Penal Code.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN J. DELANY, Corporation Counsel.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for the sum of three thousand three hundred and eighty dollars (\$3,380), being the amount of fines for violation of chapter 266 of the Laws of 1902 and section 666 of the Penal Code, imposed and collected by Court of Special Sessions, First Division, May 12, 1902, to May 13, 1903, and payable to the said Society pursuant to section 668 of said Code.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following statement and offered the following resolution relative to the refunding of amounts overpaid for street vault permits:

APRIL 11, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The following applications for the refund of amounts overpaid for street vault permits are respectfully submitted, viz.:

Applicant.	Location.	Overpaid.
Henry Siegel.....	Northwest corner Broadway and Thirty-fourth street.....	\$227 37
Sarah D. Robinson.....	No. 339 West Fifty-seventh street.....	25 51
Total.....		\$252 88

To each application is attached the affidavit of the owner and the certificate of a City Surveyor, and the refund is recommended by the Superintendent of Highways, approved by the Commissioner of Public Works and the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The amount paid was deposited to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1.

Respectfully,

I. S. BARRETT, Bookkeeper.

Resolved, That warrants, payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1, be drawn in favor of:

Henry Siegel.....	\$227 37
Sarah D. Robinson.....	25 51

—refunding these parties the amount overpaid by them, respectively, for permits to build street vaults in front of premises, as per statement submitted herewith.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report of the Appraiser of Real Estate and offered the following resolution relative to a renewal of the lease of premises on the Crescent, at Astoria, Borough of Queens, for the Board of Education:

APRIL 11, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Education, at a meeting held on February 23, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to authorize a renewal of the lease of the building and grounds on the east side of Crescent street, near Grand avenue, used as an annex to Public School No. 5, Borough of Queens, for a term of two years from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of \$750, payable quarterly, otherwise on the same terms and conditions as in the existing lease. Estate of Henry White. Henry Johnson, agent, No. 152 Fulton avenue, Astoria, Long Island City."

The Department of Buildings and the Department of Health having reported favorably upon the use of these premises for school purposes, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of this lease upon the same terms and conditions as are in the present existing lease.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,

Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Board of Education of a renewal of the lease to the City, from the estate of Henry White, H. C. Johnson, agent, of the building and grounds on the Crescent, at Astoria, at the head of Temple street, about two hundred feet (200') south of Grand avenue, Borough of Queens, for a term of two years from May 1, 1904, at an annual rental of seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750), payable quarterly; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease—the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

Adjourned.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary.



## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

TRANSACTIONS  
OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES DURING THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 24, 1904.

Actions taken March 24, 1904, unless otherwise noted.

The following permits were granted:

March 18. New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company—  
To repair the Pier at the northwest end of Blackwell's Island, East river, where damaged by tug owned by said company, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

March 18. Lozier Motor Company—

To drive piles in the vicinity of Avenue B, Unionport, Westchester creek, Borough of The Bronx, to be used for the mooring of launches thereat, upon condition that the piles be driven inside the established pierhead line and that they remain only during the pleasure of the Commissioner, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

March 18. Western Union Telegraph Company—

To run an overhead cable from the shed on Pier, new 41, to the shed on Pier, new 42, North river, for the purpose of supplying telegraphic facilities to the latter pier, upon condition that the consent of the lessees of the piers is first obtained and that the necessary consent for the laying of an overhead wire be first obtained from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

March 19. Nonpareil Rowing Club—

To use and occupy a space about 150x175 feet of land under water at Sherman's creek in the vicinity of One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, Harlem river, with the privilege of driving piles and locating boathouse, together with necessary floating approaches from the river to the boathouse thereat; and to drive four piles in the vicinity of One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street at a point about 660 feet east of Nagle avenue in front of the floating house to be maintained by the Club on private property at Sherman's creek, Harlem river, all of the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, and the privileges to continue only during the pleasure of the Commissioner; compensation for the land under water occupied to be at the rate of \$100 per annum, payable quarterly in advance to the Cashier.

March 21. Levins &amp; Hanigan—

To open asphalt pavement for the purpose of laying a water supply pipe to Pier 46, North river, the Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company having agreed to relay the asphalt pavement disturbed, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

March 22. Julia Tuska—

To replace three fender piles along the bulkhead platform south of One Hundred and Sixth street, Harlem river, the work to be kept within existing lines and to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

March 22. H. P. Trainer—

To run a twelve-inch drain pipe from the Polo Grounds at the foot of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and Eighth avenue, to the Harlem river, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, and the pipe to remain thereat only during the pleasure of the Commissioner.

March 23. New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company—

To replace fender piles on the north side of Pier, new 31, East river, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

March 23. New York City Railway Company—

To open pavement for the purpose of repairing the Croton water pipe at the foot of Chambers street, North river, the Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company having agreed to restore the pavement to its original condition, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

March 23. J. C. Rodgers—

To use and occupy the Pier at the foot of West One Hundred and Fifty-second street, North river, upon condition that all repairs required to place the pier in suitable condition for his use will be made by him at his cost and expense, and that such structures as he may place upon the pier under the permit may revert to and become the property of The City of New York upon the completion of the work or at the expiration or sooner termination of this permit; compensation to be at the rate of \$100 per annum, payable quarterly in advance to the Cashier; and also to maintain a steam hoist derrick on the south side of the West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth Street Pier, North river, compensation to be at the rate of \$2 per day, exclusive of wharfage, payable at the end of each week to the Dockmaster, these permits to expire April 30, 1904.

March 23. Ocean Steamship Company of Savannah—

To regrade the pavement under the bulkhead shed at Pier, new 35, North river, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief in accordance with plans submitted, and upon condition that the pavement be restored to its original condition whenever so required by the Commissioner of Docks.

March 23. Empire City Subway Company, Limited—

To run a subway connection for the purpose of supplying telegraph service to Pier 20, North river, the Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company having agreed to restore the asphalt pavement to its original condition, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

March 23. Port Richmond and Bergen Point Ferry Company—

To repair ferry structures, etc., at the foot of Richmond avenue, Port Richmond, in the Borough of Richmond, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief and to be kept within existing lines.

March 23. The Hartford and New York Transportation Company—

To use and occupy the southerly side of Pier, new 33, East river, with two small offices on the lower deck, together with an office on the upper deck of said pier as formerly, compensation to be at the rate of \$50 per day, payable monthly at the end of each month to the Cashier, the permit to commence March 29, and to continue until April 30, 1904, unless sooner revoked by the Commissioner.

March 24. Commonwealth Roofing Company—

To place tar kettles and to light fires thereunder, at Piers 22 and 24, North river, and at Pier 20, East river, under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, the Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company having agreed to repair the asphalt pavement at Piers 22 and 24, North river, if damaged, there being no pavement at the present time at the approach to Pier, new 20, East river.

The following permits were revoked:

March 18. Cusick &amp; Ryan—

For the storage of sand on the new-made land between Piers 46 and 48, North river, to take effect April 1, 1904, they having advised the Department that they no longer desire the privilege, and said Cusick & Ryan notified to remove all material and to place the premises in their original condition prior to April 1, 1904.

March 18. C. W. Hunt Company—

For the erection of a crane shed at West New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, said company having failed to avail itself of the privilege granted November 15, 1901.

March 22. Kane &amp; Wright—

For the use of the northerly side and outer end of the Pier at the foot of Forty-sixth street, East river, as of March 23, 1904, the Engineer-in-Chief having reported that the contractors are ready to proceed with the work of repairing and extending said pier under Contract No. 833.

March 23. Sobel &amp; Kean—

For the maintenance of a temporary tool house on the bulkhead between Houston and Third streets, East river, as of March 7, 1904, the Superintendent of Docks having reported that Sobel & Kean have failed to avail themselves of the privilege granted March 7, 1904, and that no rental has been paid therefor.

Bids were received and opened March 22, 1904, for furnishing and delivering yellow pine timber under Contract No. 839, as follows, a representative of the Comptroller being present:

	Class I. 544,161 ft. B. M.	Class II. 1,836,589 ft. B. M.	Class III. 300,000 ft. B. M.
Charles S. Hirsch & Co.....	\$39.40	\$19.64	\$17.80
Cooney, Eckstein & Co.....	32.95	19.40	16.60
Wyckoff Pipe and Creosoting Co.....	.....	32.85	29.00
J. H. Burton .....	53.00	.....	16.00

Contract awarded by the Commissioner March 22, 1904, to Cooney, Eckstein & Co., they being the lowest bidders, subject to the approval of the Empire State Surety Company as surety by the Comptroller.

Bids were received and opened March 22, 1904, for excavation and removal of rock over the site of the proposed bulkhead wall and outshore from same, between East Seventy-sixth and East Seventy-eighth streets, East river, Borough of Manhattan, under Contract No. 841, as follows, a representative of the Comptroller being present: Morris & Cumings Dredging Company, \$12 per cubic yard.

R. G. Packard Company, \$11.43 per cubic yard.

Contract awarded by the Commissioner March 22, 1904, to the R. G. Packard Company, it being the lowest bidder, subject to the approval of the Aetna Indemnity Company as surety by the Comptroller.

Bids were received and opened March 23, 1904, for excavating for a new marginal street between East Sixty-fourth and East Eighty-first streets, East river, Borough of Manhattan, under Contract No. 844, a representative of the Comptroller being present:

T. E. &amp; Thomas Crimmins, \$1.75 per cubic yard.

The above bid being deemed excessive, the same was rejected by the Commissioner March 23, 1904, and the contract ordered readvertised.

The following communications were received, action being taken thereon as noted:

From the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—

Transmitting certified copies of resolutions adopted March 16, 1904, as follows:

1. Approving of and consenting to the execution of a lease to the New York Butchers Dressed Meat Company of 150 feet on the north side at the inner end of the Pier foot of West Thirty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

2. Approving of the action of the Commissioner of Docks in electing to acquire the bulkhead at the foot of Seventh avenue, Harlem river. Corporation Counsel notified March 18 as to the passage of the resolution for the acquisition of the bulkhead platform at the foot of Seventh avenue, Harlem river; and lease of the portion of the West Thirty-ninth Street Pier to the New York Butchers Dressed Meat Company, ordered prepared.

From the Comptroller—

1st. Reporting that on March 18, 1904, his certificate was attached to Contract No. 830 for building a Pier at the foot of Summerfield avenue, in the Borough of Richmond. Filed.

2d. Reporting that on March 16, 1904, his certificate was attached to Contract No. 833 for repairing and extending the Pier at the foot of Forty-sixth street, East river, Filed.

3d. Submitting substitution of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, as surety in the place of C. J. Wittenberg and J. G. Lynch, on the estimate of A. M. Wittenberg for furnishing coal under Contract No. 837. Substitution approved March 18, 1904.

From the Corporation Counsel—

1st. Transmitting bill from the Title Guarantee and Trust Company for the sum of \$61 for expenses incurred in searching title to property purchased from the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey in the vicinity of Albany street, North river. Auditor directed to draw voucher for above amount March 22, 1904.

2d. Approving terms and conditions for the sale of old buildings between Little West Twelfth and Bloomfield streets, and between West Eighteenth and West Nineteenth streets on the North river. Filed.

3d. Approving blank form with form of advertisement of Contract No. 838, for piles. Contract ordered advertised March 18, 1904.

4th. Approving blank form of Contract No. 846 for ferry boats. Filed.

5th. Approving blank form with form of advertisement of Contract No. 808, for a new wooden launch. Contract ordered advertised March 23, 1904.

6th. Approving form of lease of 150 feet of the north side and inner end of the Pier at the foot of West Thirty-ninth street, North river, to the New York Butchers Dressed Meat Company. Lease ordered executed March 24, 1904.

From the Board of Education—

Requesting an extension of time until June 30, 1904, for the use of the Pier at the foot of Third street, East river, for school purposes. Request granted March 18, 1904.

From the Department of Street Cleaning—

Requesting permission to erect a dumping board at the foot of Seventh avenue, Harlem river. Said Department notified March 18, 1904, that title to the bulkhead platform at the foot of Seventh avenue, Harlem river, is vested in private parties.

From the Board of Armory Commissioners—

Requesting that the Commissioner consent to the granting to the Armory Board of the exclusive use of the Pier between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, South Brooklyn, for the uses and purposes of the Second Battalion Naval Militia. Armory Board notified March 23, 1904, that inasmuch as the wharfage accommodations required in the vicinity are far more important than the use required of the pier by the Naval Militia, the request for the exclusive use of the pier was therefore denied.

From Michael O'Sullivan—

Transmitting petition from residents in the vicinity of Fifty-first street, South Brooklyn, asking that an approach to the Pier, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, South Brooklyn, be laid from Fifty-first street. Petitioners notified March 23, 1904, that Fifty-first street would be the more desirable location for the approach, but that as the said street is not paved for some distance from the water-front, the only method of acquiring an approach to the pier at the present time is from the foot of Fifty-second street.

From M. C. Dexter—

Requesting permission to berth a swimming bath on the south side of the Pier at the foot of West Thirty-fifth street, North river, during the season of 1904. Request denied March 23, 1904, Dexter having failed to reimburse the Department as agreed, for the cost of providing an approach to the bath formerly maintained by him, between Little West Twelfth and West Thirteenth streets, North river.

From the Empire Timber Company—

Requesting an extension of time within which to complete the delivery of piles under Contract No. 802, and inclosing consent of the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, to an extension of time on said contract. Extension of time granted March 18, to and including March 16, 1904.

From Hugh Lewis Fox—

Requesting an extension of time for the completion of the delivery of machinery under Class 3 of Contract No. 766. Extension of time granted March 18, to and including March 3, 1904, the consent of the surety on said contract having been obtained to such extension.

From Al Foster—

Calling attention to repairs required to the Pier at the foot of Twenty-second street, East river. Engineer-in-Chief directed March 19, 1904, to make necessary repairs.

From James J. Godfrey—

Requesting a lease of the north side and outer end of the Pier foot of Twentieth street, East river. Application denied March 18, 1904, the Superintendent of Docks having reported that the premises in question are used for wharfage purposes.

From R. Gordon &amp; Son—

Requesting dredging in the slip between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets, North river, and stating that shoaling of the slip was caused by the capsizing of a scow at the dump operated by the Department of Street Cleaning on the northerly side of the West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth Street Pier. Request for dredging denied March 22, 1904, and said applicants notified that the premises in question are owned by private parties.



From Charles Mulford—  
Requesting that dredging be done in the half slip in front of the southerly half of the bulkhead, between Piers 21 and 22, North river. Engineer-in-Chief directed March 23, 1904, to order dredging to a depth of 15 feet at mean low-water under Contract No. 786.

From The Hastings Pavement Company—  
Requesting dredging at the bulkhead platform foot of Seventh avenue, Harlem river. Said company notified March 23, 1904, that the premises in question are vested in private parties.

From Clark & Wilkins—  
Complaining of nuisance caused by dust from flying ashes at the dumping board operated by the Department of Street Cleaning on the northerly side of the Pier at the foot of Thirtieth street, North river. Department of Street Cleaning notified March 23, 1904, to place proper sheathing along the sides of the dump from the under side of the dumping board to the deck of the pier in order to abate the nuisance complained of.

From Rosalie Loew Whitney—  
Asking information as to the terms upon which the canal boat "E. Haley" will be released by the Department. Notified March 23, 1904, that the boat will be released upon payment of wharfage and the cost of towing the boat to the Department yard.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—  
1st. Report for the week ending March 19, 1904, regarding progress and completion of work under his supervision. Filed.

2d. Reporting that the work of constructing an extension to the Pier at the foot of West Thirty-sixth street, North river, under Contract No. 813, was completed by George B. Spearin on March 19, 1904. Filed, and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company notified March 23, 1904, that the rental for the extension will begin March 20, 1904.

3d. Recommending that he be given orders for the preparation of plans and specifications for terminal structures to be used in connection with the Municipal ferries between the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at Stapleton and at St. George in the Borough of Richmond, and at the foot of Whitehall street, in the Borough of Manhattan. Recommendation adopted and orders issued March 23, 1904.

4th. Stating that in order to permit the construction of a new pier under the "New Plan" at the foot of West Forty-fourth street, North river, it will be necessary to cancel the lease held by William J. McGirr for the maintenance of a dumping board on the bulkhead south of West Forty-fourth street, and recommending the cancellation of such lease. Corporation Counsel requested March 18, 1904, to advise the Department as to the proper method to pursue in order to cancel the lease in question.

5th. Reporting that the work of delivering piles under Class 2 of Contract No. 803 was commenced March 16, 1904. Filed.

6th. Reporting dredging required in front of the bulkheads between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets and between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, East river, and recommending that he be given an order to have the work done to a depth of 16 feet at mean low water, under Contract No. 768, the premises being City property where wharfage is collected. Order issued March 18, 1904.

7th. Returning Secretary's Order No. 19951, directing him to superintend the work of constructing and finishing Twelfth avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, North river, and stating that proceedings are now in progress for the acquisition of the property by the City. Filed.

8th. Returning Bureau Order No. 2038, directing him to superintend the removal of sunken scow with cargo of broken stone from the slip on the southerly side of the Pier at the foot of Fifty-fifth street, North river, and stating that the Bouker Contracting Company have removed the scow, but that the cargo has not been removed, and that the company seems to have abandoned same. Filed.

9th. Reporting damage to the Pier at the foot of North Second street, Borough of Brooklyn, by the tug "Mt. Morris" and recommending that the premises be repaired by the force of the Department at the cost and expense of the Harlem and Morrisania Consolidated Transportation Line, the owners of said tug. Engineer-in-Chief directed March 22, 1904, to have the necessary repairs made and to report the cost of the work for collection from said company.

10th. Report on Bureau Order No. 1853 and submitting plans, specifications and form of contract for the construction of a new Pier at the foot of East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, Harlem river, and stating that it is impossible at the present time to construct piers at the foot of East One Hundred and Twenty-first and East One Hundred and Twenty-third streets, Harlem river, as the pier and bulkhead lines thereat are coincident. Contract for the construction of a new Pier at the foot of East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, Harlem river, ordered printed March 23, 1904.

