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MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COUNCIL.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, December 31, 1901,
2 o'clock P. M.

The Council met in Room 16, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Randolph Guggenheimer, President.

COUNCILMEN

John T. Oakley, Vice-Chairman,	Eugene A. Wise,	Conrad H. Hester,
Thomas F. Foley,	Stewart M. Brice,	Adam H. Leich,
Martin Engel,	James Owens,	Henry French,
Frank J. Goodwin,	William J. Hyland,	Charles H. Ebbets,
Patrick J. Ryder,	Adolph C. Hottenroth,	William A. Doyle,
Harry C. Hart,	Bernard C. Murray,	Martin F. Conly,
George B. Christman,	Charles H. Francisco,	Joseph Cassidy,
	Francis F. Williams,	Benjamin J. Bodine.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and, on motion of Councilman Wise, were approved as read.

COMMUNICATIONS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 1, 1902.

The following message from his Honor the Mayor was filed in the office of the City Clerk on January 1, 1902:

No. 977.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
January 1, 1902.

To the Honorable the Council and Board of Aldermen:

I return herewith, without my approval, an Ordinance adopted by the Council on September 18, 1900, and by the Board of Aldermen on December 26, 1901, entitled "An Ordinance to lay out new streets in the First Ward, Borough of Queens."

My objections to this ordinance are that it makes too many radical changes from the present map by closing many existing streets, by opening many new streets, and the creation of new parks.

10.45 A. M.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was recommitted on September 25, 1901, the annexed report of the Council and ordinance in favor of laying out new streets, etc., First Ward, Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be concurred in.
JAMES J. BRIDGES, MOSES J. WAFER, LOUIS F. CARDANI, JEREMIAH CRONIN, JOSEPH E. WELLING, THOMAS F. MCCAUL, CHARLES METZGER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on September 25, 1900 (Minutes, page 608), the annexed ordinance and report of the Council in favor of laying out new streets, First Ward, Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be concurred in.
JAMES J. BRIDGES, JOSEPH E. WELLING, JEREMIAH CRONIN, MOSES J. WAFER, THOMAS F. MCCAUL, CHARLES METZGER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out new streets, avenues, etc., in the First Ward, Borough of Queens (page 482, Minutes, May 29, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay out new streets in the First Ward, Borough of Queens.
Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:
That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 23d day of May, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out new streets, avenues, parks and public places, as shown on a proposed map or plan showing the street system in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, formerly Long Island City, as modified and proposed by the said Board, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out the aforesaid streets, avenues, parks and public places as shown on said proposed map or plan.

JOHN J. MURPHY, MARTIN ENGEL, HERMAN SULZER, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 23d of May, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out new streets, avenues, parks and public places, as shown on a proposed map or plan showing the street system in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, formerly Long Island City, as modified and proposed by said Board.

This said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements and on the report and recommendation of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

I inclose a list and description of protests, numbered 1 to 22, presented at the several public hearings given by this Board in the matter, all of which I transmit to you accompanied herewith.

Should, however, the resolution adopted by this Board receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 23d day of May, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 8th day of November, 1899, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out new streets, avenues, parks and public places, as shown on a proposed map or plan, showing the street system in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, formerly Long Island City, as modified and proposed by this Board, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 29th day of November, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed laying out would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 29th day of November, 1899; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 29th day of November, 1899; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out who have appeared, and such proposed laying out was duly considered by this Board, as well as at other times; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out new streets, avenues, parks and public places, as shown on a proposed map or plan showing the street system in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, formerly Long Island City, as modified and proposed by said Board, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out the aforesaid streets, avenues, parks and public places as shown on said proposed map or plan.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out new streets in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

List and description of Protests presented to the Board of Public Improvements against the proposed change of the Map or Plan of the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, numbered 1 to 22.

No. 1. George E. Clay:

1st. Park place, request to extend south of Hoyt avenue to conform with "Map of Property of Rudolph Horak," and to lay out Flushing avenue, beginning 300 feet north of Hoyt avenue (50 feet wide), extending from Park place to Lawrence street.

2d. Suggests to lay out public park bounded by Vernon avenue to East avenue, and Tenth to Eleventh or Van Alst avenue to East avenue and Ninth to Tenth streets.

3d. Suggests the closing of Governor place, between Fourteenth street and Harris avenue, and a public place be made bounded by Fourteenth street to Harris avenue and Van Alst avenue to Ely street.

4th. Suggests that parks from Vernon avenue to Van Alst avenue and Harris avenue to Jane street be abolished.

5th. Suggests that small park be laid out in vicinity of Thomson avenue and Hulst street, Webster avenue and Boulevard, Rapelje and Graham avenues, Steuben and DeVenter; Woolsey and Lawrence, and Walcott and Theodore.

No. 2. Christian Weber and seventeen others, protesting against the new lay-out of streets that will in any way affect their property.

No. 3. Mathias Ohnemus, against the closing of Park place, as his property would not have a frontage if same were closed.

No. 4. Astoria Heights Land Company, protesting against widening of Grand avenue.

No. 5. Charles Benner, asking that the new lay-out conform to the lay-out of Ravenswood Park.

No. 6. Frederick Bowley, President of Queens, asking that blocks north and south of Court-house be made public parks.

No. 7. Henry C. Johnson, Jr., suggests extending Chauncey street, from Hoyt to Flushing.

No. 8. George E. Clay, suggests the extending of Bodine street, from Sherman to Van Alst avenue.

No. 9. A. Borgendoefer protests against the proposed new street from Newtown avenue to Laurel Hill avenue, as said street would run through church of Evangelical Lutheran Trinity Church at Pomeroy street and Jamaica avenue.

No. 10. William W. Wright and others want park between Harris and Rogers, Vernon and Van Alst avenues increased to take in land between Rogers and Freeman avenues and the Boulevard and Van Alst avenue.

No. 11. New Amsterdam Gas Company protests against widening of Vernon avenue, between Webster and Freeman avenues.

No. 12. The Taxpayers' Association, First Ward, Theo. Diehl, protests against the adoption of new map, as same would affect sale of property.

No. 13. Putney & Bishop, for Mrs. Trowbridge, against park along Shore road at Astoria.

No. 14. Patrick Ward, against widening and straightening of Vernon avenue.

No. 15. Foster & Foster, for Steinway & Son, wants Blackwell street, north of Winthrop avenue, taken off map.

No. 16. Benner & Benner, for eight property-owners, against park between Boulevard and bulkhead-line and from Wardell street to East river.

No. 17. New York Land and Warehouse Company, against taking of land on both sides of streets; against laying out of streets on both sides of Long Island Railroad.

No. 18. John Anderson Leach:

a. Relative to shifting lines of Wilson avenue.

b. Petitions signed by 615 and 810 property-owners; also resolution of Local Board, asking that streets be wiped out on Woolsey property.

c. Resolution Borough of Queens Local Board relative to streets near Calvary Cemetery.

d. President of Queens relative to the present low level of bridge over Newtown creek.

e. Protest of Joseph Wild & Co. widening Ridge street.

f. Protests of George Karhman relative to Rapelje and Woolsey.

No. 19. O. W. Kellogg, attorneys, against altering map of Front street, between Borden and Third avenues, including Miller's Hotel.

No. 20. John S. Wright and others, requesting laying out of park at Rogers, Freeman and Van Alst avenues and the Boulevard.

No. 21. John A. Murray protests that proposed plan will injure the property known as "Miller's Hotel."

No. 22. Protest signed by over thirty property-owners that proposed plan will injure their property.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen:

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, CLERK,
CITY HALL, December 27, 1901.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—I transmit herewith a document adopted in Board of Aldermen at the stated meeting held Tuesday, December 24, 1901, as scheduled below.

Int. No. 3931.

Respectfully,

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was ordered on file.

The communications were as follows:

No. 1833.

Resolved, That George E. Morrison of No. 513 Twelfth street, Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Engel, Foley, Francisco, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Leich, Owens, Williams, Wise, and the President—18.

No. 1834.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Joseph's Union to place a transparency on the lamp-post at the northwest corner of Eighty-seventh street and First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until February 28, 1901. Which was adopted.

No. 1835.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons, whose applications for stands have been indorsed by the Alderman of the district in which they are to be located, to erect, keep and maintain stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruit and soda water and for bootblacking purposes, within the stoop-line, at the locations set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided:

By Alderman Gledhill—

Fruit Stand—Guiseppe Campo, No. 568 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Metzger—

Bootblack Stand—Louis Brenner, No. 362 West Forty-second street, Manhattan; John J. O'Connell, southeast corner Thirty-fourth street and Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

Which was adopted.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, CLERK,
CITY HALL, December 27, 1901.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—I transmit herewith the documents adopted in Board of Aldermen at the special meeting held Thursday, December 26, 1901, as scheduled below:

Int. Nos. 2600, 3973, 3974, 3975.

Respectfully,

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1836.

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred on April 16, 1901 (Minutes, page), the annexed resolution in favor of canceling assessment, erroneously laid, for flagging sidewalks in front of No. 170 Elton street, Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted. Resolved, That the assessment, erroneously laid, the details of which are more particularly set forth in the several papers hereto attached, for flagging the sidewalk in front of the property of Mrs. Susan J. Jones, No. 170 Elton street, and known as Lot No. 10, Block 318, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, be and the same is hereby canceled and vacated, and the Board of Assessors is hereby authorized to transfer the assessment against Lot No. 10 to Lot No. 8, and add the same to the assessment already laid against said Lot No. 8.

GEORGE A. BURRELL, OWEN J. MURPHY, JACOB J. VELTEN, ARMITAGE MATHEWS, Committee on Law.

Which was laid over.

No. 1837.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Rafter to drive an advertising wagon through the streets, avenues and thoroughfares of the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only until April 1, 1902. Which was adopted.

No. 1838.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be and the same is hereby set aside and directed to be spent by the City Clerk for a band of music on the occasion of the inauguration of the Hon. Seth Low as Mayor, on Wednesday, January 1, 1902; the said expense to be charged to the appropriation for City Contingencies, 1901.

Which was laid over.

No. 1839.

Resolved, That Archibald E. Conklin, of the Fourth Ward, in the Borough of Queens, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hyland, Leich, Owens, Williams, Wise, and the President—17.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, CLERK,
CITY HALL, December 28, 1901.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—I transmit herewith the documents adopted by the Board of Aldermen at the adjourned meeting held Friday, December 27, 1901, as scheduled below:

Int. Nos. 2024, 3856, 3934, 3979, 3980.

Respectfully,

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1840.

The Committee on Docks and Ferries, to whom was referred on January 8, 1901 (Minutes, page), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing Commissioners of Docks and Ferries to purchase settees for recreation piers, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the Commissioners of Docks and Ferries be and they hereby are authorized to purchase three hundred settees for use on the recreation piers at a cost not to exceed five dollars and thirty-five cents, and in the aggregate amounting to one thousand six hundred and five dollars.

JAMES E. GAFFNEY, CHARLES W. CULKIN, LUKE OTTEN, STEPHEN W. McKEEVER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JEREMIAH CRONIN, Committee on Docks and Ferries.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Leich, Murray, Owens, Ryder, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

No. 1841.

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of permitting Frederick Loeser & Co. to construct and maintain a tunnel, Livingston street, Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. Frederick Loeser & Co. and their successors to construct and maintain a tunnel under Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, to connect their store building on the northerly side of Livingston street with their lands on the southerly side of Livingston street, the tunnel to be fifteen feet in width, and its westerly line to be coincident with the easterly line of Fulton place, so called.

Messrs. Frederick Loeser & Co. shall pay to The City of New York such amount as may be fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as compensation and equivalent for the leave granted to open Livingston street.

Messrs. Frederick Loeser & Co. shall stipulate, in writing, with the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, or the Commissioner appointed by him to have charge of the highways of the Borough of Brooklyn, before the permit to open Livingston street is granted, to save The City of New York harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of constructing the tunnel. The work shall be done at the expense of Messrs. Frederick Loeser & Co., under the direction and to the satisfaction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, or the Commissioner appointed by him to have charge of the highways in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Messrs. Frederick Loeser & Co. shall replace any water-mains if the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall so direct, and shall reconstruct the sewer in Livingston street, if the Commissioner in charge thereof shall so direct, and shall replace and reconstruct any and everything else in the street which they may be ordered to replace and reconstruct by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, or any Commissioner by him appointed, and the work of replacement and reconstruction shall be done under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the proper city authorities.

This permit shall continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, BERNARD SCHMITT, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1842.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of Samuel E. Warren for eighty-five dollars (\$85), the same to be in payment of the annexed bill for engrossing resolutions on the death of Hon. Patrick J. Gleason, ex-Mayor of Long Island City, which were adopted by the Board of Aldermen May 21, 1901, by the Council May 28, 1901, and approved by his Honor the Mayor June 5, 1901.

NEW YORK, December 17, 1901.

To HONORABLE BOARD OF COUNCILMEN,

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

To SAMUEL E. WARREN, Dr.

To engrossing and framing resolutions on death of Patrick J. Gleason, ex-Mayor of Long Island City.

\$85 00

Received Payment.

Which was laid over.

No. 1843.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. and M. d'Entressangle to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 110 West Seventeenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the lamp be kept lighted during the same hours as the public lamps, and that the said lamp-post and lamp shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; and that neither said post nor lamp shall be used for advertising purposes, the work to be done and gas supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1844.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Waller to place, erect and keep a booth for the sale of refreshments at No. 98 west—northeast corner of Cedar street, within the stoop-line, the dimensions of said booth not to exceed those prescribed for soda-water stands, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
MICHAEL F. BLAKE, CLERK,
CITY HALL, December 31, 1901.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

SIR—I transmit herewith the documents adopted by the Board of Aldermen at the special meeting held Monday, December 30, 1901, as scheduled below.

Int. Nos. 3984, 3985, 3986, 3989.

Respectfully,

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1845.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mathew Guerin to move a barn from the southwest corner of East Nineteenth street and Avenue K to the west side of Locust avenue one hundred feet from Liberty street, all in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1846.

Resolved, That the resolution granting permission to Frederick Gerken to lay pipes across the carriage-way of Chambers street, Borough of Manhattan, which was adopted by the Council December 10, 1901, concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on the same date, and which was received from his Honor the Mayor December 24, 1901, without his approval or objections thereto, be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom the figures "143" where the same appear and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "141," and that the diagram thereto attached be amended by striking therefrom the figures "141" and "143" where the same appear, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "139" and "141."

Which was adopted.

No. 1847.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at meeting held December 26, 1901 adopted the following resolution:

Whereas, Andrew Carnegie, of The City of New York, has heretofore offered to furnish the funds necessary for the erection of buildings for sixty-five free branch libraries for circulation in The City of New York, estimated in all to cost the sum of five million two hundred thousand dollars (\$5,200,000), being an average cost of eighty thousand dollars (\$80,000) each, provided The City of New York would furnish the necessary sites for such buildings and agree in satisfactory form to provide for the maintenance of said branches when completed; and

Whereas, By an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, approved April 26, 1901, entitled "An Act to authorize and empower The City of New York to establish and maintain a free public library system," being chapter 580 of the Laws of 1901, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is authorized in its discretion to acquire title by gift, condemnation or purchase to sites for free branch public libraries for circulation, with the approval of the person or corporation with whom the contract is made, for the erection of buildings thereon; and

Whereas, In the judgment of the members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, it was the unanimous resolve that the City take advantage of the offer of Andrew Carnegie upon the terms provided in said act of the Legislature; and

Whereas, The said parties having consummated agreements whereby the said City of New York availed itself of the magnificent philanthropy of said Andrew Carnegie; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in the name of the citizens of The City of New York, does hereby extend to Mr. Andrew Carnegie the sincere thanks of the municipality, and commends his action as an important event in the progress of civilization and education in our city, which will mark an epoch in the enlightenment of our citizens and offer much-needed opportunities for the higher education of the youth of the city; and be it also

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Board, and the Secretary be instructed to forward a copy, with the approval of the Municipal Assembly, to Mr. Carnegie.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby approves of said resolution.

Which was adopted.

No. 1848.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas F. Delaney to erect, place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad, on the southeast corner of Third avenue and Fourteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, provided said stand shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of the ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the elevated railroad stairs, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

No. 1849.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Smith to lay tracks on East avenue, from his premises on said avenue five hundred feet north of A street, proceeding northwesterly fifteen hundred feet to the bulkhead-line of the Wallabout Market, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the said tracks to be used solely for the purpose of facilitating the movement of merchandise of the said Charles Smith, in cars over said tracks; provided that all persons in front of whose premises tracks are to be laid shall previously have given consent thereto; and provided further, that the tracks to be laid shall be of a pattern approved by the Commissioner of Highways and to be laid and maintained flush with the surface of said street, so as not to interfere with the free use thereof by the public; all the work of laying the tracks, paving between the tracks and two feet outside the rails of the same and maintaining the said pavement in good order to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Highways, to be done at the expense of the said Charles Smith, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

PETITIONS.

No. 1850.

HOUSE AND REAL ESTATE OWNERS' ASSOCIATION
OF THE TWELFTH AND NINETEENTH WARDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
CHARTERED JUNE 22, 1889,
NEW YORK, December, 1901.

To the Honorable Board of Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—At the last regular meeting of the above-named association I was directed to transmit to you a copy of certain resolutions, regularly passed at said meeting, which copy permit me herewith to inclose. I trust that the same will receive due and favorable consideration on your part.

Very respectfully,

V. S. FRANK, President,

HOUSE AND REAL ESTATE OWNERS' ASSOCIATION OF THE TWELFTH AND NINETEENTH WARDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

At the last regular meeting of the above-named association, held on Thursday, December 6, 1901, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Certain railroads have applied to The City of New York, for franchises to maintain and operate surface railroads in The City of New York, either independently or as a branch or connection of existing lines of railroads; and

Whereas, The operation of a street railroad necessitates the almost exclusive use of the centre of the roadbed thereby diverting the traffic of wagons and other vehicles upon the portions of said street between the tracks and the curbs and subjecting such portions of the street to unusual and heavy traffic; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this association respectfully petition the Honorable Mayor, the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Honorable Municipal Assembly of The City of New York to require as a condition to the granting of all franchises to railroad companies to use the streets of this city, that such railroad company or companies obligate itself or themselves to repair and keep in good condition and repair, at its or their own cost and expense, the streets upon which said railroad shall be operated from curb to curb, and that upon failure to comply with such condition a suitable penalty be imposed; and it is further

Resolved, That the President of this association cause a copy of these resolutions to be transmitted to his Honor the Mayor of The City of New York, to the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment and to the Honorable Municipal Assembly of The City of New York.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1851.

NEW YORK CITY, December 30, 1901.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGGENHEIMER, President of the Council, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I hereby respectfully tender my resignation as Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms of the Council, to take effect immediately.

Very respectfully yours,

WILLIAM J. BOWEN, No. 212 Avenue C.

Which was accepted and placed on file.

PROPOSED ORDINANCES AND LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1852.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Resolved, That James J. Dooley, of No. 221 First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms of the Council in place of William J. Bowen, resigned.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hyland, Leich, Murray, Owens, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

Councilman Conly asked unanimous consent to proceed to the order of special orders.

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

No. 1751.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 3, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on November 27 providing for the setting and resetting of the curb along Meserole street, from Bushwick avenue to Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, so as to conform with the new width of the sidewalk, and also providing for paving the space added to the roadway.

I also inclose copy of resolutions of the Local Board recommending the said improvement.

Respectfully,

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

AN ORDINANCE providing for the resetting of the curb along Meserole street, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 27th day of November, 1901, be and the same is hereby approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the resetting of the curbstones along Meserole street, between Bushwick avenue and Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, setting of new curb where necessary, so as to increase the width of the roadway of said street ten (10) inches on each side and reduce the width of the sidewalks ten (10) inches on each side, and the paving of the space added to the roadway with granite blocks on a sand foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four thousand nine hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and forty thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, June 11, 1901.

Board of Public Improvements.

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Seventh District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on June 7, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Seventh District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 7th day of June, 1900, and deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York that the following form of ordinance be approved and transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for consideration:

"AN ORDINANCE in relation to the width of the roadway and sidewalks of Meserole street, between Bushwick avenue and Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

"Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

"Section 1. The width of the roadway of Meserole street, between Bushwick avenue and Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby increased in width ten inches on each side and the sidewalks of said street are hereby reduced in width ten inches on each side.

"Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately."

The following resolution was also adopted:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Seventh District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 7th day of June, 1900, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that the curbstones along Meserole street, between Bushwick avenue and Union avenue, be reset or new curbs set where necessary, so as to increase the width of the roadway of said street ten inches on each side, and reduce the width of the sidewalks of said street ten inches on each side, and that the space added to the roadway be paved with granite blocks, and the cost of said work be assessed on the property benefited."

Inclosed is copy of petition.

The property-owners on Meserole street are very much inconvenienced owing to the fact that the street is not wide enough to permit a wagon to stand between the surface railway tracks and the curbs. I request, therefore, that the proceedings recommended in the above resolutions be progressed as rapidly as possible.

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

The President put the question whether the Council would agree to adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Bodine, Brice, Cassidy, Christman, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Engel, Foley, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hester, Hyland, Leich, Murray, Owens, Williams, Wise, and the President—22.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Department of Police:

No. 1853.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
TWENTY-FIRST PRECINCT,
NEW YORK, June 19, 1901.

MICHAEL C. MURPHY, Commissioner and Chief of Police:

SIR—In compliance with the communication received from your office dated the 15th instant, I hereby submit the following report, showing at what intersecting streets and avenues there are

street signs, and the character thereof, within this precinct; also at what points there are no such designations.

Respectfully,

JOHN DELANEY, Captain, Twenty-first Precinct.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Council the following communication from the Comptroller:

No. 1854.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
December 28, 1901.