11th. Reporting that the work of furnishing and delivering piles under Contract No. 802 was completed by the Empire Timber Company, contractors, on March 16, 1904. Filed.

12th. Recommending that he be given an order to replace the broken fender piles on the northerly side of Pier "A," North river. Order issued to drive new piles March 23, 1904.

13th. Reporting repairs required to the Pier at the foot of Fifth street, East river, and stating that the Hazelwood Ice Company is required under its lease to make necessary repairs to that portion of the pier occupied by the company, and recommending that the said company be requested to advise the Department whether it will agree to have the repairs made by the Department and to pay the proportionate cost of the work. Company notified as per report of Engineer-in-Chief March 23, 1904.

14th. Recommending that he be given an order for general repairs to the pavement along the East river, the work to be done from time to time as may be required, at a cost not to exceed \$950 in the aggregate. Order issued March 18, 1904.

15th. Recommending that he be given an order for maintaining the pavement along the marginal street of the East river, from time to time, as may be required, at a cost not to exceed \$950 in the aggregate. Order issued March 22, 1904.

From the Auditor—

Reporting that the pay-roll for the Construction and Repair Forces for the week ending March 18, 1904, amounting to \$18,390.99, was audited and forwarded March 21, 1904, to the Department of Finance for payment; and that the following bills were also audited and transmitted to the Department of Finance on the dates specified:

Audit No.	Name.	Amount.
March 18, 1904.		
21956	Morris & Cumings Dredging Company, Estimate No. 3, Contract No. 799.....	\$10,475 09
21957	Locomotive Company of America, repairs, etc.....	350 12
21958	The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, telephone service.....	9 60
21959	Thomas D. Connors, alteration to Rooms 11 and 29.....	725 00
21960	Peter McGlynn, carting.....	350 00
21961	Thomas J. Quinn, carting.....	10 50
21962	Gerry & Murray, stationery.....	193 00
21963	Wm. H. Campbell, wharfage receipts.....	450 00
21964	P. W. Vallye, repairing desks.....	40 00
Total		\$12,603 31
March 21, 1904.		
21965	Richmond Borough Publishing and Printing Company, advertising.....	\$4 00
21966	Pettes & Randall Co., auto clock dials.....	100 00
21967	Bernard Rolf, Estimate No. 1, and Final Contract No. 822.....	6,433 00
21968	P. W. Vallye, swinging doors.....	49 00
21969	Carrol Box and Lumber Company, yellow pine, etc.....	116 24
21970	Jas. B. Cahill, carting.....	210 00
Total		\$6,912 24

*Statement of Moneys Received and Deposited by the Cashier of the Department of Docks and Ferries During the Week Ending March 23, 1904.*

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.
1904.				
Mar. 17	A. E. Brooks.....	Three months' rent space 50 by 100 feet new-made land between Fiftyth and Fifty-first streets, North river.....	\$75 00	
Mar. 17	A. E. Brooks.....	One month's rent space 50 by 100 feet in rear of bulkhead foot East Twenty-fourth street.....	25 00	
Mar. 17	A. E. Brooks.....	One month's rent space 50 by 100 feet in rear of bulkhead foot East Twenty-fourth street.....	25 00	
Mar. 17	H. L. Herbert & Co.....	Three months' rent half bulkhead south Pier Twentieth street, East river.....	37 50	
Mar. 17	H. L. Herbert & Co.....	Three months' rent south half Pier at Twentieth street, East river.....	181 25	
Mar. 17	J. W. Ripley.....	Set plans showing designation of Piers.....	1 00	
Mar. 17	Collectors.....	Wharfage, Manhattan, November, 1903.....	50	
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Mar. 18	George Grossman.....	One month's rent space 50 by 100 feet new-made land between One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, North river.....	\$25 00	
Mar. 18	William Cuff.....	One month's rent space 50 by 100 feet in rear of bulkhead foot of One Hundred and Fourth street, Harlem river.....	25 00	
Mar. 19	Howland Many.....	One month's rent south half bulkhead between Piers 5 and 6, East river.....	25 00	
Mar. 21	H. A. Peck & Co.....	One month's rent inner end north side Pier 62, East river.....	125 00	
Mar. 22	S. Stewart.....	One month's rent coal hoist and berth outer end north side Pier at Twenty-eighth street, East river.....	50 00	
Mar. 22	J. W. Scott.....	One month's rent platform, etc., on bulkhead between Piers, old 56 and 57, and space for engine hoist, East river.....	54 17	
Mar. 22	Thomas Mulry & Son.....	One month's rent space 50 by 100 feet in rear of bulkhead between Piers 11 and 12, East river.....	25 00	
Mar. 22	John Gallagher.....	One month's rent space 50 by 100 feet new-made land in rear bulkhead between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, East river.....	25 00	
Mar. 22	New York and New Jersey Telephone Company.....	Three months' rent cable landing between Oakland street, Greenpoint, and East avenue, Long Island City.....	6 25	
Mar. 23	Collectors.....	Wharfage, Manhattan, October, 1903.....	7 50	
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The following actions were taken concerning employees:

On March 23, 1904, the following-named persons were dropped from the list of employees of this Department, they not having performed any duty for some time past:

William J. Fitzpatrick, Ship Carpenter; Michael Cunningham, Blacksmith's Helper, and Thomas Harrigan, Marine Sounder.

Dockbuilders—David J. Mills, Dominick Hawkins, Patrick Kennelly, Thomas J. Goode, Patrick J. Murray, John Johnson, Thomas J. Tierney, James A. Oldis, John J. McMahon, William C. Miller.

Laborers—John W. Hughes, Henry J. McKone, Jeremiah O'Neil, John Hart, Patrick Woods, Edward D. Dean, Terrence McGirr, William Devine, Ferdinand Hoffman, William Guivan, Charles Halloway, Thomas Ryan, Patrick J. Conway, Anthony Smith, John Ryder, Martin Corcoran, Daniel Morrison, John Allen, Frank McCoy, John A. Murray, Andrew Gallagher, Hugh McGuire.

Thomas F. Cooke, John Flaherty, James J. Keeley and James Kelly—  
Reappointed March 19, 1904, as Machinists for period not to exceed five days, with compensation at the rate of 50 cents per hour while employed. They were again similarly reappointed on March 24, 1904.

Henry F. Brantigan—

Title changed from Flagger to Dock Builder, March 19, 1904, with compensation at the rate of 43¾ cents per hour while employed, the Municipal Civil Service Commission having authorized such change in title.

Municipal Civil Service Commission requested March 22, 1904, to furnish list of persons eligible for appointment as Machine Blacksmiths, from which to make two appointments to such position.

Municipal Civil Service Commission requested March 24, 1904, to authorize the change in title of John J. Mooney from Laborer to Dockbuilder, Mooney having proven himself qualified to perform the duties of Dockbuilder.

CHARLES J. COLLINS, Secretary.



## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, April 8, 1904.

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

## Approved.

Recommendation of Third Deputy Commissioner Cowan, that allowance be made of \$30 each for board of horses in the borough of The Bronx to A. Duryea. Notify A. Duryea, Sergeant Coffy and the Auditor.

Request of Charles G. Bennett, President Evergreen Cemetery, that the Special Patrolmen in said cemetery be permitted to wear the blue uniform.

Recommendation of Third Deputy Commissioner Cowan, that engineer's license be restored to William Gilhooly.

Recommendation of Sergeant Thomas E. O'Brien, that application be made to Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to install a gas meter at One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Washington avenue.

Application of Patrolman Louis Hyman, Twenty-fourth Precinct, for permission to participate in benefit for Mrs. Hugh J. Enright.

Recommendation of First Deputy Commissioner McAvoy, that the order detailing Patrolmen Grace and McKeever to telephone table in Eighth Precinct be countermanded.

Application of Captain James E. Hussey, Twentieth Precinct, for assignment of certain Patrolmen to duty in plain clothes.

Applications of Patrolmen Gadalia M. Krams, Thirty-first Precinct, and Daniel Mangan, Thirteenth Precinct, to exchange places.

## Referred to the Chief Inspector.

Communication from John W. Wallace, complaining that Officer No. 3624 failed to have track cleared for a Lorimer avenue car.

Communication from Niall J. Breslin, commending Roundsman Nolan, Thirty-eighth Precinct, for stopping a runaway. For report.

Application of Henry Daufkind for appointment of James Cooke as Special Patrolman.

Application of Greenwood Cemetery for appointment of James H. Coyle as Special Patrolman.

Application of W. J. Behrens for appointment of John F. Quinn as Special Patrolman.

Application of William Schaedler for appointment of T. J. Potts as Special Patrolman.

Communication from T. A. Schnitzlein, commending Patrolman Wilbur, Twenty-seventh Precinct, for stopping a runaway. For report.

## Appointment Revoked.

Andrew Manheide as Special Patrolman for Greenwood Cemetery, Fifth avenue and Twenty-fifth street, Brooklyn.

## Resignation Accepted.

George V. Hastings as Special Patrolman for L. Rouoff and others of Ozone Park.

## Special Patrolmen Appointed.

Robert H. Tucker, for A. R. Keen, Gilsey House, Manhattan.

W. B. Watson, for Watson's Theatre, Brooklyn.

W. Irving Taylor, for Watson's Theatre, Brooklyn.

Thomas Argue, for Max Schwartz & Brother, Manhattan.

Edward F. Curran, for National Biscuit Company, Manhattan.

Dennis Holmes, for Douglas Robinson, Chas. S. Brown Company, Manhattan.

## Retired on Application.

Patrolman Alexander Hughes, Thirteenth Precinct, \$700 per annum.

## Disapproved.

Application of Dowling-Sutton Music Publishing Company, for appointment of E. M. Ross as Special Patrolman.

## Referred to the Comptroller.

Requisition No. 92, Police Department Fund (sites and buildings), \$12,500.

## Chief Clerk to Answer.

Central Board of Bookbinders, protesting against award of contracts for printing, etc., to firms or persons not paying prevailing rate of wages.

On reading and filing communication from Samuel Hardy, ex-Captain of Police, asking for payment of salary while under suspension from May 7, 1903, to November 16, 1903, and it appearing that charges pending against Captain Hardy were dismissed November 16, 1903, and that he was retired upon his own application on that date.

Ordered, That the Chief Clerk be and is hereby directed to prepare and forward pay-roll for salary of said Samuel Hardy as Captain of Police during the time he was under suspension, as stated.

Ordered, That the proceedings of March 18, 1904, be amended by striking out the item on line No. 448, 5 kegs No. 8 wire rough head nails, as per sample, \$12.25, as being rejected, the Commissioner deeming it for the best interest of the City so to do.

## Ordered to Be Paid.

William Howell, \$75 account Contingent Expenses—Central Department, etc., amount advanced by order of the Commissioner.

## Referred to the Bookkeeper.

Pay-roll of Arthur G. Briell, \$228.33.

Pay-roll of Thomas Farrell and four others, \$1,152.95.

Pay-roll of Patrick Walsh and twenty-nine others, \$1,247.85.

## On File, Send Copy.

Opinion of Corporation Counsel, dated April 7, 1904, relative to exclusive use by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children of certain rooms in the Magistrates' Court of The City of New York.

## On File.

Notice from Finance Department, approving of sureties in proposals of A. Gunnison & Co., The P. M. Frank Disinfecting Company, Samuel Lewis and Mayer Daxe.

Report of Inspector Brooks on communication from J. K. Paulding, Secretary Child Labor Committee, asking for appointment of Truant Officers as Special Patrolmen. Chief Clerk to notify Mr. Paulding to make application of certain persons (giving names) as Special Patrolmen.

Circular letter from Pettibone Brothers Manufacturing Company relative to furnishing uniforms.

Report of Surgeon Quigley of contagious disease in the family of Patrolman Charles Buettner, Thirtieth Precinct.

Application of Captain Joseph Burns, Second Precinct, for assignment of counsel.

Report of Captain James F. Nally, Thirtieth Precinct, and Inspector E. O. Smith, relative to action of Patrolman John J. Tobin in effecting the arrest of a burglar.

Report of Captain Joseph Burns, Second Precinct, relative to decision of suit against Captain Burns.

Report of Captain David Evans, Forty-third Precinct, relative to anonymous complaint of gambling at saloon, Forty-second street and Third avenue, Brooklyn.

Report of Inspector M. F. Schmittberger on communication from Morris Laiten, objecting to having officers stationed outside of his place of business.

Trial was had of charges against members of the Force, and disposition recommended, approved by the Commissioner as follows:

## Before First Deputy Commissioner McAvoy.

Patrolman Patrick O'Hara, Forty-fifth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, fined twenty-five days' pay.

Patrolman John F. Rhatigan, Fiftieth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, fined twenty-five days' pay.

Patrolman William J. McLaughlin, Sixtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined three days' pay.

Patrolman William Laubersheimer, Sixty-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined two days' pay.

Patrolman Cassius R. Stevens, Seventy-first Precinct, neglect of duty, fined two days' pay.

## Reprimanded.

Patrolman Joseph E. Mackey, Forty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Patrick F. Clancy, Sixtieth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Matthew E. Bongard, Sixty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman John Blake, Seventy-second Precinct, neglect of duty.

The following transfers were ordered this day by the Commissioner, to take effect forthwith:

Captain Michael Gorman, from Twenty-third Precinct to Seventy-sixth Precinct, first sub., relieved of temporary command of the Twenty-eighth Precinct.

Captain James E. Dillon, from Twenty-eighth Precinct to Twenty-third Precinct.

Captain John T. Stephenson, Twenty-eighth Precinct.

## To take Effect 4 P. M., this Day.

Patrolman Stephen Grace, Eighth Precinct, remanded from telephone table and assigned at crossing Chambers and West streets.

Patrolman Bernard McKeever, Eighth Precinct, remanded from telephone table to patrol in precinct.

## To take Effect 4 P. M., the 9th Inst.

Patrolman George T. Mulrooney, from Fifteenth Precinct to Thirty-seventh Precinct.

Patrolman John T. J. Maher, from Twenty-fifth Precinct to Eighth Precinct, assigned to telephone table.

Patrolman Patrick Crowe, from Thirty-first Precinct to Twentieth Precinct, assigned to duty in plain clothes.

Patrolman Joseph Herzing, from Nineteenth Precinct to Twentieth Precinct, assigned to duty in plain clothes.

Patrolman Frederick W. Goodnow, Twentieth Precinct, assigned to duty in plain clothes.

Patrolman Daniel Nangan, from Thirteenth Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct.

Patrolman Gadalia M. Krams, from Thirty-first Precinct to Thirteenth Precinct.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, April 11, 1904.

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

Ordered, That the resignation of John F. Cowan as Third Deputy Police Commissioner be and is hereby accepted.

Know all men by these presents that I, William McAdoo, Police Commissioner of The City of New York, pursuant to the authority vested in me by law, do hereby appoint Harris Lindsley, a citizen of the United States and a resident of The City of New York, Third Deputy Police Commissioner of said City, to hold office at the pleasure of the Police Commissioner of said City.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this eleventh day of April, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and four.

(Signed) WILLIAM McADOO,

Police Commissioner of The City of New York.

I hereby define the duties of the Third Deputy Commissioner to be, until otherwise ordered, to have cognizance and control of the government, administration and discipline of so much of the Police Department and the Police Force of said Department as is located in the boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond, to enforce the laws and ordinances in said boroughs so far as the same devolves upon the police, to hold trials of delinquent members in such boroughs as may be assigned to him, and in the absence or disability of the Commissioner, First Deputy Commissioner and the Second Deputy Commissioner, to certify Department pay-rolls and to perform all other duties of the Police Commissioner, except making appointments and transfers.

In addition, the Third Deputy Commissioner will have special charge of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies; Bureau of Boiler Inspection; the Telegraph Bureau, the office of the Property Clerk; the office of the Complaint Clerk; and of all contracts and other matters in the Police Department involving the expenditure of money for any purpose, except the payment of salaries of the Uniformed Force.

## On File, Send Copy.

Report of Captain John J. McNally, Thirty-second Precinct, relative to detailing an officer to Ward's Island dock, foot of East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, during visiting hours.

## Referred to the Chief Inspector.

Application of John Bender for appointment of William J. Anderson as Special Patrolman.

Communication from Francis H. Leggett, commending Inspector Titus and Captain Sweeney for excellent services at a fire. For report.

Communication from Max Luria commending Officer F. Wagner (No. 4114) for stopping a runaway. For report.

Communication from Mrs. E. Voges commending Officer John A. Gordon for stopping a runaway. For report.

Communication from Edelstein & Thomashefsky commending the action of police at funeral of late Sophia Karp. For report.

## Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

Copy summons Third District Court, case of Rose Schaeffer against Thomas F. O'Connor, Property Clerk. For advice or to defend if required.

Copy peremptory writ of mandamus Supreme Court, Kings County, case of Edward F. Harris against Francis V. Greene, as Police Commissioner. For opinion whether appeal should be taken.

## Approved.

Application of Patrolman Leonard Crozier, Twenty-ninth Precinct, for permission to participate in benefit for Mrs. Hugh J. Enright.

Application of Captain John F. Flood, Twelfth Precinct, for transfer of Patrolman Rudolph Grancher from his command.

Application of Captain John W. Cottrell, Nineteenth Precinct, for transfer of Patrolman Patrick J. Curley, Thirty-first Precinct, to his command for clerical duty.

Recommendation of First Deputy Commissioner McAvoy that Patrolman James M. Hamill, Twenty-eighth Precinct, be transferred to the Twenty-ninth Precinct and assigned to duty at Mt. Sinai Hospital.

Application of Captain Albert Ruthenberg, Eighty-third Precinct, that a horse and wagon be furnished for his precinct.