To the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office:

Weekly statement showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 10, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, for carrying on the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's Office from January 1 to December 31, 1901, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances:

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$2,200 00	\$1,284 00	\$916 00
Contingencies—City Clerk.....	1,300 00	1,138 00	162 00
The Municipal Assembly and City Clerk—Salaries.....	196,552 00	193,276 58	3,275 42
Total.....	\$200,052 00	\$195,698 58	\$4,353 42

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of the Committee on Law Department—

No. 824.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, relative to peddlers and hawkers (page 1328, Minutes, May 21, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, FRANK J. GOODWIN, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, CHARLES H. EBBETS, Committee on Law Department.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of amending the ordinance relative to peddlers and hawkers in The City of New York, respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to amend the ordinance relative to peddlers and hawkers in The City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York as follows:

Section 1. Section 530 of the Revised Ordinances of 1897 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following words: "Sixth avenue, from Fourteenth to Twenty-third street; Sixth avenue, from Thirty-second to Thirty-sixth street; Broadway, from Thirty-second to Thirty-sixth street; Herald square and Thirty-fourth street, from Lexington to Seventh avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan."

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

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, MOSES J. WAFER, THOMAS F. MCCAUL, JEREMIAH CRONIN, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Vice-Chairman, Councilmen Brice, Conly, Doyle, Ebbets, Francisco, French, Goodwin, Hart, Hyland, Leich, Murray, Owens, Ryder, Sulzer, Williams, and the President—16.

Negative—Councilmen Engel and Wise—2.

No. 1604.

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of permitting Arbuckle Brothers to construct a tunnel under John street, Borough of Brooklyn (page 1010, Minutes, November 19, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. Arbuckle Brothers to construct and maintain a tunnel under John street, Brooklyn, to connect their factory on the northerly side of John street, between Jay and Adams streets, with their lands on the southerly side of John street, for the purpose of conducting steam, water, gas, electricity or any other substance, capable of transportation therein, under and across John street, as shown by the accompanying diagram.

Arbuckle Brothers shall pay to the City such amount as may be fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Arbuckle Brothers shall stipulate with the Highway Commissioner to save The City of New York harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned by the exercise of the privilege hereby given during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of constructing said conduit or tunnel. The work shall be done at the expense of Messrs. Arbuckle Brothers, under the direction of and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Highways.

Arbuckle Brothers shall replace any water-mains if the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supplies shall so direct, and shall reconstruct the sewer at John street, if the Commissioner of the Department of Sewers shall so direct, and the work of replacement and reconstruction shall be done at the supervision and to the satisfaction of the said Commissioners.

MARTIN F. CONLY, WILLIAM J. HYLAND, JOSEPH CASSIDY, STEWART M. BRICE, ADAM H. LEICH, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

Which was adopted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1855.

By Councilman Goodwin—

Resolved, That a Committee of three members of the Council wait on his Honor the Mayor and inform him that the Council is about to adjourn sine die, and ask his Honor if he has any further communications with which to favor the Council.

Which was adopted.

The President appointed as such Committee Councilmen Goodwin, Brice and Leich.

No. 1856.

By Councilman Goodwin—

Whereas, At the inaugural meeting of the Council held January 3, 1898, P. J. Scully was elected City Clerk, and by virtue of that office became Clerk of the Council; and

Whereas, During the four years which have since elapsed the said P. J. Scully has discharged the duties devolving upon his office with conspicuous ability and conscientiousness; and

Whereas, In his relations with the members of the Council and the public he has displayed invariable courtesy and has administered his official duties with a high degree of system and efficiency; and

Whereas, The Council has now practically come to an end and will, by operation of law, cease to exist at midnight, December 31, 1901; and

Whereas, The members of the Council wish to place on record, before their term of office expires, the high estimation in which they hold the public services rendered by the said P. J. Scully, in his capacity as Clerk of the Council and City Clerk; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Council hereby declares its appreciation of the distinguished ability and zeal with which the said P. J. Scully has performed the duties of the office to which he was elected on the said 3d day of January, 1898; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed and duly authenticated by

the President of the Council, be presented to the said P. J. Scully as a token of the Council's recognition of his high character and courtesy as an official and a man.

Which was adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

No. 1857.

By Councilman Owens—

Resolved, That a Committee of three be appointed to wait on the Board of Aldermen to inform that body that the Council is about to adjourn sine die, and to inquire if the Board of Aldermen have any further communications to transmit to the Council.

Which was adopted.

The President appointed as such Committee Councilmen Owens, Foley and French.

The Vice-Chairman moved the suspension of the rules.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Murray moved that the Committee on Streets and Highways be discharged from further consideration of Resolution No. 1803.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Murray then called up

No. 1803.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. J. H. Hardy to erect a retaining-wall within the stoop-line in front of her premises, Summit Lodge, on Ogden avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Which was adopted.

SPECIAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Councilman Murray called up

No. 1362.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Board of Aldermen in favor of amending resolution permitting Ernest Wenigmann to regulate, grade, etc., Clay avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the Borough of The Bronx (page 770, Minutes, September 24, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the ordinance numbered 740, adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 4, 1901, and adopted by the Council on the same day, and received from his Honor the Mayor on June 18, 1901, without his approval or disapproval thereof, permitting Ernest Wenigmann to regulate, grade, curb and flag Clay avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, and to regulate and grade One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and curb and flag the north side thereof, from Webster avenue to Teller avenue, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ernest Wenigmann to regulate, grade, curb and flag Clay avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, and to regulate, grade, curb and flag One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Webster avenue to Teller avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOHN J. MURPHY, JAMES OWENS, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, HENRY FRENCH, Committee on Streets and Highways.

Which was adopted.

The Committee appointed to wait upon his Honor the Mayor reported that the Mayor had no further business for the consideration of the Council.

Which report was accepted and the Committee discharged with thanks.

The Committee appointed to wait upon the Board of Aldermen reported that the Board of Aldermen had no further business to submit to the Council.

Which report was accepted, and the Committee discharged with thanks.

At this point the President vacated the chair, which was assumed by the Vice-Chairman.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 1858.

By Councilman Leich—

The term for which the present Council was elected expires with the dying year. The clock strikes the hour of separation. We met as strangers. It is not too much to say we part as friends. If there have been differences among us—if hasty words have been spoken in debate—we believe they left no sting. The minority have had a fair and just consideration; their views and expressed opinions have often been received with favor.

We are men of different temperament, of different views, educated in different schools, and we have not always attempted to solve problems by the same rules, yet obtaining results have agreed.

It may not become us to speak of our work. It is now history. Others will judge, and by their verdict it must abide. We think we can say that we have striven to advance the interests of the second greatest city in the world. The paving and lighting of its streets, the adornment and extension of its parks, the health of its inhabitants, the construction of bridges and rapid-transit tunnels, the provision for an abundant water supply, have each received our careful and thoughtful consideration. We have granted no franchises without securing for the City some moneyed consideration.

Of the twenty-nine members who sat together for the first time January 1, 1898, two are not, for they have joined that silent majority which has passed on before, and they now await our coming—Charles F. Allen and Herman Sulzer—modest and unassuming, faithful and diligent, died with their armor on in the discharge of public duty. They had the respect and confidence of every associate; both of them true to the interests of their constituents and loyal to the City and its administration. Each of us felt that he had lost a friend, and each carries in memory their kindly greetings.

This is not an hour of congratulation. We lay our armor down with regret that we have not done better work; our victories are not altogether such as we would have achieved; there are possibilities we have not touched. It is an hour, however, where the kindest feelings of our nature rule us; when the harshness and bitterness of conflict give place to the spirit of love and peace.

It is proper that we recognize that Divine Hand which has always been over us and whose guidance each should be willing to follow.

Over all our deliberations once and again has the same person been called to preside; he was chosen as President of the Council for the years 1898 to 1901 inclusive by the citizens of The City of New York. We all know with what patience and gentleness he has borne with our weaknesses; how much he has endured for our sakes. No one in debate has been rebuked, no one severely chided; some of us possibly have deserved it, for hasty words or quick temper; he has looked calmly on our strifes and contentions, and to apparently gathering storms spoken peace. He who ruleth his own and other spirits deserves the praise of his fellow men. We shall never forget President Guggenheimer. We shall not remember him as stern and stoical, not with a cloud of anger upon his face, but rather as a man of smiles, genial, urbane, generous, just and forgiving.

Every personality is said to be separate and distinguishable, and one declares his very nature in word and act. Thus he has revealed himself to us.

In coming years these characteristics will be as distinct in our memory as they are now to our perceptions.

May he ever live in the sunshine of prosperity, and receive from his fellow-citizens such distinguished honors as true worth, sterling integrity and lofty patriotism merit.

Each member of this Council in sympathy with the thought expressed in these written words, and as an evidence of the high esteem in which he holds

Hon. Randolph Guggenheimer, President of the Council, during the years 1898, 1899, 1900 and 1901, subscribe to the same by his hand.

And we further direct that the same be suitably engrossed and presented to our retiring President, as a mark of the esteem and confidence which we bear toward him at this hour of our separation.

Which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

A committee from the Board of Aldermen waited upon the Council with the information that the Board of Aldermen was about to adjourn.

Which report was received and the thanks of the Council were extended through the chair.

No. 1859.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Resolved, That all matters remaining in the calendar and in the hands of the various Standing and Special Committees be and they are hereby placed on file.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Wise moved that the Council do now adjourn sine die.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Vice-Chairman declared that the Council stood adjourned sine die.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, December 31, 1901, }
1 o'clock P. M. }

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Thomas F. Woods, President.

ALDERMEN

John T. McCall,
Vice-President,
Charles Alt,
James J. Bridges,
George A. Burrell,
Francis J. Byrne,
Louis F. Cardani,
John V. Coggey,
Jeremiah Cronin,
Charles W. Culkin,
William H. C. Delano,
John Diemer,
Frank L. Dowling,
Robert F. Downing,
Frederick F. Fleck,
Joseph A. Flinn,
James E. Gaffney,
Frank Gass,
Joseph Geiser,

William H. Gledhill,
Elias Goodman,
Frank Hennessy,
Peter Holler,
David M. Holmes,
William Keegan,
Patrick S. Keely,
Francis P. Kenney,
Michael Ledwith,
Isaac Marks,
Thomas F. McCaul,
Edward F. McEneaney,
Lawrence W. McGrath,
James H. McInnes,
John T. McMahon,
Charles Metzger,
Robert Muh,
Owen J. Murphy,
Emil Neufeld,

Joseph Oatman,
Luke Otten,
Herbert Parsons,
Max J. Porges,
Henry J. Rottmann,
Bernard Schmitt,
William F. Schneider, Jr.,
Ernest A. Seebeck, Jr.,
James J. Smith,
John J. Twomey,
John J. Vaughan, Jr.,
Jacob J. Velten,
Alexander F. Wacker,
Moses J. Wafer,
Joseph E. Welling,
William Wentz,
John Wirth,
Henry W. Wolf.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting held Tuesday, December 24, 1901.

Alderman Marks moved that a further reading of the minutes of the meeting held Tuesday, December 24, 1901, be dispensed with, and that they be approved as printed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the special meeting held Thursday, December 26, 1901.

Alderman Marks moved that a further reading of the minutes of the special meeting held Thursday, December 26, 1901, be dispensed with and that they be approved as printed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the special meeting held Friday, December 27, 1901.

Alderman Marks moved that a further reading of the minutes of the special meeting held Friday, December 27, 1901, be dispensed with and that they be approved as printed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the special meeting held Monday, December 30, 1901.

Alderman Marks moved that a further reading of the minutes of the special meeting held Monday, December 30, 1901, be dispensed with and that they be approved as printed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Jurors of Kings County:

No. 3990.

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
ROOM NO. 5, COURT-HOUSE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
NEW YORK, December 27, 1901.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the requirements of the Laws of the State of New York, (article 2, title 4, chapter 10,) chapter 48, I have the honor to submit the following report of the business of this Department, from August 30, 1900, to August 30, 1901, inclusive.

The Department of Taxes and Assessments of the City of New York, whose duty it is to furnish the names of persons for jury duty, residing within the city limits, have selected and returned for such duty a list of 6,000 names, which was transmitted to this Department July 1, 1900. The Commissioner of Jurors, according to chapter 1135, Laws of 1891, of the State of New York, selected 21,918 persons from the jury list of 1899, making a total, 27,918, the whole of which were transmitted to the Special Commissioner of Jurors. After an examination and correction by him, as to their qualification etc., he returned 15,993 persons as being eligible for jury duty for the years 1900 and 1901.

From this list, the Honorable Body, the Municipal Assembly, has selected and returned to me the names of 1,150 persons as being suitable for service as grand jurors.

During the year covered by this report, August 30, 1900, to August 30, 1901, there has been drawn from this list 12,025 trial jurors, all of whom have been duly summoned to attend the several courts, held in this county during the interval referred to above.

In accordance with Appendix VIII, section 1371 of the Charter, I have selected and returned to the Municipal Justices of the First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth District Courts of the Borough of Brooklyn, 100 jurors each, making a total of 500.

The number of jurors drawn, and the courts to which they were summoned, the number served, the number of persons fined, etc., is shown in the following statements:

For the Supreme Court of the State of New York there were drawn 6,800 trial jurors.

For the Kings County Court there were drawn 5,225 trial jurors and 490 grand jurors.

Grand total drawn 12,515.

By referring to the returns made to this Department by the clerks of the various courts, it will be seen, out of a total 12,025 persons drawn and summoned as trial jurors 9,379 served, 2,205 were excused by the Judges of the courts, 14 were legally exempt from jury duty, 134 were returned as having been fined for non-attendance, 293 were returned by the officers serving the jury notices as not to be found after diligent search and inquiry on the part of said jury notice servers.

Of the 490 grand jurors drawn, 249 served, 194 were excused by the court, 10 were exempt, 4 were fined and 33 were returned by the officers serving the jury notices as not to be found.

I will also state that by the official returns of the several courts, as will be seen upon examination, I have received the names of 138 delinquents, who were fined, of which the Honorable Board of Judges has examined 20 cases, of which 16 were remitted, 4 could not be found and 118 cases are awaiting the action of the Board of Judges.

At the date of my last report from this Department, there were remaining for final action of the Board of Judges seven cases, all of which remain unsettled, as no action was taken by the Board of Judges.

The excuses and answers offered for remissions of the fines, and the cause of such remissions, are stated and placed opposite the names of each person on the list herewith annexed.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. E. MELODY, Commissioner of Jurors, Kings County.

Supreme Court, October Term, 1900.

No.	NAME.	AMOUNT FINED.	CAUSE OF REMISSION.
1084	Harvey L. Sidley.....	\$100 00	Not found.
1153	Thomas M. Carlile.....	125 00	Erroneously fined.
1166	Frank J. Ferris.....	125 00	Absent from City and County.
1255	George P. Kaiser.....	125 00	" "
1204	Eugene T. Trotten.....	125 00	Erroneously fined.
1414	Reuben Farr.....	125 00	Not found.

Supreme Court, November Term, 1900.

758	Francis T. Kitzing.....	\$125 00	Absent from City and County.
759	John J. O'Brien.....	125 00	Physically incapable.
830	Philip Rafferty.....	125 00	Not found.

Supreme Court, December Term, 1900.

No.	NAME.	AMOUNT FINED.	CAUSE OF REMISSION.
3288	Cornelius Field	\$125 00	No action.
3426	Henry S. Parks.....	125 00	"

Supreme Court, January Term, 1901.

4327	Henry J. Schutte.....	\$125 00	No action.
4393	Simon Middle.....	125 00	"
4741	James W. Flinn	75 00	"
4795	Martin J. Gardner.....	100 00	"
4771	Albert Allen	75 00	"
3020	Andrew Vollricht.....	125 00	"

Supreme Court February Term, 1901.

5617	Albert V. B. Bennett.....	\$100 00	No action.
5732	John Holler.....	100 00	"
5748	Ernest Feldman.....	100 00	"
5994	Robert P. Lyon	100 00	"
6192	Conrad F. Wagner.....	100 00	"
6287	Jonas Salomon.....	75 00	"
6182	John F. Schermerhorn	100 00	"

Supreme Court, March Term, 1901.

6880	Paul T. Brown.....	\$125 00	No action.
6892	Joseph Jenkinson	125 00	"
6908	David McCasker.....	125 00	"
6914	George Rigsby.....	125 00	"
6937	Ambrose W. Whittlesley.....	125 00	"
6946	James E. Seers.....	125 00	"
6962	William M. Pomery	125 00	"
6986	Walter Lloyd.....	125 00	"
7028	William Nell	125 00	"
7073	William W. Snelling.....	125 00	"
7082	Charles Nickering.....	125 00	"
7111	William W. Gorman.....	125 00	"
2253	Michael J. Carey.....	125 00	"
7310	Albert Korber.....	125 00	"
7322	Gottlieb Blin.....	125 00	"
7520	Sidney E. Jennings.....	125 00	"
7537	William J. Cole	125 00	"
7548	Albert W. Porter.....	125 00	"

Supreme Court, April Term, 1901.

8156	Bertram B. Savage	\$100 00	No action.
8252	W. De Witt Barnett.....	100 00	"
3054	John B. Fraser	100 00	"
8354	Harry N. Homan	125 00	"
8367	Henry C. Lewis.....	125 00	"
8378	Irving G. Taylor	125 00	"
8394	William Dittman.....	125 00	"
8649	Orville R. Gray	125 00	"
8781	Andrew Mander.....	125 00	"

Supreme Court, May Term, 1901.

9642	Harry Forsythe.....	\$125 00	No action.
9680	John D. Woods.....	125 00	"
9683	James Ferguson.....	125 00	"
6213	Charles A. Carlstedt.....	125 00	"
8258	Hugo C. Distelhurst.....	125 00	"
8260	George W. Danforth.....	125 00	"
8273	Courtland P. King.....	125 00	"
8285	Robert E. Patterson	125 00	"
8288	William H. Tice, Jr.....	125 00	"
4466	John Casey.....	125 00	"
9777	John McGrath.....	125 00	"
9790	Charles Foster.....	125 00	"
6827	Theo. R. Geer.....	125 00	"
9882	Patrick Fallon.....	125 00	"
9946	John W. Turner.....	125 00	"
8306	Charles F. Case	125 00	"
6019	George W. Vredenberg.....	25 00	"
7416	William J. Jenks.....	75 00	"
10038	Benjamin T. Tyler	75 00	"
10230	Abiathar Richards.....	75 00	"

Supreme Court, June Term, 1901.

10931	Alfred H. Smith.....	\$125 00	No action.
8324	James McCusker.....	125 00	"
5987	John Linden.....	125 00	"
6945	Joseph W. Hamilton.....	125 00	"
11616	George Nicholson.....	125 00	"
11621	Erskine Rich	125 00	"

No.	NAME.	AMOUNT FINED.	CAUSE OF REMISSION.
11475	Charles F. Tinkham.....	\$100 00	No action.
11527	John T. Breen.....	100 00	"

Kings County Court, September Term, 1900.

851	Philip Spencer.....	\$375 00	Deceased.
6	James E. Costilo.....	100 00	Absent from City and County.
8	Jacob G. Dettmer.....	100 00	"
59	Ferd. Voegle.....	100 00	"
118	Hubert Bastgen.....	100 00	"

Kings County Court, October Term, 1900.

227	Joel Aronson.....	\$100 00	Absent from City and County.
397	Louis A. Pollard.....	100 00	Erroneously fined.
603	James McBride.....	75 00	No action.
628	William A. Engeman.....	75 00	"

Kings County Court, November Term, 1900.

1710	Charles F. Hirzel.....	\$100 00	Absent from City and County.
1780	Henry Hawley.....	75 00	No action.
1783	John S. Parks.....	75 00	Erroneously fined.

Kings County Court, December Term, 1900.

2647	Richard Bareau.....	\$100 00	No action.
2782	William Chapman.....	25 00	"
2823	John J. Maguire.....	100 00	"

Kings County Court, January Term, 1901.

3735	Albert Jordan.....	\$100 00	No action.
3742	Arthur Appleton	100 00	"
129	William E. Wilson.....	100 00	"
4093	Conrad Noll.....	25 00	"
4074	James Halpin.....	25 00	"

Kings County Court, February Term, 1901.

5003	Pierce M. Carthy.....	\$125 00	No action.
5233	Joseph Yondorf.....	100 00	"
5284	William S. Ryan.....	75 00	"
5381	Charles S. Kress.....	100 00	"
5396	Julius Friedberg.....	100 00	"
5505	Walter L. Tyler.....	100 00	"
5417	Elbert C. Martin.....	100 00	"
5448	Silas C. Edwards.....	75 00	"
5450	Diedrich Heitman.....	75 00	"
5495	William H. Van Houten.....	75 00	"

Kings County Court, March Term, 1901.

6547	John W. Sammis.....	\$100 00	No action.
6624	Robert Trinneer.....	100 00	"
6708	Julius W. Bunn.....	125 00	"

Kings County Court, April Term, 1901.

236	Charles Wiegler.....	\$375 00	No action.
7679	James D. Terry.....	100 00	"
7708	Joseph L. Quesenbury.....	100 00	"
7733	Edward B. Ludlow.....	100 00	"
7764	Charles W. Vose	100 00	"
6634	Hugo Krieg.....	125 00	"
7935	Charles H. Thomas.....	100 00	"
7988	Isaac Davis.....	100 00	"
8026	Arthur H. Davis.....	100 00	"

Kings County Court, May Term, 1901.

6596	Homer A. Lattin.....	\$100 00	No action.
9162	Gustave Kammerer.....	125 00	"
9194	Harry H. Hahn	125 00	"
9263	Joseph Rosenbaum.....	75 00	"
9265	Henry H. Small.....	75 00	"
9303	Franklin A. Saunders.....	100 00	"
9397	H. Merriam.....	100 00	"
9406	Edward B. Willets.....	100 00	"
9453	William J. Holly.....	75 00	"
9565	George Niedermeyer.....	75 00	"

Kings County Court, June Term, 1901.

*348	Charles Bierkaup.....	\$450 00	No action.
100345	William H. Berger.....	100 00	"
10507	Alexander H. Fay.....	100 00	"
10505	John W. Thomas.....	100 00	"
9255	John H. Powell.....	100 00	"
10789	John F. Nash.....	50 00	"
10897	James F. Clarey.....	100 00	"

Which was ordered on file.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 3991.