## Disapproved.

Application of J. E. Newman for appointment of Abraham Signal as Special Patrolman.

Application of Roundsman Ernest H. Woodin, Forty-seventh Precinct, for transfer.

## Full Pay Granted.

Patrolman William Reiner, Forty-first Precinct, March 23 to 28, 1904.

## Referred to Inspector of Repairs and Supplies.

Report of Sergeant Thomas E. O'Brien on communication of W. C. Vosburgh Manufacturing Company, offering property for Brooklyn Borough Headquarters. For further report whether the premises offered by W. C. Vosburgh Manufacturing Company are more desirable for Borough Headquarters than those now occupied at the same rental, and also if right to purchase might be acquired and terms thereof. Copy of the report of the Inspector of Repairs and Supplies to be referred to Inspector P. H. McLaughlin for his report upon matter herein stated.

## Referred to Superintendent of Telegraph.

Communication from Dr. E. A. Goodridge, calling attention to defective wiring and condition of roof of Seventy-sixth Precinct station-house. For attention as to wiring and copy of communication to be referred to Inspector of Repairs and Supplies for report as to roof.

## Granted.

Permission to Edward Ebert to withdraw his application for concert license for Surf Avenue Opera House, Brooklyn. Deposit to be refunded.



## Referred to the Bookkeeper.

Communication from Norton Chase, inclosing check for \$25 for widow of late Patrolman Enright. To pay over to Mrs. Enright and acknowledge receipt.

## Special Patrolmen Appointed.

Joseph Bogart, for People's Bank of Brooklyn.  
Abraham Signal, for Joseph Hershberg, No. 245 Grand street, Manhattan.  
Louis Katz, for J. Valensi, No. 197 Bowery, Manhattan.

## Appointments Revoked.

Frank Demange, as Special Patrolman, for American District Telegraph Company, Brooklyn.

E. D. Herrick, as Special Patrolman, for Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company.

## Resignations Accepted.

L. E. Lawrence, as Special Patrolman, for New York Theatre, Manhattan.  
Robert H. Tucker, as Special Patrolman, for Hotel Marie Antoinette.  
Chas. E. Langley, as Special Patrolman, for A. H. Meyer, Manhattan.

## Referred to the Bookkeeper (Additional).

Application of Annie Hess for permission to collect balance of pension due her husband, George A. Hess. To make payment on receipt of proper release and proof of identity.

## Referred to the Auditor.

Monthly statement from Finance Department showing balances, etc., of appropriations made to the Police Department for 1904.

## Referred to the Third Deputy Commissioner.

Petition for increase of pension of Julia Ward, widow of Henry Ward, deceased Patrolman, and Margaret Byrnes, widow of Michael Byrnes, deceased Patrolman.

Petition for pension of Frances B. Tripp, widow of Elting B. Tripp, deceased Patrolman, and Julia Magrane, widow of Joseph F. Magrane, deceased Patrolman.

## Masquerade Ball Permits Granted.

Mrs. R. Levy, Lyric Hall, Manhattan, April 11, \$10.  
Fred Harms, Harms Hall, Brooklyn, April 14, \$10.  
J. M. Guehring, Eckford Hall, Brooklyn, April 13, \$10.

## Pension Granted.

Linda F. Rose, widow of George Rose, deceased Patrolman, \$120 per annum, from and after date.

Mary Clifford, widow of Thomas M. Clifford, deceased pensioner, \$120 per annum, from and after date.

Margaret Roe, widow of Edward Roe, deceased pensioner, \$120 per annum, from and after date.

## Increase of Pension Granted.

Mary E. Hall, widow of Walter H. Hall, deceased pensioner, increase of \$60 per annum, making a total pension of \$240 per annum, from and after date.

Caroline White, widow of Morris White, deceased Patrolman, increase of \$60 per annum, making a total pension of \$300 per annum, from and after date.

Mary E. Moran, widow of Denis F. Moran, deceased Patrolman, increase of \$60 per annum, making a total pension of \$300 per annum, from and after date.

## Chief Clerk to Answer.

J. D. Bell, Assistant Corporation Counsel, asking for information relative to following cases noticed for trial April 12, 1904, the relators claiming rank and pay as Detective Sergeants, viz.: Denis F. Lyons, Richard G. Duffy, Daniel S. Munday, James Haggerty, George G. Waldron, James J. Duffy, Frank J. Conboy, James J. McDonald and Frederick Baker.

Van Dorn Iron Works Company, asking for name of contractor for new Seventieth Precinct station-house.

Cowperthwaite & Co., asking for address of Officer Gunshinan of the First Precinct.

Thomas E. Rush, in behalf of Mrs. Simington, widow of Roundsman James J. Simington, who desires employment at station-house.

Myron C. Rush, asking that his check for \$1,750, which he deposited with his bid for Seventieth Precinct station-house, be returned.

## On File.

Communication from New York Catholic Protectory, commending the police duty at a recent funeral service.

Report of Captain Stephen O'Brien, Third Precinct, on communication from James W. McCarthy, commending Patrolman James McLaughlin, Third Precinct. Notify the writer.

Acknowledgment from Edw. P. Meany of receipt of communication relative to renewing lease for No. 16 Smith street, Brooklyn.

Communication from U. N. Bethell, stating that the rent of property at No. 16 Smith street will remain as it is at present for the next year.

Communication from Adams Express Company, forwarding check of \$2,500 for Pension Fund in recognition of services rendered by police at recent fire in their building. Answered by Commissioner.

Communication from Charles L. Guy, Assistant Corporation Counsel, stating that bill authorizing the Corporation Counsel to defend the City employees has passed the Assembly.

Communication from Knickerbocker Specialty Company, stating that they will have their sureties qualified.

Communication from Brotherhood of Bookbinders, protesting against awarding of contracts to Gerry & Murray and Jordan Stationery Company.

Communication from Corporation Counsel relative to a decision of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, in the Second Department, concerning the right of Police Officers to be defended by representatives of the office of the Corporation Counsel.

Report of Surgeon De Forest of contagious disease in the family of Patrolman Denis Rouhan, Fifty-seventh Precinct.

Report of Surgeon McGovern of contagious disease in the family of Patrolman Frank J. Gunther, Twenty-eighth Precinct.

Report of Surgeon Terry of contagious disease in the family of Patrolman Louis Brown, Sixty-seventh Precinct.

Report of Surgeon Marsh of contagious disease in the family of Patrolman George W. Taylor, Twenty-seventh Precinct.

Report of Captain James McGlynn, Thirty-first Precinct, and Inspector E. O. Smith relative to conduct of Patrolman Robert B. Beck, Thirty-first Precinct, at a fire.

Report of M. R. Brennan, Superintendent of Telegraph, relative to action of Commissioner Greene in awarding contract for telephone service to New York Telephone Company.

Report of Inspector William W. McLaughlin, forwarding communication received from Philip Rhineland in reply to letter sent to him inclosing tickets for Enright benefit.

Report of Captains C. G. Hayes, Twenty-second Precinct, and James F. Hussey, Twentieth Precinct, on communication from one Martin Senger, complaining that Patrolman Meyers, Twentieth Precinct, neglected to give assistance to Patrolman John E. Gilligan, Twenty-second Precinct.

Report of Captain Thomas F. Maude relative to communication from M. F. Fleckles.

Report of Sergeant Thomas E. O'Brien on communication from the Park Department, asking that Police Department vacate building at Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street. Answer by Commissioner.

On reading and filing communication from Margaret Burns, and report of Third Deputy Commissioner.

Ordered, That the proceedings of January 21, 1901, granting a pension of \$240 per annum to Margaret Burns, widow of Owen Burns, a deceased pensioner, as guardian for James, William and Ellen Burns, be and are hereby amended, and a pension of \$120 per annum is hereby granted to Margaret Burns, and a pension of \$120 per annum is hereby granted to Margaret Burns as guardian for William and Ellen Burns.

The following transfers, etc., were this day ordered by the Commissioner, to take effect 4 p. m. the 12th inst.:

Patrolman Rudolph Grancher, from the Twelfth Precinct to the Fifth Precinct.  
Patrolman James M. Hamill, from the Twenty-eighth Precinct to the Twenty-ninth Precinct, detailed to Mt. Sinai Hospital.

Patrolman Patrick J. Curley, from the Thirty-first Precinct to the Nineteenth Precinct, assigned to assist at clerical duty.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 1338, Int. No. 361, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to amend section thirteen hundred and seventy-three of the greater New York charter relative to the salaries of interpreters in the municipal courts in the city of New York."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.06 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 1241, Int. No. 623, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to amend the greater New York charter, in relation to the relief fund of the fire department."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.05 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 1306, Int. No. 936, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to amend section seven hundred and twenty-eight of the greater New York charter, in relation to assignments and promotions in the fire department."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.04 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 1339, Int. No. 622, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to amend the greater New York charter, relative to commitments to the state reformatory for women at Bedford."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.03 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 892, Int. No. 71, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to provide for the expense of acquiring title to, widening and improving White Plains road, in the borough of the Bronx, city of New York."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.02 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, printed No. 1181, Int. No. 867, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to authorize and direct the grant of lands under the waters of the Spuyten Duyvil creek and of the Harlem river northerly of the northerly Harlem river pier and bulkhead line, and the filling in, ownership and use thereof as fast land."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.01 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 895, Int. No. 570, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to amend chapter five hundred and thirty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three, entitled 'An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings, suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth wards, in the city of New York or otherwise,' as amended by chapter five hundred and sixty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-four, by chapter seven hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of nineteen hundred and by other amendatory acts, relative to damages caused by changes of grade to certain property in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth wards of the borough of the Bronx, of the city of New York, by permitting the filing of claims and the awarding of damages as to such property by the commission consti-

tuted by chapter five hundred and thirty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three as so amended."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 970, Int. No. 655, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to amend chapter five hundred and thirty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three, entitled 'An act providing for, ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings, suffered by reason of change of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth wards in the city of New York or otherwise,' as amended by chapter five hundred and sixty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-four, entitled 'An act to amend chapter five hundred and thirty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three, entitled 'An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of change of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter seven hundred and twenty-one of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth wards in the city of New York or otherwise,' relative to damages caused by change of grade in the borough of the Bronx (formerly the twenty-third and twenty-fourth wards), of the city of New York, by permitting the filing of additional claims, under the provisions of said chapter five hundred and thirty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three, as amended by chapter five hundred and sixty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-four, and to extend the time for filing such claims, and for the appointment of commissioners of appraisal.'"

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.07 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 339, Int. No. 309, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act authorizing the board of estimate and apportionment of the city of New York to take proof of the claim of Matthew M. Feely for work, labor and services and disbursements alleged to have been performed and made as assistant to expert accountants in the office of the comptroller of the city of New York, and to allow said board to pay said claim."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.08 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 577, Int. No. 219, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to authorize the payment of the claim of James A. Russell for services rendered the city of New York."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.09 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 1367, Int. No. 132, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act authorizing the city of New York to acquire a site and to lease the same to the state for the establishment thereon of a reception hospital for the insane, and authorizing the commission in lunacy to erect such hospital."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.10 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 78, Int. No. 78, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to further amend subdivision three of section fourteen hundred and sixty-six of chapter three hundred and fifty-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-six in reference to terms of commitment of females."



Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.11 o'clock P. M.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.  
**GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,**  
 Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Printed No. 529, Int. No. 466, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

"An Act to remit certain taxes heretofore imposed upon lands in the borough of Manhattan, city of New York, occupied by the Columbus hospital."

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Friday, April 22, 1904, at 2.12 o'clock P. M.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 19, 1904.  
**GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,**  
 Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,  
 NEW YORK, April 19, 1904.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor in the week ending Saturday, April 16, 1904.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Monday, Apr. 11, 1904	186	\$869 25
Tuesday, " 12, "	169	749 00
Wednesday, " 13, "	178	1,040 25
Thursday, " 14, "	135	685 25
Friday, " 15, "	140	643 50
Saturday, " 16, "	96	460 50
Total.....	904	\$4,447 75

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Monday, Apr. 11, 1904	64	\$202 50
Tuesday, " 12, "	49	205 50
Wednesday, " 13, "	48	251 50
Thursday, " 14, "	50	230 00
Friday, " 15, "	31	123 50
Saturday, " 16, "	31	124 00
Total.....	273	\$1,229 00

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Monday, Apr. 11, 1904	11	\$41 50
Tuesday, " 12, "	14	45 50
Wednesday, " 13, "	12	31 25
Thursday, " 14, "	13	67 50
Friday, " 15, "	4	10 00
Saturday, " 16, "	..	..
Total.....	54	\$195 75

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Monday, Apr. 11, 1904	14	\$20 50
Tuesday, " 12, "	6	25 00
Wednesday, " 13, "	6	34 00
Thursday, " 14, "	5	11 50
Friday, " 15, "	4	10 00
Saturday, " 16, "	4	13 50
Total.....	39	\$104 50

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

## CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

April 15—The name of John McGinley, Laborer, deceased, has this day been taken from the list of employees of this Department.

### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

April 19—Termination of temporary service, April 8, Charles Simon; April 12, John S. Nolan, W. H. Lewisson, Examiners.

Appointed, April 8, Salvador P. Lahey, Laurel Hill, Queens County, Cashier in Bureau for Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens; salary \$1,050 per annum.



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 Borough of Richmond—Bay and Sand streets, Stapleton.

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## Borough of Manhattan.

Office of the President, Nos. 10, 11 and 12 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 JOHN F. AHEARN, President.  
 BERNARD DOWNING, Secretary.  
 ISAAC A. HOPPER, Superintendent of Buildings.  
 WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Public Works.  
 JAMES J. HAGAN, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.  
 WILLIAM H. WALKER, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices.  
 MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, Superintendent of Sewers.  
 JOHN L. JORDAN, Assistant Superintendent of Buildings.  
 GEORGE F. SCANNELL, Superintendent of Highways.

## Borough of The Bronx.

Office of the President, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 LOUIS F. HAFKEN, President.  
 HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Secretary.  
 PATRICK J. REVILLE, Superintendent of Buildings.  
 HENRY BUCKNER, Commissioner of Public Works.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

President's Office, No. 11 Borough Hall, 9 A. M. to 4.30 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 MARTIN W. LITTLETON, President.  
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 JOHN C. BRACKENRIDGE, Commissioner of Public Works.  
 JAMES S. REGAN, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.  
 PETER J. COLLINS, Superintendent of Buildings.  
 GEORGE W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer in Charge, Bureau of Highways.  
 ARTHUR J. O'KEEFE, Superintendent of the Bureau of Sewers.  
 CHARLES C. WISE, Superintendent of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

## Borough of Queens.

President's Office, Borough Hall, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.  
 JOSEPH CASSIDY, President.  
 GEORGE S. JERVIS, Secretary to the President.  
 JOSEPH BERMEL, Commissioner of Public Works.  
 SAMUEL GRENNON, Superintendent of Highways.  
 Office Hackett Building, Long Island City.  
 JOSEPH P. POWERS, Superintendent of Buildings.  
 PHILIP T. LORIN, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices, Jamaica, L. I.  
 MATTHEW J. GOLDNER, Superintendent of Sewers.  
 JAMES F. O'BRIEN, Superintendent of Street Cleaning.  
 ROBERT R. CROWELL, Assistant Engineer-in-Charge, Topographical Bureau.  
 Office, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. until 12 M.

## Borough of Richmond.

President's Office, New Brighton, Staten Island.  
 GEORGE CROMWELL, President.  
 MAYBURY FLEMING, Secretary to the President.  
 LOUIS LINCOLN TRIBUS, Commissioner of Public Works.  
 JOHN SEATON, Superintendent of Buildings.  
 JOHN TIML N. JR., Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices.  
 H. E. BUEL, Superintendent of Highways.  
 RICHARD T. FOX, Superintendent of Street Cleaning.  
 ERNEST H. SEEHUSEN, Superintendent of Sewers.  
 Office of the President, First National Bank Building, New Brighton, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## CORONERS.

Borough of Manhattan—Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all times of day and night.  
 GUSTAV SCHLER, SOLOMON GOLDENKRAZ, NICHOLAS F. BROWN, MOSES J. JACKSON.  
 Chief Clerk, ST. PHEN N. SIMONSON.  
 Borough of the Bronx—Corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street. Telephone 333 Tremont.  
 WALTER H. HENNING, Chief Clerk.  
 WILLIAM O'GORMAN, JR.; JOSEPH I. BEKY.  
 Borough of Brooklyn—Office, Room 11, Borough Hall. Telephone, 4004 Main and 4005 Main.  
 PHILIP T. WILLIAMS, MICHAEL J. FLAHERTY.  
 JAMES L. GERNON, Chief Clerk.  
 Open at all hours of day and night, except between the hours of 12 M. and 5 P. M. on Sundays and holidays.  
 Borough of Queens—Office, Borough Hall, Fulton street, Jamaica, L. I.  
 SAMUEL D. NUTT, LEONARD RUOFF, JR.  
 MARTIN MAGER, JR., Chief Clerk.  
 Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Borough of Richmond—No. 174 Bay street, Stapleton. Open for the transaction of business all hours of the day and night.  
 GEORGE F. SCHAFER.

## NEW YORK COUNTY OFFICES.

## SURROGATE.

New County Court-house. Court open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except Saturdays, when it closes at 12 M. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.

FRANK T. FITZGERALD, ABNER C. THOMAS, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

## SHERIFF.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 MITCHELL L. ERLANGER, Sheriff; JULIUS HARBURGER, Under Sheriff.

## COUNTY JAIL.

No. 70 Ludlow street.  
 MITCHELL L. ERLANGER, Sheriff.  
 JULIUS HARBURGER, Under Sheriff.  
 THOMAS H. SULLIVAN, Warden.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Building for Criminal Courts, Franklin and Centre streets.  
 Office hours from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, District Attorney.  
 JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, Chief Clerk.