By the President—
sioners of Deeds—

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commis-

By the President—

James P. Philip, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.
L. Hensel, No. 153 West Twenty-second street, Manhattan.
Joseph B. Weed, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Bridges—

Thomas P. Murphy, Twenty-fifth avenue and Cropsey avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Holler—

Jacob Hentz, No. 136 Ross street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Keegan—

Henry W. Crane, Sixty-fifth street and Fort Hamilton avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McKeever—

George Banks, No. 230A Palmetto street, Brooklyn.
Henry J. Londricker, No. 184 Suydam street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wacker—

Ernst W. S. Duckland, No. 277 Cornelia street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wirth—

Ida E. Reed, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McInnes—

Edward Pothier, Reid avenue, Brooklyn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Delano, Downing, Flinn, Gaffney, Geiser, Gledhill, Hennessy, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Ledwith, Marks, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Porges, Rottmann, Schmitt, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—41.

No. 3992.

By Alderman Burrell—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Joseph's Union to place a transparency on the lamp-post at the northwest corner of Eighty-seventh street and First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3993.

By Alderman Byrne—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Smith to lay tracks on East avenue, from his premises on said avenue five hundred feet north of A street, proceeding northwesterly fifteen hundred feet to the bulkhead-line of the Wallabout Market, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the said tracks to be used solely for the purpose of facilitating the movement of merchandise of the said Charles Smith, in cars over said tracks, provided that all persons in front of whose premises tracks are to be laid shall previously have given consent thereto; and provided further that the tracks to be laid shall be of a pattern approved by the Commissioner of Highways and to be laid and maintained flush with the surface of said street, so as not to interfere with the free use thereof by the public; all the work of laying the tracks, paving between the tracks and two feet outside the rails of the same, and maintaining the said pavement in good order to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Highways, to be done at the expense of the said Charles Smith under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

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

No. 3994.

By Alderman McInnes—

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be and the same is hereby extended to Hon. Thomas F. Woods for his kind and courteous treatment of all of the members of the Board of Aldermen during the years 1900 and 1901 while presiding as President of the said Board.

Alderman McInnes put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 3995.

By Alderman Burrell—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board are hereby tendered to Hon. John T. McCall, Vice-President of the Board of Aldermen of 1900 and 1901, for his manly and lovable qualities toward all the members of this branch of the local legislature during the years above mentioned.

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

No. 3996.

By Alderman Wirth—

Whereas, Michael F. Blake, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen for many years and formerly Clerk of the Common Council, severs his connection with this Board to-day; and

Whereas, His ripe knowledge, unflinching courtesy and unflinching attention to duty, coupled with his mastery of parliamentary usage, has endeared the said Michael F. Blake to the members of this Board irrespective of party; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the retiring members of this Board, hereby gratefully extend our thanks to the said retiring Clerk and wish him an equal measure of success in the position which he will hold in the office of the next Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

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

No. 3997.

By Alderman Oatman—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board be and they are hereby extended to Daniel W. F. McCoy, Deputy Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, Frank J. Martin, Reading Clerk of said Board, Thomas A. Oakley, Sergeant-at-Arms, John Maguire, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, and to the other clerks and attaches of this Board, for their constant and unremitting attention to their duties during the years 1900 and 1901.

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

No. 3998.

By Alderman Wolf—

Resolved, That the thanks of the Board of Aldermen for the years 1900 and 1901 be and the same are hereby tendered to the representatives of the press, assigned to report our proceedings, for the very fair and kind way in which reports of our doings were made public.

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

No. 3999.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board be and the same are hereby tendered to Hon. James H. McInnes, the leader of the minority, for his fair, upright and straightforward treatment of his colleagues during the years 1900 and 1901.

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

No. 4000.

By Alderman Holler—

Resolved, That George E. Morrison of No. 513 Twelfth street, Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Burrell, Cardani, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Porges, Seebeck, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—47.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Rottmann called up S. O. 320, being a report of the Committee on Parks, as follows:

No. 3917.

The Committee on Parks, to whom was recommended on December 27, 1901, the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out a park, Twelfth Ward, Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be concurred in.

LAWRENCE W. McGRATH, FRANK HENNESSY, JOHN V. COGGEY, JOHN J. TWOMEY, DAVID M. HOLMES, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., Committee on Parks.

The Committee on Parks, to whom was referred on December 24, 1901, the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of laying out a park in the Twelfth Ward, Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

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

LAWRENCE W. McGRATH, JOHN J. TWOMEY, FRANK HENNESSY, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., Committee on Parks.

(Papers referred to in preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Parks, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out a public park in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan (page 1372, Minutes, March 12, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay out a public park in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 6th day of March, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public park on the land bounded by Edgecombe road, West One Hundred and Sixtieth street, Jumel terrace and West One Hundred and Sixty-second street, in the Twelfth Ward, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out a public park on the aforesaid land, as follows:

Beginning at a point the southeasterly corner of West One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Jumel terrace, said point being distant 1,768.64 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and distant 427.15 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue;

1st. Thence easterly and along the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-second street to the westerly line of Edgecombe road for 168.74 feet;

2d. Thence southerly and deflecting to the right at an angle of 80 degrees 10 minutes 6 seconds for 159.36 feet;

3d. Thence southerly and westerly and deflecting to the right on an arc of a circle whose tangent is the preceding course and whose radius is 291.81 feet for 115.96 feet;

4th. Thence southwesterly and tangent to the preceding course for 89.41 feet to the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixtieth street;

5th. Thence westerly and along the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixtieth street to the easterly line of Jumel terrace for 172.83 feet;

6th. Thence northerly along said easterly line of Jumel terrace for 359.31 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The land for the proposed park is shown on a "Map or Plan showing the new road or street to be known as Edgecombe road," * * * from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street extended easterly.

Dated MARCH 2, 1894.

Filed in the office of the Department of Public Works March 2, 1894.

Land to be taken for park is located in Section 8, Block 2109 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

JAMES OWENS, PATRICK J. RYDER, JOHN J. MURPHY, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, Committee on Parks.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, March 7, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 6th day of March, 1901, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public park on the land bounded by Edgecombe road, West One Hundred and Sixtieth street, Jumel terrace and West One Hundred and Sixty-second street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of property-owners and on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of Manhattan.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 6th day of March, 1901.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 26th day of September, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public park on the land bounded by Edgecombe road, West One Hundred and Sixtieth street, Jumel terrace and West One Hundred and Sixty-second street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 17th day of October, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed laying out would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 17th day of October, 1900; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of October, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out, who have appeared, and such proposed laying out was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public park on the land bounded by Edgecombe road, West One Hundred and Sixtieth street, Jumel terrace and West One Hundred and Sixty-second street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out a public park on the aforesaid land as follows:

Beginning at a point the southeasterly corner of West One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Jumel terrace, said point being distant 1,768.64 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and distant 427.15 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue;

1st. Thence easterly and along the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-second street to the westerly line of Edgecombe road for 168.74 feet;

2d. Thence southerly and deflecting to the right at an angle of 80 degrees 10 minutes 6 seconds for 159.36 feet;

3d. Thence southerly and westerly and deflecting to the right on an arc of a circle whose tangent is the preceding course and whose radius is 291.81 feet for 115.96 feet;

4th. Thence southwesterly and tangent to the preceding course for 89.41 feet to the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixtieth street;

5th. Thence westerly and along the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixtieth street to the easterly line of Jumel terrace for 172.83 feet;

6th. Thence northerly along said easterly line of Jumel terrace for 359.31 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The land for the proposed park is shown on a "Map or plan showing the new road or street to be known as Edgecombe road," * * * from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street extended easterly.

Dated MARCH 2, 1894.

Filed in the office of the Department of Public Works March 2, 1894.

Land to be taken for park is located in Section 8, Block 2109 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public park as above, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Culkin, Dowling, Downing, Fleck, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiser, Goodman, Hennessy, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kenney, Ledwith, Marks, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Rottmann, Schmitt, Seebeck, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Wentz, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—43.

Negative—Aldermen Delano and McInnes—2.

Excused—Alderman Wirth—1.

Alderman Rottmann called up S. O. 311, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 1183.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 66), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of laying out, etc., West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, THOMAS F. MCCAUL, MOSES J. WAFER, JEREMIAH CRONIN, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out and extending West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 213, Minutes, April 24, 1900), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay out extension of West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 18th day of April, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street, to be known as the extension of West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the first new avenue east of Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue distant 179.83 feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; thence easterly and parallel to said street, distance 196.35 feet to the westerly line of the new avenue; thence southerly and along said line and in a curved line to the left, radius 610 feet, distance 61.17 feet; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, distance 184.50 feet, to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly and along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning, said street to be 60 feet wide between Amsterdam avenue and the first new avenue east.

JOHN J. MURPHY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, THOMAS F. MCCAUL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, April 19, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you for your action thereon a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 18th day of April, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street, to be known as the extension of West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the first new avenue east of Amsterdam avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of property-owners and on the recommendation of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance, approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 18th day of April, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the day of , 190 , resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street, to be known as the extension of West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the first new avenue east of Amsterdam avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the day of , 190 , at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed laying out would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the day of , 190 ; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the day of , 190 ; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out who have appeared, and such proposed laying out was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street, to be known as the extension of West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the first new avenue east of Amsterdam avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue distant 179.83 feet southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street; thence easterly and parallel to said street, distance 196.35 feet to the westerly line of the new avenue; thence southerly and along said line and in a curved line to the left, radius 610 feet, distance 61.17 feet; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, distance 184.50 feet, to the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence northerly and along said line, distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning, said street to be 60 feet wide between Amsterdam avenue and the first new avenue east.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street, as West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, two-thirds of all the members elected having failed to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Cronin, Culkin, Fleck, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Hennessy, Keegan, Keely, Kenney, Marks, McGrath, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Rottmann, Schmitt, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Wafer, and the Vice-President—24.

Negative—Aldermen Cardani, Delano, Diemer, Downing, Goodman, Holmes, McInnes, Murphy, Oatman, Otten, Wacker, Wirth, and the President—14.

Alderman McGrath called up S. O. 321, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 3915.

The Committee on Parks, to whom was recommended December 27, 1901, the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out a park, First Ward, Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be concurred in.

LAWRENCE W. McGRATH, FRANK HENNESSY, JOHN V. COGGEY, JOHN J. TWOMEY, DAVID M. HOLMES, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, Jr., Committee on Parks.

The Committee on Parks, to whom was referred on December 24, 1901, the annexed report of the Council and ordinance in favor of to lay out a public park in First Ward, Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

LAWRENCE W. McGRATH, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, Jr., JOHN J. TWOMEY, FRANK HENNESSY, Committee on Parks.

(Papers referred to in preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Parks, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of laying out a public park in the First Ward, Borough of Queens (page 253, Minutes, January 15, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to lay out a public park in the First Ward, Borough of Queens.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 9th day of January, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out as a public park the territory bounded by the Boulevard, Freeman avenue, Van Alst avenue and Wilbur avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out as a public park the aforesaid territory as follows:

The proposed park to be bounded on the west by the Boulevard, as the same is laid out on the modified plan of the street system of the First Ward, Borough of Queens, and adopted by the Board of Public Improvements May 23, 1900.

On the north by Freeman avenue.

On the east by Van Alst avenue.

On the south by Wilbur avenue.

JAMES OWENS, PATRICK J. RYDER, JOHN J. MURPHY, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, WILLIAM J. HYLAND, CHARLES H. EBBETS, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, Committee on Parks.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 9th day of January, 1901, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out as a public park the territory bounded by the Boulevard, Freeman avenue, Van Alst avenue and Wilbur avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of property-owners and on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of Queens.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 9th day of January, 1901.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 5th day of December, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out as a public park the territory bounded by the Boulevard, Freeman avenue, Van Alst avenue and Wilbur avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 9th day of January, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed laying out would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed laying out would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 9th day of January, 1901; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 9th day of January, 1901; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place, a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out, who have appeared, and such proposed laying out was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out as a public park the territory bounded by the Boulevard, Freeman avenue, Van Alst avenue and Wilbur avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out as a public park the aforesaid territory as follows:

The proposed park to be bounded on the west by the Boulevard, as the same is laid out on the modified plan of the street system of the First Ward, Borough of Queens, and adopted by the Board of Public Improvements May 23, 1900.

On the north by Freeman avenue.

On the east by Van Alst avenue.

On the south by Wilbur avenue.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a public park, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, two-thirds of all the members elected having failed to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cronin, Downing, Fleck, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Goodman, Hennessy, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kenney, Marks, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Wafer, the Vice-President, and the President—34.

Negative—Aldermen Cardani, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Downing, McInnes, and Parsons—7.

Alderman Gass called up S. O. 308, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 3513.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on October 15, 1901, the annexed ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating Monroe avenue, Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be concurred in.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate Monroe avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 28th day of August, 1901, be and the same is hereby approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided; namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the regulating and grading of Monroe avenue, between Belmont street and Tremont avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet in width, laying crosswalks, building approaches, planting trees on sidewalks, and erecting fences where necessary, and the paving of the carriageway of said street with telford macadam, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being twenty-two thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and twenty thousand nine hundred dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, MOSES J. WAFER, THOMAS F. MCCAUL, JOSEPH E. WELLING, JEREMIAH CRONIN, CHARLES METZGER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, September 6, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, form of ordinance adopted by this Board on the 28th day of August, 1901, in relation to the regulating, grading, etc., of Monroe avenue, between Belmont street and Tremont avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of letter from the Local Board recommending the above improvement.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, April 4, 1901.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 384, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting April 4, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition of Mary I. Price and others, duly advertised and submitted the 4th day of April, 1901, the Local Board hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Monroe avenue be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built and fences erected where necessary, and that the roadway thereof be paved with telford macadam; also that trees be planted on the sidewalks, between Belmont street and Tremont avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,
LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Byrne, Cardani, Cronin, Delano, Downing, Fleck, Finn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kenney, Marks, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—47.

Alderman Alt called up S. O. 299, being a report of the Committee on Streets and Highways, as follows:

No. 3568.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on October 22, 1901, the annexed report of the Council and ordinance in favor of changing grade of Shepherd avenue, Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, THOMAS F. MCCAUL, JEREMIAH CRONIN, LOUIS F. CARDANI, CHARLES METZGER, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of changing the grade of Shepherd avenue, Borough of Brooklyn (page 85, Minutes, August 27, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE to change the grade of Shepherd avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That, in pursuance of section 436 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 7th day of August, 1901, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade in Shepherd avenue, from Blake avenue to Belmont avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to change the grade in the aforesaid avenue as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Shepherd avenue and Blake avenue, the elevation to be 23.15 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

1. Thence northerly to the intersection of Sutter avenue, the elevation to be 20.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

2. Thence northerly to a point distant 227 feet from the northern side-line of Sutter avenue, the elevation to be 21.7 feet above mean high-water datum;

3. Thence northerly to the intersection of Belmont avenue, the elevation to be 20.64 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

All elevations refer to mean high-water datum as established by the Department of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN J. MURPHY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HENRY FRENCH, JAMES OWENS, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, August 8, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—In pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and by direction of the Board of Public Improvements, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 7th day of August, 1901, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade in Shepherd avenue, from Blake avenue to Belmont avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the petition of property-owners and on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of Brooklyn and on the report of the Chief Topographical Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board.

Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by this Board for your adoption.

Very respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 7th day of August, 1901.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 17th day of July, 1901, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade in Shepherd avenue, from Blake avenue to Belmont avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 7th day of August, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed change of grade would be considered by this Board, and for a notice to all persons affected thereby, of the aforesaid time and place at which such proposed change of grade would be considered, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for at least ten days continuously, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to the 7th day of August, 1901; and

Whereas, It appears from the affidavit of the Supervisor of the City Record and of the publishers of the corporation newspapers that the aforesaid resolutions and notice have been published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 7th day of August, 1901; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of grade, who have appeared, and such proposed change of grade was duly considered by this Board; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade in Shepherd avenue, from Blake avenue to Belmont avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to change the grade in the aforesaid avenue as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Shepherd avenue and Blake avenue, the elevation to be 23.15 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

1. Thence northerly to the intersection of Sutter avenue, the elevation to be 20.5 feet above mean high-water datum;

2. Thence northerly to a point distant 227 feet from the northern side-line of Sutter avenue, the elevation to be 21.7 feet above mean high-water datum;

3. Thence northerly to the intersection of Belmont avenue, the elevation to be 20.64 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

All elevations refer to mean high-water datum as established by the Department of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade in Shepherd avenue, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cardani, Coggey, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Dowling, Downing, Fleck, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiser, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Holmes, Keely, Kenney, Marks, McCaul, McEneaney, McInnes, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Parsons, Rottmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—47.

At this point Alderman Muh took the chair.

The Vice-President called up S. O. 333, being a report of the Committee on Law, as follows:
No. 3918.

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance of the Council to regulate contracts, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be concurred in.

ISAAC MARKS, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, JOSEPH A. FLINN, OWEN J. MURPHY, Committee on Law.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance and amended ordinance to regulate contracts submitted by the Board of Public Improvements (pages 606 and 1757, Minutes, March 27, 1900, and June 25, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said amended ordinance be adopted, and that the ordinance (No. 525) previously submitted be returned as requested to the Board of Public Improvements.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, June 24, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—At the meeting of this Board held on the 12th instant the following resolution was adopted:

“Resolved, That the form of ordinance regulating contracts for work and supplies approved by this Board on March 21, 1900, be and hereby is rescinded and repealed; and it is further

“Resolved, That the return of said ordinance be requested from the Municipal Assembly.”
At the same meeting a form of ordinance covering the same subject, amended and submitted by the Corporation Counsel, was approved, and copy of the same is inclosed herewith for the action of your Honorable Body.

Will you kindly return to the Board the form of ordinance approved on March 21, 1900, which is now before the Municipal Assembly.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE regulating contracts for public works or supplies, and agreements in relation thereto, by which The City of New York shall be liable to pay money.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. All supplies to be furnished or work to be done for the corporation of the city of New York, whether they are to be paid for out of the city treasury or out of trust moneys under the control of or to be assessed or collected by the corporation, shall be furnished or performed by contract, except as is otherwise provided by law (Revised Ordinances, 1897, section 344, amended).

Sec. 2. The several departments and officers empowered by law to make contracts on the part of the corporation shall issue invitations for bids or proposals therefor by public notices, and shall advertise the same as provided by law when and after the said public notice and the terms of the said contract shall have been approved as to form by the corporation counsel. There shall be kept by each of said departments an appropriate box, to be designated “bid box,” with a proper opening in the top thereof to receive bids or proposals for which invitations have been issued. Such “bid box” shall be locked, except at such times as it may be necessary to open the same to examine and decide upon bids or proposals, and the key thereof shall be retained by the head of the department. It shall be the duty of the head of the department to deposit in said box the bids or proposals duly presented to him for work to be done or supplies to be furnished, under the direction of the department, immediately on the receipt thereof by him (Id., sec. 345, amended).

Sec. 3. The invitations for bids or proposals shall be in such form as may be prescribed by the department making the same, and as shall be approved as to form by the corporation counsel, and they shall contain the following particulars:

1. They shall require that the person making the bid or proposal shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of the appropriate department, at his office, on or before a day and hour therein named, not less than ten (10) days from the first publication thereof.
2. They shall state the quantity and quality of supplies, or the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required, or a reference to specifications or schedules where the quantity and quality of supplies, or the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work, is stated.
3. They shall state that the bids or proposals received will be publicly opened by the head of the department issuing the public notice at his office, at a day and hour therein mentioned.
4. They shall state the amount in which security is required for the performance of the contract.

5. They shall state the time or period within which the work must be done or the supplies furnished (Id., sec. 346, amended).

Sec. 4. Each bid or proposal shall contain:

1. The name and place of residence of the person or party making the same.
2. The names of all persons or parties interested with the bidder therein, and if no other person or party be so interested, the bid or proposal shall distinctly state that fact.
3. A statement that the bid or proposal is made without any connection with any other person or party making the bid or proposal for the same purpose, and that the bid or proposal is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud.
4. A statement that no member of the municipal assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, school commissioner, or other officer of the corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof, either as principal, surety or otherwise (Id., sec. 347, amended).

Sec. 5. Each bid or proposal shall be verified by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of the party making the bid or proposal, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true, and if the bid or proposal be made by a firm, it shall be verified by each and every member of the firm (Id., sec. 348, amended).

Sec. 6. Each bid or proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two (2) householders or freeholders in the city of New York, or of a responsible guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or party making the bid or proposal, they or it will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or its sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they or it will pay to the corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount of security in each case to be calculated upon the estimated cost of the work to be done or of the supplies to be furnished by which the bids are tested (Id., sec. 349, amended).

Sec. 7. The consent mentioned in the last section shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the city of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contracts and stated in the bids or proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by law; and a like affidavit shall be required of the proper officers of any such guaranty or surety company, setting forth the name of the company, the title of the act or laws under which it is incorporated, the date when incorporated, a statement that it is authorized to do business under the laws of the State of New York and is authorized under its charter to execute the said bond or undertaking and to guarantee the obligations assumed in the bid or proposal and according to the contract and referred to in the bids or proposals; a true and correct statement of the financial condition of the company at its last accounting, which shall have been made within a period of one year, and of any changes in its condition that impairs or affects its financial liability or status (Id., sec. 350, amended).

Sec. 8. The sealed envelope containing the bid or proposal shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or party presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates; and no bid or proposal shall be taken from the “bid box,” or the sealed envelope thereof opened by any one, except at the time and in the manner herein des-

igned for deciding on such bids or proposals. At the time and place appointed for that purpose in the public notice as prescribed in this ordinance, the head of the department, or other officers empowered to make the contract, in the presence of the comptroller, or his duly authorized representative, and such of the parties making the said bid or proposals as may desire to be present, shall then and there open the said bid box, and the bids or proposals to be examined at that time, as may appear from the indorsements thereon, shall be taken from said box. The said head of department, or his deputy, shall then and there publicly open and read all bids or proposals which may have been received for the contract mentioned in such public notice, and shall reject all bids or proposals not furnished in conformity with the law and the ordinances relating thereto and the requirements thereof. The award of the contract shall be made according to law (Id., sec. 351, amended).

Sec. 9. When public notices are issued for a contract to furnish any article of which a sample can conveniently be furnished or for which specifications and plans can be prepared and furnished within the time allowed, the head of the department issuing the same may require that such sample or specifications and plans be delivered at his office or at the office of the head of the appropriate bureau of the department, within such time before the opening of the bids or proposals as he may prescribe; and if it or they be not so furnished, or do not conform to the requirements of the public notices and of the specifications and requirements issued by the department for the said article, the bid or proposal delivered by the person or party furnishing or omitting to furnish the same, as the case may be, shall be rejected. Wherever samples are required to be prepared and furnished to the head of the department, at least ten (10) days shall be given for the furnishing of such sample and for the preparation and furnishing of such specifications and plans (Id., sec. 352, amended).

Sec. 10. Except as herein otherwise provided, in all contracts for work for the corporation where provision is made for the payment of the contract price by installments, a provision shall be inserted that the corporation may retain, and the contractor shall allow to be retained, at least ten (10) per cent. of the contract price of the work actually done as security until the whole work shall be completed and the contract shall be fully and completely performed (Id., sec. 353, amended).

Sec. 11. In all contracts for the performance of work or the furnishing of supplies, the time or period for the completion of such work and the furnishing and delivery of such supplies shall be specified and inserted therein (Id., sec. 354, amended).

Sec. 12. In all contracts for public works or supplies, and agreements in relation thereto, by which the City shall be liable to pay money, the award, if any, must be to the lowest bidder unless the Board of Public Improvements, by the vote of a majority of its members, of whom the mayor and comptroller shall be two, shall determine that it is for the public interests that a bid other than the lowest should be accepted. No contract shall be made until the comptroller certifies thereon that the necessary funds are provided and applicable thereto (sec. 416, par. 13, the Greater New York Charter).

Sec. 13. In all contracts for work for the corporation upon any public building, or in any public street or place, in the performance of which accidents or injuries may happen to the person or property of another, a provision shall be inserted that the contractor shall place proper guards for the prevention of accidents, and shall put up and keep at night suitable and sufficient lights during the performance of the work; and that he will indemnify the corporation for damages or costs to which it may be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work (Id., sec. 355, amended).

Sec. 14. Every contract for supplies or work by the corporation shall be executed by the contractor or contractors to whom the same may be awarded, and shall be accompanied by a bond in the amount mentioned in the public notice therefor, executed by the persons or company consenting to become bound as sureties, or by such other persons or company as shall be substituted therefor, with the consent of the comptroller, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract and of every provision therein contained, and which bond shall be accompanied by the oath in writing or the person signing the same that each is a householder or freeholder in the city of New York, and of the person or any officer of such company that he or it is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in a public notice as hereinbefore prescribed. And it shall be the duty of the comptroller to require such sureties to be further examined before himself or an officer authorized to administer oaths deputed by him, in respect to the items and details of their property, before approving the adequacy and sufficiency of such sureties, and the several departments of the city government and officers aforesaid by which every and each contract for work to be done or supplies to be furnished for the corporation shall be made in pursuance of this ordinance, shall have power and it shall be their duty to require and enforce the faithful execution of each and every contract so made by them; and in case the contractor or contractors shall fail in any respects to perform the work or to furnish the supplies which he or they have contracted to render or furnish within the time limited for the performance of the same, then it shall be the duty of such department or officers aforesaid to do and complete the same work or to furnish and deliver the said supplies in the manner provided for the performance of the same in the contract, and the cost of the same shall be charged against the delinquent contractor or contractors; provided, however, that the head of any department or officer aforesaid by whom any such contract shall be made may, on good and sufficient cause, extend for a reasonable time the period fixed for the completion thereof (Id., sec. 356, amended).

Sec. 15. Whenever any contract shall be made hereafter by any of the departments or officers aforesaid of the corporation, the amount whereof is to be afterward collected by assessment from the property benefited by the work to be done under said contract, it shall be the duty of the head of department or officers aforesaid making such contracts to cause to be inserted therein a clause that, as the work progresses, payments will be made to the contractors by monthly installments of seventy per cent. (70%) on the work performed, provided the amount of work done on each installment shall amount to one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500); and the head of department making such contracts shall forthwith file a copy thereof with the comptroller (Id., sec. 357).

Sec. 16. The amount due contractors on all contracts, and on work now in progress under contracts, on account of regulating and paving streets, building sewers, ordered to be done by contract, by virtue of the provisions of law or ordinances of the municipal assembly, the expense whereof is to be assessed upon property locally benefited thereby, shall be paid by the comptroller from the street improvement fund; but no money shall be paid on account of said assessments or contracts until a copy of the original contracts has been filed with the comptroller of the city by the head of the department having such work in charge, with a certificate in writing from the head of such department, stating the amount of work that has been completed and the amount due the contractor for such work according to the terms of the original contract; upon the amount thus certified and ascertained to be due to the contractor, the comptroller shall pay seventy per cent. (70%). The remaining thirty per cent. (30%) shall be reserved until thirty days after the final completion and acceptance of the work (Id., sec. 358, amended).

Sec. 17. Whenever any payment shall become due upon any contract, according to the provisions thereof or in accordance with any of the provisions of this ordinance, it shall be the duty of the head of department or officer aforesaid having such work in charge to furnish to the person or party entitled to such payments a certificate, in writing, specifying the contract upon which such payment is due and the amount due under such contract (Id., sec. 360, amended).

Sec. 18. It shall be the duty of the comptroller on the presentation of such certificate to him, to pay the amount thereof and indorse such payment upon the contract on account of which such payment is made; but no payment shall be made under such contract beyond the amount of such certificate, and the final payment thereon shall not be made until the head of department or officer aforesaid having such work in charge shall furnish the comptroller, who shall file the same in his office, a certificate signed by the head of such department or officer aforesaid, that the work mentioned in such contract has been completed according to the terms of said contract, and to the satisfaction of the head of department giving such certificate (Id., sec. 362, amended).

Sec. 19. Each and every contractor shall be required to have an affidavit from the surveyor, setting forth the amount of work done of every description that may be charged in each bill or assessment list of said contract, and said affidavit shall be attached to said assessment list. The inspector shall also furnish an affidavit attached to each contract that the work is done according to the plans and specifications, said affidavit to be attached to each assessment list before presented for confirmation (Id., sec. 363).

Sec. 20. No payment shall be made by the comptroller for work done or supplies furnished except upon proper vouchers rendered by the head of the appropriate department, or other proper officer, board or commission for whom such work was done or supplies furnished. Such vouchers shall be made out in duplicate, and shall contain the certificates of such subordinate officers as the head of the department and the comptroller may require, and shall be of such form and purport as the comptroller shall prescribe, and also a certificate of the head of the department. One of the duplicate vouchers shall be retained in the department or office by which the vouchers are rendered, and the other shall be transmitted to the department of finance for payment. A receipt for the amount paid shall be taken upon the vouchers sent to the department of finance (Id., sec. 397, amended).

Sec. 21. All old and waste material under the care of any department shall be sold from time to time, as it may be deemed best for the public interest so to do, in accordance with the provisions of law, the sale of such material to be under the immediate supervision of the head of the department or bureau having charge of such material, the proceeds therefor to be collected by said head of department or bureau and transmitted within twenty-four hours by him to the comptroller for deposit in the city treasury, except as otherwise specially provided (Id., sec. 368, amended).

Sec. 22. All meetings of the boards of commissions constituting departments of the city government of the city of New York for the transaction of public business, shall be held openly, and shall in all cases be accessible to the public. Such meetings shall be held at such times and places as may be determined upon by each of such departments, and due notice thereof shall be published daily in the CITY RECORD (Id., sec. 369).

Sec. 23. All ordinances of the former municipal and public corporations consolidated into the city of New York in relation to regulating contracts for work and supplies and receiving proposals for furnishing the same, and all other ordinances inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 24. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.
ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, CHARLES H. EBBETS, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Law Department.

Alderman Wafer moved that the report and ordinance be laid on the table.
The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Byrne, Coggey, Culkin, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Gass, Hennessy, Holmes, Keely, Kenney, McMahon, Metzger, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, and Wafer—20.

Negative—Aldermen Gaffney, Goodman, Marks, McEneaney, McGrath, Muh, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rotmann, Smith, Wolf, and the Vice-President—13.

At this point a committee from the Council appeared, was escorted to the Chair and informed the Board that that body was about to adjourn, and awaited the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

The President pro tem. received said report and thanked the committee for the courtesy shown.

The Vice-President moved that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the Mayor, inform him that the Board was about to adjourn, and that pleasure was awaited and that a committee of three be also appointed to wait upon the Council and convey similar information to that body.

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

And the President appointed the following committees:
To Wait Upon the Mayor—The Vice-President, and Aldermen McInnes and Hennessy.
To Wait Upon the Council—Aldermen Wafer, Goodman and Gaffney.

Subsequently, the foregoing committees reported that they had performed the duties required of them, and that neither his Honor the Mayor nor the Council had any communication to make to the Board.

The reports were received and the several committees discharged.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL.

The President pro tem. laid before the Board the following communication transmitted from the Council:

No. 4001.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, December 3, 1901.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

SIRS—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on November 27 providing for the setting and resetting of the curb along Meserole street, from Bushwick avenue to Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, so as to conform with the new width of the sidewalk, and also providing for paving the space added to the roadway.

I also inclose copy of resolutions of the Local Board recommending the said improvement.

Respectfully,

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

AN ORDINANCE providing for the resetting of the curb along Meserole street, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

That in pursuance of section 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 27th day of November, 1901, be and the same is hereby approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, and it is hereby determined that the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid as therein provided, namely,

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the resetting of the curbstones along Meserole street, between Bushwick avenue and Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, setting of new curb where necessary, so as to increase the width of the roadway of said street ten (10) inches on each side and reduce the width of the sidewalks ten (10) inches on each side, and the paving of the space added to the roadway with granite blocks on a sand foundation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, be and the same hereby is authorized and approved, there having been presented to said Board an estimate in writing, in such detail as the said Board has directed, of the cost of the proposed work or improvement, and a statement of the assessed value, according to the last preceding tax-roll, of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment, the estimated cost of said work being four thousand nine hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and forty thousand dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that no portion of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, but the whole of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, June 11, 1901.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Seventh District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on June 7, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Seventh District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 7th day of June, 1900, and deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that the following form of ordinance be approved and transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for consideration:

An ordinance in relation to the width of the roadway and sidewalks of Meserole street, between Bushwick avenue and Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The width of the roadway of Meserole street, between Bushwick avenue and Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby increased in width ten inches on each side and the sidewalks of said street are hereby reduced in width ten inches on each side.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately."

The following resolution was also adopted:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Seventh District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 7th day of June, 1900, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that the curbstones along Meserole street, between Bushwick avenue and Union avenue, be reset or new curbs set where necessary, so as to increase the width of the roadway of said street ten inches on each side, and reduce the width of the sidewalks of said street ten inches on each side, and that the space added to the roadway be paved with granite blocks, and the cost of said work be assessed on the property benefited."

Inclosed is copy of petition.

The property-owners on Meserole street are very much inconvenienced, owing to the fact that the street is not wide enough to permit a wagon to stand between the surface railway tracks and the curbs. I request, therefore, that the proceedings recommended in the above resolutions be progressed as rapidly as possible.

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said ordinance.
Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Burrell, Byrne, Coggey, Cronin, Culkin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Fleck, Flinn, Gass, Geiser, Hennessy, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kenney, Marks, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInness, Metzger, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Rotmann, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—45.

Negative—Alderman Gledhill—1.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Muh called up S. O. 243, being a report of the Committee on Finance, as follows:
No. 2948.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on May 28, 1901 (Minutes, page 558), the annexed resolution and report of the Council in favor of authorizing purchase of supplies for Municipal Courts, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution and report be concurred in.

ROBERT MUH, JOSEPH GEISER, ELIAS GOODMAN, JOHN T. McMAHON, JACOB J. VELTEN, Committee on Finance.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the purchase without contract at public letting of typewriting machines, etc., for the use of the Municipal Courts of The City of New York (page 347, Minutes, February 5, 1901), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted. Resolved, That there be purchased without contract at public letting, as provided by section 419, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, for the Municipal Courts of The City of New York, fourteen typewriting machines, ten cabinets, special drop, fourteen revolving chairs and six oak stands, at a cost of sixteen hundred and seventy-six dollars and fifty cents; that said cost be charged to the appropriation for the year 1900, entitled Contingencies, to be certified to the Comptroller by the President of the Board of Justices, Municipal Courts, and that the same be paid therefrom by the Comptroller of The City of New York on a voucher or vouchers duly certified by the President of the Board of Justices of said Municipal Courts of The City of New York.

FRANK J. GOODWIN, HENRY FRENCH, JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, CONRAD H. HESTER, Committee on Finance.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Byrne, Cardani, Coggey, Cronin, Culklin, Dowling, Downing, Fleck, Flinn, Gaffney, Geiser, Goodman, Holmes, Keegan, Keely, Kenney, Marks, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McInnes, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Rottman, Schmitt, Schneider, Seebeck, Smith, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—45.

REPORTS.

No. 3866.

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance of the Council to license ticket speculators, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said ordinance be concurred in. AN ORDINANCE to license persons of good character and citizens of this State to sell tickets or certificates of admission for all places of amusement where admission is by ticket or certificate.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. Every person before selling, or attempting to sell, in any of the public streets of the city, any ticket or certificate of admission to any place of amusement or entertainment, where admission is by ticket or certificate, shall obtain a license from the Mayor, together with a metal badge, not less in size than a silver dollar, with a number thereon to correspond with the number of his license; and at all times, while selling such tickets or certificates, the badge shall be worn in a conspicuous place on the front of his coat.

Sec. 2. Each license and badge shall be used only by the person to whom they were issued, and if used by any other person, in violation of this section, shall subject both the owner and the person other than the owner so using such license or badge to the penalty prescribed in section 6 of this ordinance.

Sec. 3. No person so licensed shall sell or offer for sale any such ticket or certificate, nor shall such tickets or certificates be sold on the sidewalk within the space in front of the vestibule or entrance to any building or place of amusement in which any entertainment or theatrical performance is to be given where admission is by ticket or certificate, under the penalty prescribed in section 6 of this ordinance.

Sec. 4. Every person so licensed as aforesaid who shall deceive any purchaser by selling any ticket or certificate of admission, falsely representing the location or number of the seat or seats in any such place of entertainment, shall thereby incur the penalty prescribed in section 6 of this ordinance; nor shall any person sell any such ticket or certificate in any hallway, porch or vestibule of any building in which such entertainment is to be given, without the consent of the person giving the entertainment, under a like penalty.

Sec. 5. Every person so licensed shall pay a license fee for the benefit of the City Treasury of three hundred dollars (\$300), and for each renewal of such license the fee shall be one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150); and all licenses and renewals shall be for one (1) year from date thereof, and may be revoked at the will and pleasure of the Mayor.

Sec. 6. Every person offending against or violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be arrested and taken before the police magistrate sitting at the nearest police station until the opening of such Court, and upon conviction may be fined not more than fifty dollars (\$50) for every such offence or violation, and in default of payment, by imprisonment not exceeding three (3) months.

Sec. 7. The Commissioners of Police are hereby directed to carry into effect the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 8. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 9. All old licenses shall be redeemable at the full value for which they have been issued less the time they shall have run at the going into effect of this ordinance.

Sec. 10. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

GEORGE A. BURRELL, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, JOSEPH A. FLINN, ISAAC MARKS, Committee on Law.

Alderman McCaul moved that the report be laid on the table.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 4002.

By Alderman Parsons—

Resolved, That, for his kindly and eminent services, the thanks and best wishes of the members of this Board be and they hereby are extended to him who, because of his long service as an Alderman, is the senior member of this Board and the Chairman of its Finance Committee, the Hon. Robert Muh.

Alderman Parsons put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by a rising vote.

Alderman McInnes moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President pro tem. declared that the Board stood adjourned.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK LIFE BUILDING, No. 346 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, December 30, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of law, I send you herewith a list of the appointments, reinstatements, etc., in the various City Departments.

APPOINTMENTS.

Department of Docks.

Terence Brady, No. 422 East Seventeenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Housesmith, 44 cents per hour, from December 13, 1901.

Disciplinary School.

John B. Brophy, Fifty-seventh street and New Utrecht avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, Foreman Printer, \$720 per annum, from December 20, 1901.

Department of Highways.

William Berhart, No. 611 East One Hundred and Fortieth street, Borough of The Bronx, Wood-sawyer, \$3 per day, from December 24, 1901.

Department of Sewers.

Daniel Lawlor, No. 337 East Fifty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Mason, \$4.80 per day, from December 24, 1901.

Martin C. Fannon, No. 154 Degraw street, Borough of Brooklyn, Batteryman's Assistant, \$2.50 per day, from December 13, 1901.

Department of Charities.

Andrew Halloran, of the Borough of Brooklyn, as a Baker, \$300 per annum, from December 23, 1901.

Joseph Strong, of the Borough of Brooklyn, as Hospital Helper (Mechanic), from December 30, at \$60 per month.

Department of Bridges.

William J. Waters, No. 46 Ridge street, Borough of Manhattan, as a Bridge Mechanic, at \$3.50 per day, from December 30, 1901.

John Kane, No. 2 Columbia street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper on Bridges, at \$2 per day, from December 23, 1901.

Department of Street Cleaning.

Henry W. Cox, No. 262 Pacific street, Borough of Brooklyn, Scowman, from December 26, 1901.

Enoch Midwinter, No. 928 Dean street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Thomas F. Makin, No. 633 Union street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

James Murray, No. 370 Oakland street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Michael H. Hughes, No. 68 Devoe street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Frank Munson, No. 588 Baltic street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Joseph C. Russell, No. 597 Clinton street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

John J. Maguire, No. 180 Nelson street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

John J. Jessiman, No. 34 Coles street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

William F. Dunnigan, No. 92 State street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Thomas J. Horan, No. 91 Dean street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Denis Boggy, No. 228 Gold street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Michael J. McGuire, No. 377 Warren street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Richard Barrett, No. 318 Hicks street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Francis T. Callahan, No. 299 Pacific street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

William Costello, No. 11 State street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Stephen B. McEneaney, No. 47 Frost street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Michael Corroon, 97 York street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Charles J. Gallier, Montgomery street, near Brooklyn avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

James F. Gallagher, No. 968 Pacific street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

John McNeeney, No. 518 Warren street, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

John F. Tamke, 24 Verandah place Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 23, 1901.

Otto Hoske, No. 50 Meeker avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, Harness Maker, from December 23, 1901.

James Mahoney, No. 216 East Eighty-first street, Borough of Manhattan, Hostler, from December 20, 1901.

James Dixon, No. 262 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, Hostler, from December 21, 1901.

John Degnan, No. 193 Freeman street, Borough of Brooklyn, Scowman, from December 21, 1901.

John Cleary, No. 939 St. Mark's avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, Scowman, from December 21, 1901.

Charles J. Flannagan, No. 654 Halsey street, Borough of Brooklyn, Calker, from December 21, 1901.

Joseph Pollett, 425 East Seventy-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 27, 1901.

Peter F. Keelin, No. 679 Wales avenue, Borough of the Bronx, Driver, from December 27, 1901.

John Haran, No. 562 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Borough of The Bronx, Driver, from December 27, 1901.

John T. Ricks, No. 632 West One Hundred and Thirty-first street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from November 27, 1901.

REINSTATEMENTS.

Department of Street Cleaning.

Martin Smith, No. 177 East Ninety-third street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from December 20, 1901.

Henry L. Reichert, No. 409 West Fifty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 20, 1901.

William H. Werner, No. 491 Tenth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 20, 1901.

George F. Blake, No. 131 West Sixtieth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from December 20, 1901.

Michael Culklin, No. 410 East Seventy-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 20, 1901.

Carl O. Peterson, No. 313 East Fortieth street, Borough of Manhattan, Sweeper, from December 20, 1901.

Thomas Donohue, No. 2457 Second avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 20, 1901.

William J. Lane, No. 223 Avenue C, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 20, 1901.

James F. Reilly, No. 240 West Tenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 27, 1901.

James Brennan, No. 514 East Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 27, 1901.

James Early, No. 420 West Forty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 20, 1901.

Tony Vilano, No. 263 Monroe street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 27, 1901.

James Cunningham, No. 407 East Eighty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 27, 1901.

Giovanni Di Rienzi, No. 171 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 26, 1901.

Henry Seerey, No. 512 East Seventeenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Hostler, from December 26, 1901, and title changed to Driver.

James Gaynor, No. 2074 Second avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 20, 1901.

John Kerin, No. 751 East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, Borough of The Bronx, Driver, from December 18, 1901.

Andrew J. Cavanagh, No. 331 Bergen street, Borough of Brooklyn, Driver, from December 20, 1901.

Patrick McArdle, No. 637 West One Hundred and Thirty-first street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 13, 1901.

James Conway, No. 46 Manhattan street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 19, 1901.

Samuel Thomas, No. 323 East Seventy-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan, Driver, from December 26, 1901.

Department of Parks.

Timothy Foley, of the Borough of Manhattan, laid off September 14, reinstated December 16, 1901.

John Hughes, No. 232 West Sixteenth, Borough of Manhattan, Laborer, from December 26, 1901.

Francis J. McNally, No. 115 West Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, Laborer, from December 26, 1901.

Patrick Callahan, No. 1458 Third avenue, Borough of Manhattan, Laborer, from December 26, 1901.

James T. Meagher, H. J. McKenna, Hugh H. Moore, M. J. Mangin and William H. Quinn, all of the Borough of The Bronx, reinstated as Foremen, from December 26, 1901.

J. T. O'Connell and F. J. Geis, of the Borough of The Bronx, as Assistant Foreman, from December 26, 1901.

Department of Water Supply.

Patrick Boyle, No. 710 Dean street, Borough of Brooklyn, Assistant Foreman, at \$4 per day, from December 11, 1901.

CHANGE OF TITLE.

Department of Bridges.

Henry Conway, No. 258 Jay street, Borough of Brooklyn, from Laborer to Bridge Tender, from January 1, 1901.

Department of Highways.

Edward Farney, No. 296 Henry street, Borough of Manhattan, from Laborer to Rammer, \$3.50 per day, from December 23, 1901.
 Thomas Farrell, No. 152 East Eighty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, from Laborer to Assistant Foreman, \$2.50 per day, from December 23, 1901.
 John Traynor, No. 189 Hester street, Borough of Manhattan, from Laborer to Assistant Foreman, \$2.50 per day, from December 19, 1901.
 Samuel Wittneberg, No. 191 Broome street, Borough of Manhattan, from Laborer to Driver, \$2.50 per day, from December 19, 1901.
 John H. Monahan, No. 1112 Park avenue, Borough of Manhattan, from Assistant Foreman to Foreman, \$3.50 per day, from December 21, 1901.