## REGISTER.

No. 115 Nassau street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.  
 JOHN H. J. RONNER, Register; HENRY H. SHERMAN, Deputy Register.

## COUNTY CLERK.

Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11 New County Court-house.  
 Office hours from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.  
 THOMAS L. HAMILTON, County Clerk.  
 HENRY BIRKELL, Deputy.  
 PATRICK H. DUNN, Secretary.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS ALLISON, Commissioner.  
 MATTHEW F. NEVILLE, Assistant Commissioner.  
 FREDERICK P. SIMPSON, Assistant Commissioner.  
 FREDERICK O'BRYNE, Secretary.

## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator.

## KINGS COUNTY OFFICES.

COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.  
 County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 19, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 A. M. daily, and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room No. 23; Part

II., Room No. 10, Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 10 and 22, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
 JOSEPH ASPINALL and FREDERICK E. CRANE, County Judges.  
 CHARLES S. DEVVOY, Chief Clerk.

## SURROGATE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
 JAMES C. CHURCH, Surrogate.  
 WILLIAM P. PICKETT, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.  
 Court opens at 10 A. M. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.  
 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
 HENRY HESTERBERG, Sheriff.

## COUNTY JAIL.

Raymond street, between Willoughby street and DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, New York.  
 HENRY HESTERBERG, Sheriff.  
 WILLIAM McLAUGHLIN, Warden.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn  
 Hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
 JOHN F. CLARKE, District Attorney.

## REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August; then from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., provided for by statute.  
 MATTHEW E. DOOLEY, Register.  
 PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Register.  
 AUGUSTUS W. MAUI, Assistant Deputy Register.  
 JOHN B. SHANAHAN, Counsel.  
 JOHN H. McARDLE, Secretary.

## COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 EDWARD KAUFMANN, County Clerk.  
 DENNIS WINTER, Deputy County Clerk.  
 JOSEPH P. DONNELLY, Assistant Deputy County Clerk.  
 Telephone call, 1151 Main.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

County Court-house.  
 JACOB BRENNER, Commissioner.  
 FRANK J. GARDNER, Deputy Commissioner.  
 ALBERT B. WALDRON, Secretary.  
 Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Rooms, 7, 9, 10 and 11, Hall of Records.  
 Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August, then 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 GEORGE E. WALDO, Commissioner.  
 JOSEPH H. GREENLEE, Deputy Commissioner.  
 JOHN H. JOHNSON, Secretary.  
 THOMAS D. MOSSCROP, Superintendent.  
 RICHARD S. STEVES, Chief Clerk.

## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 WILLIAM B. DAVENPORT, Public Administrator.

## QUEENS COUNTY OFFICES.

## SURROGATE.

DANIEL NOBLE, Surrogate.  
 Office at Jamaica.  
 Except on Sundays, holidays and half holidays the office is open between March 3 and October 1 from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; on Saturdays from 8 A. M. to 12 M.; between September 30 and April 1, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 Surrogate's Court sits on Thursday and Friday of each week except during the month of August, when no court is held. Calendar called at 10 A. M.

## COUNTY COURT.

County Court-house, Long Island City.  
 County Court opens at 10 A. M. and adjourns at 5 P. M.  
 County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.  
 BURT JAY HUMPHREY, County Judge.

## SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 JOSEPH MYERROSE, Sheriff.  
 HENRY W. SHARKEY, Under Sheriff.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
 GEORGE A. GREGG, District Attorney.

## COUNTY CLERK.

Jamaica, N. Y., Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens.  
 Office hours, April 1 to October 1, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; October 1 to April 1, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 M. to 12 M.  
 County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens at 9.30 A. M., to adjourn 5 P. M.  
 DAVID L. VON NOSTRAND, County Clerk.  
 CHARLES DOWNING, Deputy County Clerk.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 EDWARD J. KNAUER, Commissioner.  
 H. HOMER MOORE, Assistant Commissioner.

## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 103 Third street, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
 CHARLES A. WADLEY, Public Administrator.

## RICHMOND COUNTY OFFICES.

## COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1904.  
 County Court—STEPHEN D. STEPHENS, County Judge.  
 First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jury;  
 First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of January, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of February, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of September, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of October, without a Jury;  
 —All at the Court-house at Richmond.  
 Surrogate's Court—STEPHEN D. STEPHENS, Surrogate.  
 Mondays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Tuesdays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.  
 Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Port Richmond, S. I.  
 Office hours from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and from 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.  
 EDWARD S. RAWSON, District Attorney.

## COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 C. L. BOSTWICK, County Clerk.  
 County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I.  
 Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 CHARLES J. MCCORMACK, Sheriff.  
 THOMAS A. BANNING, Under Sheriff.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Village Hall, Stapleton.  
 CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.  
 J. LOUIS GARRETTSON, Assistant Commissioner.  
 Office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## THE COURTS.

## APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.  
 Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
 CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAM, CHESTER B. McLAUGHLIN, EDWARD W. HATCH, FRANK C. LAUGHLIN, Justices; ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk; WILLIAM LAMB, Deputy Clerk.  
 Clerk's Office open at 9 A. M.

## SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Courts open from 10.15 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12.  
 Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 13.  
 Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
 Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 18.  
 Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30.  
 Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad cases), Room No. 36.  
 Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 25.  
 Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 17.  
 Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 18.  
 Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 16.  
 Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 24.  
 Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 28.  
 Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 33.  
 Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 31.  
 Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 32.  
 Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 22.  
 Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 34.  
 Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, VII., Room No. 26.  
 Appellate Term, Room No. 31.  
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.  
 Assignment Bureau, room on third floor.  
 Clerks in attendance, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 13.  
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), room southwest corner mezzanine floor.  
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, room southeast corner, second floor.  
 Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room north east corner, second floor, east.  
 Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.  
 Trial Term, Part I. (original business).  
 Criminal Court-house, Centre street.  
 Justices—CHARLES H. TRUAX, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, HENRY BOSCHOFF, JR.; LEONARD A. GIBBS, JOHN J. FREDMAN, P. HENRY DUGAN, HENRY A. GILBERTSLEEVE, JAMES FITZGERALD, DAVID LEVENTRITT, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, GEORGE C. BARRETT, JAMES A. BLANCHARD, JOHN PROCTOR CLARKE, SAMUEL GREENBAUM, EDWARD E. MCGILL, EDWARD B. AMEND, VERNON M. DAVIS.

## SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.  
 Courts open daily from 10 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. Six jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions.  
 JAMES F. MCGEE, General Clerk.

## CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
 Court opens at 10.30 A. M.  
 THOMAS L. HAMILTON, Clerk; EDWARD R. CARROLL, Special Deputy to the Clerk.  
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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. NEWBUIGER, 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.

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. DEUEL, 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. FORBES, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGER-



ALD, 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 Magistrate—ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, LORENZ ZELER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN M. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, PETER P. BARLOW, MATTHEW P. BRENN, SEWARD BAKER, ALFRED G. OMMEN, CHARLES S. WHITMAN.**  
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, southeast 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 Magistrate—ALFRED E. TREES, A. V. B. VOORHEES, JR., JAMES G. TIGHE, EDWARD J. DOOLEY, JOHN NAUMER, E. G. HIGGINSBOTHAM, 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 Magistrate—MATTHEW J. SMITH, LUKE J. CONNORTON, EDMUND J. HEALY.**  
First District—Long Island City.  
Second District—Flushing.  
Third District—Far Rockaway.  
**City Magistrate—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.  
HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

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.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's Office open 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 Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street and northwest of Clinton street to Rivington street, and on the centre line of Rivington street south to Norfolk street. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.  
BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.

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. ABRAHAM 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 M. RZBACH, 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 Seventy-fifth 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, cor-

ner 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 Seventy-fifth 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. DELHANTY, 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 944 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. MANER, 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. 1217 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. CAMPBELL, 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. HENNEIT, 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, 84 Bath Beach.

CORNELIUS FERGUSON, 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. KADIN, 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. PALL, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court held each day, except Saturdays, from 10 A. 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 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

THOMAS C. KADIN, Justice. THOMAS F. 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 Seventy-fifth 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.

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

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, cor-

ner 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 Seventy-fifth 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.

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 944 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. MANER, Clerk.

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

THOMAS C. KADIN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

THOMAS C. KADIN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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.

### 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.

### DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 12 o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1904.

**FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIVE (245) DAYS, FROM MAY 1, 1904, TO DECEMBER 31, 1904, FOR LIGHTING THAT PART OF THE STRUCTURE EXTENDING FROM THE BROOKLYN TERMINAL TO THE MIDDLE OF THE SUSPENDED SPAN OF THE WILLIAMS-BURGH (NEW EAST RIVER) BRIDGE, OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.**

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the work will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

GEORGE E. BEST,  
Commissioner of Bridges.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

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The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the work is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

GEORGE E. BEST,  
Commissioner of Bridges.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, MANHATTAN.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the office of the Department of Bridges, Room 1203 Park Row Building, at 12 o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1904.

**FOR FURNISHING LABOR AND MATERIALS AND MAKING REPAIRS TO ASPHALT PAVEMENTS ON BRIDGES OVER THE HARLEM RIVER AND IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN DURING THE YEAR 1904.**

The repairs will be made from time to time, as may be required during the balance of the year. The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

Bidders will state a price per square yard for repairs at each bridge.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

GEORGE E. BEST,  
Commissioner of Bridges.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, MANHATTAN.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the office of the Department of Bridges, Room 1203 Park Row Building, at 12 o'clock noon, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1904.

**Borough of Manhattan.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHITE LEAD, OIL, PAINTS, ETC.**

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. LANTY,  
Commissioner.

Dated APRIL 4, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

### SUPREME COURT.

#### 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 TRINITY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Westcheser avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, as he 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 10th day of May, 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 10th day of May, 1904, at 4 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 21st day of May, 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 intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street with the easterly line of Third avenue; running thence easterly along the said line of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to its intersection with the westerly line of Union avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Union avenue to its intersection with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along the said line of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to its intersection with the easterly line of St. Ann's avenue; thence northerly along said line of St. Ann's avenue and along the easterly line of Third 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 on 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 20th day of October, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 17, 1904.

LORENZO S. PALMER,

PETER F. RAFFERTY,



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.

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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 20th day of April, 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 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Broadway to the Hudson river, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described lots, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Broadway, distant 109.83 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence westerly and parallel to said street, distance 775 feet to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence northerly along said easterly line, distance 65 feet; thence easterly and parallel to the first course, distance 775 feet to the westerly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said line, distance 65 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also—Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Twelfth avenue, distant 109.83 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence westerly and parallel to said street, distance 269.51 feet to the United States Bulkhead Line, Hudson river; thence northerly along said line, distance 60.21 feet; thence easterly and parallel to first course above, distance 264.54 feet to the westerly line of Twelfth avenue; thence southerly along said westerly line, distance 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The land to be taken for West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street is located in Blocks 2000 and 2005 of Section 7 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 19, 1904.  
JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
The 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 EAST FORTIETH STREET, from Avenue H to Flatlands avenue, 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 5th day of May, 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 6th day of May, 1904, at 3 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 16th day of May, 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 southerly side of Avenue H where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between East Fortieth street and East Thirty-ninth street; running thence southerly and along the centre line of the block between East Fortieth street and East Thirty-ninth street to the centre line of Hubbard place; running thence southerly along the centre line of Hubbard place to the point where the centre line of Hubbard place is intersected by the prolongation of the centre line of the block between Flatbush avenue and East Fortieth street; running thence southerly along the centre line of the block between Flatbush avenue and East Fortieth street to the centre line of Overbaugh place; running thence northerly along the centre line of Overbaugh place to the point where the centre line of Overbaugh place is intersected by the prolongation of the centre line of the block between East Fortieth street and East Thirty-ninth street; running thence southerly and along the centre line of the block between East Fortieth street and East Thirty-ninth street to the centre line of Lott place; running thence southerly along the centre line of Lott place to a point where the centre line of Lott place is intersected by the prolongation of the centre line of the block between Flatbush avenue and East Fortieth street; running thence southerly along the centre line of the block between Flatbush avenue and East Fortieth street to the northerly side of Flatlands avenue; running thence northerly along the northerly side of Flatlands avenue to the centre line of the block between East Fortieth street and East Forty-first street; running thence northerly along the centre line of the block between East Fortieth street and East Forty-first street to the southerly side of Avenue K; running thence northerly and parallel with East Fortieth street to the southerly side of Avenue H; running thence westerly along the southerly side of Avenue H 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 20th day of June, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 16, 1904.

JOHN M. ZURN,  
Chairman,  
HENRY SHELTON,  
Commissioners.  
JAMES F. QUIGLEY,  
Clerk.  
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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to 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 required 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.

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 6th day of May, 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 9th day of May, 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 16th day of May, 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 parallel to and 10 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly side of the Eastern Boulevard with the southeasterly prolongation of a line parallel to and 1,000 feet westerly from the westerly side of Baychester avenue, running thence northerly along the said southeasterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Kosuth street and Westchester avenue; thence northwesterly along the said southeasterly prolongation and middle line of the block and its prolongation northwesterly to the southeasterly side of the Bronx river; thence northerly along the southeasterly side of the Bronx river to the northern boundary line of The City of New York; thence southeasterly along the different courses of the said boundary line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 1,000 feet easterly from the easterly side of Baychester avenue; thence southerly along the last mentioned parallel line and its prolongation southerly to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly side of the Eastern Boulevard; thence southeasterly along the 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 18th day of October, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 13, 1904.

CHAS. DONOHUE,  
Chairman;  
MICHAEL E. DEVLIN,  
GRENVILLE T. EMMET,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.  
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## SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the westerly side of ALBANY AVENUE, between East New York avenue and Maple street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, duly selected as a site 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 a Special Term, for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of April, 1904, at the calling of the calendar on that date, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners or persons interested in certain lands and premises duly selected for school purposes, in the Borough of Brooklyn, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of East New York avenue as opened pursuant to Act of the Legislature by map filed May 8, 1881, with the westerly line of Albany avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly line of Albany avenue two hundred and ten (210) feet 0 inches to the northerly line of Maple (proposed) street; running thence westerly along the northerly line of Maple (proposed) street seven (7) feet six (6) inches; running thence northerly and parallel with Albany avenue two hundred and ten (210) feet 0 inches to the southerly line of East New York avenue as aforesaid; and running thence easterly along said southerly line of East New York avenue seventeen (17) feet six (6) inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, April 14, 1904.  
JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.  
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## SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the northerly side of YORK STREET, distant 85 feet westerly from the northerly corner of York street and Bridge street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, duly selected as a site 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 a Special Term, for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of April, 1904, at the calling of the calendar on that date, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners or persons interested in certain lands and premises duly selected for school purposes, in the Borough of Brooklyn bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of York street distant eighty-five (85) feet westerly from the westerly line of Bridge street, and running thence northerly and parallel with Bridge street ninety-nine (99) feet eight (8) inches; thence westerly and parallel with York street ten (10) feet to the easterly line of lands of Public School 7; thence southerly along the easterly line of lands of Public School 7 ninety-nine (99) feet eight (8) inches to the northerly line of York street; thence easterly along the northerly line of York street ten (10) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, April 14, 1904.  
JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
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, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands and lands, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, between BLOOMFIELD STREET AND LITTLE WEST TWELFTH STREET, and between TENTH AND THIRTEENTH AVENUES, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A supplemental bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 25th day of April, 1904, at 3 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated New York, April 12, 1904.  
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,  
Clerk.  
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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PARK PLACE, from Utica avenue to East New York avenue, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-sixth Wards, 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 21st day of May, 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 4th day of May, 1904, at 10 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 12th day of May, 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 Utica avenue where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Sterling place and Park place; running thence easterly and parallel with Park place to the northerly side of East New York avenue; running thence northerly along the northerly side of East New York avenue to the centre line of the block between Park place and Prospect place; running thence westerly parallel with Park place and along the centre line of the block between Park place and Prospect place to the easterly side of Utica avenue; running thence southerly along the easterly side of Utica avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 26th 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 Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 12, 1904.

GEORGE J. O'KEEFE, Chairman,  
ALEXANDER CAMERON,  
Commissioners.  
JAMES F. QUIGLEY,  
Clerk.  
a12,28

## 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 EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Fourth avenue to Fourteenth avenue, 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 22nd day of April, 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, April 11, 1904.

JAMES W. REDMOND,  
EUGENE V. DALY,  
PETER F. LYNNAN,  
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 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.

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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Friday the 22nd day of April, 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 East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street, from Bainbridge avenue to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Briggs avenue, distant 246.03 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of the Southern Boulevard;

1st. Thence south westerly along the eastern line of Briggs avenue for 60.25 feet;  
2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 95 degrees 15 minutes 14 seconds to the left for 317.87 feet to the western line of Bainbridge avenue;  
3d. Thence northerly along last-mentioned line for 61.12 feet;  
4th. Thence northwesterly for 303.71 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."  
Beginning at a point in the western line of Friggs avenue, distant 246.03 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of the Southern Boulevard;

1st. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Briggs avenue for 60.25 feet;  
2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 84 degrees 44 minutes 46 seconds to the right for 197.83 feet to the eastern line of Valentine avenue;  
3d. Thence northeasterly along the last-mentioned line for 60.36 feet;  
4th. Thence southeasterly for 195.80 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."  
Beginning at a point in the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, distant 217.97 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of the Southern Boulevard;

1st. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 60.24 feet;  
2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 95 degrees 15 minutes 14 seconds to the left for 245.50 feet to the western line of Valentine avenue;  
3d. Thence northeasterly along last-mentioned line for 60.39 feet;  
4th. Thence northwesterly for 246.93 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "D."  
Beginning at a point in the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, distant 238.15 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of the Southern Boulevard;

1st. Thence southwesterly along the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 60.25 feet;  
2d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 84 degrees 44 minutes 46 seconds to the right for 292.85 feet to the eastern line of Jerome avenue;  
3d. Thence northerly along last-mentioned line for 67.09 feet;  
4th. Thence southeasterly for 329.66 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street is shown on sections 17 and 10 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, on December 27, 1895, and December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 29, 1895, and December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 28, 1895, and December 18, 1895, respectively.

The land to be taken for East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street is located in Blocks 3290, 3297, 3302, 3305, 3319 and 3320, of section 12 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 9, 1904.  
JOHN J. DELANY,  
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New York City.  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of a PUBLIC PARK, bounded by Rae street, German place, Carr street and St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22nd day of April, 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 and extending of a public park, bounded by Rae street, German place, Carr street and St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the western line of St. Ann's avenue with the northern line of Rae street:  
1st. Thence northerly along the western line of St. Ann's avenue for 403 feet to the southern line of Carr street;  
2d. Thence westerly along the last-mentioned line for 134.57 feet to the eastern line of German place;  
3d. Thence southerly along last-mentioned line for 401.15 feet to the northern line of Rae street;



4th. Thence easterly along last-mentioned line 195.98 feet to the point of beginning.

This public park is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the locating and laying out of a public park, on the plot of ground known as Bensonia Cemetery, bounded by Rae and Carr streets, St. Ann's avenue and German place, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York," which map or plan was filed in the offices of the President of the Board of Public Improvements, of the Register of the City and County of New York and of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, on December 31, 1903.

The land to be taken for this park is located in Block 2358 of section 9 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 9, 1904.

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City of New York.

#### 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 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.

**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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of April, 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 West One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Fort Washington avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue, distant 5,027 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street;

1st. Thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the easterly line of Audubon avenue for 370 feet;

2d. Thence northerly along said easterly line for 60 feet;

3d. Thence easterly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to westerly line of Amsterdam avenue for 370 feet;

4th. Thence southerly along said westerly line to point or place of beginning for 60 feet.

Also—Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Audubon avenue, distant 5,027 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street;

1st. Thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue, now called St. Nicholas avenue for 350 feet;

2d. Thence northerly along said easterly line for 60 feet;

3d. Thence easterly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to westerly line of Audubon avenue for 350 feet.

4th. Thence southerly along said westerly line to point or place of beginning for 60 feet.

Also—Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, now called St. Nicholas avenue, distant 5,027 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street;

1st. Thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to easterly line of Wadsworth avenue for 300 feet;

2d. Thence northerly along said easterly line for 60 feet;

3d. Thence easterly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to westerly line of St. Nicholas avenue for 300 feet;

4th. Thence southerly along said westerly line to point or place of beginning for 60 feet.

Also—Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Wadsworth avenue, distant 5,027 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street;

1st. Thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to easterly line of Broadway for 23.12 feet;

2d. Thence northerly along said easterly line of Broadway for 20.09 feet, thence still northerly and deflecting to the right 3 degrees 7 minutes and 51 seconds for 41.79 feet;

3d. Thence easterly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to westerly line of Wadsworth avenue for 41.52 feet.

4th. Thence southerly along said westerly line to point or place of beginning for 60 feet.

Also—Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Broadway, distant 5,001.50 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street;

1st. Thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the easterly line of Fort Washington avenue for 400.11 feet;

2d. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Fort Washington avenue and deflecting to the right 78 degrees 6 minutes and 48 seconds for 61.34 feet;

3d. Thence easterly and parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to westerly line of Broadway for 594.73 feet;

4th. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Broadway and deflecting to the right 73 degrees 59 minutes and 57 seconds for 46.63 feet, thence still southerly and along the westerly line, and deflecting to the left 3 degrees 7 minutes and 51 seconds for 16.06 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The land to be taken is found in section 8, Blocks 2130, 2131, 2142 and 2143 of the Land Map, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and is shown on a map entitled "Map or Plan showing certain new streets and avenues, with grades thereof, between Edgcomb and Kingsbridge roads and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, as laid out and opened and extended and the grades thereof established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement on December 10, 1886, and filed in the offices of the Department of Public Works; Register of the City and County of New York; Department of Public Parks and Secretary of State of the State of New York, on or about the 17th day of December, 1886, and also is shown on a map entitled "Map and Profiles of new streets, with their established grades within the area bounded by One Hundred and Seventy-first street, One Hundred and Eighty-first street, Kingsbridge road and Boulevard Lafayette, to be known as One Hundred and Seventy-third, One Hundred and Seventy-fourth and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue; One Hundred and Seventy-sixth, One Hundred and Seventy-eighth, One Hundred and Seventy-ninth and One Hundred and Eightieth streets, between Kingsbridge road and Buena Vista avenue; Haven avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Eighty-first streets, and Buena Vista avenue, from the present terminus of Haven avenue, north of One Hundred and Seventy-first street to One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York." Filed in the offices of the Department of Public Works, the Register of the City and County of New York, and the Corporation Counsel

of The City of New York, on or about the 24th day of December, 1897.

Dated New York, April 9, 1904.

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City of New York.

#### 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 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.

**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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of April, 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 Popham avenue from East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to Montgomery avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point 200 feet east of the easterly line of Undercliff avenue measured at right angles to the same from a point 1.34 46 feet southerly from the first tangent point south of Sedgwick avenue.

1st. Thence northerly parallel with Undercliff avenue for 407.97 feet;

2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 15 degrees 56 minutes 53 seconds to the right for 506.27 feet;

3d. Thence easterly deflecting 57 degrees 22 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 308.70 feet;

4th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 122 degrees 37 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 71.24 feet;

5th. Thence westerly deflecting 57 degrees 22 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 237.40 feet;

6th. Thence southeasterly deflecting 57 degrees 22 minutes 40 seconds to the left for 465.04 feet;

7th. Thence southerly deflecting 15 degrees 56 minutes 53 seconds to the left for 370 feet;

8th. Thence westerly for 63.11 feet to the point of beginning.

Popham avenue is shown on section 15 of the final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on December 17, 1895; and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

The land to be taken for Popham avenue is located in Block 2877 of section 11 of the Land Map of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 9, 1904.

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New York City.

#### 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 CANAL STREET WEST (although not yet named by proper authority), between East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of April, 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 Canal Street West, between East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lot, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street distant 85.49 feet southeasterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Park avenue.

1st. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 50 feet;

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 77.35 feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street;

3d. Thence northerly along the last-mentioned line for 50 feet;

4th. Thence northeasterly for 771.09 feet to the point of beginning.

Canal street, west, is shown on section 7 of the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on October 31, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on November 2, 1895; and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on November 2, 1895.

The land to be taken for Canal street, West, is located in Block 2332 of section 9 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 9, 1904.

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Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### 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 ONE HUNDRED AND NINE-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of

Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of April, 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 and extending of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Ninety-third street, from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

**PARCEL "A."**

Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Morris avenue with the northerly line of St. James Park or Place:

1st. Thence northerly along the westerly line of Morris avenue for 50 feet;

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 260 feet to the eastern line of Jerome avenue;

3d. Thence southerly along last-mentioned line for 50 feet;

4th. Thence easterly for 260 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "B."**

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Morris avenue with the northern line of St. James Park or Place:

1st. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Morris avenue for 50 feet;

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 236.87 feet to the western line of Creston avenue;

3d. Thence southerly along last-mentioned line for 50.3 feet to the northern line of St. James Park or Place;

4th. Thence westerly for 238.47 feet to the point of beginning.

**PARCEL "C."**

Beginning at a point in the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse distant 223.84 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Kingsbridge road:

1st. Thence southerly along the western line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse for 50 feet;

2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees 32 minutes 15 seconds to the right for 224.58 feet to the eastern line of Creston avenue;

3d. Thence northerly along the last-mentioned line for 50.3 feet;

4th. Thence easterly for 225.71 feet to the point of beginning.

East One Hundred and Ninety-third street is shown on a map entitled, "Map or plan showing the locating, laying out and grades of East One Hundred and Ninety-third street, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York," prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, which map was filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, of the Register of the City and County of New York and of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the 6th day of October, 1903.

The land to be taken for East One Hundred and Ninety-third street is located in Blocks 3168, 3177, and 3191, of section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 9, 1904.

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Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### 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 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.

**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, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III, thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of April, 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 Belmont street, from Clay avenue to Morris avenue, east, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Morris avenue distant 295 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street.

1. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Morris avenue for 60.83 feet;

2. Thence easterly deflecting 98 degrees 27 minutes 44 seconds to the left for 1,190 feet to the western line of Clay avenue;

3. Thence northerly along the last-mentioned line for 30 feet;

4. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 190 feet to the eastern line of Topping avenue;

5. Thence southerly along last-mentioned line for 20 feet to the southerly line of Topping avenue;

6. Thence westerly along last-mentioned line for 60 feet to the western line of Topping avenue;

7. Thence northerly along last-mentioned line for 50 feet;

8. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 190 feet to the eastern line of Monroe avenue;

9. Thence southerly along last-mentioned line for 50 feet to the southern line of Monroe avenue;

10. Thence westerly along last-mentioned line for 60 feet to the western line of Monroe avenue;

11. Thence northerly along last-mentioned line for 50 feet;

12. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 190 feet to the eastern line of Weeks avenue;

13. Thence southerly along last-mentioned line for 50 feet to the southern line of Weeks avenue;

14. Thence westerly along last-mentioned line for 60 feet to the western line of Weeks avenue;

15. Thence northerly along last-mentioned line for 50 feet;

16. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 190 feet to the eastern line of Eastburn avenue;

17. Thence southerly along last-mentioned line for 50 feet to the southern line of Eastburn avenue;

18. Thence westerly along last-mentioned line for 60 feet to the western line of Eastburn avenue;

19. Thence northerly along last-mentioned line for 50 feet;

20. Thence westerly for 180 feet to the point of beginning.

Belmont street is shown on section 14 of the final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York (Borough of The Bronx), filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on December 16, 1895; in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on

December 17, 1895, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

The land to be taken for Belmont street is located in Blocks 2788, 2789, 2790, 2791, 2792, 2793 and 2794, section 11 of the Land Map of The City of New York. Dated New York, April 9, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,

Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

#### 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 EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Prospect avenue and Southern Boulevard, 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 26th day of April, 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 2d day of May, 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 6th day of May, 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 middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Grote street with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Prospect avenue and Crotona avenue, lying northerly of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; running thence northerly along said last-mentioned prolongation and middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence easterly along said parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Grote street; thence westerly along said prolongation and middle line 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, March 28, 1904.

JOSEPH J. MARRIN,

Chairman;

M. A. QUINLAN,

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 BAY RIDGE PARKWAY, between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, and extending from a few feet east of Ninth avenue for a distance of 424 feet to a point about midway between Eighth avenue and Ninth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 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. 17, Blocks Nos. 5756 and 5757, 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 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 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 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.



## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to SUTTER AVENUE, between Barrett street and East Ninety-eighth street, in the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards 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, Block No. 4600, Section No. 12, Blocks Nos. 3508, 3509, 3510, 3511, 3512, 3513, 3514, 3530, 3531, 3532, 3533, 3534, 3535 and 3536, 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 25th day of April, 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 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, March 31, 1904.

LEWIS L. FAWCETT,  
HUGH MOORE,  
EDMUND BROWN,  
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 EXTERIOR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Gerard avenue, at Cheever place, 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 16th day of September, 1898, 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 8th 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 0, Blocks 2339, 2344 and 2349, 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 8th day of May, 1899; 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.

Further notice is hereby given that by an order of the Supreme Court duly filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 19th day of February, 1904, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York on the 19th day of February, 1904, the above-entitled proceeding is duly and regularly amended and corrected by excluding therefrom the property not required for said street, which is 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 requested to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our offices, on the 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 offices, on the 26th day of April, 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 owners, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, April 1, 1904.

JACOB MARKS,  
Chairman,  
THOMAS H. NEILSON,  
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 the easterly side of MANOR ROAD, in the Second Ward of the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for an almshouse according to law.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** report of Henry A. Guyon, Charles E. Griffith and Thomas A. Braniff, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, duly appointed in the above-entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 4th day of April, 1904, was filed in the office of the Commissioner of Public Charities, the head of the Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, at his office, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, on the 11th day of April, 1904, and a duplicate of said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 8th day of April, 1904.

Notice is further given that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term 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 25th day of April, 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, April 17, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
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 EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, from Twelfth avenue to Seventeenth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 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. 19, Blocks 6291, 6292, 6293, 6294, 6295, 6302, 6303, 6304, 6305, 6306 and 6313, 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 or to 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 26th day of April, 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 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, March 31, 1904.

FREDERICK E. GUNNISON,  
EUGENE B. HOWELL,  
THOMAS H. STEWART,  
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 FIFTY-THIRD STREET, from the Old City line to West street, 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** 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 22d day of April, 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 the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 11, 1904.

JOSE E. PIDGEON,  
WILLIAM H. GOOD,  
FREDERICK I. PEARSALL,  
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 FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, from the Old City Line to a point 520 feet southeast of Eighth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE** undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 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. 3, Blocks Nos. 834-842, section No. 17, Blocks Nos. 5679-5686, 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 26th day of April, 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, March 31, 1904.

G. B. BOYD,  
WILLIAM H. P. CONKLIN,  
THOMAS FITCHIE,  
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 DE RUSSEY STREET from Eighty-sixth street to Dyker Beach Park, 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 22d day of April, 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 the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 11, 1904.

H. HOWARD DALE,  
JOHN J. MCLAUGHLIN,  
JOHN H. DURAUCK,  
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,  
Clerk.

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In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the southerly side of ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET between First and Second avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site 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 28th day of April, 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:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of First avenue with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventeenth street; running thence westerly along the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventeenth street one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence southerly, and parallel with First avenue, one hundred (100) feet eleven (11) inches; thence easterly and parallel with East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the westerly line of First avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of First avenue one hundred (100) feet eleven (11) inches to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, April 14, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

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## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 12 o'clock M., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 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 pound, per dozen, yard, 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 awards made 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. LULLY, Commissioner.  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, April 14, 1904.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

## 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), "Harlem Local and Life" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights and Harlem Districts). Designation by Board of City Record March 14, 1904.

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock A. M., on

MONDAY, MAY 2, 1904.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND FITTING UP WORKSHOPS, COOKING ROOMS, LABORATORIES, ETC., IN VARIOUS PUBLIC SCHOOLS, 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:

Item 1.....	\$100.00
Item 2.....	800.00
Item 3.....	100.00
Item 4.....	1,800.00
Item 5.....	700.00
Item 6.....	500.00

On Contract No. 1 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. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

C. E. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated April 21, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SOUTHWEST 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 11 o'clock A. M., on

FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 1904.

## Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 48,950 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, MORE OR LESS.

Security required is Seventy-three Thousand Dollars.

850 CORDS OF WOOD, MORE OR LESS.

Security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

## Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 13,250 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, MORE OR LESS.

Security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars.

245 CORDS OF WOOD, MORE OR LESS.

Security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 26,300 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, MORE OR LESS.

Security required is Thirty-nine Thousand Dollars.

650 CORDS OF WOOD, MORE OR LESS.

Security required is One thousand Seven Hundred Dollars.

## Borough of Queens.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 11,000 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, MORE OR LESS.

Security required is Seventeen Thousand Dollars.

400 CORDS OF WOOD, MORE OR LESS.

Security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

## Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,810 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, MORE OR LESS.

Security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

140 CORDS OF WOOD, MORE OR LESS.

Security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

The time for the delivery of the coal, wood and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before May 1, 1905.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, per cord, by which the bids will be tested.

Bids must be submitted for each borough and separately for coal and wood. Contracts will be awarded to the lowest bidder for each borough for 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 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 April 19 1904

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."



DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

**MONDAY, APRIL 25, 1904.**

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

No. 1. GENERAL CONSTRUCTION AND ALSO PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE (CONTRACT No. 1) OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 85, ON THE NORTH SIDE OF EVERGREEN AVENUE, BETWEEN ELDERT AND COVERT STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 450 working days. The work on the new additions must be completed within 300 working days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$175,000 00

Item 2..... 300 00

On contract No. 1 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. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER

Superintendent of School Buildings.

APRIL 14, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

**MONDAY, APRIL 25, 1904.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

No. 2. SANITARY WORK AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 34 BROOME AND SHERIFF STREETS, PUBLIC SCHOOL 147, HENRY AND GOVERNOR STREETS, AND ANNEX TO GIRLS' TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL, No. 146 GRAND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 30 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public Sch. of 34..... \$500 00

Public School 147..... 500 00

Annex Girls' Technical High School..... 500 00

On contracts No. 2 and 3 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.

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

April 14, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SOUTHWEST 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

**FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 1904.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES FOR THE VACATION SCHOOLS, PLAY-GROUNDS AND RECREATION CENTRES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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 (50) per cent. 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, dozen, gallon, yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each item whose goods are the same or equal to the samples furnished for inspection or referred to by catalogue number.

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 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 April 12, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the 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, MAY 2, 1904.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

No. 1. FOR REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE NORMAL COLLEGE BUILDINGS, PARK AND LEXINGTON AVENUES, SIXTY-EIGHT TO SIXTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 30 working days for Item 1 and 50 working days for Item 2, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$1,000 00

Item 2..... 500 00

On contract No. 1 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 bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

Each bidder must submit with and attached to his bid his own particular specification, describing accurately and in detail the kinds and qualities of materials and the construction in all its parts of the article which he proposes to furnish if the contract for which his bid is made shall be awarded to him. The said particular specification must comply with the general specification annexed to the form of contract in all respects.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 30 working days for Item 1 and 50 working days for Item 2, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$1,000 00

Item 2..... 500 00

On contract No. 1 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 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.

Dated FEBRUARY 18, 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 2 o'clock P. M., on

**THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1904.**

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 200 COMBINATION CAN AND BAG CARRIERS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 90 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 article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, 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 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.