Department of Water Supply.

Albert Schmidt, No. 143 India street, Borough of Brooklyn, from Tapper to Machinist, at \$3 per day, from September 9, 1901.

Department of Parks.

Timothy Fitzgerald, of the Borough of The Bronx, from Bricklayer to Foreman Bricklayer, from December 21, 1901.
 Richard J. Connolly, of the Borough of The Bronx, from Laborer to Cleaner, from December 21, 1901.
 Richard Wallace, of the Borough of The Bronx, from Mower to Stableman, from December 26, 1901.
 George Brikner, No. 67 Columbus avenue, Borough of Manhattan, from Laborer to Fireman, from December 21, 1901.
 Thomas Connolly, of the Borough of Manhattan, from the position of Machinist's Helper to Housesmith, from December 24, 1901.

Department of Sewers.

Peter J. Garry and Thomas Farmer, of the Borough of Brooklyn, Laborers, to be Assistant Foremen, from December 30, 1901.
 Godfrey G. Ward, Michael F. Murphy, John J. Duane, Andrew Phillips and David Daly, of the Borough of Brooklyn, Assistant Foremen, to be Foremen, from December 30, 1901.
 Charles H. Healy, No. 234 East Ninety-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, from Driver to Laborer, from December 16, 1901.
 James J. Doonan, No. 826 Elton avenue, Borough of The Bronx, Laborer to Machinist's Helper, from December 23, 1901.
 Robert Allen, No. 59 Columbia street, Borough of Brooklyn, Laborer to Driver, from December 16, 1901.
 Hugh Gilroy, No. 83 Russell street, Borough of Brooklyn, Laborer to Driver, from December 16, 1901.
 Edward M. Connors, No. 860 Manhattan avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, Laborer to Driver, from December 16, 1901.
 James Galvin, No. 403 Henry street, Borough of Brooklyn, Laborer to Driver, from December 16, 1901.
 John McLaughlin, No. 60 York street, Borough of Brooklyn, Laborer to Driver, from December 16, 1901.
 Fred J. Galbraith, No. 13 Boerum street, Borough of Brooklyn, Laborer to Driver, from December 16, 1901.
 Thomas J. Walsh, No. 973 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx, from Laborer to Stableman, from December 23, 1901, at \$2.50 per day.

Street Cleaning Department.

August Stephenson, No. 113 Nostrand avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, Driver to Sweeper, from December 20, 1901.
 Peter C. Lynch, No. 137 Nevius street, Borough of Brooklyn, Driver to Assistant to Stable Foreman, from December 20, 1901.
 Emanuel J. Seaman, No. 116 Harrison street, Borough of Brooklyn, from Driver to Assistant to Stable Foreman, from December 20, 1901.
 John Monahan, No. 220 Fourth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, from Driver to Assistant to Stable Foreman, from December 20, 1901.
 Thomas McDonald, No. 1495 Bergen street, Borough of Brooklyn, from Driver to Assistant to Stable Foreman, from December 20, 1901.
 Joseph Hoffman, No. 85 Withers street, Borough of Brooklyn, from Driver to Assistant to Stable Foreman, from December 20, 1901.
 Joseph Conroy, No. 548 Grand avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, from the position of Sweeper to that of Dump Boardman, from December 23, 1901.
 Joseph F. White, No. 3 East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, from Woodworker to that of Sweeper and changed his title to Assistant to Section Foreman, from December 23, 1901.
 Edward Hanlon, No. 132 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, from Driver to that of Hostler, from December 20, 1901.
 Thomas Maloney, No. 424 East Eightieth street, Borough of Manhattan, from Driver to that of Hostler, from December 20, 1901.
 Patrick Moore, No. 143 Harrison street, Borough of Brooklyn, from Sweeper to Assistant to Section Foreman, from December 21, 1901.
 Thomas Hillis, No. 461 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Borough of Manhattan, from Plumber's Apprentice to Mechanic's Helper, from December 20, 1901.
 John J. Moore, No. 801 East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, from Plumber's Apprentice to Mechanic's Helper, from December 20, 1901.
 Stephen McCourt, No. 324 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Borough of Manhattan, from Plumber's Apprentice to Mechanic's Helper, from December 20, 1901.
 Michael Farmer, No. 788 Eleventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan, from Driver to Hostler, from December 13, 1901.
 John Halpin, No. 336 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, from Hose Repairer to Mechanic's Helper, from December 20, 1901.
 Gustave Winckler, No. 61 Harmon street, Borough of Brooklyn, from Hose Repairer to Mechanic's Helper, from December 20, 1901.
 Luke Broderick, 555 Driggs avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, from Sweeper to Driver, from December 21, 1901.

TRANSFERS.

William Magee, New Brighton, S. I., Foreman in the Department of Highways, Borough of Richmond, has been transferred to the Department of Sewers in the Borough of Richmond, from December 24, 1901.
 Michael Cunningham, of the Borough of Manhattan, Driver in the Police Department, has been transferred to the Department of Highways of the Borough of Manhattan as a Driver, from December 24, 1901.

Respectfully yours,
 F. A. SPENCER, Labor Clerk.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
 December 31, 1901.

To the Supervisor of the City Record, City Hall, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I am directed by the Mayor to transmit to you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, the following memorandum of an appointment made by him on December 30.

Very respectfully yours,

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Secretary to the Mayor.

APPOINTMENT MADE BY THE MAYOR
 DECEMBER 30, 1901.

John J. Bell, Jr., to be an Inspector of Licenses in the Bureau of Licenses, at an annual salary of \$1,200, this appointment being probationary under Civil Service Rules.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
 December 31, 1901.

To the Supervisor of the City Record, City Hall, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I am directed by the Mayor to transmit to you, for publication in the CITY RECORD, the following memorandum of an appointment made by him on the 31st instant.

Very respectfully yours,

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Secretary to the Mayor.

APPOINTMENT MADE BY THE MAYOR
 DECEMBER 31, 1901.

William H. Broderick, a Marshal of The City of New York, in place of George W. Klune, removed, and for the unexpired term of said George W. Klune, and he has been assigned to the Municipal Court of The City of New York in the Eighth District, Manhattan.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
 JANUARY 1, 1902.

To the Supervisor of the City Record, City Hall, New York City:

SIR—I am directed by the Mayor to transmit to you for publication in the CITY RECORD the following memorandum of an appointment made by him this day.

Very respectfully yours,

ALFRED DOWNES, Secretary to the Mayor.

APPOINTMENT MADE BY THE MAYOR

JANUARY 1, 1902.

James William Hyde, a Trustee of the College of The City of New York, in place of Henry P. O'Neill, resigned, and for the unexpired term of the said Henry P. O'Neill.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
 January 1, 1902.

To the Supervisor of the City Record, City Hall, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I am directed by the Mayor to transmit to you the following memorandum of an appointment made by him this day.

Very respectfully yours,

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Secretary to the Mayor.

APPOINTMENT MADE BY THE MAYOR

JANUARY 1, 1902.

Patrick Keady, a Justice of the Court of Special Sessions, of the Second Division of the City of New York, for the term of ten years, which ends on the 31st day of December, 1901.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

NEW YORK, December 18, 1901.

A meeting of the Armory Board was held this day at 11.30 o'clock A. M., at the office of the Mayor.

Present—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith.

The minutes of the meeting held December 2, 1901, were read, and adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith.

The Secretary presented bills for professional services, of Horgan & Slattery, architects, in the preparation of details and supervision of materials and labor in the erection of the First Battery Armory, located on the south side of Sixty-sixth street, Manhattan, \$631.41, and for preparing plans and specifications for a proposed armory building for the Second Naval Battalion, Borough of Brooklyn, \$1,500.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to Horgan & Slattery, architects, the sum of six hundred and thirty-one dollars and forty-one cents (\$631.41), as per accompanying voucher, on account, for professional services, in the erection of the armory building for the First Battery, N. G. N. Y., Borough of Manhattan, and that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be respectfully requested to concur in the same.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith.

Whereas, The Armory Board, at a meeting held July 9, 1900, adopted a resolution providing for the erection of an Armory Building for the Second Naval Battalion, on a site selected in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the westerly side of First avenue, extending from Forty-third to Forty-fourth streets, and authorized the architects, Horgan & Slattery, to prepare the plans and specifications for the same, at an expense of sixty thousand dollars, and

Whereas, The Sinking Fund Commissioners, at a meeting held August 8, 1900, concurred in the above resolution and authorized the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of sixty thousand dollars for much purpose; and

Whereas, such plans and specifications were prepared and the work was advertised for, and bids were opened for the same on the 23d day of January, 1901, the lowest bid for such work exceeded the appropriation and the erection of the building was abandoned, and the site has since been sold by the City—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to Messrs. Horgan & Slattery, architects, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) in full, as per accompanying voucher, for professional services in preparing plans and specifications for a proposed new armory building for the Second Naval Battalion, N. G. N. Y., on the site now abandoned on First avenue, Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, Borough of Brooklyn, and that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be respectfully requested to concur in the same.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith.

A bill was received from Henry Mesa, Surveyor, for surveying site for an armory in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments offered the following:

Resolved, That the Armory Board does hereby approve of the bill and expense for the survey of the site for the Second Naval Battalion Armory, on the west side of First avenue, from Forty-third to Forty-fourth street, Borough of Brooklyn, by Henry Mesa, Civil Engineer and City Surveyor, amounting to one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150), and that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be requested to concur and the Comptroller be authorized to pay the same.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments presented an application from Luke A. Burke, contractor, for a payment to him of \$9,965.20, on account of his contract for the erection of the First Battery Armory, on the southerly side of Sixty-sixth street, 150 feet east of Columbus avenue, Borough of Manhattan: this application was accompanied by a certificate from the Architects that the materials and work were in accordance with the specifications, and also from the Assistant Clerk of the Works, who similarly certified, and offered the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to Luke A. Burke, Contractor, the sum of nine thousand nine hundred and sixty-five dollars and twenty cents (\$9,965.20), as per accompanying voucher, on account, for his contract for materials and work required in the erection of the armory building for the First Battery, N. G. N. Y., on the southerly side of Sixty-sixth street, one hundred and fifty feet east of Columbus avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith.

The Secretary reported that in accordance with the direction of the Corporation Counsel, he has filed the maps of the site selected for the armory for Troop "C," Borough of Brooklyn, in the offices of the Registers of the County of Kings, and of the County of New York, and a copy thereof in the office of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, in the Borough of Manhattan, and has transmitted the resolution of the Armory Board adopted at its last meeting requesting the Corporation Counsel to take proceedings for the condemnation of the site.

A communication was received from the Secretary of the Sinking Fund, transmitting copy of resolution of meeting held December 10, 1901, concurring in the resolution of the Armory Board, adopting the plan for an armory building for the Second Naval Battalion, N. G., N. Y., and authorizing an issue of bonds for that purpose.

Ordered filed.

A communication was received from the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, transmitting the Engineer's Report which was presented to them, in connection with the consideration of the proposed armory building for the Second Naval Battalion, N. G., N. Y., on the site selected on the westerly side of First avenue, extending from Fifty-first to Fifty-second street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and calling attention to a large bank of sand on the premises, estimated at 40,000 cubic yards.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments offered the following: Resolved, That a committee, consisting of Brigadier-General James McLeer and the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, be appointed, to confer with the Department of Docks and Ferries, in regard to the location of a bulkhead and grading of this property.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith.

The Secretary further reported that, since the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the plans for the Armory Building for the Second Naval Battalion, as modified and approved by the Committee, had been forwarded to the Architects, with the request that they

proceed with the details and specifications, under the provisions of resolution of this Board of October 25, 1901.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments then offered the following :

Resolved, That when such plans have been completed, and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, the Secretary be directed to insert the necessary advertisements in the CITY RECORD and in the Corporation newspapers in the Borough of Brooklyn, for proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith.

A motion to adjourn was adopted by the following vote :

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith.

THOMAS L. FELTNER, Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 320 BROADWAY, }
NEW YORK, December 28, 1901.

Meeting of the Board of Assessors held December 24, 1901, at 11 A. M.

Present—John B. Meyenborg (President pro tem.), Edward Cahill and Thomas A. Wilson. Minutes of the meeting of December 20, 1901, were read and approved.

The following communications were received and placed on file.

From the Department of Highways, dated December 17, 1901—Retransmitting assessment list for paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, amended as requested.

From the Board of Revision of Assessments, dated December 21, 1901—Announcing meeting of said Board for December 23, 1901, at 2 P. M.

From the Department of Highways, dated December 17, 1901—Transmitting assessment list for improvement, Borough of Richmond.

From Department of Sewers, dated December 18, 1901—Transmitting assessment list for sewers, Borough of The Bronx.

From Department of Sewers, dated December 23, 1901—Transmitting assessment lists for sewers, Boroughs of Brooklyn and The Bronx.

The assessment lists hereinafter named, having been duly advertised and no objections received, were confirmed and ordered transmitted to the Comptroller for entry and collection :

Borough of Manhattan.

Flagging and reflagging sidewalks and filling on east side of Bradhurst avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets.

Flagging sidewalks and filling on southwest corner of One Hundred and Third street and Broadway.

Flagging and reflagging sidewalks, curbing and filling on south side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Bradhurst and Eighth avenues.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Sewer-basin at the northeast corner of Somers street and Eastern parkway extension.

The assessment list for outlet sewer through Two Hundred and First street, with branches in Academy street, etc., Borough of Manhattan, having been revised as directed by the Board of Revision of Assessments and readjusted for objections, new objections were filed by W. B. Hopping, attorney. The said objections were overruled and the list ordered transmitted to the Board of Revision of Assessments for confirmation.

Hearing of objections in the following matters was adjourned until December 31, 1901, at 11 A. M. :

Borough of The Bronx.

Sewers in St. Joseph's street, from Timpson place to Robbins avenue, etc.

Regulating and grading River avenue between East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Jerome avenue.

Regulating and grading One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Mott avenue to Exterior street.

C. H. Griffin, attorney for claimants in the matter of the change of grade of Wadsworth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, was granted an adjournment of hearing to December 27, 1901, at 11 A. M.

E. A. Allen, attorney, was given until December 27, 1901, at 11 A. M., to file brief in matter of objections to assessment for sewer in East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, Borough of The Bronx.

The claim filed by John Widdicombe, attorney, for damages caused by the change of grade of Ward avenue, Borough of Richmond, was disallowed, the property in question being vacant land. Mr. Widdicombe failed to appear after due notification.

Further consideration of the following assessments was laid over :

Borough of Manhattan.

Regulating and grading Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

Sewer in Edgecombe road, between One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets.

Sewer in Edgecombe road, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets.

A communication was received from E. M. Bassett, attorney, inclosing affidavits claiming that Deibert H. Decker, objector to the assessment for the Flatbush avenue improvement, Borough of Brooklyn, filed objections at the first hearing to determine area of benefit of said assessment and asking that said affidavits be transmitted to the Corporation Counsel. Said affidavits were ordered transmitted with a communication stating that said objections were not filed at the original hearing.

Adjourned.

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 320 BROADWAY, }
NEW YORK, December 30, 1901.

Meeting of the Board of Assessors held December 27, 1901, at 11 A. M.

Present—John B. Meyenborg (President pro tem.), Thomas A. Wilson and Edward Duffy. Minutes of meeting of December 24, 1901, were read and approved.

The following communications were received and placed on file :

From the Department of Highways, dated December 17, 1901—Transmitting assessment-lists for improvements, Borough of The Bronx.

From the Department of Sewers, dated December 24, 1901—Transmitting assessment-lists for sewers, Borough of The Bronx.

W. D. Peck, attorney, introduced additional testimony in support of his objections to assessment for sewer in Sedgwick avenue, from Fordham road to East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, Borough of The Bronx, and was given until December 30, 1901, to file a brief.

C. H. Griffin, attorney, submitted evidence in support of claims for damages caused by the change of grade of Wadsworth avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Eleventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and agreed to submit a brief in regard to said claims on December 30, 1901, and said brief, when received, was ordered transmitted to the Department of Highways for a report.

E. A. Allen, attorney, was given until December 30, 1901, to file brief in support of his objections to assessment for sewer in East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, from Grand to Creston avenue, etc., Borough of The Bronx.

Adjourned.

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

LOCAL BOARD.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, held its meeting at temporary Borough Hall, corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street in late Long Island City, on December 6, 1901.

Present—Aldermen Luke Otten and Joseph Geiser, with Councilman David L. Van Nostrand (who arrived in time to act upon the petition to lay flagging in Bayside) and President of the Borough Frederick Bowley.

Minutes of previous meeting approved.

The public hearing upon the proposition of this Board that The City of New York acquire necessary right, title and interest to enable it to construct proposed City canal, etc., with under-ground conduit, as advertised, was declared off for the reason stated by the Chairman of the

Board, that the map thereof as filed and referred to in the published notice of public hearing, does not show the strip of land along the outer line of said canal on both sides to along its entire length ; whereupon the following was duly adopted :

Resolved, That this the Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, in meeting assembled this 6th day of December, 1901, deeming it for the best interests of this City that it, The City of New York, should promptly acquire all right, title and interest so as to enable it to construct the proposed City canals with basins and under-ground conduit as connection between same, together with a strip of land one hundred and fifty feet deep along the outer lines on both sides along the whole length of the canals and basins, and to extend from the United States pier and bulkhead lines of Flushing Bay and reek to Hoffman Boulevard or avenue and Bretonnierre avenue, and from junction of Newtown avenue and Covert avenue to foot of Clifton avenue, near Mussel Island in Newtown creek, respectively, and which are more fully described in communication of Chief Topographical Engineer to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, which appears upon page 552 of printed minutes of its meeting held March 6, 1901 ; and as appears upon tentative map or plan showing a general design of streets, etc., for part of Second Ward, Borough of Queens, and was approved of by the Board of Public Improvements, and to which the map of said canals and basins filed in office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on October 4, 1901, is but a part thereof ; wherefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it forthwith cause a complete map to be made of the whole of said canals, its basins, under-ground conduit and strip of land one hundred and fifty feet wide on both sides of said canals and basins and along its entire length, which taken altogether, commences at Flushing Bay and terminates at Mussel Island in Newtown creek ; and that such map be submitted to it for approval and order to file at its next meeting on December 18, 1901 ; and further

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it cause the necessary proceedings to be instituted whereby The City of New York will acquire all necessary right, title and interest as will enable it to promptly construct the canals, basins, under-ground conduit and appurtenances thereto belonging, together with the strip of land on both sides of and along the entire length of said canals and basins, and lands between docks and piers in said basins as may appear on map when adopted and filed.

Also,

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did submit to this the Local Board thereof, in meeting assembled December 6, 1901, petition of owners of real estate along the line of Franklin street, in First Ward of borough and city aforementioned, that the grade of said street, from its junction with Van Alst avenue and Main street westerly to Mills street, be changed to conform as nearly as practical with the present surface of said street, as per profile submitted ; and

Whereas, This Board did, in accordance with notice published, afford public hearing thereon ; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that compliance with said petition would be for the best interests of this City ; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it give the subject-matter of the petition its prompt and favorable consideration and action toward having the requirements of the petitioners responded to.

Also,

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did submit to this the Local Board thereof, at its meeting held December 6, 1901, petition of owners of real estate along the line of Camelia street in First Ward of borough and city aforementioned, that the grade of said street, between Van Alst avenue and the Crescent in said ward, be changed to conform, as nearly as practical, with the present surface of said street or point of least disturbance to existing dwellings ; and

Whereas, This Board did, in accordance with notice published, afford public hearing thereon to all who desired to be heard ; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that compliance with said petition would be for the best interests of this City ; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it give the subject-matter of the petition its prompt and favorable consideration and action toward having the requirements of the petitioners responded to.

Also,

Resolved, By this the Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, in meeting assembled on the 6th day of December, 1901, in its judgment that it would be for the best interests of this City to and accordingly do hereby recommend to the Board of Public Improvements, said city, that favorable action be taken toward having a course of flagging laid on both sides of the following named streets in Bayside, Third Ward, this borough, as petitioned for, to wit :

From Bell avenue, extending to the Catholic Church on Warburton avenue.

On both sides of Bell avenue (main thoroughfare), from Crocheron avenue to at least public school-house.

From Bell avenue to Episcopal Church on Montauk avenue.

From Bell avenue to Methodist Church on Montauk avenue.

From Bell avenue to Literary Hall on Palace avenue facing Park street.

From Bell avenue to Tenth street or Lawrence Boulevard.

Also,

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did submit to this the Local Board thereof, in meeting assembled December 6, 1901, petition of owners of real estate for the construction of a public sewer and appurtenances thereto in Fifth street, between Orchard and Ludlow avenues, in Second Ward of borough and city aforementioned ; and

Whereas, This Board did, in accordance with notice published, afford public hearing thereon at which no person appeared in opposition thereto ; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that compliance with said petition would be for the best interests of this City ; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it give the subject-matter of the petition its prompt and favorable consideration and action.

Also,

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did submit to this the Local Board thereof, in meeting assembled December 6, 1901, petition of owners of real estate for the construction of a public sewer and appurtenances thereto in Fifth street, between Orchard and Ludlow avenues, in Second Ward of borough and city aforementioned ; and

Whereas, This Board did, in accordance with notice published, afford public hearing thereon at which no person appeared in opposition thereto ; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that compliance with said petition would be for the best interests of this City ; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it give the subject-matter of the petition its prompt and favorable consideration and action.

Also,

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did submit to this the Local Board thereof, in meeting assembled on December 6, 1901, petition of owners of real estate for the construction of a public sewer and appurtenances thereto in Eighth street, between Orchard and Lamont avenues, in Second Ward of borough and city aforementioned ; and

Whereas, This Board did, in accordance with notice published, afford public hearing thereon at which no person appeared in opposition thereto ; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that compliance with said petition would be for the best interests of this City ; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it give the subject-matter of the petition its prompt and favorable consideration and action.

Also,

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did submit to this the Local Board thereof, at its meeting held December 6, 1901, petition of owners of real estate for the construction of a public sewer and appurtenances thereto in Lamont avenue, between Fifth street and Eleventh street, in Second Ward of borough and city aforementioned ; and

Whereas, This Board did, in accordance with notice published, afford public hearing thereon at which no person appeared in opposition thereto ; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that compliance with said petition would be for the best interests of this City ; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it give the subject-matter of the petition its prompt and favorable consideration and action.

Also,

Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did submit to this the Local Board thereof, at its meeting held December 6, 1901, petition of owners of real estate for the construction of a public sewer and appurtenances thereto in Ludlow avenue, between Charles place and Fourth street, in Second Ward of borough and city aforementioned ; and

Whereas, This Board did, in accordance with notice published, afford public hearing thereon at which no person appeared in opposition thereto ; and

Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that compliance with said petition would be for the best interests of this City ; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it give the subject-matter of the petition its prompt and favorable consideration and action.

Also,
Whereas, The President of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, did submit to this the Local Board thereof, in meeting assembled December 6, 1901, petition of owners of real estate for the construction of a public sewer and appurtenances thereto in Whitney avenue, between Broadway and Eleventh street, in Second Ward of aforementioned borough; and

Whereas, This Board did, in accordance with notice published, afford public hearing thereon at which no person appeared in opposition thereto; and
Whereas, It is the opinion of this Board that compliance with said petition would be for the best interests of this City; therefore

Resolved, That recommendation be and hereby is made to the Board of Public Improvements, City of New York, that it give the subject-matter of the petition its prompt and favorable consideration and action.

Also,
Resolved, That the petition to recommend that Ocean avenue, from Long Island Railroad southerly to City line in Rosedale, Fifth Ward, this borough, be macadamized, be and the same is hereby denied, as in the opinion of this Board compliance therewith would not be to the best interests of all concerned.

Adjourned to December 13, 1901.

JOSEPH FIESEL, Secretary.

LOCAL BOARD.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The Local Board of the Borough of Queens, City of New York, met at temporary Borough Hall in late Long Island City, on December 13, 1901.

Present—Aldermen Luke Otten and Joseph Geiser, with Frederick Bowley as President of the Borough.

Minutes of previous meeting approved.

The public hearing upon map or plan of general design of streets, etc., of part of Far Rockaway, in Fifth Ward, Borough of Queens, this city, which was submitted to the Local Board of this borough, for its consideration and action, was attended by a large number of representative persons, and the matter discussed by Messrs. W. Fred Duncan, Curnan, Henry F. Baldwin, Brown, E. M. Brooks, Eugene Lenthion, Curtiss, Justice Healy and ex-Judge Browne; whereupon, on motion, the Chairman of the Board declared the hearing closed. On motion of Alderman Otten, the further investigation of the subject was referred to committee, to which the Chairman appointed Councilman Van Nostrand and Aldermen Otten and Geiser.

Adjourned to 20th instant.

JOSEPH FIESEL, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, December 26, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the Department of Highways for the week ending December 25, 1901.

Respectfully,
WM. N. SHANNON,
Deputy Commissioner of Highways.

	BOROUGH.				
	MANHATTAN	THE BRONX	BROOKLYN	QUEENS	RICHMOND
Public Moneys Received during the Week.					
For restoring and re-paving pavement.....					
Water connections, openings		\$170 79	\$181 00	\$4 00	.....
Sewer connections, openings		10 00	91 00	26 00	.....
General account.....	\$2,798 50	.....	3 33	.....	.....
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	3 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
For vault permits.....	3,599 64	.....	.....	.....	.....
For shed permits	15 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	\$6,416 14	\$180 79	\$275 33	\$30 00	.....
Permits Issued.					
Permits to open streets, to tap water-pipes		39	28	2	2
Permits to open streets, to repair water connections		3	50	2	6
Permits to open streets, to make sewer connections	53	2	17	6	.....
Permits to open streets, to repair sewer connections .....		.....	10	3	.....
Permits to place building material on streets.....	58	1	7	1	1
Permits to construct street vaults.....	5	.....	1	.....	.....
Permits, special.....	.....	24	54	5	6
Permits to construct sheds	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
Permits to erect awning.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....
Permits to cross sidewalks	5	.....	11	.....	.....
Permits for subways, steam-mains and various connections.....	138	19	.....	1	.....
Permits to repair sidewalks.....	13	.....	.....	.....	.....
Obstructions Removed.					
Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues	14	6	12	.....	.....
Repairs to Pavement.					
Square yards of pavement repaired .....	.....	240	2,953	.....	.....

Requisitions drawn on Comptroller..... \$187,469 38

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Highways during Week ending December 21, 1901.

NATURE OF WORK.	BOROUGH.											
	MANHATTAN.			THE BRONX.			BROOKLYN.			QUEENS.		
	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.
Repaving and renewal of pavements.....	258	312	4 78	41	1 8	77	114	16	51	.....	.....	.....
Boulevards, roads and avenues, maintenance of.....	23	102	16 7	21	562	82	5 13	68	8 33	.....	.....	.....
Roads, streets and avenues.....	2	19	1 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9 19	2 5	.....	.....
Total.....	283	433	21 86	21	603	83	90	182	24	84	9	19

REPORT OF CHANGES IN FORCE FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 25, 1901.
Borough of Manhattan.

Resigned—1 Sounder.
Promoted to Assistant Foremen—2 Laborers.
Promoted to Driver—1 Laborer.
Promoted to Rammer—1 Laborer.
Promoted to Foreman—1 Assistant Foreman.
Increased from \$3.50 to \$1,200—1 Foreman.
Increased from \$1,200 to \$1,500—1 Messenger.
Transferred from Police Department—1 Driver.

Borough of The Bronx.

Increased from \$1,500 to \$1,800—1 Stenographer.
Increased from \$900 to \$1,080—1 Time Keeper.
Appointed—1 Driver.
Appointed—2 Laborers, "Wood Sawyers."
Transferred from Brooklyn—1 Inspector of Paving.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Transferred to The Bronx—1 Inspector of Paving.
Increased from \$2 to \$2.25—1 Laborer.
Employed—1 horse and wagon.

Borough of Queens.

Reinstated—7 Laborers.

Borough of Richmond.

Re-employed—1 team.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, December 19, 1901.

The following proceedings were this day directed by the Police Commissioner:
On reading and filing communication from Horgan & Slattery, with recommendation, Ordered, That extension of time be granted to Messrs. Ryan & McFerran, contractors, to complete the Fortieth Precinct station-house to March 1, 1902.
Permission granted Patrolman Edward Cullen, Seventy-third Precinct, to receive gift of sleeve buttons from Joseph M. May, No. 480 Bedford avenue.

MASQUERADE BALL PERMITS GRANTED.

Joseph Pacher, Bohemian National Hall, February 15, 1902, fee \$25.
Charles Gassman, Lexington Opera House, January 11, 1902, fee \$25.
John J. Moran, Sulzer's Harlem Casino, December 28, fee \$25.
Stephen D. Cooper, Lexington Opera House, December 21, fee \$25.

SPECIAL PATROLMEN APPOINTED.

John Masters, for Holmes Electric Company.

FULL PAY GRANTED.

Gilbert Holmes, Second Precinct, from October 31 to December 11.
Clarence Martineau, Tenth Precinct, from November 23 to 26; and to be reimbursed for uniform trousers destroyed.
Edgar V. Campbell, Twenty fifth Precinct, from November 6 to December 1.

RETIRED ON APPLICATION.

Patrolman Philip H. Smith, Sanitary Company, \$700.
Sergeant Thomas Murphy, Third Precinct, \$1,000.

DEATH REPORTED.

Patrolman Andrew J. Hickey, Fifty-fifth Precinct, 7 A. M. December 18.
Ordered, That Patrolmen Thomas H. Murphy and James Quigley, Headquarters Squad, be and are hereby designated and assigned to duty as Detective Sergeants in the Detective Bureau.

REFERRED TO FIRST DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.

Petition of Elizabeth Lozier, for pension.

REFERRED TO THE SENIOR INSPECTOR.

J. H. Carney—Commending Patrolman Tobias Glennon, Twenty-second Precinct, for stopping a runaway.
Thomas F. Murray—Commending Patrolman William Mullane for arresting a murderer.
S. Stock—Commending Patrolman Patrick O'Neill, Twenty-seventh Precinct, for saving his wife and child in a runaway.

REFERRED TO CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Communication from Patrolman George Trojan, Twentieth Precinct, making application for promotion to grade of Roundsman and inclosing letters from Messrs. Christian F. Tietjen and James McClenahan.

CHIEF CLERK TO ANSWER.

John T. Woods—In behalf of Mrs. Regan, applicant for pension.
Terese Nally—Asking if there is a vacancy in position of Police Matron.
Gunther K. Ackerman—In behalf of Philip J. Nolan, applicant for position of Groundman, Telegraph Bureau.
Communication from Corporation Counsel, relative to contract with Charles H. Heinsohn for building materials.

ON FILE.

Communication from Hugh L. Fox, returning three copies of contract for photograph cabinets.
Bernard J. York, Second Deputy Commissioner—Reporting leaves of absence under the rule.
Report of Surgeon Terry of discontinuance of contagious disease in the family of Detective Sergeant John Fitzpatrick, Detective Bureau.
M. T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller—Asking attendance of F. L. Cummings, Patrolman, Tuesday, December 17.
Charles V. Heinsohn—Notice relative to fulfillment of contract for supplying lumber.

ON FILE, SEND COPY.

Report on complaint of C. J. Osborn, relative to annoyance of people on Kings County Elevated Railroad station, Sands and Fulton streets.
Report on communication from Michael Gray, asking increase of pension as retired Detective Sergeant.
Report on communication from M. O'Connell, commending Patrolman Henry Schorske for stopping a runaway.
Report on communication from Patrolman Louis Martin, Thirty-fourth Precinct, asking further recognition for stopping a runaway.
Complaint ordered dismissed in the case of Patrolman Patrick Sullivan, Seventy-fifth Precinct, charged with neglect of duty.

TRANSFERS, ETC., ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONER.

Precinct Detective Henry Hahn, Fifth Precinct, remanded and transferred to Headquarters Squad.

December 19, A. M.

Patrolman Philip Fitzsimons, from Seventeenth Precinct to Eighty-first Precinct.
" John A. Murphy, from Ninth Precinct to Thirty-sixth Precinct.
" F. W. Offenbulte, Eighth Precinct to Thirty-eighth Precinct.
" Owen Duffy, Twenty-second Precinct, detailed as Driver, Patrol Wagon.
" James Everett, Twenty-second Precinct, remanded from Patrol Wagon.

By order of the Commissioner.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 21 PARK ROW,
December 26, 1901.

In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending December 14, 1901:

PUBLIC LAMPS.

Twenty-three new lamps erected, 14 lighted, 6 relighted and 8 discontinued; 28 lamp-posts removed, 25 reset and 6 straightened; 3 columns refitted and 22 releaded; 7 service and 10 stand-pipes refitted.

CHANGES IN FORCE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.
Reinstated—1 Cleaner.

REQUISITIONS ON COMPTROLLER.

The total number of requisitions drawn on the Comptroller by this Department during the week ending December 14, 1901, is \$61,835.58.

HENRY S. KEARNY, Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, December 30, 1901.

In compliance with section 1546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Department of Water Supply makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending December 14, 1901:

PUBLIC MONEYS RECEIVED AND DEPOSITED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Receipts for water rents.....	\$60,905 72
" penalties on water rents.....	451 95
" permits to tap water-mains.....	171 00
	<hr/> \$61,528 67

Borough of Brooklyn.

Receipts for water rents.....	\$13,896 46
" arrears of water rents.....	2,963 29
" permits to tap water-mains.....	244 00
" water for building purposes.....	219 10
" miscellaneous work.....	82 22
	<hr/> \$17,405 07

Borough of Queens.

Receipts for water rents.....	\$6,756 76
" penalties on water rents.....	2 32
" permits to tap water-mains.....	20 00
	<hr/> \$6,779 08

Borough of Richmond.

Receipts for water rents.....	\$4 36
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CHANGES IN THE WORKING FORCE.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Appointed—Thomas E. Holland, Measurer, at \$1,000 per annum.
Reinstated—4 Laborers at \$2 per day and 1 Foreman at \$3 per day.
Promoted—1 Laborer to Temporary Caulker; increased from \$2 to \$3 per day.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Reinstated—1 Assistant Foreman at \$4 per day.

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

APPROVED PAPERS.

No. 1331.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. de Courcy Ireland to erect, maintain and keep, on the north side of Twenty-sixth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, a marquee in front of the entrance to the premises known as the Croisic, the same being No. 7 West Twenty-sixth street, the said marquee to be in style and dimensions as shown on the accompanying blue print, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 22, 1901.

Adopted by the Council, December 17, 1901.

Approved by the Mayor, December 23, 1901.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES,
PIER "A," N. R., BATTERY PLACE,
NEW YORK, December 27, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to advise that at a meeting of the Board of Docks held this date, the title of Peter Reilly and Peter Severin, was changed from Dock Builder to Laborer, with compensation at the rate of 25 cents per hour, while employed, commencing December 28, 1901.

Yours respectfully,
WM. H. BURKE,
Secretary.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES,
PIER "A," N. R., BATTERY PLACE,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to advise that at a meeting of the Board of Docks held this date, the following actions were taken:

The name of William J. Waters, Boatman, was taken from the list of employees.

Jeremiah Crowley, Thomas F. O'Rourke, Thomas Reynolds and John T. Havanagh, were promoted from Laborer to Messenger, and their compensation, together with that of Bernard P. Gibney, fixed at the rate of \$1,000 per annum, from and after January 1, 1902.

The resignation of Frank J. Simpson, as Laborer, was accepted.

The title of Charles McLean was changed from Blacksmith to Foreman, with compensation at the rate of 60 cents per hour, while employed, and the title of Thomas King was changed from Laborer to Scowman, with compensation at the rate of \$15 per week; both to take effect this date.

The compensation of Herbert L. Rodgers, Draughtsman, was fixed at the rate of \$125 per month, to take effect January 1, 1902.

Patrick J. Barnett, Thomas Cooney and Thomas Hillard, Laborers, and Edward J. Collins, Ship Carpenter, and John Dwyer, Machinist, were discharged.

The compensation of Daniel Sullivan and Michael Sheehan, Laborers, was fixed at the rate of \$17.50 each per week; Peter O'Brien, Marine Sounder, at the rate of \$18 per week; all to take effect this day; and the compensation of Thomas McGivney, Foreman Laborers, was fixed at the rate of \$1,250 per annum, from and after January 1, 1902.

Yours respectfully,
WM. H. BURKE,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

BOARD OF EDUCATION,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to inform you that at the meeting of the Board of Education held on December 30, 1901, action relative to appointments, salaries, etc., was taken as follows:

The salary of Jennie F. Walsh, Attendance Officer, Borough of Brooklyn, was fixed at \$1,100 per annum.

The action of the Committee on Buildings in approving of the placing on duty on December 2, 1901, in the workshop in the Borough of Brooklyn, William A. McDermott, No. 202 Fifty-fourth street, Brooklyn, as Plumber's Apprentice, at a salary of \$10 per week, was approved.

The action of the School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn in transferring the following-named Janitor-Engineers on the dates given, was approved.

Francis F. Thompson, from Public School 51 to Public School 26, to date from December 19, 1901; annual salary, \$2,445.

John Dowling, from Public School 26 to Girls' High School, to date from December 14, 1901; annual salary, \$4,555.

Charles G. Burnett, from Public School 20 to Public School 88, to date from December 26, 1901; annual salary, \$1,460.

William A. Kip, from Public School 71 to Public School 122, to date from December 18, 1901; annual salary, \$2,100.

The salaries of sundry Janitor-Engineers and Janitors in the Borough of Brooklyn were fixed as follows:

James Connolly, Training School, \$1,500.
Wm. H. Nedderman, Public School 31, \$2,100.

M. A. Howard, Public School 59, \$900.
Wm. J. Hartman, Public School 73, \$1,950.
A. A. Fister, Public School 91, \$600.

Andrew S. Thompson, Public School 105, \$650.
Jefferson Davis, Public School 124, \$1,300.

The salaries of sundry Janitor-Engineers and Janitors in the Borough of Brooklyn, were fixed as follows, to take effect on the dates specified.

Janitor-Engineers.

Public School 128, Harry L. Woolf, to date from December 3, 1901, annual salary, \$1,400.

Public School 126, John E. Rooke, to date from December 3, 1901, annual salary \$2,100.

Public School 123, Paul A. Ajas, to date from December 4, 1901, annual salary, \$1,700.

Public School 131, William S. Mackenzie, to date from December 9, 1901, annual salary, \$1,400.

Janitors.

Public School 33, Daniel F. Keenan, to date from December 19, 1901, annual salary, \$1,800.

Public School 34, James L. Cummins, to date from December 3, 1901, annual salary, \$1,400.

Public School 20, James E. Hayden, to date from December 26, 1901, annual salary, \$840.

The action of the School Board for the Borough of Queens in appointing Mary Mulligan as Cleaner in Public School 11, Woodside, at an annual salary of \$400, to take effect upon the beginning of service, was approved.

The salary of the Janitor-Engineer of the Girls' High School, Borough of Brooklyn, was fixed at \$6,000 per annum, to date from January 1, 1902.

Respectfully,
A. E. PALMER,
Secretary, Board of Education.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

CORONERS' OFFICE, CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF QUEENS,
JAMAICA, December 31, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—The Board of Coroners, Borough of Queens, have this day accepted the resignation of Charles J. Schneller, as Chief Clerk of the Board of Coroners, Borough of Queens.

Respectfully submitted,
PHILIP T. CRONIN,
President, Board of Coroners,
Borough of Queens.

LEONARD RUOFF, JR.,
Coroner, Borough of Queens.

P.S.—Through a mistake of the Stenographer, the notices sent you this morning read Coroners' Clerk instead of Chief Clerk to the Board of Coroners.

PHILIP T. CRONIN, LEONARD RUOFF, JR.,
Coroners, Borough of Queens.

CORONERS' OFFICE, CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF QUEENS,
JAMAICA, December 31, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—The Board of Coroners have this day appointed Martin Mager, Jr., of Middle Village as Chief Clerk of the Board of Coroners of the Borough of Queens, in the place of Charles J. Schneller, resigned.

Respectfully submitted,
PHILIP T. CRONIN,
President, Board of Coroners,
Borough of Queens.

LEONARD RUOFF, JR.,
Coroner, Borough of Queens.

P.S.—Through a mistake of the Stenographer the notices sent you this morning read Coroners' Clerk instead of Chief Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

PHILIP T. CRONIN,
LEONARD RUOFF, JR.,
Coroners, Borough of Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND,
THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,
December 31, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to report the following action taken in connection with employees of this Department, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond:

Discharge Rescinded and Transferred to Highway Department.

William R. Dalton, Laborer.
Reinstated from Department of Street Cleaning as Laborer, at \$2 Per Day.

Cormac McLaughlin, No. 357 East Sixty-eighth street.

Respectfully,
WILLIS HOLLY,
Secretary, Park Board.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,
ROOM NO. 14, CITY HALL,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
December 31, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I hereby notify you that on December 20, 1901, the pay of Charles L. Lincoln, Boss Carpenter, was advanced from \$4 to \$4.50 per day.

Yours very truly,
GEO. V. BROWER,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
PARK ROW BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.,
December 31, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—You are hereby notified that John F. Gregg, No. 271 Crescent street, Brooklyn, has been promoted from the position of Toll Clerk on the New York and Brooklyn Bridge to that of Fifth Grade Senior Clerk, at a compensation of \$1,800 per annum, to date from January 1, 1902.

Respectfully,
JOHN L. SHEA,
Commissioner of Bridges.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
PARK ROW BUILDING,
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.,
December 31, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—You are hereby notified that Edward Hayes, Green avenue, Westchester, Bridgetender on Willis Avenue Bridge, has been transferred to the City Island Bridge as Bridge-tender, to date from January 1, 1902, without increase of compensation; also that George C. L yng, City Island, Bridge-tender on the City Island Bridge, has been transferred to the Willis Avenue Bridge at a compensation of \$900 per annum, to date from January 1, 1902.

Respectfully,
JOHN L. SHEA,
Commissioner of Bridges.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
January 1, 1902.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. George W. Blake to the office of Secretary of the Borough of Manhattan, at a salary of \$3,500 per annum.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
January 1, 1902.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. George Livingston to the office of Commissioner of Public Works, at a salary of \$6,000 per annum.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
January 1, 1902.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. Fritz Guertler to the office of Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, at a salary of \$4,000 per annum.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
January 1, 1902.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. F. Stuart Williamson to the office of Consulting Engineer, Public Works Department.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
January 1, 1902.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. William H. Michael to the office of Superintendent of Sewers, at a salary of \$4,000 per annum.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
January 1, 1902.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. Horace Loomis to the office of Chief Engineer of Sewers, at a salary of \$6,000 per annum.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
January 2, 1902.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr.

James G. Collins to the office of Superintendent of Highways, at a salary of \$4,000 per annum.
Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
January 1, 1902. }

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. Perez M. Stewart to the office of Superintendent of Buildings, at a salary of \$5,000 per annum.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
January 1, 1902. }

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. William H. Walker to the position of Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices, at a salary of \$4,000 per annum.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
January 1, 1902. }

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. William Martin Aiken to the office of Deputy Superintendent of the Building Department, at a salary of \$4,000 per annum.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
January 1, 1902. }

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. Louis Korn to the office of Consulting Engineer of Public Buildings.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }
January 1, 1902. }

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, I hereby inform you that I have this day appointed Mr. Richard E. Taylor to the office of Superintendent of Baths, at a salary of \$2,500 per annum.

Yours truly,
JACOB A. CANTOR,
President, Borough of Manhattan.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, December 27, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to inform you that I have this day promoted Thomas G. Price, Junior Law Clerk, Fourth Grade, to Junior Law Clerk, Fifth Grade, at an annual salary of \$2,000 per annum, to take effect on and after this date.

Very respectfully,
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, December 1, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I have this day appointed Harold S. Rankine, now designated as a Junior Assistant, an Assistant Corporation Counsel at the same salary as he now receives to take effect on this date.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—You are hereby notified that John B. Stein, a Draughtsman in the Topographical Bureau in the Board of Public Improvements, has been transferred to the position of Computer and Draughtsman in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department, and I have fixed his salary at \$1,500 per annum to take effect on and after the 31st day of December, 1901.