Each bidder must submit with and attached to his bid his own particular specification describing accurately and in detail the kinds and qualities of materials and the construction in all its parts of the article which he proposes to furnish if the contract for which his bid is made shall be awarded to him. The said particular specification must comply with the general specification annexed to the form of contract in all respects.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated April 5, 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 R. W., 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 2 o'clock P. M., on

**THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1904.**

**Borough of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.**

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO (2) AUTOMOBILE CARRIAGES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 60 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 article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed 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 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.

Each bidder must submit with and attached to his bid, his own particular specification, describing accurately and in detail the kinds and qualities of the materials used and the construction in all its parts of the automobile carriage that he proposes to furnish if the contract for which his bid is made shall be awarded to him. The said particular specification must comply with the above general specification in all respects.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated April 19, 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 2 o'clock P. M., on

**THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1904.**

**Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.**

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 100 COMBINATION CAN AND BAG CARRIERS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 60 days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, 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 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.

Each bidder must submit with and attached to his bid his own particular specification, describing accurately and in detail the kinds and qualities of materials and the construction in all its parts of the article which he proposes to furnish if the contract for which his bid is made shall be awarded to him. The said particular specification must comply with the general specification annexed to the form of contract in all respects.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated April 19, 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 2 o'clock P. M., on

**THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1904.**

**Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.**

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 5000 FEET OF RUBBER HOSE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty 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 per foot 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 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 APRIL 13, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW.

**SALE OF UNUSED PROPERTY.**

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to section 541 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, I shall sell at public auction at 10 A. M. on

**THURSDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF APRIL, 1904.**

at the Incubance Yard of the Department of Street Cleaning, Utica avenue and Pacific street, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the following described property of the Department of Street Cleaning, to wit:

54 horses, more or less.

18,000 lbs. old iron, more or less.

50 lbs. old brass, more or less.

50 lbs. old tire rubber, more or less.

100 lbs. old harness, more or less.

20 old cart bodies, more or less.

46 old cart hames, more or less.

4 old wooden pulley blocks, more or less.

188 old pipe collars, more or less.

249 old canvas truck, horse and cart covers, more or less.

63 old woolen breast aprons, more or less.

1 set old carriage harness, more or less.

1 set old cart harness, more or less.

1 set old double truck harness, more or less.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated April 5, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, NEW YORK, February 9, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT written applications for non-competitive examinations for the following positions on the steam dumper "Cinderella," "Aschenbroedel" and "Cenerentola," pursuant to a resolution of the Municipal Civil Service adopted January 27, 1904, approved by the State Civil Service Commission February 5, 1904, will be received at the Main Office of the Department of Street Cleaning, on the fourteenth floor of Nos. 13-21 Park row, Room No. 1416, on Wednesdays of each week at 2 P. M.:

Deckhands familiar with the handling of flat scows.

(Signed) JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,

Commissioner.

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 MCGAW WOODBURY,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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. 98. Constructing receiving-basins and appurtenances at the northeast corner of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and the Southern Boulevard; southwest corner of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Willow avenue; northeast and southeast corners of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Locust avenue; northeast and southeast corners of East One Hundred and Thirty-third street and Locust avenue.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on April 21, 1904, at 3 o'clock 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.

Dated APRIL 8, 1904.

LOUIS F. HAFEN,

President.

Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, corner of Third Avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Crotona Park, New York, April 9, 1904.

**NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.**

ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 1904, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the President of the Borough of The Bronx will sell at public auction, by James J. McCauley, auctioneer, the articles, merchandise, etc., to wit: At the yard of the Bureau of Incubance, Park avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets.

1. About 31 cart-loads of brick.

2. 4 news-stands.

3. 4 telegraph poles, old.

4. 1 old transparency.

5. 6 lengths of iron pipe.

6. 1 large tool-house.

7. 1 barber sign.

8. About 31 tin and board post signs.

9. About 5 loads of brownstone.

2 brownstone steps.

1 large barrel.

10. 1 load of wooden horses.

11. 1 light business wagon.

12. 1 coach.

13. 1 drum with cable.

14. 1 tool box.

15. 1 truck.

1 wagon box.

16. 1 wagon.

4 bags of rags.

1 lot of old iron.

17. About 17 spruce joists, various sizes.

About 180 boards and 2 signs.

About 10 loads of old lumber.

About 25 posts.

18. 1 old furniture van.

19. About 9 loads of furniture, bedding, etc.

20. About 80,000 granite block paving stones.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and removal of the articles, merchandise, etc., on or before April 27, 1904. If the purchaser or



The amount of security required will be One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.  
Time allowed to complete the work will be 60 working days.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN WESTCHESTER AVENUE, from Trinity avenue to the angle westerly thereof; also PAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCKS THAT PART OF THE ROADWAY NOT PAVED.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

- 600 cubic yards of rock excavation.
- 25 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.
- 65 linear feet of old curbstone, recut on top, rejointed and reset.
- 80 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.
- 280 square feet of old flagging, rejointed and relaid.
- 240 square feet of old bridgestone for crosswalks, rejointed and relaid.
- 200 square yards of granite block pavement on a sand foundation.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars.

The time allowed to complete the work will be 60 working days.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALK, LAYING CROSSWALK, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN ELMER PLACE, from Prospect avenue to Southern Boulevard.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

- 6,000 cubic yards of earth excavation.
- 2,400 cubic yards of rock excavation.
- 1,700 cubic yards of filling.
- 2,400 linear feet new curbstone furnished and set.
- 9,400 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
- 600 square feet of new bridgestones for crosswalks furnished and laid.
- 100 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.
- 100 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe 12 inches in diameter.

The amount of security required will be \$4,000.  
The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 100 working days.

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Clinton avenue and Prospect avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

- 225 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12 inches.
- 30 spurs for house connections.
- 3 manholes complete.
- 420 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
- 5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.
- 1,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid.
- 10 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

The time allowed to complete the work will be 80 working days.

No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING RECEIVING-BASINS AND APPURTENANCES AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF CLARKE PLACE AND JEROME AVENUE; SOUTHEAST CORNER OF MARCY PLACE AND JEROME AVENUE; INTERSECTION OF THE WESTERLY SIDE OF JEROME AVENUE WITH THE EASTERLY SIDE OF MACOMBE'S DAM ROAD; JEROME AVENUE, SOUTHEAST CORNER OF ELLIOTT PLACE; JEROME AVENUE, NORTHWEST CORNER OF BELMONT PLACE; WESTERLY SIDE OF JEROME AVENUE, OPPOSITE CLIFFORD PLACE; SOUTHWEST CORNER OF JEROME AVENUE AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET; NORTHWEST CORNER OF JEROME AVENUE AND KINGSBRIDGE ROAD.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

- 250 linear feet of pipe culvert, 12 inches.
- 8 receiving-basins, complete.
- 55 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
- 3 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

The time allowed to complete the work will be 40 working days.

No. 8. FOR CONSTRUCTING RECEIVING BASINS AND APPURTENANCES AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF NELSON AVENUE AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF NELSON AVENUE AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF NELSON AVENUE AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF NELSON AVENUE AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

- 100 linear feet of pipe culvert, 12 inches.
- 4 receiving basins complete.
- 125 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
- 3 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

The amount of security required will be Seven Hundred Dollars.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract will be 30 working days.

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor and the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, APRIL 6, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, 177TH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me and are on file in my office for inspection for—

No. 86. Changing map or plan of The City of New York so as to restore to said map the old Kingsbridge road, in Spuyten Duyvil.

No. 87. Repair to sidewalk in front of premises known as No. 1360 Brook avenue.

No. 88. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for widening One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Jerome avenue to Walton avenue, as being duly laid out on a map or plan of The City of New York.

No. 89. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches, erecting fences

where necessary in Harrison avenue, from Tremont avenue northerly to the next intersecting street.

No. 90. For paving with telford macadam Webster avenue, from the south side of the Southern Boulevard to the north side of Mosholu parkway and setting curb where necessary.

No. 91. Constructing sewer and appurtenances in Cottage place, between East One Hundred and Seventieth street and Crotona Park South.

No. 92. Paving with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Union avenue and Prospect avenue, and setting curb where necessary, with plots in the centre 15 feet wide for ornamental treatment.

No. 93. For paving with asphalt block pavement on concrete the roadway of Daly avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Bronx Park, and setting curbstone where necessary.

No. 94. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Walton avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-second street to Fordham road.

No. 95. Paving with asphalt block pavement on concrete Wales avenue, from south side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

No. 96. Laying out a public park at the entrance to Washington Bridge in the Borough of The Bronx, on the site bounded by Boscobel avenue, Aqueduct avenue, Featherbed lane, Macomb's road and Devos street, as shown on diagram accompanying petition.

No. 97. Laying out on map of The City of New York the logical and symmetrical completion and extension of Crotona parkway from its present southerly terminus to the junction of Southern Boulevard and Boston road, a distance of about 250 feet, the expense to be borne by the City at large.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, on April 21, 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.

Dated APRIL 7, 1904.

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President of the Borough of The Bronx.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, 177TH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me and are on file in my office for inspection for—

No. 82. 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 Gun Hill road (Briggs avenue), from the Bronx river to Baychester avenue.

No. 83. 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 East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from the Bronx Boulevard to Baychester avenue.

No. 84. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the legal opening of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, from its present terminus at Baychester avenue to the Hutchinson river at the Boston road crossing.

No. 85. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the legal opening of East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street (Eighth street, Williamsbridge), from Seventh avenue to the Hutchinson river.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board of Chester, Twenty-fifth District, on April 21, 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.

Dated New York, April 7, 1904.

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President of the Borough of The Bronx.

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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.

12-24-03

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.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions:

INSPECTOR OF HYDRANTS—WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1904, 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Saturday, APRIL 23, at 12 M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical knowledge..... 5  
Experience..... 2  
Mathematics..... 1  
Report..... 1

Candidates will be required to obtain 75 per cent. on the technical paper, and 70 per cent. on the total.

Candidates should be familiar with pipe-laying and inspection of stop cocks as well as hydrants.

Several vacancies at present exist in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The salary attached to this position is \$7,200 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

APRIL 14, 1904.

KEEPER OF MENAGERIE—TUESDAY, MAY 3, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Saturday, April 30, at 12 M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Duties..... 6  
Arithmetic..... 1  
Experience..... 3

The required percentage is 70.

Candidates must be familiar with the care and management of wild animals in captivity, and also with the best method of housing them, etc.

The salary attached to this position is \$900 per annum.

Two vacancies at present exist in the Department of Parks.

The minimum age is 21.

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.

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, APRIL 21, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 848.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING ABOUT 125,000 CUBIC YARDS ON THE NORTH, EAST AND HAKLEM RIVERS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of April 30, 1905.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Dredging will be required to be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 8, 1904.

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, APRIL 21, 1904.

Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens and The Bronx.

CONTRACT No. 849.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING ABOUT 125,000 CUBIC YARDS ON THE EAST AND HAKLEM RIVERS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of June 30, 1905.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Dredging will be required to be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 8, 1904.

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 COLLINS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, APRIL 25, 1904.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TOOLS AND HARDWARE.

The time for delivery will be as required, within 60 days.

The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER.

The time for delivery will be as required, within 60 days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAINTERS' SUPPLIES.

The time for delivery will be as required, within 60 days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARNESS AND STABLE SUPPLIES.

The time for delivery will be as required, within 60 days.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHEELWRIGHTS' SUPPLIES.

The time for delivery will be as required, within 60 days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BUILDERS' MATERIALS.

The time for delivery will be as required, within 60 days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SOAPS AND SUNDRY SUPPLIES.

The time for delivery will be as required, within 60 days.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

The bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan.

JOHN J. PALLAS, President;  
WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated April 13, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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, APRIL 21, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GRASS SOD.

The time for delivery will be as required, before December 31, 1904.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL.

The time for delivery will be as required, before July 31, 1904.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

The bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan.

JOHN J. PALLAS, President;  
WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated April 8, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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, APRIL 21, 1904.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING VITRIFIED STONWARE DRAIN PIPE FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The quantities are as follows:



RESETTING OF CURB, AND FLAG THE WEST SIDE OF NORTH PRINCE STREET, between Broadway and State street, in the Third Ward of the Borough of Queens.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 100 cubic yards of grading (filling to be furnished).
- 2,000 square feet of new bluestone flagstone.
- 50 linear feet of old curb to be reset.
- 320 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, cubic 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. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Jackson avenue, corner Fifth street.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,  
President.

Dated MARCH 6, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

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, APRIL 25, 1904.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER IN JACKSON AVENUE, from Paynter avenue to the Old Bowery Bay road, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, and the CONSTRUCTION OF NECESSARY CATCH-BASINS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

- 1,900 linear feet of brick sewer, 5 feet circular.
- 1,900 linear feet of brick sewer, 4 feet 6 inches circular.
- 1,350 linear feet of brick sewer, 4 feet circular.
- 850 linear feet of brick sewer, 3 feet 9 inches circular.
- 300 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
- 575 linear feet 18-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
- 1,000 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.
- 4,000 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed drain pipe.
- 42 manholes, complete.
- 33 receiving-basins, complete.
- 200 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.
- 100 cubic yards concrete in place.
- 50 cubic yards broken stone in place.
- 200,000 feet, B. M., timber for foundation.
- 100,000 feet, B. M., timber bracing and sheet piling.
- 300,000 linear feet piles, below caps furnished, driven and cut off.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 300 days.

The amount of security required is Fifty (50) Thousand Dollars.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER IN BARTOW STREET, from Jackson avenue to Webster avenue, First Ward.

- 550 linear feet 18-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 3 manholes, complete.
  - 20 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.
  - 3,000 feet, B. M., timber for bracing and sheet piling.
- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.
- The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER AND NECESSARY CATCH-BASINS IN MARC PLACE, between Grand avenue and Newtown avenue, First Ward.

- 350 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 3 manholes, complete.
  - 10 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.
  - 2,000 B. M. feet timber for bracing and sheet piling.
- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.
- The amount of security required is Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A CATCH-BASIN ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF CRESCENT AND LINCOLN STREETS, IN THE FIRST WARD.

- 25 linear feet vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.
  - Receiving-basin, complete.
- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 15 days.
- The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

NO. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER BASIN ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF ELM STREET AND ELY AVENUE IN THE FIRST WARD.

- 20 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.
  - 1 receiving-basin, complete.
  - 500 feet, B. M., timber for foundation.
  - 1,000 feet, B. M., timber for bracing and sheet piling.
- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 15 days.
- The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars.

NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER IN BRIELL STREET, from Jackson avenue to Webster avenue, First Ward.

- 475 linear feet 15-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 250 linear feet 18-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 5 manholes, complete.
  - 20 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.
  - 3,000 B. M. feet timber for bracing and sheet piling.
- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.
- The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

NO. 7. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER IN JAMAICA AVENUE, from Steinway avenue to Thirteenth avenue, First Ward, AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE NECESSARY CATCH-BASINS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

- 625 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 6 manholes, complete.
  - 50 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.
  - 5,000 B. M. feet timber for bracing and sheet piling.
- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

NO. 8. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER ON FIFTEENTH AVENUE, between Broadway and Newtown road, First Ward, AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE NECESSARY CATCH-BASINS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

- 500 linear feet 15-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 4 manholes, complete.
  - 10 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.
  - 2,000 B. M. feet timber for bracing and sheet piling.
- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.
- The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars.

NO. 9. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER ON SEVENTH AVENUE (Blackwell street), from Jackson to Washington avenue, First Ward.

- 80 linear feet 15-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 350 linear feet 18-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 8 manholes, complete.
  - 20 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.
  - 3,000 B. M. feet timber for bracing and sheet piling.
- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 60 days.
- The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

NO. 10. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SEWER IN BODINE STREET, from Vernon avenue to Hamilton street, and in HAMILTON STREET, from Bodine street to Harris avenue, and in BODINE STREET, from Hamilton street to the Boulevard, and in HANCOCK STREET, from Bodine street to Harris avenue, and in BODINE STREET, from the Boulevard to Sherman street, and in the BOULEVARD, from Bodine street to Harris avenue, in the First Ward.

- 875 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 600 linear feet 15-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 380 linear feet 24-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.
  - 14 manholes, complete.
  - 490 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.
  - 5,000 B. M. feet timber for bracing and sheet piling.
- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 90 days.
- The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.
- The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, cubic 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. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.
- Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Jackson avenue, corner Fifth street.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,  
President.

Dated MARCH 6, 1904.

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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, APRIL 25, 1904.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS, WHERE REQUIRED THROUGHOUT THE BOROUGH, BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS OF TRAP ROCK.

- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and twenty (120) days.
- The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).
- The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 10,000 cubic yards of screenings of trap rock, ranging in size from three-quarters (¾) to one (1) inch.
- 5,000 cubic yards of broken stone of trap rock, ranging in size from one and one-half (1½) to two (2) inches.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FIFTEENTH AVENUE, from Broadway to Graham avenue, First Ward.

- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.
- The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).
- The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 1,850 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.
- 1,000 cubic yards of earth excavation.
- 1,000 cubic yards of earth filling (furnished).
- 9,300 square feet of new bluestone flagstone.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF MADISON AVENUE, from Boerum avenue to Murray street, Flushing, Third Ward.

- The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.
- The amount of security required is Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$450).
- The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 400 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.
- 200 cubic yards of earth excavation.
- 1,900 square feet of new bluestone flagstone.

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON TAYLOR STREET, from Van Alst avenue to Hopkins 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 security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).
- The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 1,372 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.
- 100 cubic yards of earth excavation.
- 5,700 cubic yards of earth filling (furnished).
- 6,600 square feet of new bluestone flagstone.

NO. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND REPAIRING WITH VITRIFIED FIRE-CLAY BRICK OR BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF THE

BOULEVARD, from Park avenue to Remsen avenue, Fifth Ward.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

- 16,800 square yards of vitrified fire-clay brick or block pavement.
- 2,300 cubic yards of concrete foundation, including mortar bed.
- 12,700 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per 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. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,  
President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated APRIL 11, 1904.

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## 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 locate and lay out East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Boston road to the Bronx river, and 116th street, from the Bronx river to the Eastern Boulevard, etc., 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 22d day of April, 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 25th day of March, 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 alter the map or plan of the City of New York by locating and laying out East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Boston road to the Bronx river, and 116th street, from the Bronx river to the Eastern Boulevard, etc., in the Borough of the Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

This map does not show any change in the alignment of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Tremont avenue from the previously adopted and filed maps, with the exception of an addition of five (5) feet at its eastern terminus in order to reach the present northern line of the Eastern Boulevard.

The map was prepared because the originally filed map of September 28, 1900, was amended by two other maps, and is therefore a compilation of filed maps with the five (5) feet addition at its eastern terminus, as mentioned above.

1. The grade at the eastern end of the bridge across the Bronx river to be 15.2 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

2. The grade at the intersection with West Farms road to be 17.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

3. The grade at the intersection with One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to be 19.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

4. The grade at the intersection of the first street east of the Bronx river to be 20.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

5. The grade at the southwest curb intersection of Tremont avenue lying easterly of said unnamed street to be 21.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

6. The grade at the intersection with Bronx Park avenue to be 32.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

7. The grade at the southwest curb intersection of unnamed street to be 43.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

8. The grade at the northeast curb intersection of said unnamed street to be 45.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

9. The grade at the intersection with the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to be 49.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

10. The grade at the southwest curb intersection of an unnamed street to be 44.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

11. The grade at the southeast curb intersection of an unnamed street to be 42.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

12. The grade at the northwest curb intersection of unnamed street to be 30.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

13. The grade at the southeast curb intersection of said unnamed street to be 29.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

14. The grade at the intersection of an unnamed street to be 18.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

15. The grade at the intersection of an unnamed street to be 19.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

16. The grade at the intersection of Rosedale avenue to be 34.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

17. The grades at the northwest and southeast curb intersection of Commonwealth avenue to be 28.5 feet and 28.0 feet respectively above mean high-water datum.

18. The grade at the intersection with St. Lawrence avenue to be 20.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

19. The grades at the northwest and southeast curb intersections of Classon's Point road to be 23.3 feet and 24.0 feet respectively above mean high-water datum.

20. The grades at the northwest and southeast curb intersections of Harrison avenue to be 27.5 feet and 28.0 feet respectively above mean high-water datum.

21. Thence easterly to a point 120 feet from the southeast curb intersection of Harrison avenue the grade to be 29.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

22. The grade at the intersection of Thieriot avenue to be 28.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

23. The grades at the northwest and southeast curb intersections of Saxe avenue to be 23.5 feet and 23.0 feet respectively above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

24. The grades at the northwest and southeast curb intersections of Cottage Grove avenue to be 20.7 feet and 20.2 feet respectively above mean high-water datum.

25. The grade at the northeast curb intersection of Old road to be 20.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

26. The grade at the intersection of Westchester avenue and Cobb avenue to be 21.2 feet above mean high-water datum.

27. The grades at the northwest and southwest curb intersections of Public place and Westchester

avenue to be 18.7 feet and 18.0 feet respectively above mean high-water datum.

28. The grades at the southwest and northeast curb intersections of Public place to be 19.0 feet and 18.5 feet respectively above mean high-water datum.

29. The grade at the centre of the Public place to be 22.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

30. The grade at the southeast curb intersection of Public place to be 18.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

31. The grades at the intersection with Virginia avenue and Public place to be 16.5 feet and 17.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

32. The grade at the intersection of Public place and unnamed street to be 21.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

33. The grade at the intersection of Westchester avenue and Public place to be 18.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

34. The grade at the westerly intersection of Fourteenth street to be 20.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

35. The grade at the southeast curb intersection of Avenue E to be 26.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

36. The grade at the northwest curb intersection of Twelfth street to be 29.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

37. The grades at the northwest and southeast curb intersections of Avenue D to be 24.5 feet and 24.0 feet respectively above mean high-water datum.

38. The grade at the eastern intersection with Eleventh avenue to be 27.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

39. The grade at the western intersection of Tenth avenue to be 30.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

40. The grades at the northwest curb intersection of Castle Hill avenue to be 40.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

41. Thence easterly to a point distant 150 feet from the previous grade, the grade to be 45.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

42. The grade at the eastern intersection with Ninth street to be 46.5 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

43. The grades at the northwest and southeast curb intersections of Avenue B to be 37.0 feet and 36.0 feet respectively above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

44. The grade at the eastern intersection with Seventh street to be 25.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

45. The grade at the northwest curb intersection of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street to be 18.5 feet above mean high-water datum.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of the Bronx cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of April, 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 22d day of April, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Assistant Secretary.

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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 a portion of Creek street and to lay out as a substitute for the portion which is closed a new connection with Borden avenue, in the Borough of Queens, 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 22d day of April, 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 25th day of March, 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 alter the map or plan of the City of New York by closing and discontinuing a portion of Creek street and laying out as a substitute for the portion which is closed a new connection with Borden avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

**Portion of Creek Street to be Closed.**  
Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Borden avenue and the westerly line of Creek street, as the same is laid down on the Commissioners' map of Long Island City, dated December 31, 1875, and running thence northerly along the westerly line of Creek street twenty-five (25) feet; thence easterly and parallel with Borden avenue sixty (60) feet to the easterly line of Creek street; thence southerly along the easterly line of Creek street twenty-five (25) feet to the northerly line of Borden avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Borden avenue (if the northerly line of Borden avenue were prolonged across Creek street) sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

**Portion of Creek Street to be Opened.**  
Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Borden avenue as the same is laid down on the Commissioners' map of Long Island City, dated December 31, 1875, which said point is distant sixty-five (65) feet west of a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Borden avenue with the westerly line of Creek street, and thence running westerly along the northerly line of Borden avenue sixty (60) feet; thence running northerly and parallel with Creek street ninety (90) feet; thence easterly and parallel with Borden avenue one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet to the westerly line of Creek street; thence southerly along the westerly line of Creek street sixty-five (65) feet; thence westerly and parallel to Borden avenue sixty-five (65) feet; thence southerly and parallel to Creek street twenty-five (25) feet to the northerly line of Borden avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Queens cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 22d day of April, 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



800 square feet flagstones to be retrimmed and relaid.



The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars.

Time allowed for completing the work will be 60 working days.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PEARL STREET, from a point 200 feet west of Old Elm street to Centre street; LEONARD STREET, from a point 190 feet west of New Elm street to Centre street; OLD ELM STREET, from 1st street to Worth street; CAHARINE LANE, from Elm street to 100 feet west.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done: 3,273 square yards new granite block pavement, including sand bed laid with paving cement joints.

585 cubic yards concrete.  
480 linear feet old curbstones to be redressed, re-jointed and reset.

The amount of security required will be Four Thousand Dollars.

Time allowed to complete the work will be 60 working days.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, PAVING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF NEW ELM STREET, from City Hall place to Great Jones street (from Howard street to City Hall place), and OLD ELM STREET, from Howard street to City Hall place.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done: 11,815 square yards of new granite block pavement, including sand bed laid with paving cement joints.

850 square yards old stone block pavement to be relaid (not to be bid for).

2,085 cubic yards concrete.

6,270 square feet new bridge stone to be furnished and laid.

750 square feet old bridge stone to be redressed, re-jointed and relaid (not to be bid for).

50 linear feet new curbstone to be furnished and set.

50 linear feet old curbstone to be redressed, re-jointed and reset.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

Time allowed to complete the work will be 100 working days.

The contracts must be bid for separately, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Nos. 13-21 Park row, Bureau of Highways, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,  
Borough President.

The City of New York, April 8, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 12 o'clock A. M., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1904.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO REPAIR AND FIT OUT THE FIVE (5) FREE FLOATING BATHS OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR USE DURING THE SEASON OF 1904.

The time for completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before June 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,  
President.

Dated April 8, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at the above office until 12 o'clock A. M., on

27TH DAY OF APRIL, 1904.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BEDFORD AVENUE, from Eastern parkway to Flatbush avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

20,390 linear feet of steel bound concrete curb.

49,870 cubic yards of earth excavation.

26,860 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

157,120 square feet of cement sidewalks.

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 Twenty-seven Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BEDFORD AVENUE, from Eastern parkway to Malbone street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

11,580 square yards of asphalt block pavement.

1,450 cubic yards of concrete.

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 Eleven Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BEDFORD AVENUE, from Malbone street to Flatbush avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

44,350 square yards of asphalt pavement.

6,160 cubic yards of concrete.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is Thirty-three Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF FIFTY-SECOND STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 24 and 25, Block 808, Eighth Ward Map.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

816 cubic yards of filling, to be furnished.

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 Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,435 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK AND 1,150 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

Time for the delivery of the material and the full performance of the contract is on or before November 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,271 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK AND 1,210 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before October 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 6,700 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK AND 2,100 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

Time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is on or before November 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 8. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,900 LINEAR FEET OF BLUESTONE CURBSTONE AT THE WALLABOUT YARD.

Time for the delivery of the material and the full performance of the contract is on or before September 15, 1904.

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 16,000 SQUARE FEET OF BLUESTONE FLAGSTONE AT THE WALLABOUT YARD.

Time for the delivery of the material and the full performance of the contract is on or before September 15, 1904.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, cubic yard, square 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, Borough of Brooklyn, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,  
President.

Dated April 12, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

## DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SEMI BITUMINOUS AND ANTHRACITE COAL IN THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS:

SECTION I.—22,000 GROSS TONS OF SEMI-BITUMINOUS COAL

SECTION II.—54,500 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is until May 1, 1905.

The amount of security will be, for Section I., Fifteen Thousand Dollars; for Section II., Thirty Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at the office of the Deputy Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 28, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,  
Commissioner.

Dated April 14, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TEN HORSES.

Time allowed for delivery of the horses will be 30 calendar days.

The amount of security shall be One Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per horse or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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 Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at the office of the Deputy Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 28, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,  
Commissioner.

Dated April 14, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR EXCAVATING AND REMOVING ROCK IN HYDRANT TRENCHES, ETC.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be three hundred and fifty (350) working days.

The amount of security will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

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 Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JOHN T. OAKLEY, Commissioner.

Dated April 13, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CAST-IRON WATER PIPES, BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASINGS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules therein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

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 Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,  
Commissioner.

Dated April 8, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING A WROUGHT IRON FENCE WITH GATES AT THE NEW RIDGEWOOD PUMPING STATION.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

No. 2. FOR HAULING AND LAYING WATER-MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN DIAMOND, HART, NORTH TENTH, CROWN, SEVENTY-THIRD, CENTRE, SEVENTY-SIXTH, EIGHTY-SIXTH, EAST EIGHTH, EAST NINTH, BARBER, JEROME, SUTTON, BAY THIRTY-FOURTH, BAY THIRTY-SEVENTH, WEST TENTH, EIGHTY-THIRD, EIGHTY-FOURTH, EIGHTY-FIFTH, SIXTY-NINTH, SEVENTIETH, SEVENTY-FIRST, SEVENTY-SECOND, SEVENTY-THIRD, SEVENTY-FOURTH, SEVENTY-SIXTH, EIGHTY-FIFTH, BAY TWENTY-EIGHTH, BAY SIXTEENTH, BAY THIRTEENTH, BAY FOURTEENTH, BAY TENTH, BAY ELEVENTH, FIFTY-FOURTH, FIFTY-FIFTH, FIFTY-SIXTH, FIFTY-SEVENTH, FIFTY-EIGHTH, FIFTY-NINTH, SIXTY-FIRST AND ELTON STREETS, IN METROPOLITAN GRAVESEND, CONEY ISLAND, SUTTER, BLAKE, DUMONT, LIVONIA, ALABAMA, GEORGIA, PITKIN, TWENTY-FOURTH, BATH, THIRTEENTH, TWENTIETH, CROPSEY, TWENTY-FIFTH, FIFTEENTH, SEVENTEENTH AND EIGHTEENTH AVENUES, IN AVENUES L AND P, IN DIVISION AND NORMAN PLACES, IN EASTERN PARKWAY, IN NECK ROAD AND IN HIGHLAND BOULEVARD.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of security will be Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

No. 3. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 80,000 POUNDS BEST REFINED LEAD.

The time allowed for completing the above will be sixty (60) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, hydrant, ton, cubic foot, 100 pounds or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at the office of the Deputy Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 28, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,  
Commissioner.

Dated April 8, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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:

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

FOURTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, east side, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets. Area of assessment: East side of Fourth avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets, on Block 839, Lot No. 1.

FIFTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, west side, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets. Area of assessment: West side of Fifth avenue, between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets, on Block 747, Lot No. 39.

FORTY-NINTH STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, north side, between Sixth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Forty-ninth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, on Block 776, Lots Nos. 1, 69, 71 and 72.

FIFTY-THIRD STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, north side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Fifty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Block 808, Lots Nos. 666, 67 and 69.

FIFTY-SIXTH STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, north side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Block 832, Lots Nos. 38, 54, 56, 63, 64 and 67.

FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, north side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Fifty-eighth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 847, Lot No. 50.

TWENTY-THIRD STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, south side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Twenty-third street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 649, Lot No. 29.

TWENTY-SIXTH STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, north side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Twenty-sixth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 655, Lots Nos. 39, 44, 51 and 53.

TWENTY-SIXTH STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, south side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Twenty-sixth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 658, Lots Nos. 12, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25 and 26.

EIGHTH AND THIRTIETH WARDS, SECTION 3.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PAVING IN GUTTERS, from Seventh avenue to Eighth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

NINTH WARD, SECTION 4.

LINCOLN PLACE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, south side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Lincoln place, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Block 950, Lots Nos. 11 and 12.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2.

MILL STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, south side, between Henry and Hicks streets. Area of assessment: South side of Mill street, between Henry and Hicks streets, on Block 550, Lots Nos. 11 and 20.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

MANHATTAN AVENUE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, east side, between Withers and Jackson streets. Area of assessment: East side of Manhattan avenue, between Withers and Jackson streets, on Block 50, Lot No. 22.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

NEWTON STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, southeast side, between Graham avenue and Engert avenue. Area of assessment: Southeast side of Newton street, between Graham and Engert avenues, on Block 247, Lots Nos. 1 and 55.

BAYARD STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS, north side, between Graham avenue and Humboldt street. Area of assessment: North side of Bayard street, between Graham avenue and Humboldt street, on Block 247, Lot No. 14.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

RICHARDSON STREET—FENCING VACANT LOT, north side, between Humboldt and North Henry streets. Area of assessment: North side of Richardson street, between Humboldt and North Henry streets, on Block 7, Lot No. 39 (formerly Lot No. 2).

KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, west side, between Harrison place and Grattan street; HARRISON PLACE—FENCING VACANT LOTS, south side; GRATAN STREET, north side, between Morgan and Knickerbocker avenues. Area of assessment: West side of Knickerbocker avenue, between Harrison place and Grattan street; south side of Harrison place and north side of Grattan street, between Morgan and Knickerbocker avenues, on Block 201, Lots Nos. 6 to 13, inclusive.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 3.



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 June 13, 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, April 13, 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 THE BRONX:

**TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.**  
**WOODLAWN ROAD—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PLACING FENCES,** from Jerome avenue to Bronx Park. Area of assessment: Both sides of Woodlawn road, from Jerome avenue to the New York and Harlem Railroad, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 12, 1904, and entered on April 13, 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 109 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 June 13, 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, April 13, 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 street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

##### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD,

**SECTION 11 AND 12.**  
**EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SECOND STREET—OPENING,** from Croton Aqueduct to east side of Aqueduct avenue. Confirmed December 14, 1903; entered April 12, 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 a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Jerome avenue with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Ninety-second street and East One Hundred and Ninety-third street; running thence northwesterly along said middle line of the blocks and its northwesterly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Aqueduct avenue and Tee Taw avenue; thence northwesterly along said last-mentioned middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the southeasterly line of Tee Taw avenue; thence northwesterly along said southeasterly line of Tee Taw avenue and its northwesterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Ninety-second street and Kingsbridge road; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Jerome avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.; and all payments made thereon on or before June 13, 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, April 12, 1904.

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BRYAN L. KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

#### SALE OF LEASES OF CITY PROPERTY.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK will sell at public auction to the highest bidder of yearly rental, at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, No. 161 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, on

**THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1904,**

at 12 o'clock M., leases for the term of five years from May 1, 1904, for the following described premises belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York, located in the borough of Manhattan, viz:

##### PARCEL 1.

Premises on the north side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Amsterdam and St. Nicholas avenues, about 225 feet east of Amsterdam avenue, as at present leased to Mahoney Brothers. Plot of ground 50 by 99 feet, together with the building erected thereon. To be sold at a minimum or upset price of \$300 per annum.

##### PARCEL 2.

Premises on the north side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Amsterdam and St. Nicholas avenues, about 125 feet east of Amsterdam avenue, as at present leased to James Mulcahy. Plot of ground 25 by 99 feet, together with the building erected thereon. To be sold at a minimum or upset price of \$480 per annum.

##### PARCEL 3.

Premises on the north side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Amsterdam and St. Nicholas avenues, about 150 feet east of Amsterdam avenue, as at present leased to William Alt. Plot of ground 25 by 99 feet, together with the building erected thereon. To be sold at a minimum or upset price of \$480 per annum.

The sale of the said several leases to be made upon the following

##### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental bid at the time and place of sale.

The amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution. He will also be required to give a bond in double the amount of the annual rent bid, with two sufficient sureties to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarterly, in advance, and for the performance and fulfillment of the covenants and terms of the lease.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is a delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation, and no bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation, as provided by law.

No alteration shall be made in the premises except with the consent of the Comptroller, and all alterations are to be made at the expense of the lessee.

The lessee shall be required to make all repairs necessary to keep the premises in good tenable condition, including repairs to the roof, at his own expense.

The lease will be in the usual form of leases of like property, a copy of which may be seen at the Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets, Room 130, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The lease will contain, in addition to other terms, a covenant or condition reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the same upon thirty days' notice if the said premises are required for public purposes.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid if deemed to be for the best interest of the City.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under and pursuant to a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held March 29, 1904.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 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.

##### EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

**TWENTY-FOURTH STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK,** on the southwest corner of Fourth avenue. Area of assessment: Southwest corner of Fourth avenue and Twenty-fourth street, on Block 65, Lot No. 33.

**FIFTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK,** west side, between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets. Area of assessment: West side of Fifth avenue, between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, on Block 66, Lot No. 32.

**FIFTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK,** west side, between Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth streets. Area of assessment: West side of Fifth avenue, between Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth streets, on Block 69, Lots Nos. 36, 42, 43 and 46.

**FIFTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** west side, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets. Area of assessment: West side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets, on Block 67, Lots Nos. 39, 40, 44 and 46.

**FIFTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK,** west side, between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets. Area of assessment: West side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, on Block 68, Lots Nos. 35, 36 and 38.

**FIFTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** east side, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets, on Block 69, Lots Nos. 37, 38 and 40.

**FIFTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** east side, between Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth streets, on Block 70, Lots Nos. 39, 40 and 42.

**FIFTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** east side, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, on Block 71, Lots Nos. 39, 40 and 42.

**FIFTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** east side, between Forty-first and Forty-second streets. Area of assessment: East side of Fifth avenue, between Forty-first and Forty-second streets, on Block 72, Lots Nos. 39, 40 and 42.

**FIFTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** east side, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Fifth avenue, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, on Block 73, Lots Nos. 39, 40 and 42.

Area of assessment: South side of Fifty-third street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 85, Lots Nos. 29 and 31.

##### TWENTY-IXTH WARD.

**VERMONT STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS,** west side, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; **FULTON STREET—FENCING,** south side, between New Jersey avenue and Vermont street. Area of assessment: West side of Vermont street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue, and south side of Fulton street, between New Jersey avenue and Vermont street, on Block 294, Lots Nos. 40 and 41.

**MONIAUR AVENUE—FENCING VACANT LOTS,** east side, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues; **MILFORD STREET—FENCING,** west side, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues. Area of assessment: East side of Montauk avenue, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues, and west side of Milford street, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues, on Block 633, Lots Nos. 19, 20, 34 to 39, inclusive.

**MILLER AVENUE—FENCING VACANT LOT,** east side, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues. Area of assessment: East side of Miller avenue, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues, on Block 343, Lots Nos. 27 and 28.

##### TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD.

**STOCKHOLM STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS,** northwest side between Irving and Wyckoff avenues; **WYCKOFF AVENUE—FENCING,** southwest side, between DeKalb avenue and Stockholm street. Area of assessment: Northwest side of Stockholm street, between Knickerbocker and Irving avenues, on Block 69, Lots Nos. 36 to 45, inclusive.

**SCHAEFFER STREET—FENCING VACANT LOT,** northwest side, between Central and Hamburg avenues. Area of assessment: Northwest side of Schaeffer street, between Central and Hamburg avenues, on Block 186, Lot No. 81.

**PALMETTO STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS,** northwest side, between Knickerbocker and Irving avenues; **KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE—FENCING,** northeast side, between Gates avenue and Palmetto street. Area of assessment: Northwest side of Palmetto street, between Knickerbocker and Irving avenues; and northeast side of Knickerbocker avenue, between Gates avenue and Palmetto street, on Block 81, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 35, 36, 37, 46, 51, 52 and 61.

**MADISON STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS,** southeast side, between Central and Hamburg avenues; **CENTRAL AVENUE—FENCING,** northeast side, between Madison street and Putnam avenue. Area of assessment: Southeast side of Madison street, between Central and Hamburg avenues, and northeast side of Central avenue, between Madison street and Putnam avenue, on Block 53, Lots Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9 and 9A.

**RIDGEWOOD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** southwest side, between Woodbine and Palmetto streets. Area of assessment: Southwest side of Ridgewood avenue, between Woodbine and Palmetto streets, on Block 96, Lots Nos. 19 to 22 inclusive.

**MADISON STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** northwest side, between Irving and Ridgewood avenues; **RIDGEWOOD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** southwest side, between Madison and Woodbine streets; **WOODBINE STREET—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** southeast side, between Irving and Ridgewood avenues; and **IRVING AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** northeast side, between Madison and Woodbine streets. Area of assessment: Northwest side of Madison street and southeast side of Woodbine street, between Irving and Ridgewood avenues; and southwest side of Ridgewood avenue and northeast side of Irving avenue, between Madison and Woodbine streets, on Block 97, Lots Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 30 to 38 inclusive.

##### THIRTIETH WARD.

**FIFTH AVENUE—FENCING VACANT LOT,** west side, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets. Area of assessment: West side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, on Block 90, Lots Nos. 2 and 3.

**THIRD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** west side, between Bay Ridge avenue and Silliman place. Area of assessment: West side of Third avenue, between Bay Ridge avenue and Silliman place, on Block 963, Lots Nos. 14 and 22.

**THIRD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** west side, between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets. Area of assessment: West side of Third avenue, between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets, on Block 965, Lots Nos. 12 and 13.

**THIRD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK,** west side, between Silliman place and Seventy-first street. Area of assessment: West side of Third avenue, between Silliman place and Seventy-first street, on Block 964, Lots Nos. 5 and 6.

**THIRD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** west side, between Sixty-eighth street and Bay Ridge avenue. Area of assessment: west side of Third avenue, between Sixty-eighth street and Bay Ridge avenue, on Block 962, Lot No. 2.

**THIRD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK,** west side, between Wakeman place and Sixty-seventh street. Area of assessment: West side of Third avenue, between Wakeman place and Sixty-seventh street, on Block 950, Lots Nos. 1, 2, and 60.

**THIRD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** west side, between Sixty-sixth street and Wakeman place. Area of assessment: West side of Third avenue, between Sixty-sixth street and Wakeman place, on Block 958, Lot No. 21.

**THIRD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK,** west side, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets. Area of assessment: West side of Third avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth street, on Block 957, Lots Nos. 1, 3 and 4.

**THIRD AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** west side, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets. Area of assessment: West side of Third avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, on Block 956, Lot No. 1.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 5, 1904, and entered on April 6, 1904, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes 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 the Greater New York Charter.

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 June 6, 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, April 6, 1904.

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#### INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE ON MAY 1, 1904, on the Registered Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 39).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from April 15 to May 1, 1904.

The interest due on May 1, 1904, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on May 1, 1904, on coupon bonds of other corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 3, 1904.

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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 on 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 0 0
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.

#### PROPOSALS FOR \$37,000,000 OF THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. BONDS AND STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

EXEMPT FROM ALL TAXATION IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, EXCEPT TAXATION FOR STATE PURPOSES.

EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED BY SECTION 9 OF ARTICLE 1 OF CHAPTER 417 OF THE LAWS OF 1897, AS AMENDED, TO INVEST IN THESE BONDS AND STOCK.



SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until

TUESDAY, THE 3D DAY OF MAY, 1904,

at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following-described Registered or Coupon Bonds and Stock of The City of New York, bearing interest at the rate of three and one-half per cent. per annum, from and including the date of payment therefor, to wit:

AMOUNT.	TITLE.	AUTHORITY.	PRINCIPAL PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY ON	AMOUNT.	TITLE.	AUTHORITY.	PRINCIPAL PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY ON
\$4,700,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad .....	Authorized by chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, as amended; sections 45, 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended; chapter 7 of the Laws of 1900; and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted March 1, 1900, September 12, 1902, January 16, May 29, July 29 and August 18, 1903, and February 5, 1904.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	\$350,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for Constructing a Bridge over Newtown Creek, from Manhattan Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Vernon Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, and the approaches thereto .....	Authorized by sections 48 and 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted March 17, 1899, and an Ordinance of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor May 14, 1901.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
2,650,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Uses and Purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries.....	Authorized by sections 169 and 180 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 1, 1903, and April 15, 1904.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	3,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Repaving of Streets .....	Authorized by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted February 20, 1903, June 5, 1903, and March 31, 1904.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
500,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Uses and Purposes of the Department of Docks and Ferries.....	Authorized by sections 47, 169 and 180 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 1, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor August 26, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	150,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Repaving of Streets .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted February 20, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor April 13, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
2,500,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for School Houses and Sites therefor.....	Authorized by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted April 11, 1902, and July 29, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	50,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction and Installation of a New Heating and Lighting Plant for the American Museum of Natural History, in the Borough of Manhattan .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted June 6, 1902, and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor July 30, and August 6, 1902.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
3,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for School Houses and Sites therefor.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted November 7, 1902, and February 20, 1903, and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor December 2, 1902, and March 30, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	50,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Completion of the Construction of the Unfinished Portions of the Building of the American Museum of Natural History, in the Borough of Manhattan.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted May 1, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor, June 22, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
3,700,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the New East River Bridge.....	Authorized by chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, as amended; sections 169 and 180 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended; resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted May 1, 1900, July 1, 1903, and April 15, 1904, and an Ordinance of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor November 7, 1900.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	1,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction of the Easterly Wing of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 1, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor August 26, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
500,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for a Bridge over the East River, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 25, 1902, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor October 27, 1902.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	50,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction of a New Bellevue Hospital .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted February 27, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor March 30, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
450,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for a Bridge over the East River, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens ..	Authorized by sections 48 and 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted March 29, 1901, and an Ordinance of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor May 21, 1901.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	200,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction of the New Harlem Hospital .....	Authorized by sections 48 and 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted October 15, 1901, and an Ordinance of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor December 4, 1901.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
300,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for a Bridge over the East River, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens ..	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 25, 1902, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor October 27, 1902.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for Completing the Construction of Gouverneur Hospital, in the Borough of Manhattan.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted October 8, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor November 18, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
200,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for Acquiring Land for the Approaches to the Bridge over the Harlem River, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth Street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street.....	Authorized by chapter 586 of the Laws of 1895; sections 169 and 170 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted December 4, 1903, and April 15, 1904.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	50,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for a New Fordham Hospital, in the Borough of The Bronx.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted January 8, 1904, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor January 20, 1904.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
150,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction of the Approach to the Bridge over the Harlem River at Willis Avenue, from the Southern Boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 22, 1903, and February 19, 1904, and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor September 14, 1903, and April 8, 1904.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction and Equipment of the Borough Building in the Borough of Richmond .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted May 23, 1902, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor June 30, 1902.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Payment of Awards for Damages for the Change of Grade of Streets and Avenues approaching the Bridge over the Harlem River at Third Avenue.....	Authorized by chapter 413 of the Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 540 of the Laws of 1894; chapter 716 of the Laws of 1896; chapter 660 of the Laws of 1897; sections 169 and 170 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted April 15, 1904.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction and Equipment of Public Comfort Stations in the Borough of Manhattan .....	Authorized by section 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted March 27, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor April 27, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction of a Bridge across the Harlem River, from Two Hundred and Seventh Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, to One Hundred and Eighty-fourth Street, in the Borough of The Bronx.....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 29, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor August 26, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	200,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for New Buildings, etc., for the Department of Public Charities .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 1, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor July 20, 1903.....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.



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\$200,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for New Buildings, etc., for the Department of Health .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted June 6, 1902, and February 20, 1903, and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor July 2, 1902, and April 6, 1903 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	\$100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives in The City of New York .....	Authorized by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted June 20, 1902, and April 15, 1904 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
700,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York for a New Hall of Records .....	Authorized by chapters 59 and 793 of the Laws of 1897; sections 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted February 1, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Municipal Assembly, approved by the Mayor April 3, 1901 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	1,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Payment of Assessments Imposed upon the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, prior to January 1, 1898, and upon The City of New York, subsequent to January 1, 1898 .....	Authorized by section 139 of The New York City Consolidation Act of 1882; sections 169, 170 and 176 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted April 15, 1904 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
250,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York for Fire Department purposes .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 1, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor August 12, 1903 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	200,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for Police Department Purposes .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 29, 1903, and January 15, 1904, and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor September 14, 1903, and February 3, 1904 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Improvement of the Botanical Garden and the Equipment of the Botanical Museum and Herbarium in Bronx Park .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted April 18, 1902, and July 1, 1903, and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor June 10, 1902, and August 26, 1903 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	250,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for Armories and Sites Therefor .....	Authorized by Chapter 212 of the Laws of 1898; section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and resolutions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted August 8 and December 10, 1900, February 25, April 1, July 27, August 10 and October 16, 1903 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Improvement of that portion of The Bronx Park allotted to and set apart for the New York Zoological Society .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted February 20 and July 1, 1903, and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor April 13 and August 26, 1903 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	1,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the New Aqueduct ..	Authorized by chapter 490 of the Laws of 1881; sections 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended, and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted December 29, 1903, and April 15, 1904 .....	April 1, 1954	April 1 and October 1.
250,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for Acquiring Sites for the Carnegie Libraries .....	Authorized by chapter 580 of the Laws of 1901; section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted April 15, 1904 ..	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	5,000,000 00	Assessment Bonds of The City of New York	Authorized by sections 181 and 184 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted April 15, 1904 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.
100,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Improvement of Atlantic Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn .....	Authorized by chapter 490 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 452 of the Laws of 1902; sections 169 and 170 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 22, 1903 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	<p>The said bonds and stock are free and exempt from all taxation in the State of New York, except taxation for State purposes, pursuant to the provisions of section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.</p> <p><i>The principal of and interest on said bonds and stock are payable in gold coin of the United States of America, of the present standard of weight and fineness, pursuant to resolutions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted June 9, 1893, and April 18, 1904.</i></p> <p>CONDITIONS OF SALE.</p> <p>As provided for by the Greater New York Charter.</p> <p>1. Proposals containing conditions other than those herein set forth will not be received or considered.</p> <p>2. No proposal for stock shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same.</p> <p>3. Every bidder, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of his proposal, shall deposit with the Comptroller in money, or by a certified check drawn to the order of said Comptroller upon a solvent banking corporation, two per cent. of the par value of the stocks or bonds bid for in said proposal.</p> <p>No proposal will be received or considered which is not accompanied by such deposit.</p> <p>All such deposits shall be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the decision has been rendered as to who is or are the highest bidder or bidders, except the deposit made by the highest bidder or bidders.</p> <p>4. If said highest bidder or bidders shall refuse or neglect, within five days after service of written notice of the award to him or them, to pay to the City Chamberlain the amount of the stocks or bonds awarded to him or them at their par value, together with the premium thereon, less the amount deposited by him or them, the amount or amounts of deposit thus made shall be forfeited to and retained by said City as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall thereafter be paid into the Sinking Fund of The City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt.</p> <p>5. Upon the payment into the City Treasury by the persons whose bids are accepted of the amounts due for the stock or bonds awarded to them, respectively, certificates thereof shall be issued to them in such denominations as provided for by the Charter as they may desire.</p> <p>6. It is required by the Charter of the City that "every bidder may be required to accept a portion of the whole amount of stock bid for by him at the same rate or proportional price as may be specified in his bid; and any bid which conflicts with this condition shall be rejected," provided, however, that any bidder offering to purchase all or any part of the bonds offered for sale at a price at par or higher may also offer to purchase all or none of said bonds at a different price, and if the Comptroller deems it to be in the interests of the City so to do, he may award the bonds to the bidder offering the highest price for all or none of said bonds; provided, however, that if the Comptroller deems it to be in the interests of the City so to do, he may reject all bids." Under this provision, the condition that the bidder will accept only the whole amount of bonds or stock bid for by him, and not any part thereof, cannot be inserted in any bids, except those for "all or none" offered by bidders who have also bid for "all or any part" of the stock or bonds offered for sale.</p> <p>7. It is also provided by the Charter that these bonds, if issued in registered form, may be issued in denominations of ten dollars or any multiple thereof; and that "preference shall so far as practicable, and without pecuniary disadvantage to the City, be given to applicants for the smallest amounts and smallest denominations of said bonds in issuing the same."</p> <p>8. The proposals, together with the security deposits, should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Bonds of The City of New York," and said envelope inclosed in another sealed envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of The City of New York.</p> <p>THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 19, 1904.</p> <p>EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.</p> <p>a20,m3</p>				
738,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Extension of Riverside Drive to the Boulevard Lafayette .....	Authorized by chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897; sections 169 and 170 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 1, 1903 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.					
600,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for Replenishing the Fund for Street and Park Openings .....	Authorized by sections 169 and 174 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted September 2, October 8 and December 11, 1903, and April 15, 1904 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	<p><b>PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.</b></p> <p><b>NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.</b></p> <p><b>GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.</b></p> <p>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.</p> <p>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 the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.</p> <p>Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the</p>				
350,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for Interior Public Baths .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted October 13, 1902, and February 27 and July 1, 1903, and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor October 21, 1902, and April 27 and July 14, 1903 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.					
1,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, To Provide for an Additional Supply of Water .....	Authorized by sections 169 and 178 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted December 19, 1902, February 20, 1903, and March 31, 1904 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.	<p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>The contract must be bid for separately.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.</p> <p>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</p>				
500,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, To Provide for an Additional Supply of Water .....	Authorized by sections 47, 169 and 178 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted May 8, 1903, and an Ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor June 22, 1903 .....	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.					
650,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives in The City of New York .....	Authorized by sections 47 and 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted June 5, July 1, and October 8, 1903, as amended November 13, 1903, and Ordinances of the Board of Aldermen, approved by the Mayor June 22, August 12, and November 24, 1903 ..	May 1, 1954	May 1 and November 1.					