Very respectfully,
JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,
NEW YORK, January 1, 1902.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to notify you of the following changes in the pay-roll of this office, each of which takes effect on this date:

The following Assistants have resigned: William W. Ladd, Jr., William J. Carr, Rollin M. Morgan, James Flynn, Ezekiel R. Thompson, Gustavus A. Rogers and John J. Sullivan. William F. Clark, Private Secretary, has also resigned.

Mr. Albert Bach, Assistant, has been removed. The following appointments have been made: James McKeen, Assistant, at a salary of \$10,000 per annum.

John C. Clark, Assistant, at a salary of \$6,000 per annum.
Charles S. Whitman, Assistant, at a salary of \$6,000 per annum.
George E. Blackwell, Assistant, at a salary of \$5,000 per annum.
Douglas Mathewson, Assistant, at a salary of \$4,000 per annum.
Albert E. Hadlock, Assistant, at a salary of \$4,000 per annum.
William B. Ewing, Assistant, at a salary of \$1,800 per annum.
R. V. Ingersoll, Private Secretary, at a salary of \$1,800 per annum.
Yours respectfully,
G. L. RIVES,
Corporation Counsel.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
SETH LOW, Mayor.
JAMES B. REYNOLDS, Private Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Chief of Bureau.
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall.
Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; WILLIAM H. JORDAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.
Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM H. McCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.
Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City; PETER FLANAGAN, Deputy Chief in Borough of Queens.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

and Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturday, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor; SOLON BERRICK, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

CHARLES V. FORTNES, President.
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM HEPBURN RUSSELL and EDWARD OWEN, Commissioners.

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Borough of Manhattan.
Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 10, 11 and 12 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JACOB A. CANTOR, President.
GEORGE W. BLAKE, Secretary.
PEREZ M. STEWART, Superintendent of Buildings.

Borough of The Bronx.
Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, 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. HAFERN, President.
MICHAEL J. GARVIN, Superintendent of Buildings.

Borough of Brooklyn.
President's Office, No. 11 Borough Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.
WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.
WILLIAM M. CALDER, Superintendent of Buildings.

Borough of Queens.
JOSEPH CASSIDY, President.
JOSEPH BERMEI, Commissioner of Public Works.
Office, Long Island City, 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. until 12 M.

Borough of Richmond.
GEORGE CROMWELL, President.
Office of the President, First National Bank Building, New Brighton; 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.
No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
WM. B. DAVENPORT, Public Administrator.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, QUEENS COUNTY.
No. 103 Third street, Long Island City.
CHARLES A. WADLEY, Public Administrator.

BOARD OF ARMOY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, SETH LOW, Chairman; THE PRESIDENT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, JAMES L. WELLS, Secretary; Brigadier-General JAMES McLEER and Brigadier-General GEORGE MOORE SMITH, Commissioners.
Address JAMES L. WELLS, Secretary, Stewart Building.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller; ELGIN R. L. GOULD, Chamberlain; CHARLES V. FORTNES, President of the Board of Aldermen; JAMES L. WELLS, Secretary, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, Members. JOHN KORB, JR., Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Room No. 11, Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTNMENT
THE MAYOR, Chairman; THE COMPTROLLER, PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, PRESIDENTS OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, BROOKLYN, THE BRONX, QUEENS and RICHMOND, Members; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS

Room 207 Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. RYAN, MAURICE J. POWER, WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK, JOHN P. WINDOLPH and THE MAYOR and COMPTROLLER, Commissioners; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary; WILLIAM R. HILL, Chief Engineer.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, JAMES W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptrollers.

Auditing Bureau.

JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, Auditor of Accounts.
F. L. W. SCHAFFNER, Auditor of Accounts.
F. J. BRETTMAN, Auditor of Accounts.
MOSES OPPENHEIMER, Auditor of Accounts.
WILLIAM MCKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts.
DANIEL B. PHILLIPS, Auditor of Accounts.
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Third District—No. 60 Essex street.
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WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.
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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 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.
DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.
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Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.
Trial days and Return days, each Court day.
JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, 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 daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. 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. HUGH GRANT, Clerk.
Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HERMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

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 1034 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. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.
Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of 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. TIERNAN, Justice. HOWARD SPRAR, 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.

Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 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. HERMAN GOHLING-HORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

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

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

CORNELIUS FURGUSON, 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, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).

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

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week day. Court held each day, except Saturday.

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

WILLIAM RASQUIN, JR., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

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

Third District—JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice; GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 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. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, 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.

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING coal required, as set forth below, during the year 1902, with the title of the supply or work, and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the proposed contract as in the advertisement, will be received at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M.,

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1902.

at which time and place the bids received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.
Coal to be delivered as directed in the Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1, 10,000 TONS BEST WHITE ASH COAL, consisting of 6,500 tons broken, 500 tons Egg and 3,000 tons Stove, 2,240 pounds to the ton, to be delivered at Blackwell's, Riker's and Hart's Island.

No demurrage—all deliveries free of expense.
The security required will be \$15,000. Contract to be completed during 1902.

See Specifications.

No. 2, 1,000 TONS BEST WHITE ASH COAL, consisting of 750 tons Egg, 100 tons Range, 50 tons Stove, 50 tons Nut and 50 tons Pea, 2,240 pounds to the ton, to be delivered to all city institutions in the Department free of all expense.

See Specifications.

The security required will be \$2,000.

THE COMMISSIONER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CITY SO TO DO.

The quantity and quality of the coal required and the nature and extent of the work is stated in the specifications, to which bidders are referred.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the name of the supply or work required, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of the Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids and estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner or his duly authorized agent of said Department and read.

The Commissioner of the Department of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if he deems it for the interest of the City so to do.

All of the above-mentioned supplies are to be delivered in the year 1902, and delivery will be made as required from time to time in such quantities as may be directed by said Commissioner free from all expense.

Any bidder for any of the above-mentioned contracts must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

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; 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work 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 making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

For particulars as to the quantity or quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner.

THOMAS W. HYNES,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING COAL REQUIRED, AS SET FORTH BELOW, DURING THE YEAR 1902, WITH THE TITLE OF THE SUPPLY, AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDORSED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT, AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 11 A. M.,

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1902,

at which time and place the bids received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and all goods to be delivered to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, free of expense and quantities allowed as received there.

BIDS FOR 2,000 TONS OF THE BEST WHITE ASH COAL, 2,240 pounds to the ton; 150 TONS OF THE BEST WHITE ASH COAL, 2,240 pounds to the ton; 10 TONS BLACKSMITH'S COAL, 2,240 pounds to the ton. FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

See specifications.

The security required will be Three Thousand Dollars.

THE COMMISSIONER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CITY SO TO DO.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies required reference must be made to the specifications.

All of the above-mentioned coal are to be delivered in the year 1902, and delivery will be made as required from time to time in such quantities as may be directed by said Commissioner free from all expense.

Any bidder for any of the above-mentioned contracts must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

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; 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work 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 making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders or of a guaranty or surety company, duly authorized by law as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

For particulars as to the quantity or quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner.

THOMAS W. HYNES,
Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,
CORNER PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON BUILDINGS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AT THE HALL OF THE BOARD, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, UNTIL 4 O'CLOCK P. M., ON

MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 1902.

Borough of Queens.
No. 1. FOR SANITARY WORK AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL No. 80, GREENPOINT AVENUE AND PEARSON STREET, EAST OF BRADLEY AVENUE, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for completion is ninety (90) days.

The security required is Three Thousand Five Hundred (\$3,500) Dollars.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the Committee on Buildings of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the Committee on Buildings and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder, according to law.

Each 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 that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in sections 346 to 352 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department.

The estimate must be verified.
Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Committee on Buildings, a copy of which, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The By-Laws of the Board of Education may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, January 2, 1902.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,
ABRAHAM STERN,
WILLIAM J. COLE,
PATRICK J. WHITE,
JOHN R. THOMPSON,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
Committee on Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,
CORNER PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
CITY OF NEW YORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON BUILDINGS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AT THE HALL OF THE BOARD, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, UNTIL 4 O'CLOCK P. M., ON

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 1902,

FOR FURNISHING AND OPERATING STAGES AND OTHER CONVEYANCES TO CONVEY PUPILS TO THE SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1902.

The amount of surety required for each route is given in the printed forms furnished by the Committee.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the Committee on Supplies of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, and which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the Committee on Supplies and read, and the award of the contract made according to law, as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each 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 that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in sections 346 to 352 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department.

The estimate must be verified.
Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the stages and other conveyances to be furnished, and the routes, etc., bidders are referred to the printed specifications and contract and proposals for bids or estimate.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Committee on Supplies, a copy of which, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, ground floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The By-Laws of the Board of Education may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 26, 1901.

THADDEUS MORIARTY,
Chairman,
ARTHUR S. SOMERS,
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,
ABRAHAM STERN,
WALDO H. RICHARDSON,
PATRICK J. WHITE,
WILLIAM J. COLE,
Committee on Supplies.

PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL NOTICE.

AN EXAMINATION FOR PUPILS NOT IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, WHO ARE LEGAL RESIDENTS OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, AND WHO MAY WISH TO ENTER ONE OF THE HIGH SCHOOLS, WILL BE HELD AT THE HIGH SCHOOL BUILDINGS ON THE AFTERNOONS OF TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14 AND 15, 1902, BEGINNING AT 2 O'CLOCK.

Applicants will be examined in arithmetic, geography, history of the United States, English grammar and composition, spelling, reading and writing, and they will take their examination at the school which they desire to attend.

The De Witt Clinton High School for Boys is at No. 174 West One Hundred and Second street; the Wadleigh High School for Girls is at No. 36 East Twelfth street, and the Peter Cooper High School for both boys and girls is at One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street and Third avenue.

JOHN JASPER,
Superintendent of Schools, boroughs of
Manhattan and The Bronx.

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

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 OF THE LAWS OF 1893, 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 721 OF THE LAWS OF 1887, PROVIDING FOR THE DEPRESSION OF RAILROAD TRACKS IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OR OTHERWISE," AND THE ACTS AMENDATORY THEREOF AND SUPPLEMENTAL THERETO, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PUBLIC MEETINGS OF THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED PURSUANT TO SAID ACTS WILL BE HELD AT ROOM 58, SCHERMERHORN BUILDING, NO. 96 BROADWAY, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY OF EACH WEEK, AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M., UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

Dated New York, January 3, 1902.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
CHARLES A. JACKSON,
OSCAR S. BAILEY,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 30, 1901.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE ABOVE DEPARTMENT IN ROOM NO. 1708 AT THE ABOVE OFFICE, UNTIL 11 O'CLOCK A. M., ON

MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 1902.

FOR REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO BUILDING ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH STREET, KNOWN AS NO. 66 THIRD AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, FOR THE USE OF THE BOARD OF CITY MAGISTRATES AS A CHILDREN'S COURT.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be forty days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, or his successor, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department, or his successor, and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

The Commissioner, or his successor, reserves the right to reject all bids if he deems it for the interests of the City so to do.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein; and that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in sections 346 to 352 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department.

The estimate must be verified.
Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, 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.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor in Room No. 1708, No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

HENRY S. KEARNY,
Commissioner of Public Buildings,
Lighting and Supplies.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
MAIN OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING HORSE FOR THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, AT NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, UNTIL 12 M., OF

TUESDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1902,

at which time and place the said bids or estimates will be publicly opened by the head of the Department for the following articles:

798,300 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Prime Hay.
199,600 pounds No. 1 clean, long Rye Straw.
1,287,800 pounds No. 1 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound, well cleaned and free from other grain, weighing not less than 40 pounds to the measured bushel.
73,500 pounds first quality Flake Bran.
14,000 pounds first quality Coarse Salt.
16,000 pounds first quality Rock Salt.
6,000 pounds first quality Oil Meal.
56,500 pounds first quality Ground Oats.
28,000 pounds first quality Ground Corn.
The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

The time for the completion of the contract is April 31, 1902.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each 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 person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other persons making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, deputy thereof or clerk therein, chief of a bureau or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any of the work or supplies to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate shall be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Bidders must state in their bids or estimates the prices for which they will furnish the supplies, and these prices must be written out and must be given also in figures.

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

For particulars as to quantity and quality of the supplies and the nature and extent of the work required reference must be made to the specifications. Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including

the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said Commissioner.

Dated NEW YORK, December 30, 1901.
P. E. NAGLE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
MAIN OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING FORAGE FOR THE USE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above-mentioned contract, indorsed with the title of the work, and with the name and address of the person making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning, at Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, until 12 M. of

WEDNESDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1902,

at which time and place said bids or estimates will be publicly opened by the head of the Department for the following articles:

542,800 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Prime Hay.
129,000 pounds No. 1 clean, long Rye Straw.
943,400 pounds No. 1 White Clipped Oats, to be bright, sound, well cleaned and free from other grain, weighing not less than 40 pounds to the measured bushel.
31,000 pounds first quality Flake Bran.
1,400 pounds first quality Rock Salt.
19,000 pounds first quality Oil Meal.
The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The contract is to be completed by April 31, 1902.

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 person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that the bid or estimate is made without any connection with any other person making a bid or estimate for the above-mentioned contract, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, deputy thereof or clerk therein, chief of a bureau or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any of the work or supplies to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The bids or estimates shall be verified by the oath in writing, of the party making the same that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Bidders must state in their bids or estimates the prices for which they will furnish the supplies, and these figures must be written out and must be given also in figures.

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No bid or estimate shall be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check 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.

For particulars as to the quality and quantity of the supplies and the nature and extent of the work required, reference must be made to the specifications.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said Commissioner.

Dated NEW YORK, December 30, 1901.
P. E. NAGLE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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.

P. E. NAGLE,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

ARMORY BOARD.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—ARMORY BOARD,
December, 1901.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN THE "ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF THE PROPOSED NEW ARMORY BUILDING," FOR THE "STRUCTURAL STEEL AND IRON WORK," AND FOR THE "INSTALLATION OF THE PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING" IN THE PROPOSED NEW ARMORY BUILDING FOR THE SIXTY-NINTH REGIMENT, N. G. M., TO BE ERECTED ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF LEXINGTON AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM TWENTY-FIFTH TO TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above work, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same and the date of presentation, will be received by the Armory Board, at the Mayor's office, City Hall, until 11 30 o'clock A. M., on the

14th DAY OF JANUARY, 1902,

at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by the Board and read, and the award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

The amount of security required is as follows:
For the "Erection and Completion of the Building," Seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000).

For the "Structural Steel and Iron Work," Fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000).

For the "Installation of the Plumbing and Gas-fitting," Fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000).

The time allowed to complete the work is three hundred and fifty (350) working days.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder with adequate security as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the

same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the following amounts:

For the "Erection and Completion of the Building," Three thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$3,750).

For the "Structural Steel and Iron Work," Two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500).

For the "Installation of the Plumbing and Gas-fitting," Seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750).

—being five per centum of the amount of the bonds required on the several contracts, as provided in section 430 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or of the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioners, 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 Horgan & Slattery, Architects, No. 1 Madison Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, where the plans and drawings, which are made a part of the specifications, can be seen.

The Board reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if they deem it for the best interests of The City of New York.

ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor,

THOS. L. FEITNER, President, Department of Taxes and Assessments,

HENRY S. KEARNEY, Commissioner of Public Buildings,

Lighting and Supplies,

BRIG.-GEN. JAMES MCLEER, Brig.-Gen. GEORGE MOORE SMITH, Armory Board Commissioners.

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 money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ANDREW J. LALOR, 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, Municipal Building, 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 money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD, Deputy Property Clerk.

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WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Supervisor, City Record.

NOVEMBER 13, 1901.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

TWO HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET—OUTLET SEWER, WITH BRANCHES IN ACADEMY STREET; NINTH AVENUE: TWO HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET; POST AVENUE; SHERMAN AVENUE AND HAWTHORNE STREET. Area of assessment: Both sides of Two Hundred and First street, from the Harlem river to Academy street; both sides of Academy street, from the Harlem river to Broadway; both sides of Two Hundred and Second and Two Hundred and Third streets, from the Harlem river to Tenth avenue; both sides of Two Hundred and Fourth street, extending about 250 feet east of Tenth avenue; east side of Emerson street, from Cooper street to a point distant about 150 feet south of Vermilyea avenue; west side of Emerson street, from Post avenue to Cooper street; both sides of Hawthorne street, from Broadway to Tenth avenue; both sides of Dyckman street, from Broadway to Hillside avenue to Broadway; both sides of Hillside avenue, from Broadway to Eleventh avenue; both sides of Wadsworth avenue, from One Hundred and Ninetieth street to Eleventh avenue; both sides of Nagle avenue, from Broadway to Tenth avenue; both sides of Post avenue, from Dyckman street to Emerson street; both sides of Sherman avenue, from Broadway to Emerson street; both sides of Vermilyea avenue, from Dyckman street to a point distant 175 feet east of Emerson street; south side of Broadway, from Hawthorne street to a point distant half-way between Academy street and Dyckman street; both sides of Ninth avenue, from Two Hundred and First street to Two Hundred and Fourth street; both sides of Tenth avenue, from Academy street to Two Hun-

dred and Seventh street and both sides of Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Ninetieth street to Dyckman street.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 30, 1901, and entered on December 31, 1901, in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in 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 March 1, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of 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 February 21, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 31, 1901. }

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named public place and avenue in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

PUBLIC PLACE—OPENING, bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; Courtlandt avenue; East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and the New York and Harlem Railroad. Confirmed December 2, 1901; entered December 30, 1901. 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 a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse with a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northerly side thereof; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Teller avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Melrose avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly side of Third avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Third avenue to its intersection with the prolongation easterly of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixtieth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixtieth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Courtlandt avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom and said line produced westerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Morris avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the prolongation easterly of a line drawn parallel to that part of the westerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Sheridan avenue and Mott avenue and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said prolongation and said line drawn parallel to that part of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Sheridan avenue and Mott avenue and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom to its intersection with the easterly side of Mott avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Mott avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 11.

UNION AVENUE—WIDENING, at its junction with Boston road. Confirmed December 10, 1901; entered December 30, 1901. 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 a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly prolongation of the northeasterly side of that part of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street extending southeasterly from Boston road with the middle line of the block between Clinton avenue and Boston road; running thence northeasterly along said middle line of the block to the northeasterly side of Jefferson place; thence northeasterly along the middle line of the block between Clinton avenue and Crotona avenue to the middle line of the block between Jefferson place and East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to the westerly side of Crotona avenue; thence easterly to a point on the easterly side of Crotona avenue at an equal distance from Boston road and from East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence easterly along a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventieth street to the northwesterly side of Boston road; thence easterly to the intersection of the southeasterly side of Boston road with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Prospect avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Jennings street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Prospect avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Jennings street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Prospect avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Ritter place and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Union avenue and dis-

tant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence northwesterly along said northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and its prolongation northwesterly to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the dates hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, 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 from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park 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 February 28, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 30, 1901. }

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 MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET—FLAGGING AND FILLING, at the southwest corner of Broadway. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 52 to 56, both inclusive, of Block No. 1874.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET—FLAGGING, CURBING AND FILLING, south side, between Bradhurst and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Eighth and Bradhurst avenues.

BRADHURST AVENUE—FLAGGING AND FILLING, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Bradhurst avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 24, 1901, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in 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 February 24, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 26, 1901. }

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 BROOKLYN:

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

SOMERS STREET—BASIN, at the northeast corner of Eastern parkway extension. Area of assessment: Lot No. 124 of Block No. 132A.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 24, 1901, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in 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 February 24, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of 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 February 24, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 26, 1901. }

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 MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of

One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street between Amsterdam avenue and Riverside drive, and to the extent of about 100 feet north and south of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street on the intersecting and terminating streets and avenue.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side, between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 183 to 184, both inclusive; also Lot Nos. 187 to 192, both inclusive, of Block No. 2049.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 23, 1901, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in 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 February 21, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the office of 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 February 21, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 24, 1901. }

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:

THIRTIETH WARD.

FOURTH AVENUE—SEWER, east side, between Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Fourth avenue, between Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 23, 1901, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments Confirmed, kept in 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 February 21, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of 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 February 21, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 24, 1901. }

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named avenue and street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

SEDDGWICK AVENUE—OPENING, from Jerome avenue to the northern line of the public park laid out under chapter 70 of the Laws of 1837. Confirmed December 3, 1901; entered December 19, 1901. 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 a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Cromwell's creek with the middle line of the block between Exterior street and the United States pierhead and bulkhead line on the easterly side of the Harlem river; running thence northerly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation northwesterly to the northerly side of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along the middle line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and the United States pierhead and bulkhead line on the easterly side of the Harlem river to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Lind avenue and Summit avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Ogden avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Woodycrest avenue (formerly Bremer avenue) and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and its prolongation southwesterly to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said northwesterly prolongation and parallel line to the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and the approach to Central Bridge; thence southwesterly along said middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between Exterior street and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the block to the northerly

side of the approach to Central Bridge; thence southerly along a line drawn parallel to that part of Exterior street extending southwardly from the approach to Central Bridge, and said parallel line prolonged southwardly to the northerly side of Cromwell's creek; thence westerly along said northerly side of Cromwell's creek to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.
ALDUS STREET—OPENING, from the Southern Boulevard to Whitlock avenue. Confirmed December 3, 1901; entered December 19, 1901. 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 a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the block between Barretto street and Fox street with the southeasterly side of Westchester avenue; running thence northeasterly along said southeasterly side of Westchester avenue to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of that part of the middle line of the block between Aldus street and Guttenberg street lying eastwardly from Hoe street; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and middle line of the block and its prolongation eastwardly to the southwesterly side of the Bronx river; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly side of the Bronx river to the northerly side of Mohawk avenue (formerly Garrison avenue); thence westerly along said northerly side of Mohawk avenue to the middle line of the block between Whittier street and Longfellow street; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Aldus street and distant 225 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line and its prolongation westwardly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Barretto street and Fox street; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown on the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the dates hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments confirmed, kept in 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 February 15, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

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 cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park 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 February 15, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 20, 1901.

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:

SIXTH WARD.
SUMMIT STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Hamilton avenue and Columbia street. Area of assessment: Lot No. 9 of Block No. 68.

EIGHTH WARD.
FORTY-SIXTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; also, **FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING**, west side, between Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 17 to 20, both inclusive, and 82 of Block No. 189.

FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, south side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 91 and 92 of Block No. 203.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.
FREEMAN STREET—FENCING, south side, between Manhattan avenue and Franklin street. Area of assessment: Lot No. 79 of Block No. 49.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.
FIFTH STREET—FENCING, south side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 10 and 45 to 52, both inclusive, of Block No. 48.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.
HERKIMER STREET—FENCING, south side, between Schenectady and Utica avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 15 of Block No. 144.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.
LOUIS PLACE—FLAGGING, west side, between Herkimer street and Atlantic avenue. Area of assessment: Lots Nos. 18, 20 and 55 of Block No. 86.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD.
VERNON AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING, between Flatbush and Rogers avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Vernon avenue, between Flatbush and Rogers avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues; also, Lot Nos. 33 and 36 of Block No. 426.

—That the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 17, 1901, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments confirmed, kept in 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 February 15, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 18, 1901.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.
TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, BUILDING APPROACHES, FENCING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Jerome avenue and the Bronx river, and to the extent of one half the blocks on the intersecting, intermediate and terminating streets and avenues.

—That the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 17, 1901, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments confirmed, kept in 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 February 15, 1902, 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 cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

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 February 15, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 18, 1901.

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 MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 6.
ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET AND SECOND AVENUE—FLAGGING AND CURBING, at the northeast corner of said street and avenue. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 1 and 2 of Block No. 1680.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET—FLAGGING, north side, from Street No. 129 East to Lexington avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 15, of Block No. 1769.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET—FLAGGING, at the northwest corner of Second avenue. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 22 and 23 of Block No. 1781.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, south side, between Madison and Park avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 41 and 42 of Block No. 1756.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 24 to 27, both inclusive, and 27 1/2 of Block No. 1733.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Fifth and Lenox avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 17 to 22, both inclusive, 22 1/2 and 23 of Block No. 1734.

PARK AVENUE—FLAGGING, at the northwest corner of Ninety-seventh street. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 28 to 37, both inclusive, of Block No. 1693.

PARK AVENUE—FLAGGING AND CURBING, at the southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventeenth street. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 33 and 40 of Block No. 1622.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.
BROADWAY—FLAGGING, west side, from Manhattan street to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street. Area of assessment: Lot No. 31 of Block No. 1995.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET—FLAGGING, at the southeast corner of Columbus avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 61 of Block No. 1842.

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET—FENCING, south side, between Broadway and Riverside drive. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 18 to 73, both inclusive, of Block No. 1835.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH STREET—FENCING, south side, between Broadway and Riverside drive. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 34 to 36, both inclusive, of Block No. 1896.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, north side, from the east line of Street No. 241 to the west line of Street No. 227. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 10, 11, 13, 14 and 15 of Block No. 1831.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, both sides, between Twelfth avenue and the tracks of the New York Central Railroad Company. Area of assessment: Lot No. 1 of Block No. 1897, and Lot No. 12 of Block No. 2004.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, south side, from Street No. 458 to Convent avenue. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 23 and 24 of Block No. 1970.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 38 to 61, both inclusive, of Block No. 2025.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET—FLAGGING, north side, from Convent avenue to a point situated about 245 feet westerly therefrom. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 33, 34 and 36 to 40, both inclusive, of Block No. 2058.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING, south side, beginning at a point situated about 100 feet east of Eighth avenue and extending to a point about 25 feet easterly therefrom. Area of assessment: Lot No. 60 of Block No. 2022.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—FLAGGING AND FILLING, at the northwest corner of Seventh avenue. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 27 to 29, both inclusive, of Block No. 2034.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 5 to 14, both inclusive, of Block No. 2034.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET—FLAGGING AND CURBING, south side, from Bradhurst avenue to the west line of Street No. 302. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 98 to 102, both inclusive, of Block No. 2045.

SEVENTH AVENUE—LAYING CROSSWALKS, across the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 11, and 49 to 64, both inclusive, of Block No. 1921; also Lot Nos. 33 to 36, both inclusive, 38 to 49, both inclusive, 38 1/2, 40 1/2, 42 1/2, 44 1/2 and 46 1/2 of Block No. 1942.

SEVENTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street. Area of assessment: East side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE—FLAGGING, in front of Street Nos. 746 and 748. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 37 and 49 of Block No. 2053.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 25 and 44 of Block No. 2066.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.
BROADWAY—FLAGGING, east side, from One Hundred and Sixty-second to One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street. Area of assessment: East side of Broadway, between One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets.

BROADWAY—FENCING, west side, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth to One Hundred and Ninety-first street. Area of assessment: East side of Broadway, from One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street to One Hundred and Ninety-first street.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET—FLAGGING, south side, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 10 to 14, both inclusive, 23, 25 to 28, both inclusive, 33, 36 and 35 1/2, of Block No. 2119.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET—FENCING, south side, between Kingsbridge road and Audubon avenue; also, **KINGSBRIDGE ROAD—FENCING**, east side, between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth streets. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 32 to 41, both inclusive, of Block No. 2124.

ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets. Area of assessment: East side of St. Nicholas avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets.

EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 3.
EAST SIXTEENTH STREET—FLAGGING, in front of Street Nos. 642 and 644. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 33 and 40 of Block No. 983.

NINETEENTH WARD—SECTION 5.
FORTY-SIXTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Third and Fourth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 33 of Block No. 1301.

EAST SIXTIETH STREET—FLAGGING AND FILLING, north side, opposite Street Nos. 325 to 345. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 16 to 19, both inclusive, of Block No. 1435.

SIXTY-FIFTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, from Avenue A to a point about 40 feet westerly therefrom. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 1, 10 and 29 of Block No. 1459.

EAST SEVENTIETH STREET—FENCING, at Street Nos. 413, 415 and 417. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 10 to 13, both inclusive, of Block No. 1465.

EAST SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, from the east line of Street No. 520 and extending easterly therefrom a distance of about 125 feet. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 34 to 38, both inclusive, of Block No. 1487.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 3.
WEST TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—FLAGGING, south side, in front of Street Nos. 254 and 258. Area of assessment: Lot No. 68 of Block No. 776.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 3.
EAST THIRTY-THIRD STREET—FLAGGING, north side, from Street Nos. 209 to 233. Area of assessment: Lot No. 9 of Block No. 914.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.
EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, from Street No. 215, westerly to Broadway. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 16, 21 and 22 of Block No. 1233.

—That the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 17, 1901, and entered on same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments confirmed, kept in 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 February 15, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the office of 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 February 15, 1902, 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 cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER,
Comptroller,
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 18, 1901.

SUPREME COURT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands on the EASTERLY SIDE OF EAGLE AVENUE, between Clifton and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, Borough of The Bronx, duly selected and approved as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, January 2, 1902, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row, in the said city, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear

parties so objecting at our said office on the 14th day of January, 1902, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 16th day of January, 1902, 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 said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, December 31, 1901.
MAUNSELL B. FIELD,
JAMES RIDGWAY,
JOHN J. NEVILLE,
Commissioners

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Aqueduct avenue to Jerome avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards 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 estimate of assessment and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of January, 1902, 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 23d day of January, 1902, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in said city, there to remain until the 31st day of January, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom with the easterly side of Lind avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Lind avenue and the easterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and the easterly side of Sedgwick avenue and northeasterly along the southeasterly side of Undercliff avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Merriam avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation southeasterly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Nelson avenue and Marcher avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to the northwesterly side of Jessup place and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said northwesterly prolongation and parallel line and its prolongation southeasterly to the northwesterly side of Cromwell avenue; thence southeasterly along a straight line to the intersection of the southeasterly side of Jerome avenue with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventieth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-first street; thence southeasterly along said middle line to the northwesterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southeasterly along said northwesterly side of Grand Boulevard and Concourse to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Elliot place and East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence northwesterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of Elliot place and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Jerome avenue; thence northwesterly along a straight line to the intersection of the northwesterly side of Inwood avenue on the southeast and East One Hundred and Seventieth street on the northeast; thence southeasterly along said middle line and its southwesterly prolongation to the middle line of the block between Cromwell avenue and Roscobel avenue; thence southeasterly along said middle line to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to the southeasterly side of Roscobel avenue; thence northwesterly along said southeasterly side of Roscobel avenue to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly and westerly along said southeasterly prolongation and parallel 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 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as coun-

sel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 23, 1901.

C. F. ULRICH, Chairman,
W. J. BROWNE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Aqueduct avenue to Webster avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 21st day of January, 1902, 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 23d day of January, 1902, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 31st day of January, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Aqueduct avenue and distant 200 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line and westerly along a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 200 feet southerly therefrom and said line prolonged westwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Sedgwick avenue and distant 100 feet at a right angle northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the northerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street between Tiebout avenue and Jerome avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street aforesaid to the middle line of the block between Walton avenue and Jerome avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Tiebout avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street between Webster avenue and Tiebout avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and parallel line to the westerly side of Park avenue; thence southerly along said westerly side of Park avenue to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street between Creston avenue and Webster avenue and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line and said parallel line prolonged westwardly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Creston avenue and Morris avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Burnside avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and Davidson avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel 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 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 18, 1901.

GEORGE H. EPSTEIN,
WM. H. RICKETTS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to certain lands at the NORTH-EASTERN CORNER OF BROOME AND CANNON STREETS, in the Thirteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 101 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, December 31, 1901, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the State Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row, in said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 101 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 14th day of January, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 16th day of January, 1902, 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 said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, December 30, 1901.
ARTHUR D. WILLIAMS,
THOMAS C. DUNHAM,
J. EDGAR LEAYCRAFT,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

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

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET (Andrews avenue) (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Croton Aqueduct to Jerome avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of January, 1902, 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 23d day of January, 1902, 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 of 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 31st day of January, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Jerome avenue with the easterly prolongation of the northerly line of Clinton place; running thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and along the northerly line of Clinton place to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Aqueduct avenue, East; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the southerly line of Buchanan place; thence easterly along said prolongation and along the southerly line of Buchanan place and its easterly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Jerome avenue; thence southerly along said parallel 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 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, November 29, 1901.

HERMAN ALSBERG,
PETER F. MEYER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, by and through the Counsel to the Corporation, to acquire title to certain lands in the Twelfth Ward of The City of New York, as and for a public park to be designated and known as ST. NICHOLAS PARK, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 366 of the Laws of 1894.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Third and Separate Report of John H. Judge, Thomas C. T. Crain and Thomas C. Dunham, the Commissioners of Appraisal duly appointed in the above-entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 23d day of February, 1901, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 25th day of February, 1901.

Notice is further given that the said report includes and affects the parcels designated upon the map of damage accompanying said report by the Parcel Nos. 2a, 6, 7, 7½, 7½, 10, 10½, 16, 17, 34, 40, 40½, 48, 49, 50 and 50½.

Notice is further given that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the First Judicial Department, at the County Court-house, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 24th day of January, 1902, 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, December 30, 1901.

JOHN WHALEN,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris avenue to Clay avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, 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 estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of January, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of January, 1902, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in said city, there to remain until the 30th day of January, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line parallel to the easterly line of Clay avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; and the easterly prolongation of the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and East One Hundred Seventieth street as the same are laid out between Morris avenue and College avenue; running thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and centre line and along the westerly prolongation thereof to its intersection with the easterly line of Sheridan avenue; running thence westerly in a straight line to the point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Sheridan avenue with the northerly line of Marcy place; running thence westerly along said northerly line of Marcy place to its intersection with the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; running thence northerly along the said easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to its intersection with a line parallel to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; running thence easterly along said parallel line and the easterly prolongation thereof to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line parallel to the easterly line of Clay avenue as laid out south of East One Hundred and Seventieth street and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; running thence southerly along said prolongation and parallel 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 such 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 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 26, 1901.

JULIUS HEIDEMAN, Chairman,
WILBER McBRIDE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 MONROE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Claremont Park to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, 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 17th day of January, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of January, 1902, at 12 o'clock 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 28th day of January, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Belmont street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom with the southerly prolongation of the easterly side of Weeks street, running thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and easterly side of Weeks street and said easterly side prolonged northwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet at a right angle northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Tremont avenue and Buckhout street; thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Monroe avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; thence westerly along the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly side of Topping avenue; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly side of Topping avenue and said westerly side prolonged southwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Belmont street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly by said parallel 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 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 13, 1901.

WILLIAM G. VER PLANCK,
WILLIAM J. CARROLL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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

side of Trinity avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly ly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Eagle avenue and St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to

its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel 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 last partial and separate report herein will be presented 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 22, 1901.

THEODORE E. SMITH, Chairman.
DANIEL F. SHEEHAN,
JAMES P. ARCHIBALD,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 ADAMS PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to Crescent avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of January, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of January, 1902, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 30th day of January, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom with the easterly line of Arthur avenue; running thence northerly to the point of intersection of the easterly line of Arthur avenue with a line drawn parallel to the westerly line of Adams place and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line and its northerly prolongation to an intersection with the south-westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the north-westerly line of Crescent avenue and distant 100 feet north-westerly therefrom; thence north-easterly along said prolongation and parallel line to an intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the easterly line of Adams place and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said prolongation and parallel line and the southerly prolongation thereof to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said 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 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 14, 1901.

EDWARD BROWNE, Chairman.
ROGER FOSTER,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Park avenue (Vanderbilt avenue, West), as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, 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 15th day of January, 1902, 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 15th day of January, 1902, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 23d day of January, 1902.

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 westerly line of Third avenue and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; running thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Park avenue and Washington avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street lying west of Park avenue; thence westerly along said prolongation and parallel line and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the northerly line of Belmont street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Belmont street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Featherbed lane; thence westerly along said parallel line and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Macomb's road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Belmont street; thence westerly along said parallel line and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Macomb's road; thence northerly along said parallel line and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Featherbed lane; thence easterly along said parallel line and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Grand avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Macomb's road; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Featherbed lane; thence northerly and easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Clifford place; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet north-westerly from the north-westerly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence north-easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles with the southeasterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at a point where the same is intersected by the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Prospect place; thence easterly along said right angular line prolongation and parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Anthony avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Itiner place; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Park avenue and Washington avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly line of Third avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Third avenue to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 6, 1901.

JOHN DEWITT WARNER, Chairman.
WILLIAM GARROW FISHER,
GEORGE J. VESTNER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Eleventh avenue and Amsterdam avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 11th day of January, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of January, 1902, 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 21st day of January, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the block between Fort Washington avenue and Eleventh avenue (Broadway) with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; running thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line of the block to its intersection with the westerly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence easterly to the intersection of the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue with the middle line of the block between West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly along said

middle line of the block and its easterly prolongation to a point easterly of the easterly line of Edgecombe road, measured at right angles thereto; thence southerly along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Edgecombe road to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between West One Hundred and Sixty-second street and West One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence westerly along said prolongation and middle line of the block to its intersection with the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence north-westerly to the intersection of the westerly line of Kingsbridge road with the middle line of the block between West One Hundred and Sixty-second street and West One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence westerly along said middle line of the block and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Eleventh avenue (Boulevard) and Fort Washington avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block 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 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 25, 1901.

HOWARD HAS BROUCK, Chairman.
AUGUST C. NANTZ,
REGINALD H. WILLIAMS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Plimpton avenue to Marcher avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of January, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of January, 1902, 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 of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 30th day of January, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the north-westerly prolongation of the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Boscobel avenue with the centre line of block between Boscobel avenue and Plimpton avenue and Aqueduct avenue and Plimpton avenue; running thence north-easterly along said centre line of block to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of centre line of block between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Featherbed lane; thence easterly along said prolongation and said centre line of block and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with the centre line of block between Marcher avenue and Cromwell avenue and Macomb's road; thence south-westerly along said centre line to its intersection with the northerly side of Jessup place and along centre line of blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Boscobel avenue and the north-westerly prolongation of said centre 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 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 27, 1901.

DANIEL P. INGRAHAM, Chairman.
WILLIAM J. CARROLL,
WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Bronx street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, 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 4th day of January, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that

purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of January, 1902, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of 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 14th day of January, 1902.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of Bronx river with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; running thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Lafontaine avenue; thence northerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly line of Park avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Park avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly line of Bronx river; thence southerly along the westerly line of Bronx river to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, November 20, 1901.

OBED H. SANDERSON, Chairman.
JOHN F. ROUSAR,
HAROLD SWAIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Boscobel avenue to Jerome avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of January, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 27, 1901.

SAMUEL H. ORDWAY,
MARK M. SCHLESINGER,
WILLIAM J. WOODS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of WOLCOTT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Boulevard to Purdy street, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 21st day of July, 1899, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 20th day of November, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, 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 Queens, on the 20th day of November, 1901, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 6th day of January, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs

and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 9, 1901.

THEO. B. GATES,
WILLIAM J. KENNEY,
FRED. E. GUNNISON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of SEVENTEENTH AVENUE, otherwise known as Oakley street (although not yet named by proper authority), from Wilson avenue to Flushing avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 21st day of July, 1899, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, City of New York, on the 20th day of November, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, 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 Queens on the 20th day of November, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 6th day of January, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 9, 1901.

FRANK R. DICKEY,
EDWARD S. FOWLER,
ANDREW HAYSLIP,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WHITE PLAINS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from the northern boundary of The City of New York to Morris Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 6th day of January, 1902, 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 January, 1902, at 12.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of 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 January, 1902.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of 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 south from the southerly line of West Farms road with the centre line of the Bronx river; running thence northerly along said centre line of the Bronx river to the north boundary line of the Bronx Park; thence westerly along said boundary line of the Bronx Park to the easterly line of the New York and Harlem Railroad; thence westerly along said property of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company to the centre line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence easterly along centre line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street to the centre line of Bronx river to its intersection with the northerly boundary line of The City of New York; thence along said boundary line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 1,500 feet easterly from the easterly line of the proposed "White Plains Boulevard"; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West Farms road; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York,

on the 18th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 5, 1901.

C. DONOHUE, Chairman,
SAM'L McMILLAN,
EDWIN W. FISKE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In 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 HIGH-BRIDGE PARK, between West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and the centre line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and east of the Speedway, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court bearing date the 3d day of December, 1901, 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 5th day of December, 1901, 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, No. 151, 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 park, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 5th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said park so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said park, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of January, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 24, 1901.

GEORGE W. ELLIS,
S. OSGOOD PELL,
JOHN H. LITTLE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 TIFFANY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Longwood avenue to Intervale avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our 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 13th day of January, 1902, 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 15th day of January, 1902, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 23d day of January, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street with the southeasterly line of Mott avenue; running thence northerly along said line of Mott avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence southeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with the northerly line of Sheridan avenue; thence northerly along said line of Sheridan avenue to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly property line of The New York and Harlem Railroad; thence northerly along said property line to its intersection with the westerly line of Melrose avenue; thence northerly to the intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street with the southeasterly line of Park avenue; thence northerly along said line of Park avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street;

thence southeasterly along said middle line to the westerly line of Third avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Third avenue to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line and its easterly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly line of Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of Dongan street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly line of Westchester avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southerly along said line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Sixtieth street; thence northerly along said prolongation and middle line to the northerly line of Eagle avenue; thence northerly along said line to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street; thence northerly along said line to the southeasterly line of Brook avenue; thence westerly to the intersection of the northerly line of Brook avenue with the southeasterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street; thence northerly along said prolongation and middle line to the northerly line of Park avenue; thence northerly along said line to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixtieth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence northerly along said prolongation and middle line and its northerly prolongation to the northerly line of Sheridan avenue; thence southerly along said line of Sheridan avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixtieth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence northerly along said 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 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 25th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 6, 1901.

MAYER SHOENFELD, Chairman,
MICHAEL SEXTON,
SIDNEY J. COWAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 TIFFANY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Longwood avenue to Intervale avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of assessment for benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 4th day of January, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of January, 1902, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said assessment, together with our 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 14th day of January, 1902.

Third—That, pursuant to the notice heretofore given when we filed our estimate of damage, the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the United States bulkhead-line in the East river with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Tiffany street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; running thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Worthen street and Tiffany street; thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and middle line to the middle line of the block between Eastern Boulevard and Randall avenue; thence westerly along said middle line to the easterly side of Truxton street; thence northerly along the easterly side of Truxton street and northerly along the northerly side of Leggett avenue to the middle line of the block between Truxton street and Barry street; thence northerly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between Craven street and Worthen street; thence northerly along said middle line to the northerly side of Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the northerly side of Longwood avenue; thence northerly along the northerly side of Longwood avenue to the middle line of the block between the Southern Boulevard and Fox street; thence northerly along said middle line to the middle line of the blocks between Longwood avenue and Intervale avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to the southeasterly side of Dawson street; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of Dawson street and northerly along the easterly side of Intervale avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Westchester avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the easterly side of Kelly street; thence northerly along the easterly side of Kelly street and said side prolonged northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Home street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of Prospect avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Home street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection

with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Boston road; thence northerly along said southeasterly side of Boston road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of that part of Chisholm street between Intervale avenue and Stebbins avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line and said parallel line prolonged southeasterly to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly side of Barretto street; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly side of Barretto street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line and northerly along a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Westchester avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom to the westerly side of Fox street; thence southerly along said westerly side of Fox street to the northerly side of Dongan street; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the southeasterly side of Fox street with the middle line of the block between Barretto street and Dongan street; thence southeasterly along the middle line of the blocks between Barretto street and the southwesterly side of Dongan street and Hunt's Point road on the northeast to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly side of Manida street; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly side of Manida street to the middle line of the block between Randall avenue and the Eastern Boulevard; thence westerly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between Casanova street and Tiffany street; thence southerly along said middle line and its prolongation southerly to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Tiffany street and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to the United States bulkhead-line in the East river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line to the point or place of beginning, as such street are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, 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 last partial and separate report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, November 20, 1901.

WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE, Chairman,
GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
PHIL. M. LEAKIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Anderson avenue to Marcher avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our 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 January, 1902, 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 13th day of January, 1902, 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 of 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 20th day of January, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with the easterly line of Ogden avenue; running thence northerly along said line of Ogden avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Woodycrest avenue and Anderson avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street lying east of Jerome avenue; thence easterly along prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Jerome avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to the northerly line of McClellan street and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Woodycrest avenue and Anderson avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence westerly along said parallel 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

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk