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### MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

#### THE COUNCIL.

#### STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, July 24, 1900.  
2 o'clock P. M.

The Council met in Room 16, City Hall.  
In the absence of the President the Vice-Chairman took the chair.

#### PRESENT:

#### COUNCILMEN

John T. Oakley, Vice-Chairman, Thomas F. Foley, Martin Engel, Frank J. Goodwin, Patrick J. Ryder,	Harry C. Hart, John J. Murphy, Eugene A. Wise, William J. Hyland, Bernard C. Murray, Charles H. Francisco,	Francis F. Williams, Conrad H. Heister, John J. McGarry, Martin F. Conly, Joseph E. O'Grady, Benjamin J. Bodine.
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The minutes of the last meeting were read, and on motion of Councilman Murphy, were approved as read.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following message from his Honor the Mayor:  
No. 1198.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,  
July 24, 1900.

#### To the Honorable the Council:

I return herewith, without my approval, a resolution adopted by you on July 10, 1900, giving permission to the Thomas McCabe Association to erect a pole and string a banner in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens.

My objections to this resolution is, that the privilege granted is too indefinite and is in perpetuity.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and it is hereby given to the Thomas McCabe Association to place and erect a pole and string banners in front of Nos. 114 and 116 Front street, First Ward, Borough of Queens, at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways. Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following message from his Honor the Mayor:  
No. 1083.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,  
July 24, 1900.

#### To the Honorable the Council:

I return herewith, without my approval, an ordinance adopted by you on July 10, 1900, which purports to amend section 3 of "An ordinance regulating traffic on public streets."

My objection to this ordinance is, that it is an amendment by way of exception to a general ordinance not yet a law, but pending in the Municipal Assembly.

ROBT. A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed amendment to ordinances in favor of regulating the Speedway in the Borough of Richmond (page 749, Minutes, June 12, 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.

#### (Amended Ordinance.)

"AN ORDINANCE regulating traffic in public streets."

Section 3. Exceptions: Nothing in this article shall apply to the driving of horses at any rate of speed on the wings (tax on the wings only) of the Southside Boulevard, in the Borough of Richmond, being that portion of the road between the macadam and the curb line, on that part of the road lying between Seaview avenue and Red Lane, between the hours of three o'clock and six o'clock in the afternoon of each day. Nothing in this ordinance shall be construed as limiting or interfering in any way with the rights of the property-owners along the said highway or the rights of the general public in said highway.

ADOLPH E. HOTTENROTH, FRANK J. GOODWIN, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, Committee on Law Department.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, June 4, 1900.

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

SIR:—In accordance with the action taken by this Board at the meeting held on the 29th of May, I inclose herewith copy of an amendment to the form of ordinance transmitted to your Honorable Body for action under date of April 23, entitled "An Ordinance regulating traffic in the public streets."

The inclosed amendment is to be known as section 3 of article II. of said ordinance, and provides for the setting aside of a portion of the Southside Boulevard, Borough of Richmond, for the purposes of a speedway.

This amendment was recommended by the Local Board, and sent forward to this Board from your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEV, Secretary.

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

#### COMMUNICATIONS.

The Vice-Chairman 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, July 19, 1900.

#### Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

SIR—I transmit herewith the documents relative to matters adopted by the Board of Aldermen at the stated meeting held Tuesday, July 17, 1900, as scheduled below:

Int. Nos. 1118, 1119, 1120, 1122, 1123, 1124, 1125, 1127, 1128, 1129, 1130, 1131, 1132, 1146, 1147, 1149, 1150, 1151, 1154, 1155, 1157, 1158, 1160, 1161, 1162, 1163, 1164, 1165, 1166, 1167, 1168, 1280, 1281.

Respectfully,

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

Which was ordered on file.

The communications were as follows:

No. 1218.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons, whose applications for stands have been indorsed by the Aldermen of the districts 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-lines, at the locations set respectively opposite their names, and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided:

By the President—

Newspaper Stands—Alfred Hugaboom, No. 416 Third avenue, Manhattan; F. Gunther, No. 415 Third avenue, Manhattan.  
Fruit Stand—August Arnold, No. 595 First avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Alt—

Soda-water Stand—Abram Radman, Osborn street, near Sutter avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bridges—

Soda-water Stand—Thomas Murphy, No. 267 Washington street, Brooklyn.  
Bootblack Stand—Francesco Orlando, No. 165 Washington street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Colkin—

Newspaper Stand—John Pinkerton, 144 Harrow street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Delano—

Bootblack Stand—Rocco Chinsano, No. 958 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Diemer—

Newspaper Stand—Henry Engelhard, No. 719 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Downing—

Bootblack Stand—Francesco Allasio, corner of Fulton and Pierrepont streets, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Holler—

Fruit Stands—Bertalomeo Ferreiggiaro, corner of Wythe avenue and Broadway, Brooklyn; Pellegro Fellers, corner of Broadway and South Sixth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Holmes—

Fruit Stands—Ariello Pasquale, No. 469 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan; Joseph Heim, No. 460 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan; Antonio Cosenzo, No. 54 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan; Martin J. Thew, No. 433 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan; Luigi Malango, No. 496 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Florindo D'Esposito, No. 160 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan; Joseph Rispoli, No. 180 West Sixty-fourth street, Manhattan; Severino Di Stefano, No. 463 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stands—Vincenzo Gerardo, No. 55 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Mike Digiacomo, No. 237 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Domenico Alvino, No. 496 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Giovanni Antonio, No. 94 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gaffney—

Fruit Stand—Daniel Patrio, No. 403 East Fourteenth street, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stand—Joseph M. Ruggiero, No. 150 East Twenty-third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kennedy—

Bootblack Stand—Giuseppe Faggella, No. 34 Wall street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Ledwith—

Newspaper Stand—Mrs. Anne B. Borgett, No. 735 Second avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Mathews—

Newspaper Stands—Patrick Hannan, southeast corner One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Eighth avenue, Manhattan; Jacob Siedes, southwest corner One Hundred and Fourth street and Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.

Fruit Stands—Marco Lama, No. 835 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Daniel Basile, No. 869 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Giorgio P. Demetrio, No. 887 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Henry C. Heimeke, No. 720 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Louis Roscillo, No. 715 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Clemente Erminillo, No. 733 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; L. Judas, No. 753 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Louis Starace, No. 761 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Giovanni Persico, No. 767 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Perrico Giovanni, No. 769 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Leonard Herel, No. 602 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Philip Lamesch, No. 995 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

Bootblack Stand—Pasquale Maskrangelo, No. 680 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Murphy—

Bootblack Stands—Domenico Vessa, No. 268 Union avenue, Brooklyn; Raffaele Damato, No. 299 Lorimer street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McCaul—

Newspaper Stand—Philip Ashkin, No. 88 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street, Manhattan.

Fruit Stand—Pasquale Forzi, No. 320 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Oatman—

Bootblack Stand—Vincenzo Rieglano, No. 886 Sixth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wacker—

Bootblack Stand—Frank Rede, No. 1350 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 1219.

Resolved, That section 669 of the Revised Ordinances of 1897 be and the same is hereby suspended and permission given to Leon Sobel to drive an advertising wagon through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such suspension and the permission hereby given to continue only for a period of three months from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 1220.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that an electric light be placed on the southwest corner of Eighty-first street and Avenue A, in the Borough of Manhattan, a point at which there is located a public school and where such a light is much needed.

Which was adopted.

No. 1221.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the National Express Company to erect, place and keep an iron awning in front of the premises Nos. 186 and 188 Greene street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said awning shall be erected so as to comply in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, 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.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1222.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ernst Janussen to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, Nos. 7 and 9 Stagg street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied 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. 1223.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so far as the same may apply to the parade of the Italian Citizens' Club, in the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Assembly Districts, Borough of Brooklyn, on July 21, 1900.

Which was ordered on file.



No. 1224.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Superintendent Pratt of the Gospel Tent, at Fifty-sixth street and Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, to place transparencies announcing religious services on the unused lamp-posts at the northeast corner of Eighth avenue and Fifty-sixth street, and the northwest corner of Broadway and Fifty-sixth street, in said Borough; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for three months from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

No. 1225.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Conrad Dahl to place, erect and keep in front of his premises No. 2024 First avenue, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided said awning shall be erected in conformity with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, 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. 1226.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so far as the same may apply to the parade of The Lincoln League of the Eighth Assembly District, on the evening of Thursday, August 2, 1900; such suspension to continue only for the day and date above mentioned.

Which was adopted.

No. 1227.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hansmann Brothers to place, erect and keep a storm-door in front of their premises on the northwest corner of Nineteenth street and Fourth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the dimensions of said storm-door shall not exceed those prescribed by law, the work to be done 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. 1228.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Martin Dowling to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the southwest corner of Twenty-ninth street and Sixth avenue, 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 all ordinances regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroad, 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. 1229.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas J. Hamilton to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad on the southeast corner of Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, 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 all ordinances regulating the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroad, 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. 1230.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Marie S. Wyse to keep and maintain a movable show-case within the stoop-line in front of her premises known as No. 28 East Twenty-third street, in the Borough of Manhattan; such show-case shall not be more than six feet long and two feet wide, and shall be constructed and maintained at the expense of the said Marie S. Wyse, 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.

No. 1231.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles T. Cook to erect, place and keep a bay-window, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of the second floor of the premises No. 2 West Forty-eighth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, said bay-window to be erected directly over and on top of the projection now in existence in front of the basement and first floor of the said premises, 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 referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1232.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Raphael Church to place transparencies on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of Manhattan:

- Northwest corner of Thirty-fourth street and Tenth avenue;
- Southwest corner of Forty-second street and Tenth avenue;
- Southwest corner of Forty-third street and Tenth avenue;
- Southwest corner of Forty-fifth street and Tenth avenue;
- Southeast corner of Thirty-fifth street and Eleventh avenue;
- Northwest corner of Forty-third street and Eleventh avenue;

the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until August 16, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 1233.

Resolved, That the Lenox Clothing Company, at No. 2289 Third avenue, be and it is hereby permitted to hang and retain a swinging outdoor sign in front of its premises, at the entrance thereof, within the stoop-line, provided the same does not exceed in dimensions four by three feet, and is free from objectionable matter, and is constructed and maintained at its own expense, under the direction of the Department of Highways, and is promptly removed whenever this permission is revoked.

Which was adopted.

No. 1234.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the carriage-way of Union street, from Court street to Fourth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be repaved with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, and that the curbstones along the lines of said thoroughfare be repaired and reset where necessary.

Which was adopted.

No. 1235.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to T. J. Kirwan to erect and keep an awning in front of his premises, No. 979 Manhattan avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, provided said awning shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, 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. 1236.

Whereas, The property situated at the northwest corner of Broadway and Penn street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is only partly fenced in and rapidly becoming an unbearable nuisance and the subject of much complaint on the part of neighboring residents and property-owners; therefore

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Highways to at once serve notice upon the owner or owners of the said premises at the northwest corner of Broadway and Penn street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to have the same properly fenced in, and if said notice be not complied with that he, the said Commissioner of Highways, institute proceedings which shall require that the said work be done in accordance with such provisions of law as relate to the matter of fencing in property.

Which was adopted.

No. 1237.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that four lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and lighted, in front of the Temple of the Congregation of Shaari Zedek of Harlem, on the northerly side of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, four hundred and ninety feet east of Lenox avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted.

No. 1238.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Roetger to place, erect and maintain a retaining-wall within the stoop-line in front of Nos. 1062 and 1064 Tiffany street, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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. 1239.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. A. Reiss and others to place, erect and maintain a retaining-wall within the stoop-line in front of their premises on the north side of Mt. Hope place, between Monroe and Morris avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done 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. 1240.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Grasse to place and keep a fence in front of his premises on the five-foot area-line on the north side of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, sixty-five feet west of Monroe avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, and to build, erect and keep a terrace within the stoop-line in front of said premises, 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. 1241.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Theo. Roehrs to place and keep a fence in front of his premises on the five-foot area line on the northwest corner of Monroe avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, extending along said avenue one hundred and twenty-five feet and along said street sixty-five feet, and to build, erect and keep a terrace within the stoop-line in front of said premises, 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. 1242.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Ascension Baptist Church to place a sign, two feet by three, on the telephone pole situated at the curb on the westerly side of Park or Railroad avenue, distant about forty feet south of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, in the Borough of The Bronx, the telephone company consenting thereto, the work to be done 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. 1243.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. F. Blackman and others to place, erect and maintain a retaining-wall within the stoop-line in front of their premises No. 1040 Tiffany street to No. 1056 on the same thoroughfare, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done 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. 1244.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Martin Walter and others to build, erect and keep a retaining-wall within the stoop-line in front of their premises on the east-side of Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-ninth and One Hundred and Eightieth streets, in the Borough of The Bronx, said wall to be four feet in height, the work to be done 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 referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1245.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Trustees of the Tremont Methodist Episcopal Church to maintain the bay-window now on the church on the westerly side of Washington avenue, distant about 50 feet south of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, said bay-window not to extend more than two feet from the base-line, the work to be done 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. 1246.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so far as the same may apply to the parade of the Schuette Club on Thursday, August 23, 1900, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 1247.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Lowe to erect, keep and maintain a retaining-wall, five feet high and fifty feet long, within the stoop-line, in front of his premises on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Eighty-second street and Davidson avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, 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. 1248.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Society San Rocco, of the Borough of Manhattan, to erect a temporary stand fifteen feet square in front of No. 201 Hester street, said stand to be occupied by a band of musicians during the religious exercises of the society above mentioned on August 16, 1900, said stand to be erected on August 15 and to be removed during the morning of August 17, the work to be done and materials supplied at their own expense under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; be it further

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, be and the same hereby is suspended for the day and date above mentioned, in Hester street, between Baxter and Mulberry streets, for the day and date above mentioned.

Which was adopted.

No. 1249.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to S. Tybarowski to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises on the northwest corner of Pitkin and Sheffield avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied 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. 1250.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Batt to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises on the southwest corner of Liberty avenue and Essex street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied 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. 1251.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Ninth Ward Regulars to suspend a banner across Blocker street, at Eleventh street, Borough of Manhattan, said banner to be strung from house to house, the consent of the property-owners having been given, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until August 14, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 1252.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Coggrave to erect, place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises on the southeast corner of Fourth avenue and Fifty-second street, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied 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. 1253.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended, so far as the same may apply to the parade of the Progress Republican Club in the Tenth and Sixteenth Assembly Districts, Borough of Manhattan, County of New York, on Monday, August 13, 1900, such suspension to continue on said day and date only.

Which was adopted.

No. 1254.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Aschner's Sons to place and keep a movable sign in the shape of an Indian figure two feet square at base and eight feet high, said sign to be wholly within stoop-line, said premises having raised stone stoop step in front, said premises being No. 393 Fulton street, 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. 1255.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Tucker to erect and keep a drinking-fountain within the stoop-line in front of Grace Church, Broadway and Eleventh street, Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied 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. 1256.

Resolved, That it is hereby recommended to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that two lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and lighted, in front of the chapel of the First Congregational Church of Morrisania, on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and Forest avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 1257.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Klesow to erect and keep a movable barber-pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 3807 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the pole to be taken in every evening, 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. 1258.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Aronson to place, erect and keep show-cases, within the stoop-line, in front of his premises No. 2923 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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. 1259.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Goldman to place, erect and keep a retaining-wall and fence, within the stoop-line, in front of his premises on the north side of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, between Monroe and Anthony avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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. 1260.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Gleason to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises No. 1780 Washington avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied 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. 1261.

Resolved, That upon the annexed petition, it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that the carriage-way of East Forty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt pavement.

Which was adopted.

No. 1262.

Resolved, That the permission granted by the Municipal Assembly to Mr. A. L. Baggott, as per resolution adopted by this Board on June 26 last, to drive an advertising wagon through the streets of Harlem, be and the same is hereby extended to October 1, the same conditions, restrictions, etc., embodied in the resolution referred to to continue in force and effect and to be operative hereunder.

Which was adopted.

No. 1263.

Resolved, That the ordinance relative to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit the Merry Five Association to discharge fireworks in the Borough of The Bronx, on Wednesday, July 25, 1900, the work to be done at their own expense under the direction of the Chief of Police; such suspension and permission to continue only for the day and date above mentioned.

Which was adopted.

No. 1264.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Fritz Horn to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and Union avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied 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. 1265.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Nicholas Council, K. of C., a charitable benefit association, to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of Manhattan:

Southwest corner of Ninety-third street and Columbus avenue;  
Southeast corner of Ninety-sixth street and Amsterdam avenue;  
Southwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and Columbus avenue;  
Northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and Amsterdam avenue;  
—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until August 9, 1900.

Which was adopted.

No. 1266.

Resolved, That the ordinance relative to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit the Homestead Social Club to discharge fireworks in the Borough of Manhattan on August 22, 1900, the work to be done at their own expense under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for the day and date mentioned.

Which was adopted.

No. 1267.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Estate of Matthew Byrnes to erect, keep and maintain a marquee of metal and glass, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of the Forty-fifth street side of their premises on the southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Forty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done 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. 1268.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Berger & Abbot to place, erect and keep a storm-door in front of their premises, No. 1298 Fulton street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the work to be done 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.

## PETITIONS.

No. 1269.

SHELTER ISLAND HEIGHTS, N. Y., July 19, 1900.

To Mr. P. J. Scully, Clerk of the Municipal Assembly, New York:

DEAR SIR:—On behalf of my mother, brother and sisters I wish to convey to the Municipal Assembly our sincere thanks for the beautiful memorial of my father which they have so kindly sent us.

They may have the satisfaction of knowing that whatever trouble they may have taken to produce this memorial has resulted in something of inexpressible value to the wife and children of Frederick A. Schroeder.

Gratefully yours,  
FRANCES SCHROEDER.

Which was ordered on file.

## PROPOSED ORDINANCES AND LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1270.

By Councilman Ryder—

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and they are hereby respectfully requested to appropriate sufficient funds to provide for a new building on the site of Clinton Market, Spring, West, Canal and Washington streets, Borough of Manhattan; said building to contain market stalls, public baths for male and female, a Magistrate's Court, Police sub-station and public offices, the first floor to be used in part for a flower market.

Whereas, The growing and selling of cut flowers and plants in The City of New York, begun almost a century ago, has assumed an importance and a magnitude, giving employment to thousands of people, that entitle it to rank among the leading industries of our great city; and

Whereas, At the present time no adequate marketing accommodation exists for the proper carrying on of this business, thus proving a great deterrent to its increase and development; and

Whereas, It having been learned that the Clinton Market, situated at Washington and Canal streets, in The City of New York and Borough of Manhattan, is about to be reconstructed for various purposes, as set forth in a resolution of the City Council dated July 24, 1900; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, as representing the organization known as the New York Market Florists' Association, do petition and we do hereby petition the Honorable the Board of Aldermen—or Council—of The City of New York, to take into consideration, in the improvements anticipated or about to be carried out at the Clinton Market aforesaid, the advisability of trans-

forming said new structure, or a portion thereof, into a suitable market building for the sale of plants and flowers and commensurate with the needs and requirements of the industry; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Hon. F. J. Ryder, member of the Council, Second Council District, of The City of New York, within whose jurisdiction said Clinton Market is located, together with a letter of substantial giving some details as to existing market conditions, the present status of the plant and flower industry, etc., and that Mr. Ryder be asked to present same to the Council for their thoughtful consideration and action.

FREDERICK LEHRING, JOHN BIRNIE, H. DRYER, Committee.

To the Hon. F. J. Ryder, Member of the Council, Second Council District, City of New York:

SIR:—On behalf of the New York Market Florists' Association, and in accordance with its expressed desire, also in the name of the growers of plants and flowers generally, selling their products, which have long since ceased to be a luxury, and are now considered an indispensable necessity by the great majority of our citizens in New York, we the undersigned beg to submit to you the following resolutions, and ask that you will place same, together with a copy of this letter, before the Council for their careful consideration and action.

The growing of plants and flowers for sale in The City of New York commenced with the present century, and has kept pace with the development of the city itself. In the earlier days of the trade's existence, and down to within a recent date, but little effort has been made to provide marketing accommodation for those selling their products in this city; that generally afforded being the privilege of standing the growers' wagons at various street corners—for a consideration. In 1891 the Union Square plaza was thrown open as a flower market during what is termed in the trade the plant season—extending from the middle of April until the middle of June, and continued as such until 1897, when, for various reasons, chief among which was the importuning of customers by the peddlers, the Square was abandoned by the plantmen. Since then the "triangle" at the foot of Canal street has been the location principally used as a marketing place by plant growers.

These provisions as to market accommodation have entailed much hardship, discomfort and loss on those who earn their livelihood by this means. They have caused us to leave our homes the day previous and station our wagons in the small hours of the morning, while subjecting ourselves to the cold night air, in order to secure an advantageous selling position on the coming day. This has been our lot for all these years, and it is so to-day to a very great extent.

In 1898 an arrangement was made by the Bureau of Markets for the renting of space in the Clinton Market by the growers of plants and flowers for the disposal of their wares. This was taken advantage of by quite a number. Recently, as you are aware, that portion of the building occupied by the florists has sustained damage from the elements, such as to render it untenable. Learning of the intention of the municipal authorities to reconstruct said Clinton Market, we have deemed it opportune to ask for a consideration of our pleading as set forth in the accompanying resolutions, and this we do on several grounds:

First—While we fully appreciate all that has been done by the City heretofore on our behalf as regards marketing accommodations for our products, the status of our industry is such to-day that its development is hampered and clogged for want of a building such as we petition for.

There is at the present day, approximately, twelve millions of dollars invested in lands, structures, stock, etc., for the growing of plants and flowers tributary to New York market, within a radius of ten miles of City Hall. The annual sales of our products from all parts within the City itself approximate ten millions of dollars. Were an adequate market building afforded it is within reason to believe that the yearly sales of plants and flowers would reach double the figure named in the next decade.

Second—The lack of a suitable market building has necessitated a segregation of the channels that provide an outlet for the supplies of our products reaching New York. These outlets are located at numerous points throughout the city, creating much inconvenience and quite an expense to purchasers of our goods. Given such a building, and these different distributing agencies can be concentrated at one point, still further facilitating the business, and without doubt contributing to its material increase.

Third—New York, of all the greatest cities of the world, stands alone in being without its recognized general plant and flower market. We need, we think, but to refer to the educational and moral influence that such an institution among us would exert, to say nothing of the enjoyment that the daily displays at all seasons of the year would afford to countless thousands to whom the pleasure of admiring God's choicest gifts to mankind (flowers) is now denied.

Therefore, we appeal to the civic pride of your Honorable Body: Shall New York City, the city that leads the world in so many of the industries in which our artisans and merchants are engaged, longer remain without her great plant and flower market—a building fully commensurate with the wealth of our city, the commercial status of the business, as well as with its elevating and refining influence on all classes of society as they exist within her borders? Let her but take that position as regards a plant and flower market that her florists in their particular work take to-day, despite the drawbacks attendant on the conduct of their business, in the very forefront, and who shall measure the resultant good, not only to an industry deserving of every encouragement but to the whole community and even to every dweller on this continent—for those cities still in the position of New York will surely follow her example and rear within their walls structures that will ever stand as monuments to the wisdom of their municipal rulers and an evidence of the high state of refinement reached by their citizens.

FREDERICK LEHRING, JOHN BIRNIE, H. DRYER, Committee.

Which was adopted.

No. 1271.

By Councilman Gouldin—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 10, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 295 of the Laws of 1896, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the improvement, by the Park Department, of Hudson park, on Hudson street, between Leroy and Clarkson streets, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 69 of the Laws of 1895 and chapter 293 of the Laws of 1896, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the improvement by the Park Department, of Hudson park, on Hudson street, between Leroy and Clarkson streets, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was placed on the list of special orders.

No. 1272.

By the same—

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

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900, and hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of sections 48 and 613 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of an issue of bonds, to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), to provide for the improvement and development of the New York Botanical Garden and the erection of additional buildings therefor in the Bronx Park, generally in accordance with the plans submitted by the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 5, 1900, transmitting communications to him from the Secretary of the New York Botanical Garden, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of sections 48 and 613 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of an issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) to provide for the improvement and development of the New York Botanical Garden and the erection of additional buildings therefor in the Bronx Park, generally in accordance with the plans submitted by the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 5, 1900, transmitting communications to him from the Secretary of the New York Botanical Garden, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purpose aforesaid.



A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1273.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 10, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 2 of title 5 of the Brooklyn Consolidation Act of 1888 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the extensions of water-mains in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 2 of title 15 of the Brooklyn Consolidation Act of 1888 and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the extension of water-mains in the Borough of Brooklyn.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1274.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 10, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of sections 178 and 469 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the expenses necessary in sinking wells and constructing pumps to increase and extend the City's water plant in Tottenville, Borough of Richmond.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of sections 178 and 469 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the expenses necessary in sinking wells and constructing pumps to increase and extend the City's water plant in Tottenville, Borough of Richmond.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1275.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 10, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 2 of title 15 of the Brooklyn Consolidation Act of 1888, and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the erection of a pumping engine at Millburn to utilize the full capacity of the easterly section of the present Long Island Watershed between Millburn and Massapequa.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 2 of title 15 of the Brooklyn Consolidation Act of 1888, and section 170 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the erection of a pumping engine at Millburn to utilize the full capacity of the easterly section of the present Long Island Watershed between Millburn and Massapequa.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1276.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 10, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of sections 178 and 469 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of damages to water rights along the Byram river, in the State of Connecticut.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of sections 178 and 469 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of damages to water rights along the Byram river, in the State of Connecticut.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1277.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 10, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 646 of the Laws of 1897, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of three hundred and thirteen thousand dollars (\$313,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to erecting two pumping engines, with boilers and appurtenances, in the high service pumping station near Washington Bridge and high service engine-house at Jerome Park Reservoir; two pumping engines for the new high service station at Jerome Park Reservoir, and a tank and standpipe for the high service pumping station at Jerome Park Reservoir.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of three hundred and thirteen thousand dollars (\$313,000), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 646 of the Laws of 1897, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of three hundred and thirteen thousand dollars (\$313,000), the

proceeds whereof shall be applied to erecting two pumping engines with boilers and appurtenances, in the high service pumping station near Washington Bridge and high service engine-house at Jerome Park Reservoir; two pumping engines for the new high service pumping station at Jerome Park Reservoir, and a tank and standpipe for the high service pumping station at Jerome Park Reservoir.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1278.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 10, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Whereas, The report of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed by the Supreme Court, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 59 of the Laws of 1897, to acquire title to lands on Chambers, Centre and Reade streets, in the Sixth Ward of The City of New York, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court dated June 27, 1900, and filed June 28, 1900; and

Whereas, The awards made to property-owners and interest thereon amount in the aggregate to the sum of one million seven hundred and twenty-six thousand six hundred and twenty-one dollars and four cents (\$1,726,622.04);

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing means for the payment thereof, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million seven hundred and twenty-six thousand six hundred and twenty-one dollars and four cents (\$1,726,622.04).

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million seven hundred and twenty-six thousand six hundred and twenty-two dollars and four cents (\$1,726,622.04), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Whereas, The report of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed by the Supreme Court, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 59 of the Laws of 1897, to acquire title to lands on Chambers, Centre and Reade streets, in the Sixth Ward of The City of New York, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court dated June 27, 1900, and filed June 28, 1900; and

Whereas, The awards made to property-owners and interest thereon amount in the aggregate to the sum of one million seven hundred and twenty-six thousand six hundred and twenty-two dollars and four cents (\$1,726,622.04);

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing means for the payment thereof, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one million seven hundred and twenty-six thousand six hundred and twenty-two dollars and four cents (\$1,726,622.04).

A true copy of preamble and resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1279.

By the same—

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

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900, and hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes herein specified:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) for the purpose of providing means for erecting and equipping new repair shops for the Fire Department on the plot of ground heretofore assigned to the Fire Department on the northeast corner of Fifty-sixth street and Twelfth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) for the purpose of providing means for erecting and equipping new repair shops for the Fire Department on the plot of ground heretofore assigned to the Fire Department on the northeast corner of Fifty-sixth street and Twelfth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1280.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 10, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Whereas, The report of the Commissioners of Estimate appointed by the Supreme Court pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, and chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, to acquire title to a public park in the Eleventh Ward of The City of New York, bounded by Houston, Stanton, Pit, Willett and Sheriff streets, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court dated June 13, 1900, and filed June 15, 1900; and

Whereas, The awards made to property-owners, the interest thereon and the costs and expenses of the proceeding amount in the aggregate to the sum of two million and forty-five thousand four hundred and twenty-four dollars and sixty-two cents (\$2,045,424.62);

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing means for the payment thereof, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two million and forty-five thousand four hundred and twenty-four dollars and sixty-two cents (\$2,045,424.62).

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two million and forty-five thousand four hundred and twenty-four dollars and sixty-two cents (\$2,045,424.62), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Whereas, The report of the Commissioners of Estimate appointed by the Supreme Court pursuant to the provisions of chapter 293 of the Laws of 1895, and chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, to acquire title to a Public Park in the Eleventh Ward of The City of New York, bounded by Houston, Stanton, Pit, Willett and Sheriff streets, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court dated June 13, 1900, and filed June 15, 1900;

Whereas, The awards made to property-owners, the interest thereon and the costs and expenses of the proceeding amount in the aggregate to the sum of two million and forty-five thousand four hundred and twenty-four dollars and sixty-two cents (\$2,045,424.62);

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing means for the payment thereof, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two million and forty-five thousand four hundred and twenty-four dollars and sixty-two cents (\$2,045,424.62).

A copy of preamble and resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1281.

By the same—

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on July 10, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of sections 178 and 469 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of awards, etc., in pending proceedings under the charge of the Corporation Counsel, instituted at the instance of the Department of Public Works of The City of New York, as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, for the condemnation of lands in the Croton Watershed.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred



and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of sections 178 and 469 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of awards, etc., in pending proceedings under the charge of the Corporation Counsel, instituted at the instance of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York, as constituted prior to January 1, 1898, for the condemnation of lands in the Croton Watershed.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1282.

By the same—

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

Section 1. The Municipal Assembly hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900, and hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the expenditure of an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) for a two-story skate and golf house to be erected in Van Cortlandt Park by the Department of Parks, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the expenditure of an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) for a two-story skate and golf house to be erected in Van Cortlandt Park by the Department of Parks, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Municipal Assembly the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 10, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1283.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Auditor be requested to audit and the Comptroller to pay the bill of Samuel E. Warren, amounting to one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150), for engrossing and framing the resolutions adopted by the Municipal Assembly and directed to be presented to Thomas J. Brady, Commissioner of Buildings.

JULY 18, 1900.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY, per P. J. SCULLY, Clerk, To SAMUEL E. WARREN, Artistic Engrosser and Designer, Ex-Ornamental Penman to Common Council, from 1868 to 1872, Dr.

To engrossing and framing complimentary resolutions tendered Mr. Thomas J. Brady on the occasion of Dewey parade, as per verbal agreement, ..... \$150 00

Received payment.

Which was placed on the list of special orders.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communications from the Corporation Council:

No. 1284.

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1900.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk:

DEAR SIR—I have duly received your letter under date of July 15, 1900, transmitting two petitions addressed by the New York and Harlem Railroad Company and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York and to Hon. Randolph O'Gorman, President of the Municipal Council, each dated July 5, 1900, which you state were read at a meeting of the Council held July 10, 1900, and which were referred by that body to this office.

The petitions referred to recite the issuance on July 2, 1900, of a writ of peremptory mandamus on the relation of the said railroad companies commanding the Board of Taxes and Assessments of The City of New York, and the members composing said Board, to strike from the Annual Record of Assessments of the Real Estate of Corporations in the Borough of Manhattan and from the Assessment-roll of Real Estate of Corporations in the said borough for the year 1900, the assessment thereon amounting to \$7,600,000, against the foundations, road-bed, sub and super-structures and lands therein described of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company; that said writ was duly served upon said Board of Taxes and Assessments before said roll was delivered to and accepted by said Municipal Assembly, but that said writ has not been obeyed, nor has said assessment been stricken from said roll.

One of the petitions requests and demands that the said Municipal Assembly and the said President of the Council afford said Board of Taxes and Assessments or any one of its members access to said assessment-roll now in possession of said Municipal Assembly to the end that, in obedience to said writ, said assessment may be stricken from said roll by them or any one of them. The other petition requests and demands that the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York strike from said assessment-roll said assessment of \$7,600,000.

I have to advise you that the writ of mandamus referred to in said petitions was served upon two members of the Board of Taxes and Assessments before said roll was delivered to said Municipal Assembly and upon a third member of said Board after the delivery of said roll to the Municipal Assembly on July 2, 1900; that thereafter and on July 9th instant application was made to Mr. Justice O'Gorman for a further writ of mandamus directed to the said Board of Taxes and Assessments and the said Municipal Assembly and the said President of the Council for the purpose of carrying out the direction of the writ issued on July 2; that said application was denied by Mr. Justice O'Gorman on the 11th instant; that subsequently a motion for reargument was made before Mr. Justice O'Gorman, which motion has since been denied; and that an appeal was taken and is now pending from the order granting the writ of mandamus of July 2, 1900.

In these circumstances I have to advise that the requests and demands contained in said petitions be not complied with until the further order of the Court in the premises.

I return herewith the petitions transmitted with your letter.

Respectfully,

THEODORE CONNOLLY, Corporation Counsel.

No. 1285.

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1900.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk:

SIR—I have received your letter dated July 15, 1900, to the effect that, at a meeting of the Council held on July 10, 1900, a resolution was adopted to the effect that the salaries of James Owens and Bernard J. Keilly, appointed by that body to act in the capacity of Pages, be increased from \$600 to \$900 per year each, the said increase to take effect February 1, 1903.

My advice is requested whether you can make the changes contemplated by this resolution, there being as you state no funds for the proposed increases and the resolution being retroactive as well.

In my opinion you have no authority to make the changes proposed under the state of facts disclosed. In section 27 of the Charter it is provided as follows:

"The council and the board of aldermen may each elect a sergeant-at-arms and such assistants as are needed to the orderly conduct of their meetings, provided, however, that no expenditures for salaries of such sergeant-at-arms and such assistants shall exceed the amount appropriated therefor in the annual budget."

The proposed increases in salary would thus seem to be in violation of the said provisions of law.

Very respectfully,

THEODORE CONNOLLY, Acting Corporation Counsel.

Which were ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Board of Public Improvements:

No. 1286.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1900.

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

SIR—Referring to a resolution adopted by your Honorable Body and referred to this Board recommending the construction of drinking-fountains along Riverside drive, Borough of Manhattan, I inclose herewith copy of a report received from the Commissioner of Water Supply, in which he states that Riverside drive is under the control of the Department of Parks. It will, therefore, be necessary for you to communicate with the Park Department in regard to this matter.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY,  
NEW YORK, July 10, 1900.

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

DEAR SIR—In the matter of the inclosed resolution of the Municipal Assembly, recommending that the Board of Public Improvements take under advisement the need of drinking-fountains along Riverside drive, I desire to say that Riverside drive is under the care and control of the Department of Parks, which Department is not one of those represented in the Board of Public Improvements.

The resolution should, therefore, be sent to the Department of Parks, and I beg to suggest that you communicate with the Municipal Assembly to that effect.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Seventh Regiment:

No. 1287.

HEADQUARTERS, SEVENTH REGIMENT, N. G., N. Y.,  
NEW YORK, July 16, 1900.

To the Honorable Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—In pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, I transmit herewith duplicate copies of the estimate or statement of the amount required for the purposes of the armory of the Seventh Regiment, N. G., N. Y., for the year 1901.

Very respectfully,

DANIEL APPLETON, Colonel.

HEADQUARTERS, SEVENTH REGIMENT, N. G., N. Y.,  
NEW YORK, July 16, 1900.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The sum required by the trustees of the Seventh Regiment Armory building for the year 1901, to be paid to the said trustees and applied to the uses and purposes provided by chapter 518 of the Laws of 1893, is eight thousand dollars (\$8,000).

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL APPLETON, Colonel,

WM. H. KIPP, Lieutenant-Colonel,

JAS. C. ABRAMS, Major,

A. M. CONOVER, Major,

Trustees Seventh Regiment Armory Building.

HEADQUARTERS, SEVENTH REGIMENT, N. G., N. Y.,  
NEW YORK, July 16, 1900.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to report the following estimate of the amount of expenditure required for the purposes of the Armory of the Seventh Regiment, N. G., N. Y., for the year 1901, in addition to the sum reported by the Trustees of the Seventh Regiment Armory building, made in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 518 of the Laws of 1893.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL APPLETON, Colonel.

SALARIES.	TITLE.	COMPENSATION.	AMOUNT ALLOWED, 1900.	AMOUNT REQUESTED, 1901.
Hugh B. Thomson.....	Armorer.....	\$4.00 per day.....	\$1,360.00	\$1,440.00
Walter C. Austin.....	Janitor.....	4.00 ".....	1,440.00	1,440.00
Charles W. Floyd.....	Engineer.....	4.00 ".....	1,440.00	1,440.00
George E. Mullins.....	Assistant Engineer.....	4.00 ".....	1,440.00	1,440.00
William F. ....	Laborer.....	2.00 ".....	720.00	720.00
William J. Mooney.....	".....	2.00 ".....	720.00	720.00
James R. Ayer.....	".....	2.00 ".....	720.00	720.00
Frank K. Bach.....	".....	2.00 ".....	720.00	720.00
George Schaeppi.....	".....	2.00 ".....	720.00	720.00
John Keller.....	".....	2.00 ".....	720.00	720.00
Arthur D. Ryan.....	".....	2.00 ".....	720.00	720.00
Total.....			\$8,000.00	\$8,000.00

#### SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS.

To be included in the appropriation to be made, for the year 1901, to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, as follows:

Supplies.	
175 tons of coal, at \$5 per ton.....	\$875.00
5 loads of wood, at \$12 per load.....	60.00
1/2 dozen ash cans, at \$5 each.....	30.00
3 dozen turkey dusts No. 16, at \$7.50 per dozen.....	22.50
3 dozen mops and handles, at \$5 per dozen.....	15.00
3 dozen corn brooms No. 9, at \$4 per dozen.....	12.00
3 dozen hair brooms, at \$9 per dozen.....	27.00
3 dozen iron pails, at \$5 per dozen.....	15.00
3 dozen charlots, at \$3 per dozen.....	9.00
4 pounds sponges.....	6.00
1 hoghead of soda.....	4.50
1 box of pearl line.....	7.00
1 box of sapoline.....	5.50
1 box of silicon.....	7.50
1/2 dozen mop wringers.....	5.00
3 dozen sink brooms.....	2.00
3 dozen dustpans.....	7.50
100 stair cloths.....	6.00
2 gross soap powder.....	60.00
1 barrel of sperm oil.....	12.00
8 barrels of raw linseed oil, at \$22.50 each.....	180.00
4 barrels of turpentine, at \$25 each.....	100.00
Total supplies.....	\$1,462.50

#### Repairs, etc.

Painting squad drill-rooms, halls and stairways, Administration Building.....	\$2,000.00
Kalsomining.....	500.00
Alterations—Squad drill-room No. 2 for extension of Colonel's room.....	2,000.00
New elevator.....	\$4,980.00
Woodwork for elevator.....	1,935.00
Total repairs, etc.....	\$6,915.00

Which was ordered on file.



The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Third District Municipal Court, Borough of Manhattan:

No. 1288.  
MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN—THIRD DISTRICT,  
SIXTH AVENUE AND TENTH STREET,  
July 16, 1900.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the request of Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, contained in circular letter of July 2, 1900, I submit the following as the departmental estimate of the amount of expenditures necessary for the payment of the salaries of the Justice and officers of this Court for the year 1901, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$18,100.

These salaries are fixed by sections 1355, 1373, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

NAMES.	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION.	AMOUNT.
William F. Moore.....	Justice.....	\$6,000 00
Daniel Williams.....	Clerk.....	3,000 00
Thomas E. German.....	Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00
Valerian S. Lillie.....	Stenographer.....	2,000 00
Joseph Weill.....	Interpreter.....	1,200 00
Michael Bergin.....	Attendant.....	1,000 00
Daniel B. Murphy.....	".....	1,000 00
Daniel Mooney.....	Janitor.....	900 00
Total.....		\$18,100 00

Yours respectfully,

WILLIAM F. MOORE, Justice.

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Commissioner of Jurors, Kings County:

No. 1289.  
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
ROOM 5, COURT HOUSE,  
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, July 26, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with directions contained in circular letter of the Comptroller, dated July 2, 1900, I hereby send the following estimate of Salaries and Contingencies for the year 1901:

NAME.	POSITION.	1900.	1901.
William E. Melody.....	Commissioner of Jurors.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
Aaron J. Michaels.....	Chief Clerk.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Robert H. Furey.....	Clerk.....	2,500 00	2,500 00
J. P. W. Cawthorne.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Daniel F. M. Ferguson.....	".....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Joseph Bookman.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John R. Carroll.....	".....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Nine (9) Jury Notice Servers, at \$1,200 annually.....		10,800 00	10,800 00
Contingencies.....		139 00	100 00
Total.....		\$28,039 00	\$28,000 00

Respectfully submitted,

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

1900—	Salary of the Commissioner of Jurors.....	\$5,000 00
	Salaries of Employees.....	12,100 00
	Nine (9) Jury Notice Servers, \$1,200 annually.....	10,800 00
	Contingencies.....	139 00
Total.....		\$28,039 00

1901—	Salary of Commissioner of Jurors.....	\$5,000 00
	Salaries of Employees.....	12,100 00
	Nine (9) Jury Notice Servers, \$1,200 annually.....	10,800 00
	Contingencies.....	100 00
Total.....		\$28,000 00

There will remain unexpended of the appropriation of 1900 the following items:

Salary of Commissioner.....	\$53 76
Salaries of Jury Notice Servers.....	85 71
Total.....	\$139 47

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Comptroller:

No. 1290.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
July 14, 1900.

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 1897, for carrying on the Municipal Assembly and City Clerk's office from January 1 to December 31, 1900, 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.....	\$2,500 00	\$570 00	\$1,930 00
Contingencies—City Clerk.....	1,000 00	660 05	339 95
The Municipal Assembly and City Clerk—Salaries.....	106,552 00	98,165 26	8,386 74
Total.....	\$100,052 00	\$99,395 31	\$100,656 69

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Fifth District Municipal Court, Borough of Manhattan:

No. 1291.  
MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN—FIFTH DISTRICT,  
July 9, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—In compliance with the request of the Comptroller calling for an estimate of the expenses of this Court for the year 1901, I herewith submit as follows:

Benjamin Hoffman, Justice.....	\$6,000 00
Thomas Fitzpatrick, Clerk.....	3,000 00
James H. Sheils, Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00
Louis S. Posner, Stenographer.....	2,000 00

Jacob Katz, Interpreter.....	\$1,200 00
James McAlarney, Attendant.....	1,000 00
Charles J. Newman, Attendant.....	1,000 00
Attendant.....	1,000 00
(A vacancy now exists in the office of Attendant, caused by the death of James Laverty, whose successor has not yet been appointed.)	
Total.....	\$18,200 00

All of which is respectfully submitted.

B. HOFFMAN, Justice.

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the District Attorney of Richmond County:

No. 1292.  
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE COUNTY OF RICHMOND,  
PORT RICHMOND, N. Y., July 9, 1900.

Hon. Bird S. Coler, Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

MY DEAR SIR—In regard to the Departmental Estimate for the year 1901, I have to say that no part of the sum of \$1,000 appropriated for witness fees and contingencies for this office will probably remain unexpended, as two terms of County and Supreme Court remain to be held before January 1, 1901, and, I think, only about \$200 remain in the fund on this day. A deficiency will probably occur before the end of the year. This county was remarkably fortunate in that it had but one capital case in the past eighteen months. Had it been otherwise, the fund would have been utterly depleted and this office seriously handicapped in the administration of its business.

In the letter accompanying the last Departmental Estimate I called attention to the small amount allowed this office for contingencies when taken in conjunction with the fact that I have no assistants or aids of any kind, except one Stenographer, and all labor and services of every kind must be paid for out of this contingent fund. The difficulty encountered is the unwillingness to render service to the office when I am obliged to say that, perhaps before the claim can be paid, suit against the City is necessary because of the lack of funds. Fifteen hundred dollars was named in my last Departmental Estimate as a reasonable amount for the conduct of one year's business for this office, and I trust it may be deemed advisable to allow this sum for the year 1901.

Very respectfully yours,

EDWARD SIDNEY RAWSON, District Attorney, County of Richmond.

The following were the amounts appropriated for the conduct of the business of the District Attorney's Office for the County of Richmond for the year 1900:

Salary of District Attorney.....	\$4,000 00
Salary of District Attorney's Stenographer.....	1,000 00
For witness fees and contingencies, the sum of.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$6,000 00

The following amounts for the conduct of the business of the District Attorney's Office for the County of Richmond will be necessary for the year 1901:

Salary of District Attorney.....	\$4,000 00
Salary of District Attorney's Stenographer.....	1,000 00
Witness fees and contingencies, the sum of.....	1,500 00
Total.....	\$6,500 00

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Clerk of the City Court of The City of New York:

No. 1293.  
New York, July 6, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUGENHEIMER, President, Municipal Assembly, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—In conformity with the directions of a circular letter, dated July 2, from the Comptroller, I have the honor to transmit to the Municipal Assembly a statement of expenditure necessary for conducting the business of the City Court of The City of New York during the year 1901.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS F. SMITH, Clerk.

	PER ANNUM.	FOR 1901.
<b>Justices.</b>		
James M. Fitzsimmons.....	\$10,000 00	\$10,000 00
John H. McCarthy.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Lewis J. Cullen.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
John P. Schuchman.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Edward F. O'Dwyer.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Theodore F. Hawell.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Total.....	\$60,000 00	\$60,000 00
<b>Clerks.</b>		
Thomas F. Smith.....	\$4,500 00	\$4,500 00
Edward H. Piepanbring.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Patrick A. Gilray.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Terrence Duffy.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
James J. McCloskey.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Thomas Carroll.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John Graham.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Edward G. Tully.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Henry P. McGowan, Jr.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Simpson Hamburger.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Richard J. Sheerin.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John Quigg.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John McCormack.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
John C. Foley.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Thomas J. Sullivan.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Total.....	\$28,000 00	\$28,000 00
<b>Stenographers.</b>		
Frederick J. Warburton.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Farrell O'Dowd.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
John R. Potts.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Michael J. Kelly.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Total.....	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00
<b>Interpreter.</b>		
Phillip F. Schmitt.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00
Total.....	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00
<b>Attendants.</b>		
Frederick Tourrelle.....	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00
Moses Levi.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Edward Brucks.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Frederick Straus.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Frank P. Dunlap.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John O. Wickling.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John Courtney.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
William Arbuthnot.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
John C. McDermott.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
William H. Keegan.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Theodore A. Hamilton.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Leon Phillips.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Phillip Brady.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Total.....	\$15,600 00	\$15,600 00



## RECAPITULATION.

	APPROPRIATION FOR 1900.	ESTIMATE FOR 1901.
Justices .....	\$60,000 00	\$60,000 00
Clerks .....	28,000 00	28,000 00
Stenographers .....	12,000 00	12,000 00
Interpreter .....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Attendants .....	15,600 00	15,600 00
	\$117,100 00	\$117,100 00

Unexpended balance for 1900, \$51.62.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS F. SMITH, Clerk.

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the Brooklyn Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children:

No. 1294.

THE BROOKLYN SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN,  
HEADQUARTERS NO. 105 SCHERMERHORN STREET, BROOKLYN,  
NEW YORK, July 14, 1900.

Hon. RANDOLPH GUIGENHEIMER, President, Municipal Assembly:

DEAR SIR—Replying to your notice of the 2d instant, asking for a report of this society in accordance with the resolution passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held June 27, 1900, I beg herewith respectfully to submit that under paragraph 23 of subdivision 22 of section 230 of the charter, your Board is empowered to include in your annual budget the sum of four thousand dollars for this Society, and under chapter 196 of the Laws of 1899 further power is given to your Board to make any appropriation which in your judgment is deemed proper for the said Society.

Under the latter provision, this Society respectfully asks that six thousand (\$6,000) dollars be provided in your budget for the uses and purpose of the Society.

Attached hereto is a general statement of the receipts and expenditures for the year 1899, giving in detail, as provided in section 226 of the Greater New York Charter, the objects of the expenditures, and this statement is sent to the Mayor, the Comptroller and to the Municipal Assembly. The additional amount above stated, which is asked for the year 1900, is owing to the increased expenditure which has been necessitated by the extension of the Society's work to the Borough of Queens.

If the Society was only an aid-giving society in the sense that it took care of destitute children as an orphan asylum does, or gave alms outside to the poor, as the poor association, or was a hospital, and cared for sick patients in the general way that most institutions do, it would not be necessary for us to give anything further to the Board of Estimate than our report, but the work of the Society is peculiar to itself, and its claim for recognition by the authorities even in pursuance with this law is on the ground of its special work.

No provision has ever been made in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens for the care of lost children, except in the Shelter of the Society. No provision was ever made for the care of children under fourteen years who would be sent to the jails, except in the Shelter of the Society, and no provision has ever been made for the care of girls under sixteen years who are arrested by the police and held for trial, except in our Shelter.

In this particular the Society stands alone. In another particular the Society stands alone.

Of the many children under the age of sixteen years, both boys and girls, who may be taken before the City Magistrates, there is no recognized agency for the investigation of their home surroundings and the merits of such arrests but the Society, and as there are eight City Magistrates' Courts in the Borough of Brooklyn and three in the Borough of Queens, located at the distant points of Long Island City, Flushing and Far Rockaway, and some four thousand children arrested each year and taken before these courts, you can readily see that the work of investigation by the Society's agents is large.

In addition to this, as there is no provision made by the Police Department, it has been and it is necessary for the Society to defray the expense of transportation of children from the Shelter to the courts and back again, in every instance, even when in the care of a police officer in uniform.

In addition to this, so as to prevent the necessity of a young girl being taken through the streets openly under arrest by an officer in uniform, the Society's agents have delivered girls from the courts to the House of Refuge, the House of the Good Shepherd and other institutions to which they have been committed, which is an additional expense.

In view of all this work, together with the investigation, prosecution and conduct of cases of actual cruelty to children, including all its phases, the Society makes a special plea to the Board of Estimate for its consideration.

Should the question be raised in any way, the Society begs leave to say that it has obeyed all the laws and ordinances, rules and regulations laid down by the public authorities, and has made all the reports called for by such officers.

Acknowledging past courtesies, I have the honor to remain, with great respect,

ROBERT J. WILKIN, Superintendent and Attorney.

## GENERAL STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE BROOKLYN SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN FOR THE YEAR 1899.

## Receipts.

Amount received from donations, subscriptions and income from endowments for the year 1899.....	\$12,919 33
Amount received from The City of New York .....	4,000 00
Total receipts for the year 1899.....	\$16,919 33

## Disbursements for Year 1899.

For salaries of one superintendent, who also acts as attorney, four special officers, one clerk, one stenographer, one janitor and engineer, one matron, one nurse, two caretakers for children, one bath attendant and caretaker, one cook, one laundress, one night-watchman, and temporary clerks and special officers for the delivery of children from the courts to institutions, etc.....	\$9,884 68
For supplies of all kinds .....	1,910 04
For board paid to the City which had been collected from parents and others for the support of children in institutions.....	415 00
For all other purposes .....	5,150 31

Total disbursements for the year 1899.....	\$17,390 03
Leaving a deficit in the Treasury, January 1, 1900.....	470 70

During this period there were received and investigated by the Society in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, complaints..... 2,551  
Advice was given to parents and children at Society's office in complaints..... 802

Making the total number of cases acted upon..... 3,353

Number of cases prosecuted and convicted.....	114
Number of visits made by society's officers throughout the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	8,626
Number of children involved.....	8,064

ROBERT J. WILKIN, Superintendent and Attorney.

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from his Honor the Mayor:

No. 1295.

CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,  
July 19, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

The following is an account of the expenses and receipts of the Mayor's Office for the three months ending June 30, 1900, made pursuant to section 117 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897:

Statement in detail of the amount paid for salaries in the Mayor's office for the quarter ending June 30, 1900—

Hon. Robert A. Van Wyck, Mayor.....	\$3,750 00
Alfred M. Downes, Secretary.....	1,249 98
Richard S. Farley, Chief Clerk.....	799 98
Ross F. Keogh, Bond and Warrant Clerk.....	549 99
Joel J. Gibson, Confidential Clerk.....	450 00
Matthew J. Dobbins, Confidential Clerk.....	324 99
William J. Harvey, Stenographer.....	450 00
August W. Hornung, Confidential Stenographer.....	450 00
John F. Scully, Confidential Messenger.....	474 99
Edward Hetherington, Official Messenger.....	474 99
	\$8,974 92

Statement in detail of the amounts paid for contingencies for the quarter ending June 30, 1900:

American District Telegraph Company.....	\$4 90
Hamilton Jones, newspapers.....	34 03
Alfred M. Downes, disbursements.....	9 75
S. M. Butler, stenographic work.....	49 00
James P. Conway, typewriting.....	5 00
Edward Hetherington, disbursements.....	14 00
Western Union Telegraph Company.....	5 18
	121 86

Total.....\$9,096 78

## BUREAU OF LICENSES.

JULY 5, 1900.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor:

SIR—The following is an account of the receipts and expenses of the Bureau of Licenses for the quarter ending June 30, 1900:

Statement in detail of Receipts in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

MONTHS OF 1900.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	CITY TREASURY.	SINKING FUND.	TOTAL.
April.....	864	\$4,075 32	\$4,598 00	\$8,673 32
May.....	2,381	\$9,413 32	\$7,784 75	\$17,198 07
June.....	3,144	\$12,003 00	\$7,127 75	\$19,130 75
Totals.....	6,389	\$25,491 64	\$19,510 50	\$45,002 14

Statement in detail of Receipts in the Borough of Brooklyn.

MONTHS OF 1900.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	CITY TREASURY.	SINKING FUND.	TOTAL.
April.....	419	\$2,052 50	\$2,024 00	\$4,076 50
May.....	841	\$3,180 00	\$2,741 25	\$5,921 25
June.....	528	\$2,643 00	\$1,975 00	\$4,618 00
Totals.....	1,788	\$7,875 50	\$6,740 25	\$14,615 75

Statement in detail of Receipts in the Borough of Queens.

MONTHS OF 1900.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	CITY TREASURY.	SINKING FUND.	TOTAL.
April.....	31	\$170 00	\$14 00	\$184 00
May.....	154	\$78 00	\$59 00	\$137 00
June.....	207	\$99 00	\$85 00	\$184 00
Totals.....	492	\$347 00	\$258 00	\$605 00

Statement in detail of Receipts in the Borough of Richmond.

MONTHS OF 1900.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	CITY TREASURY.	SINKING FUND.	TOTAL.
April.....	9	\$44 00	\$34 00	\$78 00
May.....	37	\$17 50	\$5 50	\$23 00
June.....	108	\$53 50	\$14 25	\$67 75
Totals.....	154	\$114 50	\$53 75	\$168 25

## RECAPITULATION.

	LICENSES.	RECEIPTS.
Totals, Manhattan and The Bronx.....	6,389	\$45,002 14
Totals, Brooklyn.....	1,788	\$14,615 75
Totals, Queens.....	492	\$605 00
Totals, Richmond.....	154	\$168 25
Grand Totals.....	8,823	\$60,391 14

—all of which has been paid over to the City Treasury and Sinking Fund.

Statement in detail of the amount paid for salaries in the Bureau of Licenses for the quarter ending June 30, 1900—

David J. Roche, Chief of Bureau.....	\$699 99
<b>Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.</b>	
George W. Brown, Jr., Deputy Chief.....	499 98
Joseph Keller, Cashier.....	424 98
George W. Stripling, Inspector.....	300 00
John Schmiedling, Inspector.....	300 00
William H. Hayden, Inspector.....	300 00
Francis X. McCauley, Stenographer.....	225 00

## Borough of Brooklyn.

William H. Jordan, Deputy Chief.....	499 98
George W. Glendinning, Cashier.....	399 99

## Borough of Richmond.

William H. McCabe, Deputy Chief.....	575 00
Felix Hall, Cashier.....	300 00

## Borough of Queens.

Peter Flanagan, Deputy Chief.....	375 00
John O'Dwyer, Cashier.....	300 00

Statement in detail of amounts paid for contingencies for the quarter ending June 30, 1900—

New York Stencil Works.....	\$605 40
Car-fares.....	35 20
Toilet supplies.....	6 00
	\$4,999 92



Postage stamps.....	\$41.00
Postal cards.....	12.40
	\$700.00
Grand total.....	\$5,409.92

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Acting Chief of the Bureau of Licenses.

By direction of the Mayor, I herewith transmit the above report of the Mayor's office for the quarter ending June 30, 1900, for the attention of the Municipal Assembly.

Very respectfully yours,

RICHARD S. FARLEY, Acting Secretary to the Mayor.

Which was ordered on file.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn:

No. 1296.

CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,  
July 9, 1900.

#### Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on June 28, 1900, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York that the Mayor of The City of New York be empowered to appoint three trustees to take charge of the Gravesend Cemetery, in the Borough of Brooklyn."

Inclosed is copy of petition.

I also inclose a form of ordinance for your consideration.

Yours respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

(Copy.)

OFFICE OF CHARLES S. VOORNIES,  
No. 16 COURT STREET,  
BROOKLYN, March 1, 1900.

GENTLEMEN—I, the undersigned, do hereby petition your Honorable Board to pass a resolution empowering the Mayor of The City of New York to appoint three trustees to take charge of the Gravesend Cemetery, who shall have power to issue permits for burials in said cemetery, and they shall also be empowered to make such changes or charges for opening and closing of any or all graves in said cemetery. Such trustees shall also have full and unrestricted charge, regulation and government of said cemetery. Said trustees are only to hold such appointment for such a time as the Mayor of said City shall deem best for the best interest of said City. All money or moneys that shall be paid to the said trustees shall be expended for the maintenance of said cemetery, and said trustees must make a report to the Mayor of said City during the month of January of every year that they shall hold said trusteeship. The cemetery is located in the Thirty-first Ward (late Town of Gravesend), Borough of Brooklyn. This cemetery was laid out as a town cemetery about the year 1790 and has now buried in it some of the original settlers of the late Town of Gravesend. It is now in a very bad condition, some of the graves are almost ruined, the tombstones are falling down, the grass and weeds in the summer cover the entire cemetery so as to make it almost impossible to find a grave, and the whole has the appearance of abandonment. This cemetery contains about two acres of ground and is very nearly full; in fact, so much so that no burials should be allowed, except in rare cases, such as some old settler who has some of his own family buried there.

Hoping that you will grant my petition, I remain,

Your obedient,

(Signed) C. S. VOORNIES,

No. 16 Court Street, Brooklyn, or Gravesend, Brooklyn.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the proper care of the Gravesend Cemetery.

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

Section 1. The Mayor of The City of New York is hereby authorized to appoint a commission of three members to have full charge and control of the property in the Thirty-first Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, known as the Gravesend Cemetery. Each of the members of the said commission shall serve without compensation, during the pleasure of the Mayor. The commission shall have power to charge fees for the opening and closing of any and all graves in said cemetery and all the money so collected shall be expended for the maintenance of said cemetery. Said commission shall make a report to the Mayor of The City of New York during the month of January of each year.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Council the following communications from the Board of Public Improvements, together with ordinances:

No. 1297.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, July 15, 1900.

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

SIR—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 11th day of July, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing that part of Lott place between East Thirty-eighth street and Flatbush avenue, excepting the crossing of Kings Highway, in the 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 Assistant 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 11th day of July, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 20th day of June, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing that part of Lott place between East Thirty-eighth street and Flatbush avenue, excepting the crossing of Kings Highway, in the 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 11th day of July, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed change and discontinuing 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 and discontinuing 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 11th day of July, 1900; 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 11th day of July, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed closing and discontinuing who have appeared, and such proposed closing and discontinuing 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 closing and discontinuing that part of Lott place between East Thirty-eighth street and Flatbush avenue, excepting the crossing of Kings Highway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to close and discontinue the aforesaid place as follows:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of East Thirty-eighth street and the southern line of Lott place, as laid down on the Town Survey Commissioner's Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register June 13, 1874;

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of East Thirty-eighth street for 60 feet to its intersection with the northern line of Lott place;

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 244.29± feet to Kings Highway;

3d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 105 degrees 09 minutes 26 seconds to the right along said Kings Highway for 234.22± feet;

4th. Thence westerly for 17.88± feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at the intersection of the southwestern line of Flatbush avenue and the southern line of Lott place, as laid down on the Town Survey Commissioner's Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register June 13, 1874;

1st. Thence northwesterly along the southwestern line of Flatbush avenue for 45.8± feet to Kings Highway;

2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting to the left 74 degrees 10 minutes 41 seconds along said Kings Highway for 153.8± feet;

3d. Thence easterly for 172.03± feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution approving of the above named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing that part of Lott place between East Thirty-eighth street and Flatbush avenue, excepting the crossing of Kings Highway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to close and discontinue the aforesaid place as follows:

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE to close and discontinue Lott place, between East Thirty-eighth street and Flatbush, excepting the crossing of Kings Highway, 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 11th day of July, 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 closing and discontinuing that part of Lott place between East Thirty-eighth street and Flatbush avenue, excepting the crossing of Kings Highway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to close and discontinue the aforesaid place as follows:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of East Thirty-eighth street and the southern line of Lott place, as laid down on the Town Survey Commissioner's Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register June 13, 1874;

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of East Thirty-eighth street for 60 feet to its intersection with the northern line of Lott place;

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 244.29± feet to Kings Highway;

3d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 105 degrees 09 minutes 26 seconds to the right along said Kings Highway for 234.22± feet;

4th. Thence westerly for 17.88± feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at the intersection of the southwestern line of Flatbush avenue and the southern line of Lott place, as laid down on the Town Survey Commissioner's Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register June 13, 1874;

1st. Thence northwesterly along the southwestern line of Flatbush avenue for 45.8± feet to Kings Highway;

2d. Thence southwesterly deflecting to the left 74 degrees 10 minutes 41 seconds along said Kings Highway for 153.8± feet;

3d. Thence easterly for 172.03± feet to the point of beginning.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1298.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, July 15, 1900.

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

SIR—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 11th day of July, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades in territory bounded by Stewart avenue, Johnson avenue, the Canal and Metropolitan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements, on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of Brooklyn, and on the report of the Assistant 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 11th day of July, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 20th day of June, 1900, resolutions were adopted, proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades in territory bounded by Stewart avenue, Johnson avenue, the Canal and Metropolitan avenue, in the Eighteenth 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 11th day of July, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed change of grades 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 grades 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 11th day of July, 1900; 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 11th day of July, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of grades who have appeared, and such proposed change of grades 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 grades in territory bounded by Stewart avenue, Johnson avenue, the Canal and Metropolitan avenue, in the Eighteenth ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades in the aforesaid territory as follows:

"A"—Ten Eyck Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Ten Eyck street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.35 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.96 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"B"—Meadow Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Meadow street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 9.08 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 11.26 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"C"—Slagg Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Slagg street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.93 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.96 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"D"—Scholes Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Scholes street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 9.08 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 257 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.95 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 8.66 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.



**"E"—Meserole Street.**

Beginning at the intersection of Meserole street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.96 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 175 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 8.24 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 7.36 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence westerly to a point distant 117 feet westerly from the western curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 7.95 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

**"F"—Montrose Avenue.**

Beginning at the intersection of Montrose avenue and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 9.08 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 252 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.97 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 8.71 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

**"G"—Randolph Street.**

Beginning at the intersection of Randolph street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.57 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 10.06 feet above mean high-water datum.

**"H"—Johnson Avenue.**

Beginning at the intersection of Johnson avenue and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 11.18 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 252 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 12.26 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 11.18 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

3d. Thence westerly to a point distant 215 feet westerly from the western curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 12.26 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Johnson avenue and Porter avenue, the elevation to be 11.18 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

**"I"—Varick Avenue.**

Beginning at the intersection of Varick avenue and Metropolitan avenue, the elevation to be 7.81 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence southerly to the intersection of Varick avenue and Ten Eyck street, the elevation to be 9.96 feet above mean high-water datum.

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 grades in the above-named territory, 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.

**AN ORDINANCE** changing the grades in territory bounded by Stewart avenue, Johnson avenue, the Canal and Metropolitan avenue, in the Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 456 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 11th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, to-wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 456 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 grades in the territory bounded by Stewart avenue, Johnson avenue, the Canal and Metropolitan avenue, in the Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades in the aforesaid territory, as follows:

**"A"—Ten Eyck Street.**

Beginning at the intersection of Ten Eyck street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.55 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.96 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

**"B"—Meserole Street.**

Beginning at the intersection of Meserole street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.96 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 11.26 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

**"C"—Stagg Street.**

Beginning at the intersection of Stagg street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.93 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.96 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

**"D"—Scholar Street.**

Beginning at the intersection of Scholar street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 9.08 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 252 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.95 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 8.66 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

**"E"—Meserole Street.**

Beginning at the intersection of Meserole street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.96 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 175 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 8.24 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 7.36 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence westerly to a point distant 117 feet westerly from the western curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 7.95 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

**"F"—Montrose Avenue.**

Beginning at the intersection of Montrose avenue and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 9.08 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 252 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.97 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 8.71 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

**"G"—Randolph Street.**

Beginning at the intersection of Randolph street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.57 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 10.06 feet above mean high-water datum.

**"H"—Johnson Avenue.**

Beginning at the intersection of Johnson avenue and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 11.18 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 252 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 12.26 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 11.18 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

3d. Thence westerly to a point distant 215 feet westerly from the western curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 12.26 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Johnson avenue and Porter avenue, the elevation to be 11.18 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

**"I"—Varick Avenue.**

Beginning at the intersection of Varick avenue and Metropolitan avenue, the elevation to be 7.81 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence southerly to the intersection of Varick avenue and Ten Eyck street, the elevation to be 9.96 feet above mean high-water datum.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1299.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, July 14, 1900.

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

SIR:—I enclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, an ordinance in relation to increasing the width of Meserole street, Borough of Brooklyn, together with a copy of a resolution of the Local Board recommending this improvement.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

**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 to thirty feet on each side, and the sidewalks on said street are hereby reduced to width ten inches on each side.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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**Board of Public Improvements.**

**ORDINANCE.**—The Local Board of the Seventh District, Borough of Brooklyn, after having had 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 having 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 to thirty feet on each side, and the sidewalks on said street are hereby reduced to width ten inches on each side.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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 sidewalk on each side and the curb. I request, therefore, that the proceedings recommended in the above resolution be progressed as rapidly as possible.

Very respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1300.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, July 27, 1900.

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

SIR:—By direction of the Board of Public Improvements I enclose herewith, as you, for your action hereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 14th day of July, 1900, approving of and favoring the establishment of a grade crossing over Vaux avenue at Sutter avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements, on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of Brooklyn and on the report of the Assistant Topographical Engineer of the Board.

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

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 14th day of July, 1900.

Whereas, The Local Board of the Ninth District, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, has petitioned this Board that a grade crossing be established across the tracks of the Manhattan and Rockaway Beach, and the New York and Manhattan Beach Railroad, over Vaux avenue at Sutter avenue, in said Borough; and

Whereas, Upon notice duly given a hearing on such petition was this day, July 14, 1900, had before this Board, representatives of said railroad companies being present;

Resolved, That this Board does hereby recommend that the State Board of Railroad Commissioners cause to be established a grade crossing over Vaux avenue, at Sutter avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

Resolved, That this resolution be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

Resolved, That the Corporation Council be requested to represent the City before the State Board of Railroad Commissioners in said proceeding.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

**AN ORDINANCE** to approve a resolution adopted by the Board of Public Improvements in relation to the establishment of a grade crossing over Vaux avenue at Sutter avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 14th day of July, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, to-wit:

Resolved, That this Board does hereby recommend that the State Board of Railroad Commissioners cause to be established a grade crossing over Vaux avenue, at Sutter avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1301.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, July 20, 1900.

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

SIR:—At a meeting of this Board, held on the 18th day of July, 1900, a resolution was adopted, copy of which is herewith inclosed, requesting you to return to this Board a resolution adopted by this Board on May 23, 1900, and transmitted to you on May 24, 1900, to alter the Map or Plan of the City of New York, by laying out West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

The following Resolution was adopted by the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, on the 18th day of July, 1900.

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and is hereby requested to return to this Board the resolution to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out West One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh streets, new 800-foot-wide road to Eleventh avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, adopted by this Board on the 23d day of May, 1900, and transmitted to the said Municipal Assembly for its action thereon on the 24th day of May, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.



## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1302.

By Councilman Engel—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Stahl, Jr., & Co. to lend by a notice through the streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York a cart bearing an advertisement, conditioned that such advertising matter shall be wholly of an unobjectionable character, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for thirty days from the date of approval hereof by his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Goodwin moved that when the Council adjourns it adjourns to meet on Tuesday, August 7, 1900.

Which was adopted.

Councilman Goodwin then moved that the Council do now adjourn.

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 on (Tuesday, August 7, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

## STATED MEETING.

TUESDAY, July 24, 1900,  
7 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermen's Chamber, City Hall.

## PRESENT.

Hon. Thomas F. Woods, President.

## ALDERMEN.

John T. McCall, Vice-President,  
Charles A. Bridges,  
George A. Burrill,  
Francis J. Byrnes,  
Jeremiah Cronin,  
Charles W. Collins,  
William H. C. DeLano,  
John Dwyer,  
Frank L. Downing,  
Robert L. Downing,  
Frederick L. Duer,  
Joseph A. Egan,  
James E. Gorman,  
Frank Gove,  
Henry Gove,  
Joseph Gove.

William H. (Richard),  
Elias Goodman,  
Frank Hennessey,  
Peter Hullen,  
Patrick S. Keely,  
Michael Kennedy,  
Francis P. Kenney,  
Michael Ledwith,  
Arnold Mathews,  
Thomas F. McCann,  
Edward F. McNamany,  
Lawrence W. McGrath,  
John T. McMahon,  
Charles Metzger,  
Robert Mohr,  
Owen J. Murphy,  
Eugene Newfield.

Joseph Oatman,  
Luke Otten,  
Herbert Parsons,  
Max J. Porges,  
Henry J. Rothmann,  
William F. Schneider, Jr.,  
Ernest A. Seaback, Jr.,  
James T. Smith,  
John J. Twomey,  
John J. Vaughan, Jr.,  
Jacob J. Vollen,  
Alexander P. Wacker,  
Moses J. Wafer,  
Joseph F. Welling,  
William Wentz,  
John Wirth,  
Henry W. Wolf.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting held July 17, 1900.

Alderman Dwyer moved that a further reading of the minutes 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.

## REPORTS.

The President laid before the Board the following resolution:

No. 1282.

ROCKAWAY BEACH, LONG ISLAND, July 25, 1900.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen.

GENTLEMEN:—A benefit is to be given at L. A. Phillips' Iron Pier, Seaside Station, Rockaway Beach, the object being to gather funds to help the Evening World Sick Baby Fund. You, as a body, are respectfully invited to act as members of a committee who will have charge of benefit. The date set for the fair is Friday, August 4. Hoping that invitation will be accepted, I remain, Respectfully,

J. J. CLARKE, Press representative for L. A. Phillips.

Which was, on motion of Alderman Vollen, accepted.

## MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1283.

By the President—

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for The City of New York:

By the President—

Leon F. Wareson, No. 108 Seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Bridges—

Robert Oliver Walsh, No. 610 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Cronin—

Michael Antonio Pennetto, No. 45 Cherry street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Dwyer—

William J. de Courcy, No. 157 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Goodwin—

William F. Quinn, No. 265 West Thirty-seventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Hullen—

Henry B. Livingston, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kenney—

Martha J. Kennedy, No. 1645 Ocean avenue, Brooklyn.

Frank H. Malone, No. 71 Thirty-eighth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kennedy—

George M. Van Housen, No. 45 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Mark—

Moses Jaffe, No. 243 Henry street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Metzger—

Abraham L. Frey, No. 647 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman McMahon—

Bernard Goldberg, No. 316 East Twelfth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Mohr—

Vincent A. Ryan, No. 24 West One Hundred and Third street, Manhattan.

Thomas J. Nugent, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan.

James Grimes, No. 348 West Forty-eighth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Vollen—

Joseph Jomary, No. 17 Humboldt street, Brooklyn.

Louis Lebourg, No. 748 Flushing 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, Byrnes, DeLano, Downing, Fleck, Flinn, Giffney, Goss, Geiger, Guber, Goodwin, Hullen, Keely, Kenney, Ledwith, McGrath, Metzger, Newfield, Oatman, Otten, Porges, Seaback, Twomey, Vaughan, Vollen, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—34.

No. 1284.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the following-named persons, whose applications for stands have been endorsed by the Aldermen of the districts 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 huckstering purposes, within the stoop-lines, 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 Alt—

Newspaper Stand—Jacob Donofee, junction of Fulton avenue and Norman place, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bridges—

Soda-water Stand—Jacob Hase, No. 40 Belmont avenue, Brooklyn; Barnett Levine, No. 133 Osborn street, Brooklyn.

Boothblack Stand—Willard P. Walton, corner of Liberty and Van Sien avenues, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bridges—

Boothblack Stand—Vincenzo Mosca, No. 1 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Cronin—

Soda-water Stand—Thomas H. Derrilling, No. 171 William street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

Fruit Stand—Luigi Magnovallo, No. 152 Fulton street, Brooklyn; Louis Caliano, Hall of Records, Fulton street side, Brooklyn.

Boothblack Stand—Raffale Dangele, No. 152 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Flinn—

Fruit Stand—Bernard A. Magoon, No. 753 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Vollen—

Soda-water Stand—Harry Zuckerman, No. 129 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wentz—

Boothblack Stand—Vincenzo Fish, southwest corner of Gates avenue and Broadway, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wirth—

Boothblack Stand—Antonio Gervolino, No. 561 Halber street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Holmes—

Boothblack Stand—Francis Onorato, No. 2120 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Mathews—

Newspaper Stands—Sarah Cohalick, southwest corner of Ninety-seventh street and Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Sam Cohalick, southwest corner of Ninety-sixth street and Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Flinn—

Fruit Stand—C. L. E. Wolf, No. 774 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Charles Immoos, No. 514 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Salvatore Imperato, No. 762 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Augustus Dardus, No. 923 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Vincenzo Congelia, No. 855 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Jacob Frank, No. 841 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; William M. Schell, No. 917 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Moody Brothers, No. 641 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

Boothblack Stand—George H. Andrews, No. 743 Columbus avenue, Manhattan; Henry W. Kabe, No. 1034 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Newfield—

Soda-water Stand—Joseph Uman, No. 103½ Lewis street, Manhattan; Mike Pelose, No. 55 Avenue C, Manhattan.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1285.

By Alderman Alt—

Whereas, The Long Island Railroad Company has, without the consent of the proper authorities, elevated its tracks above the grade of streets in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn; and

Whereas, This elevation of said tracks has operated to the disadvantage of pedestrians and drivers of vehicles at the various crossings of said company's tracks; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Highways be and he is hereby requested to investigate by what authority the said tracks have been so elevated, and to compel the company, if possible, to deposit their tracks so that pedestrians and drivers of vehicles may have no difficulty in crossing the same, and to conform in all respects with the established grade of the streets in that section.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1286.

By Alderman Bridges—

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Parks be and they are hereby respectfully requested to place a sufficient number of benches in the park at Coney Island for the accommodation of the public.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1287.

By Alderman Downing—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Aschauer's Sons to place and keep a movable sign in the shape of an Indian figure, two feet square at base and eight feet high, said sign to be wholly within stoop-line, said premises having raised stone stoop step in front, said premises being No. 393 Fulton street, 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.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1288.

By Alderman Flinn—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Tucker to erect and keep a drinking-fountain, within the stoop-line, in front of Grace Church, Broadway and Eleventh street, Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied at his 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. 1289.

By Alderman Geiger—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to T. J. Quinn to erect, place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises at the southwest corner of Thompson and Boroughs avenue, Winfield, L. I., Borough of Queens, the work to be done and water supplied at his 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. 1290.

By Alderman Geiger—

Resolved, That it is hereby recommended to the Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies that two lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and lighted, in front of the Chapel of the First Congregational Church of Morrisania, on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and Forest avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1291.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Kiese to erect and keep a movable barbed pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises No. 3807 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the pole to be taken in every evening, 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.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1292.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Fritz Horn to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises on the north-west corner of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and Union avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his 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. 1293.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Aronson to place, erect and keep show-cases, within the stoop-line, in front of his premises No. 2923 Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

No. 1294.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Goldman to place, erect and keep a retaining-wall and fence, within the stoop-line, in front of his premises on the north side of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, between Maurice and Anthony avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.



No. 1295.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Gleason to place, erect and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises No. 1780 Washington avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and water supplied at his 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. 1296.

By Alderman Wolf—

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so far as the same may apply to the parade of the Progress Republican Club in the Tenth and Sixteenth Assembly Districts, Borough of Manhattan, County of New York, on Monday, August 13, 1900; such suspension to continue on said day and date only.

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

No. 1297.

By Alderman Holmes—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Arthur F. Eagar to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the southwest corner of Amsterdam avenue and Eighty-first street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, the work to be done at his 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. 1298.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Wiedmann to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the stairs of the elevated railroad at the northwest corner of Columbus avenue and Eighty-first street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of an ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the stairs of the elevated railroads, 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.

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

No. 1298½.

By Alderman Ledwith—

*To the Municipal Council of The City of New York:*

The undersigned residents and property-owners of East Forty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, respectfully petition your Honorable Body, and do request that a resolution be adopted authorizing and directing the removal of the present trap-block paving from said Forty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, and the substitution of asphalt pavement therefor:

NAME OF RESIDENT OR PROPERTY-OWNER.	PLACE OF RESIDENCE OR PROPERTY OWNED.
Nicholas Beyerman.....	154 East Forty-seventh street, also 156, 158 and 160 East Forty-seventh street.
J. & L. Gessingood, by Victor Freund & Sons, agents.....	149, 151, 153 and 155 East Forty-seventh street, 157 East Forty-seventh street.
Jacob Mayer.....	135 East Forty-seventh street.
Michael Lapp.....	141 East Forty-seventh street.
George W. Baggart, M. D.....	139 East Forty-seventh street.
S. Kakeles.....	125 East Forty-seventh street.
S. Simmons.....	119 and 121 East Forty-seventh street.
Henry Sanders.....	754 Third avenue, corner Forty-seventh street.
Mrs. S. Kabeuch.....	132 East Forty-seventh street.
August Brandes.....	128 East Forty-seventh street.
William Haas.....	131 East Forty-seventh street.
The New York Life Insurance and Trust Company, trustee, by Henry Parish, President.....	123 East Forty-seventh street.

In connection therewith Alderman Ledwith offered the following:

No. 1299.

Resolved, That, upon the annexed petition, it is recommended to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that the carliageway of East Forty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, be repaved with asphalt pavement.

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

## MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 1300.

By Alderman McGrath—

Resolved, That the permission granted by the Municipal Assembly to Mr. A. L. Baggott as per resolution adopted by this Board on June 26 last, to drive an advertising wagon through the streets of Harlem, be and the same is hereby extended to October 1, the same conditions, restrictions, etc., embodied in the resolution referred to to continue in force and effect and to be operative hereunder.

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

No. 1301.

By the same—

Resolved, That the ordinance relative to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit the Merry Five Association to discharge fireworks in the Borough of The Bronx on Wednesday, July 25, 1900, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such suspension and permission to continue only for the day and date above mentioned.

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

No. 1302.

By Alderman Mathews—

Resolved, That the triangular space situated and bounded on the south by West One Hundred and Sixth street, on the east by Broadway (formerly the Boulevard), and on the west by West End avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, be and the same is hereby designated and shall hereafter be known as Schuyler square, the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such designation to be during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly. Which was referred to the Committee on Parks.

No. 1303.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Nicholas Council 16 of C., a charitable benefit association, to place and keep transparencies on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of Manhattan:

- Southwest corner of Ninety-third street and Columbus avenue;
- Southeast corner of Ninety-sixth street and Amsterdam avenue;
- Southwest corner of One Hundred and Fourth street and Columbus avenue;
- Northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixth street and Amsterdam avenue;

—the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only until August 9, 1900.

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

No. 1304.

By Alderman Muh—

Resolved, That the ordinance relative to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit the Homestead Social Club to discharge fireworks in the Borough of

Manhattan on August 22, 1900, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police; such permission to continue only for the day and date mentioned.

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

No. 1305.

By Alderman Oatman—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board, for further consideration, resolution now in his hands (Aldermanic No. 389), permitting the Estate of Matthew Byrnes to erect, keep and maintain a marquee of metal and glass in front of the Lorraine Apartment House Hotel on the southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Forty-fifth street in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

No. 389.

Alderman Oatman, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Council in favor of permitting Estate of Matthew Byrnes to keep a marquee southeast corner of Forty-fifth street and Fifth avenue, Manhattan (page 260, Minutes of March 6, 1900), respectfully

## REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, he recommends that the said resolution be concurred in. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Estate of Matthew Byrnes to erect, keep and maintain a marquee of metal and glass in front of their premises, the Lorraine Apartment House Hotel, on the southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Forty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

JOSEPH OATMAN, Alderman of the Twenty-seventh District, New York County.

Alderman Oatman moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Oatman, the paper was then ordered on file.

No. 1306.

By Alderman Oatman—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Estate of Matthew Byrnes to erect, keep and maintain a marquee of metal and glass as shown upon the accompanying diagram, in front of the Forty-fifth street side of their premises, on the southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Forty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done at their 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. 1307.

By Alderman Wirth—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Berger & Abbot to place, erect and keep a storm-door in front of their premises, No. 1298 Fulton street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at their 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.

## REPORTS:

No. 1201.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 83), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of repaving East Thirty-third 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 repaving East Thirty-third street, Borough of Manhattan (page 297, Minutes, February 12, 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 repaving Thirty-third street, Manhattan.

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 21st day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 repaving with asphalt on the present pavement of the carliageway of Thirty-third street, from a point about twenty-one and six-tenths feet west of the west house-line of First avenue to a point about three hundred and sixty feet east of the east house-line of First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, 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 dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and seventy-eight 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, in pursuance of chapter 449, Laws 1889.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, February 7, 1900.

*To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly.*

SIR—I herewith transmit, for action by your Honorable Body, a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 21st day of June, 1899, providing for the repaving of Thirty-third street, from a point about 21.6 feet west of the west house-line of First avenue to a point about 360 feet east of the east house-line of First avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Calkin, Delano, Dowling, Downing, Fleck, Flinn, Gass, Gelger, Geller, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Mathews, McEneaney, McGrath, McMahon, Metzger, Mahr, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Porger, Rottmann, Seebach, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafar, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—43.

No. 1067.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution of the Council in favor of permitting the United States Advertising Automobile Company to parade with advertising wagon (Minutes of June 26, 1900), respectfully

## REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be concurred in. Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the United States Advertising Automobile Company to drive an automobile for advertising purposes through the streets and avenues of The City of New York, such permission to continue only for a period of ninety days after the approval of this resolution by his Honor the Mayor, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Chief of Police.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.



## No. 1216.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 102), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving One Hundred and Eleventh 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, Borough of Manhattan (page 20, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave One Hundred and Eleventh street, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Enacted 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 25th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation with a guarantee of maintenance for five (5) years from the contractor, and the laying of crosswalks are hereby authorized, of the carriageway of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from a sidewalk on the west side of the street to the sidewalk on the east side of the street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, to 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 fifteen thousand three hundred and fifty-three dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is three hundred and eighty-eight thousand six 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.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Messrs. Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cronin, Calkin, Delano, Downing, Fleming, Fitch, Fitch, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Keely, Kennedy, Kenner, Ledwith, Matthews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McMahon, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Porjes, Rottmann, Seebuck, Twomey, Vaughan, Veltan, Wacker, Waler, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—40.

## No. 1206.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 102), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of grading the Grand Boulevard street, Borough of 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 grading the Grand Boulevard street, Borough of Manhattan (page 25, Minutes, March 6, 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 authorize the grading, gutting, curbing and laying of crosswalks of Grand Boulevard street, between Atlantic and Sutter avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Enacted 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 25th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 grading, gutting, curbing and laying of crosswalks of Grand Boulevard street, between Atlantic and Sutter avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the paving of the sidewalk with flagstone blocks, 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 thirteen thousand three hundred and thirty-two dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and thirty-two thousand one 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.

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

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,

No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,

NEW YORK, March 5, 1900.

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

I enclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on February 25 providing for the grading, gutting, etc., of Grand Boulevard street, between Atlantic and Sutter avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

This ordinance is to take the place of the one approved by this Board during 1899, but which was not finally acted upon by your Honorable Body prior to January 1, 1900.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

On motion of Alderman Alt the matter was referred back to the Board of Public Improvements so that action thereon could be sustained for legal blocks.

## No. 1199.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 77), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of grading the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 grading the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Mosholu parkway, Borough of The Bronx (page 89, Minutes, January 16, 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 provide for the grading of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Mosholu parkway, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Enacted 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 10th day of January, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriageway of One Hun-

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of sections 413 and 422 of the Greater New York Charter, the grading of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, from One Hundred and Sixty-first street to Mosholu parkway, Borough of The Bronx, to the established grades, and the construction of temporary roadways, sidewalks and paths, 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 one million ninety-four thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is nine hundred and eighty-one thousand seven hundred and sixty-five dollars.

And the said Board does hereby determine that seventy-five per cent. of the cost and expense thereof shall be borne and paid by The City of New York, and twenty-five per cent. of such cost and expense shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby.

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

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,

No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,

NEW YORK, January 13, 1900.

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

SIR—I enclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 10th instant providing for the grading to the established grades, and construction of temporary roadways, etc., of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, Borough of The Bronx.

This work is recommended by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, copy of whose resolution is inclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, December 7, 1899.

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

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 383, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting December 7, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby requests the Board of Public Improvements to recommend to the Board of Estimate and Assessment and the Municipal Assembly the issuance of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of one million dollars for the purpose of defraying the cost and expense of regulating and grading the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAPPEL, President, Borough of The Bronx.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cronin, Calkin, Delano, Downing, Fitch, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Keely, Kennedy, Kenner, Ledwith, Matthews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McMahon, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Porjes, Rottmann, Seebuck, Twomey, Vaughan, Veltan, Wacker, Waler, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—45.

## No. 1226.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 102), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving East avenue, 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.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving East avenue, First Ward, Borough of Queens (page 28, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave East avenue, Borough of Queens.

Be it Enacted 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 1st day of November, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with asphalt, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriageway of East avenue, from the bridging over the tracks of the Long Island Railroad, between Fifth and Sixth streets, to the north side of Ninth street, First Ward, Borough of Queens, 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 fourteen thousand and thirty-one dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is ninety-five thousand two hundred and fifty 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.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cronin, Calkin, Delano, Diemer, Downing, Downing, Fitch, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Geiser, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Keely, Kennedy, Kenner, Ledwith, Matthews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McMahon, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Porjes, Rottmann, Seebuck, Twomey, Vaughan, Veltan, Wacker, Waler, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—47.

## No. 1222.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 102), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving One Hundred and Fourteenth 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 25, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Enacted 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 13th day of December, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriageway of One Hun-



dred and Fourteenth street, from St. Nicholas to Seventh avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, 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 two thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is three hundred and sixty-two 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.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Russell, Cronin, Calkin, Delano, Diemer, Downing, Dowling, Fleck, Gass, Geiger, Gelsler, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessey, Haller, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Matthews, McCaul, McKenney, McGrath, McMahon, Muh, Neufeld, Oatman, Otton, Porges, Rottmann, Seelbach, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—45.

No, 797.

The Committee on Parks to whom was recommended on June 12, 1900, (Minutes, page 387), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of providing for the extension of Highbridge Park, Borough of Manhattan, respectively.

REPORT:

That, having again 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.

The Committee on Parks to whom was referred the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of providing for the extension of Highbridge Park, Borough of Manhattan (Minutes of May 8, 1900), respectively.

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, DAVID M. HOLMES, Committee on Parks.

(Paper referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Parks, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing the extension of Highbridge Park, Borough of Manhattan (page 539, Minutes, March 20, 1900), respectively.

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 provide for the extension of Highbridge Park, between West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and a central line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, and east of the Speedway, 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 14th day of March, 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 the extension of Highbridge Park, between West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and a central line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, and east of the Speedway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same as to extend the aforesaid park as follows:

Beginning at the northeast house-line intersection of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and the Speedway:

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern house-line of the Speedway for 1,022.20 ± feet to its intersection with the center line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street;

2d. Thence easterly along the center line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street for 123.34 ± feet;

3d. Thence southerly along a line parallel to the western house-line of Eighth avenue for 1,009.33 ± feet to the northern house-line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street;

4th. Thence westerly along the northern house-line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street for 60.0 ± feet to the point of beginning.

HERMAN SULZER, PATRICK J. RYDER, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, WILLIAM J. HYLAND, Committee on Parks.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, March 15, 1900.

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

SIR:—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 14th of March, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by the extension of Highbridge Park, between West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and a central line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, and east of the Speedway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Public Parks 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 14th day of March, 1900:

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board held on the 21st day of February, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the extension of Highbridge Park, between West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and a central line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, and east of the Speedway, 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 14th day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed extension 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 extension 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 14th day of March, 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 14th day of March, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place, a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed extension who have appeared, and such proposed extension 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 the extension of Highbridge Park, between West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and a central line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, and east of the Speedway, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to extend the aforesaid park as follows:

Beginning at the northeast house-line intersection of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and the Speedway:

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern house-line of the Speedway for 1,022.20 ± feet to its intersection with the center line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street;

2d. Thence easterly along the center line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street for 123.34 ± feet;

3d. Thence southerly along a line parallel to the western house-line of Eighth avenue for 1,009.33 ± feet to the northern house-line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street;

4th. Thence westerly along the northern house-line of West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street for 60.0 ± feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the foregoing resolution, approving of the above-named proposed change in the map or plan of The City of New York by the extension of Highbridge 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 to accept and report and adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Russell, Cronin, Calkin, Delano, Diemer, Downing, Dowling, Fleck, Gass, Geiger, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessey, Haller, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Matthews, McCaul, McKenney, McGrath, McMahon, Muh, Neufeld, Oatman, Porges, Rottmann, Seelbach, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—40.

Negative—Aldermen Delano, Diemer, Velten, Water, Wacker, and Wirth.

At this point the Vice-President took the chair.

No, 1178.

The Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900, the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of changing width and grade of East Two Hundred and Tenth street, Bronx, respectively.

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, MICHAEL LEDWITH, JOHN T. McCALL, EDWARD GOODMAN, JAMES J. SMITH, PATRICK S. KELLY, Committee on Railroads.

(Paper referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of changing width and grade of East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Station place, Borough of The Bronx (page 245, Minutes, February 6, 1900), respectively.

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 width and grade of East Two Hundred and Tenth street, and grade of Station place, Borough of The Bronx.

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 31st day of January, 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 changing the width and the grades of East Two Hundred and Tenth street, from Webster avenue to Station place, and changing the grades of Station place, from Bronx river to Gun Hill road, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same as to change the width and grades in the aforesaid streets as follows:

Beginning at the northwest house-line intersection of East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Station place, distant 519 feet from the southwest house-line intersection of Station place and Gun Hill road:

1st. Thence southerly along the western house-line of Station place for 20 feet;

2d. Thence deflecting to the right 90 degrees westerly for 205.01 feet to the eastern line of Webster avenue;

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Webster avenue for 30 feet;

4th. Thence easterly for 205.01 feet to the point of beginning.

GRADES.

"A"—East Two Hundred and Tenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Webster avenue, the elevation to be 86.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as hereinafter:

1st. Thence easterly to the western line of Station place, the elevation to be 86.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence easterly to the intersection of East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Station place, the elevation to be 67.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence easterly to the intersection of East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Lawrence street, the elevation to be 58.6 feet above mean high-water datum, as hereinafter.

"B"—Station Place.

Beginning at the intersection of Station place and the Bronx river, the elevation to be 55.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as hereinafter:

1st. Thence northerly to the intersection of Station place and East One Hundred and Tenth street, the elevation to be 67.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence northerly to a point distant 200 feet southerly from the northeast corner intersection of Station place and Gun Hill road, the elevation to be 73.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence northerly to the intersection of Station place and Gun Hill road, the elevation to be 81.25 feet above mean high-water datum, as hereinafter.

All elevations refer to the mean high-water datum as established in The Borough of The Bronx.

JOHN T. OAKLEY, MARTIN F. CONLEY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, JOSEPH CASSIDY, WILLIAM J. HYLAND, Committee on Railroads.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, February 1, 1900.

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

SIR:—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 31st day of January, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the width and the grades of East Two Hundred and Tenth street, from Webster avenue to Station place, and changing the grades of Station place, from Bronx river to Gun Hill road, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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 The Bronx, 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.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 31st day of January, 1900.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 31st day of January, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the width and the grades of East Two Hundred and Tenth street, from Webster avenue to Station place, and changing the grades of Station place, from Bronx river to Gun Hill road, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 31st day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed change of width and grades 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 width and grades 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 31st day of January, 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 31st day of January, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of width and grades, who have appeared, and such proposed change of width and grades 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 width and the grades of East Two Hundred and Tenth street, from Webster avenue to Station place, and changing the grades of Station place, from Bronx river to Gun Hill road, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the width and grades in the aforesaid streets, as follows:

Beginning at the northwest house-line intersection of East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Station place, distant 519 feet from the southwest house-line intersection of Station place and Gun Hill road:

1st. Thence southerly along the western house-line of Station place for 20 feet;

2d. Thence deflecting to the right 90 degrees westerly for 205.01 feet to the eastern line of Webster avenue;

3d. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Webster avenue for 30 feet;

4th. Thence easterly for 205.01 feet to the point of beginning.



## GRADES.

## "A"—East Two Hundred and Tenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Webster avenue, the elevation to be 88.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore:

- 1st. Thence westerly to the western house-line of Station place, the elevation to be 88.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 2d. Thence easterly to the intersection of East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Station place, the elevation to be 87.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Low-mid street, the elevation to be 88.6 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

## "B"—Station Place.

Beginning at the intersection of Station place and the Bronx river, the elevation to be 55.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore:

- 1st. Thence northerly to the intersection of Station place and East Two Hundred and Tenth street, the elevation to be 87.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 2d. Thence northerly to a point distant 200 feet southerly from the southeast curb intersection of Station place and Gun Hill road, the elevation to be 73.0 feet above mean high-water datum;
- 3d. Thence northerly to the intersection of Station place and Gun Hill road, the elevation to be 81.25 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

All elevations refer to the mean high-water datum as established in the Borough of The Bronx.

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 width and the grades of East Two Hundred and Tenth street and Station place, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cronin, Calkin, Delano, Diemer, Downing, Flack, Flinn, Gaffney, Geiger, Geller, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Heller, Keely, Kennedy, Koenig, Ledwith, Matthews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Otten, Porges, Rotmann, Schneider, Seebuck, Twomey, Velten, Wacker, Weller, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—45.

## UNANSWERED BUSINESS.

The hour of 2:30 o'clock having arrived, Alderman Bridges called up S. O. 16, as follows:

No. 605.—(S. O. 16.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was recommended on May 29, 1900 (Minutes, page 276), the annexed report and ordinance in favor of providing for an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, Manhattan, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JEREMIAH CRONIN, CHARLES METZGER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was recommended the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan, (Minutes of May 1, 1900), respectfully

## REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be recommitted in.

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

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on April 20, 1900 (Minutes, page 55), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, in the Borough of 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 recommitted in.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JEREMIAH CRONIN, LOUIS F. CARDANI, THOMAS F. McCALL, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan (page 274, Minutes, February 27, 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 approach to Willis Avenue Bridge, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Enacted 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 21st day of February, 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 an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, as to lay out an approach to the aforesaid bridge, as follows:

Beginning at the northeast house-corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street:

- 1st. Thence northerly along the eastern house-line of Second avenue for 199.83 feet to the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street;
- 2d. Thence easterly along the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street for 615.0 feet to the western house-line of First avenue;
- 3d. Thence southerly along the western house-line of First avenue for 199.83 feet to the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street;
- 4th. Thence westerly along the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street for 615.0 feet to the point of beginning.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, MARTIN ENGEL, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,

No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,

New York, February 23, 1900.

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

SIR—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 21st day of February, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, 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 the Local Board of the Borough of Manhattan 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 J. MURPHY, Secretary.

(Resolutions adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 21st day of February, 1900.)

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 31st day of January, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, 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 21st day of February, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out of said approach 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 of said approach 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 21st day of February, 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 21st day of February, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed laying out of said approach who have appeared, and such proposed laying out of said approach 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 an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, on the block bounded by First and Second avenues and East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same as to lay out an approach to the aforesaid bridge, as follows:

Beginning at the northeast house-corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street:

- 1st. Thence northerly along the eastern house-line of Second avenue for 199.83 feet to the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street;
- 2d. Thence easterly along the southern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street for 615.0 feet to the western house-line of First avenue;
- 3d. Thence southerly along the western house-line of First avenue for 199.83 feet to the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street;
- 4th. Thence westerly along the northern house-line of East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street for 615.0 feet to the point of beginning.

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 an approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, adopted by this Board, together with a statement of its reasons therefor, be transmitted to the Municipal Assembly for its action thereon.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cronin, Calkin, Dawling, Flack, Flinn, Gaffney, Geiger, Gledhill, Goodman, Keely, Kennedy, Ledwith, Matthews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Neufeld, Porges, Rotmann, Schneider, Twomey, Velten, Wacker, Weller, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—53.

Negative—Aldermen Alt, Delano, Downing, Geiger, Hennessy, Murphy, Ostman, Otten, Wacker, Wentz, and Wirth—11.

On motion of Alderman Cronin the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was again made a special order for Tuesday, July 31, 1900, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Alderman Burrell called up S. O. 13, as follows:

No. 97.

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred the proposed ordinance amending section 20 of title III of "An Ordinance relative to business requiring a license in The City of New York," respectfully

## REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend the adoption of the annexed ordinance. AN ORDINANCE amending section 20 of title III of "A General Ordinance in relation to business requiring a license, etc., in The City of New York," which was approved by his Honor the Mayor May 22, 1899.

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

Section 1. Section 20 of title III of an ordinance entitled "A General Ordinance in relation to business requiring a license and the regulation thereof in The City of New York," which was approved by his Honor the Mayor May 22, 1899, and which reads as follows:

"Sec. 20. Every owner of a public express shall give a bond to The City of New York for each and every vehicle licensed, in a penal sum of one hundred dollars, with sufficient surety, approved by the Mayor or Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, conditioned for the safe and prompt delivery of all baggage, packages, parcels and other articles or things entrusted to the owner or driver of any such licensed express."

—be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

GEORGE A. BURRELL, JACOB J. VELTEN, OWEN J. MURPHY, JOSEPH A. FLINN, ARMITAGE MATHEWS, ISAAC MARKS, Committee on Law.

The Clerk proceeded to call the roll when Alderman Velten moved that the report and ordinance be recommitted to the Committee on Law.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

At this point the President resumed the chair.

Alderman Velten called up S. O. 10, which is as follows:

No. 823.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on May 8, 1900 (Minutes, page 216), the annexed resolution in favor of providing for an issue of Corporate Stock, \$4,000,000, to be expended by the Commissioners of the New East River Bridge, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 1, 1900, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of four million dollars (\$4,000,000) in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds whereof shall be expended by the Commissioners of the New East River Bridge for the purposes specified in chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, as amended."

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly hereby concurs in said resolution, and that the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of four million dollars (\$4,000,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the payment of the expenses therein mentioned and authorized.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, the Comptroller be authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of four million dollars (\$4,000,000) in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds whereof shall be expended by the Commissioners of the New East River Bridge for the purposes specified in chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, as amended.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 1, 1900.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

ROBERT MUH, MICHAEL KENNEDY, ELIAS GOODMAN, PATRICK S. KEELY, JACOB J. VELTEN, JOHN T. McMAHON, Committee on Finance.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred, on June 12, 1900 (Minutes, page 376), the annexed resolution and report in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$4,000,000, to be expended by the Commissioners of the New East River Bridge, respectfully

## REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they respectfully submit the annexed communication from James D. Bell, Commissioner and Secretary of the New East River Bridge Commission, and they recommend that the said resolution and report be adopted.

CITY OF NEW YORK—NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION,

258 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,

June 23, 1900.

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., Esq., Chairman, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—In reply to your letter of June 22, 1900, addressed to the President of this Commission, I have the honor to inform you that the \$4,000,000 for which this Commission has made requisition, is intended to be used in the construction of the New East River Bridge from the foot of Delancey street, in the Borough of Manhattan, to the foot of South Sixth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the approaches thereto, provided for by chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, and the several acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and for no other purpose.

I inclose you a copy of the resolution and requisition upon which the Board of Estimate and Apportionment acted in authorizing the issue of such Corporate Stock, the action of said Board having been sent to your Board for your authority, as required by the Charter.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) JAMES D. BELL, Commissioner and Secretary.

Pursuant to the resolution adopted by the Commission of the New East River Bridge at a meeting held on the 18th day of January, 1900, a copy of which is hereto annexed, the Commissioners of the New East River Bridge do hereby make requisition upon The City of New York for the issue of bonds or Corporate Stock as follows:



Four million dollars (\$4,000,000), to be issued for the uses and purposes in said resolution mentioned.

Dated New York, January 18, 1900.

(Signed) LEWIS NIXON, President,  
JULIAN D. FAIRCHILD, Treasurer.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. To the Honorable ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor of The City of New York:

Whereas, The sum of four million dollars (\$4,000,000), in addition to all sums heretofore appropriated, is required by this Commission for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895, providing for the construction of a bridge over the East river between the cities of New York and Brooklyn, and of the several acts amendatory thereof; and Whereas, By the provisions of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, known as the Greater New York Charter, all the expenses authorized by said chapter 789 of the Laws of 1895 shall be met by the sale of bonds of The City of New York, the proceeds whereof to be paid into the office of the Chamberlain of said City; now therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the New East River Bridge request the proper officers of the said City of New York to issue four million dollars of the bonds or Corporate Stock of The City of New York and place the proceeds with the proper financial officers of said City, to be drawn out in accordance with law in the payment of property, contracts and expenses necessary for the construction of the New East River Bridge, and that the President and Treasurer be authorized and directed to sign the requisition and present the same to the Mayor and to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for approval of the issues of the above-mentioned bonds or Corporate Stock.

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., FRANCIS J. BYRNE, HENRY GEIGER, EMIL NEUFELD, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cronin, Cullin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Fleck, Flynn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Goodman, Holler, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Matthews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Parsons, Porges, Rottmann, Schneider, Seebeck, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—45.

Negative—Aldermen Gelsler, Gledhill, Hennessy, Otten, Wafer, and Welling—6.

Alderman Geiger called up S. O. 9, as follows:

No. 669.

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on April 10, 1900 (Minutes, page 41), the annexed ordinance of the Council in favor of paving Stebbins avenue, Borough of The 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 pave with granite block the roadway of Stebbins 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 7th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with granite blocks of the roadway of Stebbins avenue, from Boston road to Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx, 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 forty thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is six hundred and thirty-seven thousand five 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, JOSEPH E. WELLING, 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, March 12, 1900.

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

SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 7th instant providing for the paving of Stebbins avenue, from Boston road to Westchester avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

A similar resolution was adopted by this Board on October 11, 1899, and was sent forward to you with a copy of the resolution of the Local Board under date of October 16. No final action was taken, however, prior to January 1, 1900, and the inclosed resolution is now transmitted to take the place of the one adopted in October last.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEV, Secretary.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Burrell, Byrne, Cronin, Cullin, Delano, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Flinn, Gaffney, Gass, Geiger, Gelsler, Gledhill, Goodman, Hennessy, Holler, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Matthews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, McMahon, Metzger, Muh, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Otten, Parsons, Porges, Rottmann, Schneider, Seebeck, Twomey, Vaughan, Velten, Wacker, Wafer, Welling, Wentz, Wirth, Wolf, the Vice-President, and the President—48.

#### COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 1308.

By Alderman Goodman—

JEROLOMAN & ARROWSMITH, COUNSELLORS-AT-LAW,  
No. 229 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, July 5, 1900.

Hon. ELIAS GOODMAN:

DEAR SIR—Pardon the following trespass upon your valuable time. I desire to call your attention to General Order No. 287, which will be found in the minutes under date of February 13, 1900, at page 185, being the resolution authorizing the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of \$500,000, for the purpose of providing for the awards and payment of expenses in connection with the "Sanitary Protection of the Croton Watersheds."

As one of the Commissioners, neither my associates nor myself have received any compensation for over a year, and our labors are ended and our final report made and approved of by the Supreme Court. Our first report was filed about one year ago, or more, awarding to property-owners \$116,043 damages. Another report, about six months ago, awarding the further sum of \$46,600 damages, and a third and final report, about May 13, awarding \$13,475. Making the total awards \$176,118.

There is due the expenses of the Commission, amounting to between \$9,000 and \$10,000, which includes clerk hire and Commissioners' compensation and expenses, which make a grand total of \$186,118, all of which is drawing 6 per cent. interest, and most of it has been for over a year last past. The awards draw 6 per cent. interest from the time that the City took possession of the property, which was some years ago.

Aside from the question of depriving the claimants of the damages allowed them for the taking of their lands and property, and aside from what is due the Commissioners for their services, the City ought not be subjected to pay such an enormous interest upon moneys which could be paid out of bonds drawing only three or three and one-half per cent. interest.

There are many other awards depending upon your action, amounting to over \$500,000, which is also drawing interest at the rate of six per cent. This seems to be a gross injustice to the taxpayers of The City of New York.

It is apparent to you, as well as to the taxpayers, that the burden of taxation is now being felt very heavily by our people, and there seems to be no reason why it should be increased or multiplied.

May I ask you, as one of the Aldermen having deeply at heart the interests of The City of New York, to call up said resolution, No. 287, for favorable consideration at the next meeting of the Board of Aldermen?

The attention of other Aldermen has been called to this question, but not in the shape in which I am placing it before you.

I was in to see the Comptroller this P. M., and he is very anxious that the resolution should pass in order to save the City the enormous interest that is now being paid upon such claims.

The labors of the Commissioners are ended; their work has been approved of by the Supreme Court, but bitterly complained of by many of the claimants. For instance, in one case a claim

was put in for \$320,000 and the Commissioners allowed about \$10,475. Another claim was put in for \$20,000 on which the Commissioners allowed about \$3,000, which is contained in our last award of damages, making the above amount referred to as \$13,475.

On pages 81 and 82 of the Minutes of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment under date of February 1, 1900, will be found a list of the claims which the Comptroller wishes to pay upon the Board of Aldermen giving its consent to the issuing of Corporate Stock to the amount aforesaid.

The resolution requesting the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as appears by its Minutes above referred to.

Thanking you in advance for your kindness and interest in the above matter, I remain,

Very truly yours,

JOHN JEROLOMAN.

Which was referred to the Committee on Water Supply.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUME.

Alderman Schneider called up S. O. 345, which is as follows:

No. 155.

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was recommended, on March 20, 1900 (Minutes, page 364), the annexed report and ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock (\$644,495.63) for construction of a bridge over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, Queens, respectfully

#### REPORT:

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

They therefore again recommend that the said report and ordinance be adopted.

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., EMIL NEUFELD, THOMAS F. MCCAUL, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, HENRY GEIGER, BERNARD SCHMITT, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred, on January 30, 1900 (Minutes, page 119), the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing an issue of Corporate Stock, to provide for necessary expenses, constructing bridge, etc., over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, Queens, respectfully

#### REPORT:

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

They recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-three cents (\$644,495.63), the proceeds whereof shall be paid into the Newtown Creek Bridge Fund, which shall be available for the purpose of providing means to defray all necessary expenses incurred in constructing a bridge, with the necessary approaches, over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens; and

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and hereby is requested to authorize the issue of said stock by ordinance as provided by section 48 of the Greater New York Charter.

A true copy of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 17, 1899.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE to authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to provide for the necessary expenses to be incurred in constructing a bridge and approaches across the Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens.

Be it Ordained by the Municipal Assembly, as follows:

Section 1. That the Municipal Assembly concurs in and approves of the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 17, 1899, reading as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and, subject to concurrence herewith by the Municipal Assembly, hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of six hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-three cents (\$644,495.63), the proceeds whereof shall be paid into the Newtown Creek Bridge Fund, which shall be available for the purpose of providing means to defray all necessary expenses incurred in constructing a bridge, with the necessary approaches, over Newtown creek, from Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens; and

Resolved, That the Municipal Assembly be and hereby is requested to authorize the issue of said stock by ordinance as provided by section 48 of the Greater New York Charter.

Sec. 2. That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of six hundred and forty-four thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-three cents (\$644,495.63), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum, and redeemable in not less than ten nor more than fifty years from the date of issue, the proceeds whereof, together with the cash balance in the Newtown Creek Bridge Fund, shall be applied by the Comptroller in liquidation of the expenses mentioned and authorized by the first section of this ordinance.

WILLIAM F. SCHNEIDER, JR., THOMAS F. MCCAUL, EMIL NEUFELD, ROBERT F. DOWNING, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Bridges, Byrne, Delano, Diemer, Downing, Flinn, Gass, Goodman, Holler, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Ledwith, Matthews, McCaul, McEneaney, McGrath, Metzger, Murphy, Neufeld, Oatman, Parsons, Porges, Rottmann, Schneider, Seebeck, Twomey, Vaughan, Wafer, Wentz, Wirth, the Vice-President, and the President—24.

Negative—Aldermen Burrell, Cronin, Cullin, Dowling, Geiger, Gelsler, Gledhill, Hennessy, Otten, and Welling—10.

On motion of Alderman Downing the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was again laid over and made a special order for Tuesday, July 31, 1900, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Alderman Burrell called up S. O. 12, which is as follows:

No. 653.

The Committee on Law, to whom was referred, on April 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 70), the annexed report of the Council and ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to amend 'A General Ordinance in relation to business requiring a license and the regulation thereof in The City of New York,' approved by the Mayor May 22, 1899," respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed amendment to be necessary for the better enforcement of the provisions of the ordinance in general.

They therefore recommend that the said report and ordinance be concurred in.

GEORGE A. BURRELL, JOSEPH A. FLINN, JACOB J. VELTEN, ISAAC MARKS, OWEN J. MURPHY, Committee on Law.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance to amend section 62 of the General License Ordinance (page 116, Minutes, January 23, 1900), respectfully

#### REPORT:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend "A General Ordinance in relation to business requiring a license, and the regulation in The City of New York," approved by the Mayor, May 22, 1899.

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

Section 1. The provisions of section 62 of "A General Ordinance in relation to business requiring a license, and the regulation thereof in The City of New York," adopted by the Council April 18, 1899; adopted by the Board of Aldermen May 9, 1899; approved by the Mayor May 22, 1899, are hereby amended by adding thereto at the end thereof the following provisions, to wit: "Any person engaging in or carrying on any business herein regulated without a license therefor, or any person violating any of the regulations of this ordinance, or of any existing ordinance not inconsistent or conflicting herewith, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof by any magistrate, either upon confession of the party or competent testimony, may be fined not more than two (2) dollars for each offense, and in default of payment of such fine may be committed to prison by such magistrate until the same be paid; but such imprisonment shall not exceed ten days.

Sec. 2. All ordinances and parts thereof inconsistent or conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ADOLPH C. HOTTENROTH, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, FRANCIS F. WILLIAMS, BENJAMIN J. BODINE, Committee on Law Department.







The reports are as follows:

No. 1214.—(G. O. 56.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 100), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Chauncey street, 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, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, grading, etc., Chauncey street, between Rockaway avenue and Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn (page 643, Minutes, March 27, 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 regulate, grade, etc., Chauncey street, between Rockaway avenue and Broadway, 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 6th day of December, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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, setting or resetting of curbs and flagging or reflagging of the sidewalks, where not already done, of Chauncey street, between Rockaway avenue and Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn, and the paving of the roadway with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, 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 five thousand one hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is thirty-six 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.

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

No. 1215.—(G. O. 57.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 114), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving Crotona avenue, from Boston road to Crotona Park, South Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

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

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving Crotona avenue, from Boston road to Crotona Park, South (page 31, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave Crotona 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 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with sheet asphalt upon a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the roadway of Crotona avenue, from Boston road to Crotona Park, South, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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 nine thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is fifty-seven thousand six 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1213.—(G. O. 58.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 99), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Linden street, 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, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, grading, etc., Linden street, between Hamburg avenue and Knickerbocker avenue, Borough of Brooklyn (page 640, Minutes, March 27, 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 regulate, grade, etc., Linden street, between Hamburg and Knickerbocker avenues, 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 10th day of November, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 Linden street, between Hamburg avenue and Knickerbocker avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, setting or resetting of curbs and flagging or reflagging of sidewalks where not already done, and the paving of the roadway with granite-block pavement, 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 eight thousand four hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is forty-eight thousand six 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, HERMAN SULZER, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1224.—(G. O. 59.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 106), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving Edgemont avenue, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving Edgemont avenue, Borough of Manhattan (page 24, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave Edgemont avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with asphalt pavement of the roadway of Edgemont avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, with a guarantee of maintenance from the contractor for a period of five years, 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 thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and fifty-four 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1237.—(G. O. 60.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 110), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Summit avenue, Borough of The Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, etc., Summit avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 37, Minutes, April 3, 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 regulate, etc., Summit 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 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 Summit avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, and the paving of the roadway with telford macadam, setting of curbs, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks where necessary, building of fences where required, and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, 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 five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and eight 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1228.—(G. O. 61.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 112), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, Borough of The Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 24, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, 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 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Third avenue to Webster avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, with asphalt on a concrete foundation, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, and the laying of crosswalks where necessary, 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 thirteen thousand seven hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is three hundred and eighty-eight thousand two 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1242.—(G. O. 62.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 123), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving One Hundred and Eighty-fifth 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, MOSES J. WAFER, Committee on Streets and Highways.







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.

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

No. 1235.—(G. O. 68.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 116), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., East One Hundred and Seventy-first street, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, grading, etc., East One Hundred and Seventy-first street, from Fulton to Park avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 34, Minutes, April 3, 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 regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Seventy-first street, 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 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 East One Hundred and Seventy-first street, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, and the laying of crosswalks and erecting of fences where necessary, from Fulton avenue to Park avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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 nine thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and sixty-two thousand seven 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.

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

No. 1236.—(G. O. 69.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 121), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., East One Hundred and Forty-first street, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, etc., East One Hundred and Forty-first street, Borough of The Bronx (page 42, Minutes, April 3, 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 regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Forty-first street, 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 June, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 the carriageway of East One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Cypress avenue to Locust avenue, Borough of The Bronx, the setting of curbstones, the flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, and the laying of crosswalks where required, fences built where necessary, and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, 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 four hundred and seventy-three thousand four hundred and five 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1218.—(G. O. 70.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 103), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving the foot of East One Hundred and Seventeenth 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving the carriageway at the foot of East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 22, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave foot of East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving of one hundred and twenty-five feet of unpaved carriageway at the foot of East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Borough of Manhattan, with a granite-block pavement, 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 eight hundred and twenty-five dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is eight 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.

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

No. 1227.—(G. O. 71.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 111), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Prospect avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, Borough of The Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating and paving Prospect avenue from Westchester avenue to Boston road, Borough of the Bronx (page 29, Minutes, April 3, 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 regulate, etc., Prospect 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 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with telford-macadam pavement, and laying of crosswalks, where not already laid, in Prospect avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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 forty-three thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is five hundred and fifty-six thousand six hundred and ten 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HENRY FRENCH, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, MOSES J. WAFER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1241.—(G. O. 72.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 123), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving Prospect avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving Prospect avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 47, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave Prospect 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 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving of the roadway of Prospect avenue, from Southern Boulevard to Westchester avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, from curb to curb, with macadam pavement on a telford 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 twenty-four thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is three hundred and ninety-seven thousand eight 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1240.—(G. O. 73.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 122), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, etc., East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 45, Minutes, April 3, 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 regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, 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 June, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, and the laying of crosswalks in East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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 sixteen thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is sixty-three thousand two 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1232.—(G. O. 74.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 115), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council, in favor of regulating, etc., Morris avenue, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, etc., Morris avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 33, Minutes, April 3, 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 regulate, etc., Morris 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 June, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide through the centre thereof, laying of crosswalks and erecting of fences were necessary, also that trees be planted on the sidewalks of Morris (Elect-wood) avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that the roadway between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Tremont avenue be paved 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 eleven thousand nine hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and sixty-four thousand four 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.

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

No. 1249.—(G. O. 75.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 144), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving Jackson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth streets, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving Jackson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth streets, Borough of The Bronx (page 30, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave Jackson 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 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving of the roadway of Jackson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth streets, Borough of The Bronx, with asphalt on a concrete foundation, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, 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 five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and forty-three thousand five 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1050.—(G. O. 76.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred on June 26, 1900 (Minutes, page 107), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of changing grades in Lawrence avenue, and in Graham square, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 grades in Lawrence avenue, and in Graham square, Borough of The Bronx (page 320, Minutes, March 20, 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 change the grades in Lawrence avenue and in Graham square, Borough of The Bronx.

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 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 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 grades in Lawrence avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street (Wolf street) to Lind avenue, and in Graham square, from Lawrence avenue, in a curvilinear direction of said Lawrence avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades in the aforesaid streets as follows:

## "A"—Lawrence Avenue.

Beginning at the southeast corner of Lawrence avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, the elevation to be 40.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence southerly to the southeast corner of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 79.7 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Lawrence avenue to a point distant 100 feet from the southeast corner of Graham square and Lawrence avenue, the elevation to be 91.7 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence southerly to the northeast corner of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 94.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence southerly to the southeast curb intersection of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 94.6 feet above mean high-water datum;

5th. Thence southerly to a point distant 62.79 feet northerly along the western line of Lawrence avenue, from a point of tangency of a reverse curve, the elevation to be 98.5 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

## "B"—Graham Square.

Beginning at the southeast corner of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 97.7 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence southerly to a point distant 150 feet from the southeast corner of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 102.2 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly to a point distant 50 feet from the western angle point in Graham square, the elevation to be 108.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence southwesterly 150 feet to a point, the elevation to be 112.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence southwesterly to the northeast corner of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 98.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

All elevations refer to the mean high-water datum as established in the Borough of The Bronx.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, 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, March 15, 1900.

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

SIR:—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 14th of March, 1900, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in Lawrence avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street (Wolf street) to Lind street, and in Graham square, from Lawrence avenue, in a curvilinear direction of said Lawrence avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Public Improvements on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Borough of The Bronx, 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 14th day of March, 1900.

Whereas, At a meeting of this Board, held on the 21st day of February, 1900, resolutions were adopted proposing to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in Lawrence avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street (Wolf street) to Lind avenue, and in Graham square, from Lawrence avenue in a curvilinear direction of said Lawrence avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and for a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 14th day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which meeting such proposed change of grades 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 grades 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 14th day of March, 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 14th day of March, 1900; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid time and place, a public hearing was given to all persons affected by such proposed change of grades who have appeared, and such proposed change of grades 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 grades in Lawrence avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street (Wolf street) to Lind avenue, and in Graham square, from Lawrence avenue in a curvilinear direction of said Lawrence avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades in the aforesaid streets as follows:

## "A"—Lawrence Avenue.

Beginning at the southeast corner of Lawrence avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, the elevation to be 40.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence southerly to the southeast corner of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 79.7 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly along the eastern line of Lawrence avenue to a point distant 100 feet from the southeast corner of Graham square and Lawrence avenue, the elevation to be 91.7 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence southerly to the northeast corner of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 94.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence southerly to the southeast curb intersection of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 94.6 feet above mean high-water datum;

5th. Thence southerly to a point distant 62.79 feet northerly along the western line of Lawrence avenue, from a point of tangency of a reverse curve, the elevation to be 98.5 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

## "B"—Graham Square.

Beginning at the southeast corner of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 97.7 feet above mean high-water datum;

1st. Thence southerly to a point distant 150 feet from the southeast corner of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 102.2 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence southerly to a point distant 50 feet from the western angle point in Graham square, the elevation to be 108.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence southwesterly 150 feet to a point, the elevation to be 112.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence southwesterly to the northeast corner of Lawrence avenue and Graham square, the elevation to be 98.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

All elevations refer to the mean high-water datum as established in the Borough of The Bronx.

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 grades in Lawrence avenue and Graham square, 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.

No. 1217.—(G. O. 77.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 102), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving the gutters of Janen avenue, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving the gutters on Janen avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 42, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave gutters on Janen avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

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 9th day of August 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving of the gutters on both sides of Janen avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, four hundred feet south from the curb-line of Terrace View avenue, North, 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 hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is thirty-two thousand nine hundred and fifty 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.

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

No. 1250.—(G. O. 78.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 133), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving One Hundred and Twenty-third 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, Borough of Manhattan (page 302, Minutes, May 1, 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 pave One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

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 26th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with granite-block pavement of the carriage-way of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, Borough of Manhattan, the laying of crosswalks where required, setting or resetting of curbstones and the flagging and reflagging of sidewalks where necessary, 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 nine thousand eight hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and sixty-five 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.

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

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

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

GENTLEMEN—I transmit herewith for the action of your Honorable Body form of ordinance for paving with granite-block pavement the carriage-way of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard, in the Borough of Manhattan. The resolution authorizing the same was adopted by the Board of Public Improvements on the 26th day of July, 1899.

Respectfully,

MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President.

No. 1261.—(G. O. 79.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 144), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Timpson place, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, etc., Timpson place, Borough of The Bronx (page 481, 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 regulate, etc., Timpson place, 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 23d day of May, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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 Timpson place, from One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks, building of approaches, and erecting of fences where necessary, 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 eighteen thousand five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment (twenty-eight thousand seven hundred and twenty-five 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAND, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, May 25, 1900.

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

SIR—In accordance with a resolution adopted by this Board on the 23d instant, I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Timpson place, from One Hundred and Forty-fourth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Board of the Twenty-first District recommending this improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, October 19, 1899.

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 October 19, 1899, viz.:

Resolved, That, on petition for the regulating and grading, etc., of Timpson place, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, recommended the 11th day of May, 1899, by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, be and the same is hereby rescinded, and that in its stead hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Timpson place, from One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, 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 a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAFES, President Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1235.—(G. O. 80.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 117), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., East Two Hundred and Second street, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, grading, etc., East Two Hundred and Second street, from Anthony to Briggs avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 35, Minutes, April 3, 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 regulate, etc., East Two Hundred and Second street, 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 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 East Two Hundred and Second street, from Anthony avenue to Briggs avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and the paving of the roadway with telford macadam, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks, erecting of fences where necessary, and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, 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 ten thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is seventy thousand two 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1031.—(G. O. 81.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on June 26, 1900 (Minutes, page 410), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Stanhope street, between Wyckoff street and St. Nicholas 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, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, grading, etc., Stanhope street, between Wyckoff and St. Nicholas avenues, Borough of Brooklyn (page 537, Minutes, March 27, 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 regulate, grade, etc., Stanhope street, between Wyckoff and St. Nicholas avenues, 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 29th day of November, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 Stanhope street, between Wyckoff avenue and St. Nicholas avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, setting or resetting of curbstones, flagging or reflagging of sidewalks of said street, where not already done, and the paving of the carriage-way with asphalt pavement, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, 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 five thousand one hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is ninety-one 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1189.—(G. O. 82.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 74), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of establishing width of sidewalks of East Seventeenth street, Borough of 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, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 establishing the width of the sidewalks of East Seventeenth street, Borough of Brooklyn (page 86, Minutes, January 10, 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 establish the width of the sidewalks of East Seventeenth street, between Albemarle road and the southern terminus of East Seventeenth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That, in pursuance of section 417 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Public Improvements, adopted by that Board on the 10th day of January, 1900, be and the same hereby is approved, and the public work or improvement therein provided for is hereby authorized, viz.:

Resolved, by the Board of Public Improvements, That, in pursuance of section 416 of the Greater New York Charter, the establishing of the width of the sidewalks of East Seventeenth street, between Albemarle road and the southern terminus of East Seventeenth street, in the Fifth and Eighth Local Improvement Districts of the Borough of Brooklyn, at twenty-three feet, be and the same is hereby authorized and approved.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, January 13, 1900.

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

SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 10th instant establishing the width of the sidewalks of East Seventeenth street, between Albemarle road and the southern terminus of East Seventeenth street, Borough of Brooklyn, at 23 feet.

I also inclose herewith copy of resolution of the Local Boards of the Fifth and Eighth Districts, recommending this improvement.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH,  
October 31, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Boards of the Fifth and Eighth Districts, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a joint meeting held on October 30, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

Resolved, That the Local Boards of the Fifth and Eighth Districts, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 30th day of October, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do,



herby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, that in pursuance of the provisions of section 430 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, proceedings be initiated to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by reducing the width of the roadway from forty-four feet to thirty-four feet and increasing the width of the sidewalk accordingly of East Seventeenth street, between Albemarle road and the southern terminus of East Seventeenth street, in the Fifth and Eighth Local Improvement Districts of the Borough of Brooklyn."

Attached:  
Copies of petitions.

Very respectfully,  
(Signed) EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

No. 1204.—(G. O. 85.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 80), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Parkside place, The Bronx, 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.

(Paper referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Parkside place, from East Two Hundred and Seventh street to Two Hundred and Tenth street, Borough of The Bronx (page 421, Minutes, March 6, 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.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, grade, etc., Parkside place, from East Two Hundred and Seventh street to East Two Hundred and Tenth street, Borough of The Bronx.

Be it Enacted 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 February, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalk a space four feet wide and creating of benches, where necessary, of Parkside place, from East Two Hundred and Seventh street to Two Hundred and Tenth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, 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 eleven thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is twenty-four thousand six hundred and fifty 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, 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, March 5, 1900.

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

SIR—I enclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on February 28 providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Parkside place, from East Two Hundred and Seventh to East Two Hundred and Tenth street, Borough of The Bronx.

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

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Borough of The Bronx, September 28, 1899.

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

SIR—In accordance with section 384, Chapter 478, Laws of 1897, I hereby certify that the following resolution was adopted by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, at its meeting September 28, 1899, viz:

Resolved, That, on petition of Patrick J. Sullivan and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 28th day of September, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Parkside place, from East Two Hundred and Seventh street to East Two Hundred and Tenth street, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalk flagged a space four feet wide, and benches erected where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HAPFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1190.—(G. O. 84.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 73), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Fifty-seventh street, 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, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Paper referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Fifty-seventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn (page 87, Minutes, January 16, 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 regulate and grade Fifty-seventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Enacted 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 10th day of January, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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 Fifty-seventh street, between Seventh avenue and Eighth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and the setting or resetting of the curb, paving of gutters with brick, laying of crosswalks and flagging or relaying of sidewalks of said street where not already done, 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 six thousand three hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is twenty 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.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, January 15, 1900.

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

SIR—Inclosed herewith please find form of ordinance providing for the regulating and grading of Fifty-seventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, which was approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 10th instant, and is transmitted herewith for the action of your Honorable Body.

I also inclose copy of resolution of the Local Board of the Fifth District, recommending that this street be regulated and graded.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Borough of Brooklyn, November 24, 1899.

Board of Public Improvements:

GENTLEMEN—The Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had at a meeting held on November 23, 1899, duly advertised, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, after hearing had this 23d day of November, 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York that proceedings be initiated to regulate and grade Fifty-seventh street, between Seventh avenue and Eighth avenue, in the Fifth Local Improvement District of the Borough of Brooklyn, and to set or reset curb, pave gutters with brick, put in crosswalks and flag or relag sidewalks of said street where not already done."

Attached:

1. Copy of petitions.

2. Copy of report from the Department of Highways.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, President of the Borough.

No. 1245.—(G. O. 85.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 128), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating and grading One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Borough of 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, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Paper referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating and grading One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, (page 104, Minutes, April 10, 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 regulate, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Enacted 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 4th day of April, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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 One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside drive, in the Borough of Manhattan, 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 seventeen thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and fifty-nine thousand eight 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.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, April 7, 1900.

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

SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body thereon, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 4th instant providing for the regulating and grading of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside drive, in the Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of a resolution of the Local Board, recommending this improvement.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

New York City, March 6, 1900.

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

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held March 6, 1900, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements at the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside drive, be regulated and graded.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1243.—(G. O. 85.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 125), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Borough of 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, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Paper referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 97, Minutes, April 10, 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 pave One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Be it Enacted 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 March, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation, with a five (5) years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, of the carriageway of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between St. Nicholas and Lenox avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, 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 five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is three hundred and forty-five 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.

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

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, April 2, 1900.

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

SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance adopted by this Board on the 28th day of March, 1900, providing for the paving of One Hun-



dred and Thirteenth street, between St. Nicholas and Lenox avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan.

I also inclose copy of the resolution of the Local Board recommending this improvement.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

New York City, February 27, 1900.

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

Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan, held February 27, 1900, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of The City of New York, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Local Improvements of the Nineteenth District of the Borough of Manhattan recommend to the Board of Public Improvements that One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between St. Nicholas and Lenox avenues, be paved with sheet asphalt.

Adopted.

Respectfully,

JAMES J. COOGAN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

I. E. RIDER, Secretary.

No. 1244.—(G. O. 87.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 126), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Third 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.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, etc., Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 98, Minutes, April 10, 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 regulate, etc., Third 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 March, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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 Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Teasdale place, Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks and laying of crosswalks where necessary, 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 one thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and nine 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, 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, April 2, 1900.

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

Sir—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance adopted by this Board on the 28th of March, 1900, providing for the regulating and grading of Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Teasdale place, Borough of The Bronx.

I also inclose copy of the resolution from the Local Board recommending this improvement.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, October 19, 1899.

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 October 19, 1899, viz:

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Teasdale place, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged and crosswalks laid where necessary, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1267.—(G. O. 88.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 93), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Union and Prospect avenues, Borough of The Bronx (page 100, Minutes, March 13, 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 regulate, grade, etc., East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Union and Prospect avenues, 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 7th day of March, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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 East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Union and Prospect avenues, Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four (4) feet wide, the laying of crosswalks and erecting of fences, where necessary, 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 one thousand eight hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is twenty-six thousand one 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, HERMAN SULZER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
New York, March 12, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—Inclosed herewith find, for the action of your Honorable Board, a form of ordinance adopted by this Board at a meeting held on the 7th inst. providing for the regulating and grading of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Union and Prospect avenues, Borough of The Bronx.

This ordinance is to take place of one approved by this Board on November 29, 1899, and forwarded to your Honorable Body under date of December 7, 1899, which was not finally acted upon prior to January 1, 1900.

Papers in this matter are now in your possession.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

No. 1225.—(G. O. 89.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 107), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving One Hundred and Thirty-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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 26, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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 14th day of June, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving with asphalt pavement, with a guarantee of maintenance from the contractor for a period of five years of the carriage-way of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Park avenue to Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, 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 six thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is one hundred and fifteen 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.

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

No. 1238.—(G. O. 90.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 120), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, grading, etc., East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Park to Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, Committee on Streets and Highways.

(Papers referred to in preceding Report.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of regulating, grading, etc., East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Park to Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 38, Minutes, April 3, 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 regulate, etc., East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, 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 14th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Park avenue to Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks and erecting of fences where necessary, and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, 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 five hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is sixty-four thousand five 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.

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

No. 665.—(G. O. 91.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect a drinking-fountain at Houston and Second streets, Borough of Manhattan (Minutes of April 17, 1900), 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 the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect, place and keep a drinking-fountain for man and beast at the intersection of Houston and Second streets, between Columbia and Cannon streets, Borough of Manhattan, at the easterly side of the lamp there situated, the work to be done at its own expense and water to be supplied by the Commissioner of Water Supply, all under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

WILLIAM H. GLEDHILL, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., FRANK GASS, OWEN J. MURPHY, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, GEORGE A. BURRELL, Committee on Water Supply.

No. 666.—(G. O. 92.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect a drinking-fountain at Broadway, Gwinnett street and Throop avenue, Brooklyn (Minutes, April 17, 1900), 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 the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect, place and keep a drinking-fountain for man and beast at the apex of the small park at the intersection of Broadway, Gwinnett street and Throop avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done at its own expense and water to be supplied by the Commissioner of Water Supply, all under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

WILLIAM H. GLEDHILL, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., FRANK GASS, OWEN J. MURPHY, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, GEORGE A. BURRELL, Committee on Water Supply.

(No. 663.—G. O. 93.)

The Committee on Water Supply, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect a drinking-fountain at Third avenue, One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and Willis avenue, Borough of The Bronx (Minutes of April 17, 1900), 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 the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect, place and keep a drinking-fountain for the use of man and beast on the triangle at Third avenue, One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and Willis avenue, The Bronx, the work to be done at its own expense and water to be supplied by the Commissioner of Water Supply, all under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

WILLIAM H. GLEDHILL, JOHN J. VAUGHAN, JR., FRANK GASS, OWEN J. MURPHY, FRANCIS J. BYRNE, GEORGE A. BURRELL, Committee on Water Supply.

No. 1212.—(G. O. 94.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 97), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., Court street, 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, JOSEPH E. WELLING, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, etc., Court street, Borough of Brooklyn (page 636, Minutes, March 27, 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 regulate, etc., Court street, between Bryant street and the bulkhead, 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 20th day of November, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 Court street, between Bryant street and the bulkhead, Borough of Brooklyn, setting of curbstones and flagstones, and the laying of granite-block pavement, where not already done, and the paving of the roadway with granite-block pavement, 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 seven thousand nine hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is fifty-one 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, HERMAN SULZER, CHARLES H. FRANCISCO, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, March 26, 1900.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly:

GENTLEMEN—I transmit herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, copies of ordinances providing for work to be done at the following locations:

## Borough of Brooklyn.

Regulating, etc., Court street, between Bryant street and the bulkhead.  
Regulating, etc., Stanhope street, between Wyckoff avenue and St. Nicholas avenue.  
Regulating, etc., McKibbin street, between Bushwick avenue and Bogart street.  
Regulating, etc., Olive street, from Metropolitan avenue and Maspeth avenue.  
Regulating, etc., Osborn street, between Blake avenue and Sutter avenue.  
Regulating, etc., Linden street, between Hamburg avenue and Knickerbocker avenue.  
Regulating, etc., Hawthorne street, between Flatbush avenue and Rogers avenue.  
Grading and paving Alabama avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Glenmore avenue.  
Regulating, etc., Park place, between Albany avenue and Triv avenue.  
Grading and paving Humboldt street, from Meeker avenue to Egert avenue.  
Regulating, etc., Chauncey street, between Rockaway avenue and Broadway.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

No. 1246.—(G. O. 95.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 129), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating Park avenue, Bronx, 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 regulating, etc., Park avenue, Borough of The Bronx (page 106, Minutes, April 10, 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 regulate, etc., Park 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 4th day of April, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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 Park avenue, from Pelham avenue to Tremont avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks, erecting of fences where necessary, and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, 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 seven hundred and forty-seven thousand seven hundred and fifty 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.

JOHN J. MURPHY, BERNARD C. MURRAY, MARTIN ENGEL, DAVID L. VAN NOSTRAN, Committee on Streets and Highways.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, April 7, 1900.

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

GENTLEMEN—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board on the 4th instant providing for the regulating, grading, etc., of Park avenue, from Pelham avenue to Tremont avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, March 30, 1899.

MR. 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 March 30, 1899, viz:

Resolved, That, on petition of James S. Roan and others, duly advertised, and submitted the 30th day of March, 1899, the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Park avenue, from Pelham avenue to Tremont avenue, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1224.—(G. O. 96.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 108), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council in favor of paving Ninety-second 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving Ninety-second street, Borough of Manhattan (page 26, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave Ninety-second street, Borough of Manhattan.  
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 10th day of July, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving of the roadway, with asphalt on a concrete foundation, of Ninety-second street, between West End avenue and Riverside drive, in the Borough of Manhattan, 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 five thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is two hundred and fifty-two thousand five 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.

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

No. 1264.—(G. O. 97.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on July 17, 1900 (Minutes, page 147), the annexed ordinance of the Council in favor of regulating, etc., West Farms road, 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, etc., West Farms road, 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 20th day of June, 1900, be and the same hereby is 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 West Farms road, from Westchester avenue to Tremont avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and the paving of the roadway of said street with granite-block pavement, setting of curbstones, flagging of sidewalks a space four feet in width, laying of crosswalks, erecting of fences where necessary, and the planting of trees on the sidewalks, 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 one hundred and thirty-one thousand dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is seven hundred and twenty-four thousand and ten 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.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
NEW YORK, June 22, 1900.

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

SIR—I inclose herewith, for the action of your Honorable Body, a form of ordinance approved by this Board at the meeting held on the 20th instant, providing for the regulating and grading of West Farms road, from Westchester avenue to Tremont avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

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

Respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY, May 24, 1900.

MR. 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 May 24, 1900, viz:

Whereas, The Commissioner of Highways, under date of May 15, 1900, reported to the Board of Public Improvements in favor of the substitution of granite-block pavement instead of telford macadam for West Farms road, from Westchester avenue to Tremont avenue;

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that West Farms road be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet in width through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid and fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks and the roadway be paved with granite-block pavement, from Westchester avenue to Tremont avenue, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Respectfully,

LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx.

JAMES J. BRIDGES, CHARLES METZGER, MOSES J. WAFER, JOSEPH E. WELLING, Committee on Streets and Highways.

No. 1053.—(G. O. 98.)

The Committee on Streets and Highways, to whom was referred, on June 26, 1900 (Minutes, page 412), the annexed report and ordinance of the Council, in favor of paving One Hundred and Twenty-ninth 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, MOSES J. WAFER, 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 paving One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan (page 21, Minutes, April 3, 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 pave One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, 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 11th day of October, 1899, be and the same hereby is 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 paving of the carriage-way of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Twelfth avenue and the tracks of the New York Central Railroad Company, Borough of Manhattan, with asphalt-black pavement on a concrete foundation, with a five years' guarantee of maintenance from the contractor, 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 one thousand two hundred dollars. The said assessed value of the real estate included within the probable area of assessment is four million five hundred and twelve 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.

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

The Vice-President moved the Board be now adjourned.

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 until Tuesday, July 31, 1900, at 1 o'clock P. M.

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 320 BROADWAY, }  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1900. }

Meeting of the Board of Assessors held this 10th day of July, 1900.

Present—Assessors Edward McCue (President), Edward Cahill, Thomas A. Wilson and John B. Meyenberg.

Minutes of meeting of July 3, 1900, were read and approved.

The following communications were received and placed on file:

From Department of Highways, dated July 2, 1900—Transmitting seven Bagging assessments, Borough of Brooklyn.

From Department of Highways, dated July 3, 1900—Transmitting four assessments for improvements, Borough of the Bronx, and four, Borough of Brooklyn.

From Department of Sewers, dated July 5, 1900—Transmitting three assessment lists for sewers, Borough of Brooklyn.

From Board of Assessors, District, Mich., dated July 2, 1900—Asking certain information.

From Chief Clerk—Requesting an opportunity to enter an examination for promotion. Said request was granted.

In the matter of the assessment for flagging and reflagging, etc., Eighth avenue, from Thirteenth street to the Harlem river, Borough of Manhattan, objections were filed by John C. Shaw, Arthur Neville, Davies, Stone & Auerbach and Wheeler & Cortis, attorneys, and Joseph H. Goulin, owner, and at request of counsel hearing was set down for July 17, 1900, at 11 A. M.

W. H. Pierce, attorney, introduced testimony in support of claim for damages of Mrs. Lester, caused by the change of grade of St. Joseph's street, and was granted a further adjournment until July 18, 1900, to produce further evidence.

In the matter of the regulating and grading of Cooper street, W. H. Flitner and C. E. Neier, attorneys, announced that they would raise their cases on the evidence already submitted.

Hearing was adjourned until July 17, 1900, in the matter of the hearing of claims filed for damages caused by the change of grade of Clinton avenue and East One Hundred and Seventieth street.

In the matter of the regulating, etc., of Pelham avenue the awards allowed on claims filed by Hawks & Flannery, attorneys, were ordered made to Adelaide Heimberger & Annie Frank.

Counsel argued in support of objections filed to the assessment for sewer in East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and was given permission to file a brief. Further consideration was laid over.

Gambleton & Hottenroth, attorneys, filed the claim of Frank Roulter and Mary E. Roulter, for damages caused by the change of grade of Rosebud avenue.

Adjourned.

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 320 BROADWAY, }  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1900. }

Meeting of the Board of Assessors, held July 17, 1900, at 11 A. M.

Present—Assessors John B. Meyenberg (President pro tem.), Edward Cahill and Thomas A. Wilson.

Minutes of the meeting of July 10, 1900, were read and approved.

The following communications were received and placed on file:

From the Corporation Counsel, dated July 10, 1900—Advising the Board in relation to the assessment for sewers in Ashford street, Borough of Brooklyn.

From Department of Sewers, dated July 11, 1900—Transmitting two assessment lists for sewers, Borough of Brooklyn.

From Department of Sewers, dated July 11, 1900—Transmitting six assessment lists for sewers, Borough of the Bronx.

Copy of an ordinance passed by the Municipal Assembly in reference to vacating assessments for improvement in Eighth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.

In the matter of the assessment for flagging and reflagging, etc., Seventh avenue, from Greenwich avenue to Central Park, South, Borough of Manhattan, objections were filed by John C. Shaw, Thompson & Koss and W. H. Pierce, attorneys, and at request of counsel hearing was adjourned until July 31, 1900, at 11 A. M.

In the matter of the assessment for flagging, reflagging, etc., Eighth avenue, from Thirteenth street to the Harlem river, Borough of Manhattan, testimony was introduced by John C. Shaw, attorney, in support of the objections filed, and hearing was further adjourned until July 24, 1900, at 11 A. M.

The objections of John J. Brady, attorney, and T. Irving Hadden, owner, were overruled, to the assessment for sewer in Valentine avenue, and the list ordered transmitted to the Board of Revision of Assessments for confirmation. Counsel were notified to be present, but failed to appear.

In the matter of the hearing of claims for damages caused by the change of grade of Clinton avenue and East One Hundred and Seventieth street, counsel failed to appear and consideration was laid over.

In the matter of the assessment for sewer in East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, consideration was laid over until July 18, 1900, counsel in the meantime to file a brief on their objections.

On motion, the Board decided to proceed with the annual installment of the assessment for the Prospect Park improvement, Borough of Brooklyn.

The assessment list for grading and paving St. Nicholas avenue, from Hart street to Flushing avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, having been levied by the Board of Assessors of the former City of Brooklyn upon an estimated cost, was revised to conform to the actual cost and ordered transmitted to the Comptroller for entry and collection.

Adjourned.

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 320 BROADWAY, }  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1900. }

Meeting of the Board of Assessors, held July 18, 1900.

Present—Assessors Edward McCue (President), Edward Cahill, Thomas A. Wilson and John B. Meyenberg.

Minutes of meeting of July 17, 1900, were read and approved.

In the matter of the assessment for sewer in East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Intervale avenue to Boston road, etc., Borough of the Bronx, referred back by the Board of Revision of Assessments to the Board of Assessors for reconsideration, said list was duly reconsidered, all objections being heard. On motion, the objections were overruled and the list ordered retransmitted to the Board of Assessments for confirmation.

In the matter of the assessment for regulating and grading St. Joseph street, Borough of The Bronx, W. H. Pierce, attorney, was present and filed affidavits in support of the claim of Mrs. Lester for damages caused by change of grade of said street, also a deed to Mrs. Lester of the property. The objections of Mr. Pierce to said assessment were ordered transmitted to the Department of Highways for report.

Adjourned.

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

Abstract of Readings from Self-recording Instruments for the Week ending July 21, 1900.

## Barometer.

DATE.	JULY.	7 A. M.			9 P. M.			MEAN FOR THE DAY.			MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	15	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	7:55 A.	29.993	29.993	5 P. M.
Monday,	16	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	7:55 A.	29.993	29.993	5 P. M.
Tuesday,	17	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	7:55 A.	29.993	29.993	5 P. M.
Wednesday,	18	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	7:55 A.	29.993	29.993	5 P. M.
Thursday,	19	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	7:55 A.	29.993	29.993	5 P. M.
Friday,	20	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	7:55 A.	29.993	29.993	5 P. M.
Saturday,	21	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	29.993	7:55 A.	29.993	29.993	5 P. M.

Mean for the week ..... 29.993  
Maximum ..... 29.993  
Minimum ..... 29.993  
Range ..... 29.993

## Thermometers.

DATE.	JULY.	7 A. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.	
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.
Sunday,	15	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65
Monday,	16	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65
Tuesday,	17	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65
Wednesday,	18	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65
Thursday,	19	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65
Friday,	20	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65
Saturday,	21	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65	75	65

Mean for the week ..... 75  
Maximum ..... 75  
Minimum ..... 65  
Range ..... 10

## Wind.

DATE.	JULY.	Direction.			Velocity in Miles.			Force in Pounds per Square Foot.		
		7 A. M.	9 P. M.	Direction.	7 A. M.	9 P. M.	Direction.	7 A. M.	9 P. M.	Direction.
Sunday,	15	W	WNW	WNW	13	34	34	0	0	14
Monday,	16	WSW	SW	SEW	10	34	34	0	0	14
Tuesday,	17	SW	S	SEW	17	41	34	174	34	14
Wednesday,	18	WSW	W	WNW	20	30	34	120	145	14
Thursday,	19	SW	W	S	14	34	34	55	0	14
Friday,	20	S	SE	SEW	5	40	34	175	0	14
Saturday,	21	S	SE	SW	5	16	34	110	0	14

Longest gale during the week ..... 34 miles.  
Maximum force ..... 3 pounds.

## Hygrometer.

## Clouds.

## Rain and Snow. Ozone.

DATE.	JULY.	Force of Vapour.						Relative Humidity.		Clear, Overcast, to.		Depth of Rain and Snow in Inches.				
		7 A. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	9 P. M.	Mean.	7 A. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday,	15	.449	.609	.500	.609	.50	.40	60	60	0	0	9 P. M.	10 P. M.	1.00	.00	0
Monday,	16	.629	.747	.773	.773	.77	.46	64	60	0	0					0
Tuesday,	17	.677	.809	.809	.809	.66	.30	71	60	0	0					0
Wednesday,	18	.713	.797	.797	.797	.62	.45	66	60	0	0					0
Thursday,	19	.449	.485	.504	.510	.61	.43	72	58	0	0					0
Friday,	20	.449	.745	.628	.641	.75	.54	72	70	0	0					0
Saturday,	21	.677	.789	.799	.733	.84	.67	80	70	0	0	4:30 A.	8 A. M.	3.45	.14	0

Total amount of water for the week ..... 37 inches.  
Duration for the week ..... 6 hours 15 minutes.

DATE.	7 A. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday, July 15	Warm, cloudy.	Hot, sultry.
Monday, " 16	Hot, close.	Hot, sultry.
Tuesday, " 17	Hot, slight breeze.	Hot, sultry.
Wednesday, " 18	Hot, pleasant breeze.	Hot, pleasant breeze.
Thursday, " 19	Warm, pleasant.	Warm, pleasant.
Friday, " 20	Warm, cloudy.	Warm, pleasant.
Saturday, " 21	Close, raining.	Warm, pleasant, lightning & thunder, 3 P. M.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.



## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending June 30, 1900.

## Deposited in the City Treasury.

To the credit of the City Treasury	\$4,072,955 34
" " Sinking Fund	255,230 27
Total	\$4,268,185 61

## Bonds and Stock Issued.

Three and five-eighths per cent. Bonds	\$150,000 00
Three and one-half per cent. Stock	3,135,000 00
Total	\$3,285,000 00

## Warrants Registered for Payment.

Appropriation Accounts, "A" Warrants	\$3,610,148 49
Special and Trust Accounts, "B" Warrants	626,940 65
Additional Water Fund, "C" Warrants	10,032 26
Total	\$2,247,221 40

## Summary Statement of the Bonded Indebtedness of The City of New York on June 30, 1900, as Recorded on the Books of the Department of Finance.

	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 1899.	ISSUED AND RECORDED.	REDEEMED.	AMOUNTS HELD AS INVESTMENTS BY THE SINKING FUNDS.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 1900.
<b>I.</b>					
<b>FUNDED DEBT.</b>					
<b>A.—FUNDED DEBT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS NOW CONSTITUTED, ISSUED SUBSEQUENT TO JANUARY 1, 1898.</b>					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 266 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897	\$42,225,828 91	\$11,737,354 40	—	\$16,877,809 86	\$50,015,304 38
(2) Payable from the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York, under the provisions of section 30, article 9, of the Constitution of the State of New York, and section 324 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897	6,890,542 00	1,735,000 00	—	2,809,411 00	8,449,341 00
(3) Payable from Taxation	2,175,317 25	2,067,512 55	—	5,137,893 00	6,237,823 90
(4) Payable from Assessments	99,018 73	9,185 35	—	129,134 08	99,114 08
<b>B.—FUNDED DEBT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS CONSTITUTED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.</b>					
<b>SINKING FUND OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROUGH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.</b>					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (First Lien), under Ordinances of the Common Council	1,177,100 00	—	—	—	1,177,100 00
(2) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt (Second Lien), under the provisions of section 225 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897	970,000 00	—	—	—	970,000 00
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, under the provisions of section 226 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897	107,413,158 73	—	—	\$1,878,492 41	108,431,651 14
(4) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, under the provisions of section 1 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897	9,825,100 00	—	—	400,000 00	9,825,100 00
(5) Payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, No. 2, under the provisions of the Constitutional Amendment adopted November 4, 1894, and of section 10, article 1 of the Constitution of the State of New York	41,077,000 00	—	—	15,350,000 00	41,077,000 00
(6) Payable from Taxation	25,911,430 00	—	\$10,000 00	10,000,000 00	25,901,430 00
(7) Payable from Assessments	9,120,215 91	—	—	6,136,185 91	9,114,030 00
<b>County of New York.</b>					
(1) Payable from Taxation	9,379,700 00	—	—	\$15,100 00	9,379,700 00
<b>C.—FUNDED DEBT OF CORPORATIONS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, INCLUDING KINGS COUNTY, ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.</b>					
<b>City of Brooklyn, including Licensed Tenants.</b>					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 423 of the Laws of 1890, and amendments thereto	6,047,000 00	—	—	—	6,047,000 00
(2) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 372 of the Laws of 1890, and chapter 423 of the Laws of 1890	2,239,000 00	—	—	250,000 00	2,339,000 00
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 545 of the Laws of 1897	7,080,552 41	—	—	7,477,000 00	7,080,552 41
(4) Payable from Water Sinking Fund of The City of Brooklyn, under the provisions of chapter 330 of the Laws of 1890, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto	16,030,740 78	—	25,000 00	911,000 00	16,035,740 78
(5) Payable from Taxation	14,799,179 03	—	25,000 00	3,635,100 00	16,049,804 93
(6) Payable from Assessments	8,442,244 09	—	2,500 00	500,000 00	6,419,844 09
<b>County of Kings.</b>					
(1) Payable from Taxation	11,277,000 00	—	90,000 00	—	13,000,000 00
<b>D.—FUNDED DEBT OF CORPORATIONS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, INCLUDING THE PROPORTION OF THE DEBT OF THE COUNTY OF QUEENS INCURRED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.</b>					
<b>Corporations other than Queens County.</b>					
(1) Payable from the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Revenue Bonds, under the provisions of chapter 743 of the Laws of 1892	350,000 00	350,000 00	35,000 00	20,000 00	66,000 00
(2) Payable from Sinking Fund under the provisions of chapter 322 of the Laws of 1890	35,000 00	—	—	—	35,000 00
(3) Payable from the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of Water Bonds, chapter 739 of the Laws of 1892	—	10,000 00	—	10,000 00	10,000 00
(4) Payable from Water Revenue	735,000 00	—	—	—	735,000 00
(5) Payable from Taxation	6,225,483 55	177,000 00	36,540 65	—	6,225,863 90
(6) Payable from Assessments	3,247,031 47	3,500 00	5,441 55	11,000 00	3,138,090 92
<b>County of Queens.</b>					
(1) Payable from Taxation (amount to be borne by The City of New York)	—	—	—	—	—
<b>E.—FUNDED DEBT OF CORPORATIONS IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, INCLUDING RICHMOND COUNTY, ISSUED PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1898.</b>					
<b>Corporations other than Richmond County.</b>					
(1) Payable from Taxation	1,234,388 70	1,000 00	14,700 10	—	1,224,688 60
<b>County of Richmond.</b>					
(1) Payable from Taxation	1,723,000 00	—	—	—	1,723,000 00
Total Funded Debt	\$339,204,907 41	\$19,075,752 35	\$59,135 28	\$110,903,540 16	\$279,990,902 89
<b>II.</b>					
<b>TEMPORARY DEBT.</b>					
Issued in anticipation of Taxes of 1899	7,600 00	—	7,600 00	—	—
Issued in anticipation of Taxes of 1900	—	33,833,400 00	—	2,000,000 00	33,833,400 00
Total Bonded Debt	\$357,111,907 41	\$52,909,152 35	\$66,735 28	\$112,903,540 16	\$313,741,702 89

## SUMMARY.

Total gross bonded debt	\$357,111,907 41
Less amounts held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:	
For account of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 1	\$16,877,809 86
(Exclusive of Revenue Bonds of 1900)	68,218,405 91
For account of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt No. 2	15,350,000 00
For account of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York	68,218 73
For account of the Water Sinking Fund of The City of New York	2,809,411 00
For account of the Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn	5,970,185 41
For account of the Sinking Fund of Long Island City for the Redemption of	
Revenue Bonds	350,000 00
For account of the Water Sinking Fund of the City of Brooklyn	20,000 00
	105,903,640 16
Net Funded Debt	\$251,208,266 73
Revenue Bonds	31,813,400 00
Net Bonded Debt	\$283,021,666 73

In addition to the foregoing, there are bonds outstanding, of various corporations, now wholly or partly included in The City of New York, as follows:

Bonds which have been approved as to legality, but which have not yet been presented for registration in the books of the Department	\$1,764 39
Bonds which have not yet been approved as to legality	179,000 00
Proportion of bonds of the County of Queens, outstanding December 31, 1899, imposed upon The City of New York by the judgment of the Supreme Court, Third Department (now under appeal), less amount on account of deduction of \$20,000 in valuation of Flushing	3,810,227 91

The amount of the outstanding bonds of School Districts in the Town of Hempstead which are partly within The City of New York, which will be chargeable to The City of New York, has not yet been judicially determined.



## Suits, Orders of Court, Judgments, etc.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF SUIT.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme.	In the matter of the application of Kings to acquire title to the land within the lines of Eastern parkway and Buffalo avenue.	.....	Certified copy order amending the report of the Commissioners in reference to Parcel No. 221.	Stephen M. Hovey.
"	In the matter of the application of John P. Kane Company for leave to sue the American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City upon the undertaking given by said company to discharge a lien filed by John P. Kane Company vs. Mapes-Reeve Construction Company on August 4, 1899.	.....	Certified copy order that the said motion be and the same is hereby granted.	J. Woolley Shepard.
"	Victoria Duffy vs. The City of New York.	\$179.20	Copy summons and complaint. To recover \$179.26, amount of interest due on an award for Parcel Nos. 86 and 87 made to claimant by the Commissioners of Estimate in Colonial Park proceedings.	James A. Lynch.
"	The People of the State of New York vs. The City of New York.	\$43.75	Copy summons and complaint. Brought to recover the sum of \$243.75 for the maintenance and support of certain inmates of the Matteawan State Hospital.	John C. Davison.
"	The People of the State of New York vs. Lewis Jullerman.	\$24.00	Order that Edmund B. Brown, counsel for the above-named defendant, be allowed the sum of \$250 counsel fee and \$71 for incidental expenses.	Attorney in person.
"	Townsend Wendell, executor, etc., vs. The City of New York, impleaded with George F. Johnson.	.....	Copy summons and complaint to foreclose certain mortgage.	Thomas W. Bates.
"	The Graves Elevator Company vs. The City of New York, John H. Parker Company et al.	975.00	Copy summons and complaint. That plaintiff have a valuation for the sum of \$975 upon the lands in grow due under contract between The City of New York and the John H. Parker Company.	Greene & Sturtevant.
"	In the matter of the application of Michael T. Daly, as Commissioner of Public Works, relative to acquiring certain real estate for the sanitary protection of the water supply of The City of New York.	.....	Certified copy order confirming Third Separate Report, Brewster, First Supplemental Proceeding.	.....
Supreme, Kings.	John Cowenhoven vs. The City of New York.	1,376.20	Copy judgment in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of \$1,376.20.	James C. Church.
Supreme, West.	T. Elwood Carpenter and Charles T. Sutton, as executors, etc., vs. The City of New York.	110.22	Copy summons and complaint. To recover \$136.22 balance of an award due claimant for Parcel No. 35 in proceedings to acquire title to lands in the Towns of New Castle and Bedford, Westchester County, New York.	Charles H. Banks.
"	T. Elwood Carpenter and Frederick C. Pelton vs. The City of New York.	53.93	Copy summons and complaint. To recover the sum of \$53.73, being the interest due on an award made to plaintiffs for the taking of Parcel No. 6 in proceedings to acquire title to lands in the Towns of New Castle and Bedford, Westchester County, New York.	.....
Supreme, Richmond.	Helen S. Skinner vs. Bird S. Colver, as Comptroller, Edward Dunsenly et al.	.....	Summons only served.	S. A. Gould.
Supreme, Kings.	John J. McGuire vs. The City of New York.	20,000.00	Summons and complaint. To recover \$20,000 damages for personal injuries received by claimant by reason of the defective condition of the bridge over Newtown creek.	Thomas F. Magner.
"	In the matter of the application of Edward A. Hayes for an alternative writ of mandamus.	.....	Order to show cause July 3, 1900, why an alternative writ of mandamus should not issue directing that said Edward A. Hayes be reinstated to the position of Assistant to Expert Accountants in the Department of Finance.	William L. Mathon.
Appellate Div. for the 3d Dept.	The County of Queens vs. The City of New York and the County of Nassau.	.....	Judgment of affirmance.	Townsend Scudder.
Supreme.	Peter P. McLaughlin vs. The City of New York.	726.50	Complaint to recover the sum of \$726.50 for transcripts furnished the District Attorney as stenographer to the Court of General Sessions of The City and County of New York.	Francis J. McLaughlin.
City Court Order.	John M. Strong and another vs. Harry Carpenter.	.....	Copy order directing the Comptroller to retain the amount of plaintiff's judgment and costs by reason of the condemnation of house No. 418 East One Hundred and Twelfth street, New York.	Henry Goldstein.
Supreme.	Mary E. Pentrest vs. Joseph J. Halden at al.	2,280.61	Transcripts of judgments, as follows:	W. J. Walsh.
Supreme, Kings.	Maria McBride.	171.35	.....	James A. Dunn.
Supreme, Queens.	George P. Graves and another.	218.80	.....	William O. Miles.
"	John Foley.	66.12	.....	Thomas P. Burke.
"	Mary V. Murphy.	211.72	.....	"
"	Thomas D. Smith & Son.	527.14	.....	"
Supreme.	Edward Maher.	733.39	.....	George W. Davidson.
"	Timothy O'Connell.	225.47	.....	George F. Langbein.
Supreme, Richmond.	Michael Harrigan.	170.55	.....	William E. Morris.
Supreme, Queens.	Brown & Fleming.	4,393.03	.....	James Burke, Jr.
Supreme, Richmond.	Louisa J. Purdy.	250.00	.....	Richards & Brown.
"	Thomas Browne.	25.84	.....	James C. Van Siclen.
"	Michael J. Stone and another.	106.21	.....	M. L. Ryan.
"	Robert Hunter.	30.81	.....	"
"	Rachael McRobert.	20.98	.....	"
"	George F. Schuber.	40.18	.....	"
"	Edward Finerty.	26.71	.....	"
"	Mark Hartley.	27.73	.....	"
"	Peter Donnelly.	25.00	.....	"
"	Edward Peterson.	20.24	.....	"
"	David C. Butler, as executor.	27.27	.....	"
"	John J. Sullivan.	20.48	.....	"
"	George Sheridan.	25.47	.....	"
"	John Drury.	10.91	.....	"
"	Nathaniel Marsh.	40.54	.....	"
"	William Bowen.	31.55	.....	"

## Claims Filed.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1900, June 23.	Gastano Varians, as infant, by Pas- quale Varians, as guardian ad litem.	\$10,000.00	Damages for personal injuries received by said Gastano Varians by being run over by a horse and wagon belonging to the Department of Water Supply of The City of New York.	Simmons & Harris.
" 25.	Martin P. Loneragan.	8.00	For services rendered as Laborer in the De- partment of Sewers of The City of New York from October 24 to 26, 1898.	James E. Smith.
" 27.	James Stanley..... William Decon..... Thomas Shanahan..... William McDonnell..... Patrick McNamee..... John Brophy..... Frederick Ahlen- senlayer..... David Cullhane..... William McDermott..... Cornelius Flynn.....	1,712.60 140.00 5,400.00 5,000.00 1,000.00 950.00 30.00 2,250.00 650.00 9,500.00	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate at time of service, as follows:	Waiter Thorn. James E. Smith.
" 28.	George Andrews..... Thomas J. Roscoe..... Andrew Burns..... Silas T. Bell..... William Barnes..... James Doherty..... L. J. Barry..... John Brady..... John Barnard..... Cornelius Barnd..... Henry Barlow..... Patrick Brady..... John J. Barry..... Thomas Callahan..... Patrick Cavanagh..... Joseph Cullen..... John Collins..... John Clifford..... Martin Carve..... Richard Cloney..... Michael Callahan..... Roddy Clifford..... Charles Conamthy..... Thomas Casey..... Richard Clary..... Timothy Conventy..... Patrick Cullen..... Connors..... William Cloney..... George Campion..... Bartholomew Condon..... Mike Connelley..... Edward Condy..... James Cassidy..... Cornelius E. Carrin..... James D. Crumrine..... Christopher Coffey..... Michael Conary..... William Dunn..... Patrick Dwyer..... Owen Dowd..... George Donohue..... James Denton..... Mike Donaghy..... Hugh Donohue..... Daniel Donohue..... Thomas Dwyer..... John Dwyer..... Thomas Doyle..... Edward Donahue..... Peter Duggan..... Mike Duggan..... Thomas Dwyer..... Charles Flynn..... John Finnegan..... Edward J. Foley..... August Frickelmeier..... John J. Flynn..... James Feeley..... John Finnegan..... Richard Fitzgerald..... Garrett Flynn..... William Fitzgerald..... Bernard Farrell..... Patrick Fitzpatrick..... Daniel Fallon..... Theo. Folmer..... Edward Frawley..... James Gallagher..... James F. Glendon..... Thomas F. Gowen..... Dennis Gallagher..... Patrick Galvin..... James Gandy..... Patrick Garvin..... Patrick Gaffney..... Joseph Harbin..... Thomas Hartnett..... George Hark..... James Hart..... Nicholas Hammill..... Joseph Halsey..... Patrick Harris..... Edward Hanley..... Peter W. Haseck..... Patrick Hunt..... Dan Harney..... Michael J. Harburgh..... Thomas Hughes..... John Hickey..... William Hayde..... Michael Keenan..... Peter T. Kane..... Michael Keenan..... Thomas Kira..... Mike Keenan..... Stephen Kelly..... William Kelly..... John Lyons..... Bernard Lennon..... Fred. Lohr..... John Leslie..... Thomas Leonard..... B. Lewis..... John Leland..... Charles Long..... E. F. Lyons..... Edward Lynch..... Hugh McNally..... Peter McCabe..... John McCabe..... Michael McDermott..... Frederick Miller..... McPartland..... James McNulty..... Richard Murphy..... James McCarthy..... Patrick McSherry..... Thomas Markin..... Thomas McAvoy..... Owen Murphy..... John Murly..... James McKenn..... Mike McCready..... Manofan..... Patrick Maguire.....	To recover difference between wages paid and the prevailing rate as Payers or Man- ners in the Department of Highways from about January 1 to 24, 1899, as follows:	Alden & Vargentine.	



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## CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 30, 1900.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	BIDDING.	NAME OF CONTRACTOR.	NAME OF SUBMITTER.	AMOUNT OF BIDS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
287	May 31, 1900	South	The Board	John J. McQuade	John McQuade, Pearl McGowan	\$200.00	For the construction of sewer and apartments in Kingsbridge road, from Webster to Valentine avenues, with branch in Fordham road, from Kingsbridge road to Narbonne avenue, Borough of The Bronx.	\$15,000.00



No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	BOROUGH.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	NAMES OF SURETIES.	AMOUNT OF BOND.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.	COST.
2388	June 13, 1900	Sewers.....	The Bronx.....	W. R. Stallman.....	Louis E. De La Vergne — John G. Van Horns.....	\$1,000 00	For the construction of sewer in Belmont street, from the existing sewer in Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, Borough of The Bronx.....	\$6,363 00
2389	" 13, "	Police.....	All boroughs.....	The Martin R. Brown Company.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	20,000 00	For supplying the Police Department with official and sample ballots for election purposes for the year 1900.....	25,463 00
2390	" 13, "	".....	".....	The Martin R. Brown Company.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	20,000 00	For supplying the Police Department with stationery and printing for election purposes for the year 1900.....	33,794 00
2391	May 21, "	Education.....	Manhattan and The Bronx.....	James G. Wilson.....	National Surety Company.....	475 00	For supplying furniture, Item 2, for addition to Public School 46, and furniture, Item 2, for addition to Public School 39, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	975 00
2392	June 7, "	Armory Board of The City of New York.....	Manhattan.....	William R. King.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	25,000 00	For materials and labor required in making and furnishing and alteration and improvement to the roof of the Twelfth Regiment Armory Building, on Columbus avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.....	6,920 00
2393	May 19, "	Education.....	Manhattan and The Bronx.....	James Fay.....	William J. Smith..... Frank Reynolds.....	999 00	For improving the sanitary condition of Public School 115, Borough of Manhattan.....	999 00
2394	Apr. 16, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx.....	Patrick Sullivan.....	National Surety Company.....	2,654 10	For alterations and additions to the basement of the hall of the Board of Education, Borough of Manhattan.....	7,665 00
2395	May 31, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx.....	J. G. Mackay.....	Henry W. Richardson..... William E. Good.....	1,000 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools 22 and 89, Borough of Manhattan.....	2,769 00
2396	" 29, "	".....	Brooklyn.....	J. I. Deady.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	7,097 00	For improving the sanitary condition of Public School 43, Borough of Brooklyn.....	6,097 00
2397	June 15, "	Police.....	Manhattan.....	Atlantic Basin Iron Works.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	2,000 00	For furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the material necessary in making and completing alterations, general repairs and improvements to the standard "Patrol" stationed at the "A," North street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.....	6,700 00
2398	" 5, "	Parks.....	Manhattan and Richmond.....	John H. Meyer.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... American Surety Company of New York.....	1,000 00	For furnishing and delivering coal, viz.: 120 tons egg coal, 200 tons furnace coal, 2,200 tons pithead at the Aquarium at Battery Park, and at the several buildings, shops and cottages located in the Central and southernmost parks in the Borough of Manhattan.....	6,070 75
2399	" 20, "	Sewers.....	Manhattan.....	Hart Dunn.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	7,000 00	For the construction of sewers in Two Hundred and Seventh street, between Hudson river and Tenth avenue; in Ninth avenue, between Two Hundred and Sixth and Two Hundred and Eighth streets; and in Two Hundred and Eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, Borough of Manhattan.....	11,000 00
2400	" 20, "	".....	".....	".....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	10,000 00	For the construction of sewers in Two Hundred and Ninth street, between Hudson river and Tenth avenue; in Two Hundred and Tenth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues; in Ninth avenue, between Two Hundred and Eighth and Two Hundred and Seventh streets; and in Tenth avenue, between Two Hundred and Seventh and Two Hundred and Ninth streets, Borough of Manhattan.....	18,875 16
2401	" 22, "	".....	The Bronx.....	Walter J. Ford.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	5,000 00	For the construction of sewer and appurtenances in Sedgwick street, from Hudson road to East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, with branch on East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Sedgwick avenue to Loring place, Borough of The Bronx.....	9,600 00
2402	" 14, "	Education.....	Richmond.....	Quincy N. Evans, Jr., A. Altmann and W. C. Adams, composing the firm of Evans, Altmann & Co.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	9,806 00	For supplying heating apparatus for addition to Public School 19, Borough of Richmond.....	2,800 00
2403	" 5, "	".....	Brooklyn.....	James Harley & Co.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	15,000 00	For sanitary work at new Public School 192, Borough of Brooklyn.....	14,885 00
2404	" 16, "	".....	".....	Francis A. Williams, doing business under the firm name and style of Blake & Williams.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	19,484 00	For supplying heating and ventilating apparatus at Public School 69, Borough of Brooklyn.....	19,484 00
2405	" 12, "	".....	".....	Frederick Pearce.....	The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City.....	2,000 00	For installing an electric lighting plant in new Public School 84, Borough of Brooklyn.....	2,000 00
2406	" 13, "	".....	".....	Manhattan Supply Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland..... Wm. H. Barton.....	629 10 700 00	For supplying furniture, Item 2, for addition to Public School 11, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Fig 10
2407	" 16, "	".....	".....	Thomas B. Rusan, contractor; Rusan, Keany & Hennighan, at 320085.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	125,404 00	For erecting new Public School 148, Borough of Brooklyn.....	128,000 00
2408	" 12, "	Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	Manhattan.....	Patrick Cavanagh, Michael Cavanagh and James F. Knapp, composing the firm of Cavanagh Brothers & Knapp.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland..... American Surety Company of New York.....	20,000 00	For materials and work in the furnishing, equipment, etc., of a hospital building on Government slip, between Front and Water streets, in New York City, Borough of Manhattan.....	51,831 81
2409	" 27, "	Public Charities.....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	William Flanagan and Alfred McDonald, composing the firm of William Flanagan & Co.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... American Surety Company of New York.....	745 00	For materials and work for painting Male and Female Almshouses, Hospital, Administrative Building, Male and Female Dormitories and Church, for the Department of Public Charities, Borough of Brooklyn.....	1,432 00
2410	" 27, "	Water Supply.....	Manhattan and The Bronx.....	John Fox and Nicholas Engel, composing the firm of John Fox & Co.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia..... The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	1,650 00	For furnishing stop-cocks, hydrants, wooden hydrant boxes and cast-iron stop-cock boxes and covers, for the Department of Water Supply, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	16,184 00
2411	May 28, "	Parks.....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	P. J. Carlin, F. W. Carlin and John J. Carlin, composing the firm of P. J. Carlin & Co.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	100,000 00	For furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the material necessary or required to erect complete, so far as herein specified, the concrete pavilion of the Eastern Parkway Extension of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, Brooklyn, New York, including the excavations, plumbing, shaft piling, filling in concrete foundations, brickwork, grout, concrete, bluestone work, fireproof arches, girder covering and roof blocks, concrete filling of arches, dam-proofing, the dome, rough carpenter work, roofing, cut granite work, cut limestone work, constructional steel and iron work, etc., and the connections in the present building, for the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn.....	26,152 00
2412	June 9, "	".....	Brooklyn and Queens.....	The Eastern Stone Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company..... The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	28,000 00	For constructing two stone archways, one under Second avenue and one under Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.....	34,430 00
2413	" 22, "	Correction.....	Manhattan.....	Edward Morrissey, John J. Hoffstadt, composing the firm of Morrissey & Hoffstadt.....	Charles Martin..... Henry Kruse.....	1,300 00	For materials and work required in the erection and installation of four baker's ovens and bakery machinery in the Penitentiary on Blackwell's Island, Borough of Manhattan.....	4,500 00
2414	" 20, "	Education.....	Brooklyn.....	Francis A. Williams, doing business under firm name and style of Blake & Williams.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	5,764 00	For additions and repairs to heating apparatus at Public School 112, Borough of Brooklyn.....	2,768 00
2415	" 21, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx.....	J. P. Hansen.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	3,538 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools 11 and 57, Borough of Manhattan.....	5,438 00
2416	" 20, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx.....	J. G. Mackay.....	Henry W. Richardson..... William E. Good.....	425 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 37, Borough of Manhattan.....	2,224 00
2417	" 20, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx.....	Neptune B. Smyth.....	The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City.....	4,643 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public Schools 55, 56 and Girls' High School, Borough of Manhattan.....	3,643 00
2418	" 20, "	".....	Manhattan and The Bronx.....	A. S. Sands.....	Joseph Forst..... William R. Larkin, M. D.....	300 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 77, Borough of Manhattan.....	795 00



*Approval of Sureties.*

The Comptroller has approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

1900.

June 26. For dry goods, etc.—Department of Public Charities (Manhattan).  
United States Trading Company, No. 111 Reade street, Principals.  
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, } Sureties.  
The Union Surety and Guaranty Company, No. 290 Broadway, }

June 27. For forage (Manhattan and The Bronx)—Department of Street Cleaning.  
Thomas Lenane, No. 307 West street, Principal.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.  
Broadway, }  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, }

June 28. For forage (Brooklyn)—Department of Street Cleaning.  
A. & C. Ferguson, No. 40 Grand street, Principals.  
American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Seventy-ninth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Boulevard—Department of Highways.  
The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company, Times Building, New York, Principals.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.  
Broadway, }  
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Fifty-fifth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue—Department of Highways.  
The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company, Times Building, Principals.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.  
Broadway, }  
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Fifty-fifth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue—Department of Highways.  
The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company, Times Building, Principals.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.  
Broadway, }  
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Thirty-third street, from Fourth to Madison avenue—Department of Highways.  
The Frain-Bumbrick Paving Company, No. 220 Broadway, New York, Principals.  
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Third to Eighth avenue—For Department of Highways.  
The Asphalt Construction Company, No. 207 Broadway, Principals.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.  
Broadway, }  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Twelfth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenues—For Department of Highways.  
Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company, No. 1 Broadway, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Twelfth street, from Third to Fourth avenue—For Department of Highways.  
Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company, No. 1 Broadway, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Eighth street, from Broadway to MacDougal street—For Department of Highways.  
Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company, No. 1 Broadway, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Twenty-eighth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue—For Department of Highways.  
Atlantic Alcatraz Asphalt Company, No. 57 East Fifty-ninth street, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Twenty-fifth street, from Fourth avenue to Madison avenue—For Department of Highways.  
Atlantic Alcatraz Asphalt Company, No. 57 East Fifty-ninth street, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, One Hundred and Eighth street, from Broadway to Riverside drive—For Department of Highways.  
Atlantic Alcatraz Asphalt Company, No. 57 East Fifty-ninth street, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Seventieth street, from Columbus avenue to Hudson river—For Department of Highways.  
Atlantic Alcatraz Asphalt Company, No. 57 East Fifty-ninth street, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Twenty-seventh street, from Madison to Fifth avenue—For Department of Highways.  
Atlantic Alcatraz Asphalt Company, No. 57 East Fifty-ninth street, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Greene avenue, from Suydam to Bushwick avenue—For Department of Highways, Brooklyn.  
Eastern Bermudez Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, New York, Principals.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.  
Broadway, }  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, }

1900.

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Suydam street, from Myrtle to Knickerbocker avenue—For Department of Highways, Brooklyn.  
Eastern Bermudez Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, New York, Principals.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 } Sureties.  
Broadway, }  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Pacific street, from Nastrand to Brooklyn avenue—For Department of Highways, Brooklyn.  
Cranford & Co., No. 215 Montague street, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Macon street, from Tompkins to Throop avenue—For Department of Highways, Brooklyn.  
Cranford & Co., No. 215 Montague street, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, St. Mark's avenue, from Albany to Ralph avenue—For Department of Highways, Brooklyn.  
Cranford & Co., No. 215 Montague street, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

June 28. For paving, etc., asphalt, Dean street, from Flatbush to Franklin avenue—For Department of Highways, Brooklyn.  
Cranford & Co., No. 215 Montague street, Principals.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

June 29. For sewer, etc., in De Bevoise avenue, from Woolsey avenue to the Crown 250 feet north of Potter avenue, Borough of Queens—For Department of Sewers.  
E. J. McKee, No. 371 Fulton street, Brooklyn, Principal.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

June 29. For building an inclosure extension to Pier "A"—For Department of Docks and Ferries.  
Nicholas W. Ryan, No. 109 East Twenty-third street, Principal.  
The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, } Sureties.  
The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 }  
Broadway, }

*Opening of Proposals.*

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals for the following departments, viz.:

1900.

June 25. For groceries, provisions, dry goods, etc., druggs, medicines and druggists' supplies, for the Borough of Brooklyn—For Department of Charities.

" 27. For altering of pavilion known as Annex Park, at Willard Parker Hospital, Borough of Manhattan—For Health Department.

" 27. For paving with asphalt-block pavement One Hundred and Thirty-first street, West Fifty-seventh street, West Seventy-ninth street, West One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, West Fiftieth street, West Seventy-sixth street, and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, and with asphalt paving East Eighty-fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan; also furnishing and delivering chestnut posts and lumber, oats, hay and straw in the Borough of The Bronx; also paving with asphalt roadway at Essex street, Grant street, Newkirk avenue, Schenck avenue, Vernon avenue, Copper street, Berry street, Nassau avenue, Watkins street and Regent place, in the Borough of Brooklyn; also furnishing 300,000 granite paving blocks, 9,000 yards of sand, 1,000 yards of trap-rock, 1,000 yards of limestone, also 1,000 yards of screenings, in the Borough of Brooklyn; also paving with granite-block paving Knickerbocker avenue, Stanhope street and Centre street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and also laying cement concrete walks on both sides of Fort Hamilton avenue—For Department of Highways.

" 27. Sewer in Prospect avenue—For Department of Sewers.

" 28. For constructing a shelter pavilion in the New York Zoological Park in Bronx Park, for paving extending roads from Bronx and Pelham parkways in Bronx Park; for excavating, etc., sewer connection from the new east wing of extension on Metropolitan Museum of Art in Central Park; and for laying gutters of rock and asphalt in the drive in Central Park; for completion of work of regulating and grading and the erection of a sea-wall and iron railing along the rear front of East River Park, from Eighty-sixth to Eighty-ninth street; for forage for Parks in the Borough of Manhattan, and for furnishing and delivering topsoil on the Harlem River Driveway—For Department of Parks.

*Official Designation.*

Michael T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller from Monday, June 25, 1900, to Saturday, June 30, 1900, both days inclusive.

Edgar J. Levey, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller on Wednesday, June 27, 1900.

Michael T. Daly, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller from Monday, July 2, 1900, to Saturday, July 7, 1900, both days inclusive.

*Appointed.*

Patrick S. Haggerty, Deputy City Paymaster, Borough of Brooklyn, at the rate of \$2,500 per annum.

David A. Cunniff, 425 Union street, Brooklyn, Examiner of Accounts of Institutions, Department of Finance, at the rate of \$1,000 per annum.

Edward W. O'Hara, Bookkeeper, Comptroller's Office, Department of Finance, at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

*Designation of Compensation.*

Warren R. Bostwick, Assistant to Expert Accountant, Department of Finance, at the rate of \$10 per diem.

John A. Valadon, Clerk in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of The Bronx, at the rate of \$1,000 per annum.

*Transferred.*

John A. Hamilton, Deputy City Paymaster, Borough of Brooklyn, to Deputy City Paymaster, Borough of The Bronx.

Thomas B. Reilly, from Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn, to the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan, to take effect July 1, 1900.

John F. Murray, from the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan, to the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn, with compensation at the rate of \$1,000 per annum.

Thomas P. Moffat, Clerk in the Department of Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn, to the same position in the Department of Finance, at the rate of \$1,300 per annum.

*Resigned.*

Ferdinand A. Kiemer, Contract Clerk, Department of Finance.

M. T. DALY, Deputy Comptroller.



## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM JULY 2 TO JULY 7, INCLUSIVE.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

JULY 2, 1900.

## Filed.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Certifying list of names of individuals eligible for appointment as members of the Uniformed Force.

From the Department of Water Supply—Concerning the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for placing additional fire-hydrants at Rockaway Beach, Borough of Queens, and requesting a statement specifying the locations where said hydrants are required. Copy forwarded Deputy Commissioner.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the application of the Manhattan Fire-alarm Company for permission to connect the following premises with the street fire-alarm boxes specified, and recommending that the same be granted:

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 15 to 16 Central Park, West, box No. 569.

No. 1190 Madison avenue, box No. 656.

Recommendation approved.

2. Recommending that Chief of Battalion William J. Cook, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, be ordered to appear before the Medical Officers for the purpose of determining his fitness to continue longer in the service of the Department. Recommendation approved.

3. Recommending that Fireman 1st grade William McNulty, Hook and Ladder 22, Borough of Manhattan, be ordered to appear before the Medical Officers for the purpose of determining his fitness to continue longer in the service of the Department. Recommendation approved.

4. Recommending that requisition be made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for eligible list from which to fill vacancy in the rank of Chief of Battalion, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Recommendation approved.

5. Reporting that Engine 72, No. 22 East Twelfth street, Borough of Manhattan, equipped with an engine and hose-wagon, was organized and placed in active service July 1, 1900, at 8 o'clock A. M., and assigned to the Sixth Battalion.

From the Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—Reporting transactions of Bureau for the week ending the 30th ultimo.

From the Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables—Reporting that sale on 20th ultimo of three horses (Nos. 813, 932 and 976) no longer fit for service, by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, realized the sum of \$106.50.

From Foreman Engine 128, Borough of Brooklyn—Reporting finding by a citizen of a foreman's insignia of rank, belonging to Captain Matthew Foley, stolen from quarters of said company February 5, 1900.

From Charles Sayer—Concerning printing on rent receipts of notification to tenants to keep their fire-escapes free from obstructions. Reply communicated.

From Mrs. L. Wilson—Complaining of order to remove a few flower pots from her fire-escapes at No. 901 Columbus avenue, Borough of Manhattan. Reply communicated.

## Referred.

From Foreman Engine 155, Borough of Manhattan—Reporting violation of the law relating to equipment for fire protection at Casino Theatre, Bergen Beach, Borough of Brooklyn. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From M. J. Carey & Co.—Requesting removal of telegraph wire from roof of premises No. 5 East Forty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 26—Reporting chimney fire at No. 259 West Thirty-seventh street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

Foreman Engine 55—Reporting chimney fire at No. 183 Hester street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From M. Silberman—Complaining of dangerous conditions existing at No. 42 Clinton street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Fire Marshal.

## EXPENDITURE AUTHORIZED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Forage.....\$500 00

JULY 3, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

## Filed.

From the Department of Finance—Notification that the Departmental Estimate for 1901 must be submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by September 4, 1900. Deputy Commissioner and heads of all bureaus and branches of the Department notified.

From the Municipal Civil Service Commission—Certifying names from the eligible list to fill vacancy in the rank of Chief of Battalion, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the request of the Department of Health for the use of an engine to flush gutters and disinfect streets, and reporting that none can be spared for such purpose. Report approved and said Department notified.

2. Respecting the application of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company for permission to connect the following premises with the street fire-alarm boxes specified, and recommending that the same be granted:

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 8 Stone street, box No. 18.

Fifty-ninth street and Fifth avenue, box No. 575.

No. 1337 Madison avenue, box No. 675.

No. 300 East Ninety-sixth street, box No. 688.

No. 323 West Eighty-third street, box No. 814.

No. 110 Riverside drive, box No. 814.

Recommendation approved.

3. Respecting the request of the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, for reinspection of the following premises in regard to equipment for fire protection, and recommending, contracts having been entered into to provide the same, that the cases be dismissed:

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 110 Riverside Drive and No. 530 West Eighty-third street.

Recommendation approved.

4. Respecting the request of the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, for reinspection of the premises No. 310 West Eighty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, in regard to equipment for fire protection, and recommending, the law not having been complied with, that the same be enforced. Recommendation approved.

5. Respecting the application of Charles V. Halley, on behalf of Stern Brothers, for a sixty days' extension of time to comply with the law relating to equipment for fire protection at Nos. 39 and 41 West Third street, and Nos. 7 to 9 West Eighteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, and recommending that the same be granted. Recommendation approved.

6. Recommending that the Postmaster of New York City (Borough of Manhattan), be requested to cause letter box to be shifted from lamp-post at southeast corner of Madison avenue and Twenty-fifth street to opposite corner, to permit of the alteration of said post to a combination fire-alarm signal and lamp-post. Recommendation approved.

7. Recommending that application be made to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies to cause a lamp-post to be set at southeast corner of Pine street and Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, and for permission to alter same when set to a combination fire-alarm signal and lamp-post. Recommendation approved.

8. Recommending that application be made to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies for permission to alter lamp-post at northwest corner of John and William streets to combination fire-alarm signal and lamp-post. Recommendation approved.

9. Recommending that in future all complaints of obstructed fire-escapes be forwarded to the Police Department for attention, in pursuance of an arrangement with the Chief of Police. Recommendation approved.

10. Forwarding report of Foreman of Engine 54 that the obstructions on fire-escapes at No. 358 West Forty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, complained of by H. Galpin, have been removed. Complainant notified.

11. Submitting report of Medical Officers, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, in reference to the condition of Chief of Battalion William J. Cook, and recommending his retirement, to take effect from the 15th instant. Recommendation approved.

12. Forwarding report from Foreman of Engine 35, Borough of Manhattan, of line of hose being run over by car No. 2727 of the Lexington avenue line, thereby delaying his company getting to work, and recommending that the Corporation Counsel be requested to take such action as may be necessary to compel the railway companies to obey the law in this regard. Recommendation approved.

13. Reporting that he has received communications from the proprietor of the St. Cloud Hotel, Broadway and Forty-second street, and J. Blumers, Nos. 533 to 537 East Seventy-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, commending the Department for prompt and effective work at recent fires on their premises.

14. Respecting complaint of H. L. Herzhfeld & Co., of fire-escapes in rear of premises No. 9 Great Jones street, Borough of Manhattan, being cut off from use by reason of the piling of packing boxes against them by the occupant of No. 8 Bond street, and submitting report of Foreman of Engine 33, that the conditions existing constitute a violation of section 771 of the Charter. Report forwarded Inspector of Combustibles for proper attention.

From the Chief of Construction and Repairs to Apparatus—Respecting the request of the Comptroller for information concerning the action of Machinist's Helper Otto Salim, Repair Shops, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for additional compensation under the Labor Law and reporting the facts in the case. Copy forwarded Department of Finance.

From the Buildings Superintendent—

1. Forwarding copies of forms of contracts and specifications for alterations and repairs to building and alterations and repairs to plumbing and gas-fitting work, Headquarters Building, Borough of Brooklyn, and recommending that requisition be made on the Supervisor of the City Record for the printing of fifty copies of each. Recommendation approved.

2. Respecting the application of Patrick H. Mooney for a further extension of time to complete contract abandoned by the Mapes-Reeve Construction Company, for erection of an apparatus-house for Engine 4, at No. 119 Maiden lane, Borough of Manhattan, and recommending that the same be granted until August 1, 1900. Recommendation approved, provided that the written consent of the sureties, if filed in this office, that their obligations as such shall in no manner be affected or impaired by reason of the granting of said extension.

From Foreman Engine 21—Reporting obstructed fire-hydrants northeast corner Thirty-ninth street and First avenue and south side Forty-second street at Second avenue, Borough of Manhattan. Obstructions ordered removed.

From Foreman Engine 32—Reporting loss of coal badge No. 992 by Fireman 2d grade Benjamin Parcell of his command. Usual fine imposed.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 1—Reporting that Fireman 4th grade August J. Franz, formerly of his command, who resigned from the service on the 1st instant, lost his transportation certificate No. 1613.

From Barr, Coombs & Wilson, Attorneys—Notice of continuance for six months of lien for \$282.92, heretofore filed against the contract of the Mapes-Reeve Construction Company for the construction of an apparatus house at No. 119 Maiden lane, Borough of Manhattan. Forwarded Corporation Counsel.

From B. F. Werner—Complaining of defective flag at No. 350 West One Hundred and Twentieth street, Borough of Manhattan. Reply communicated.

From Harry C. Green—Requesting information concerning one Samuel F. Owens, said to be a member of the uniformed force. Reply communicated.

From William H. Quick—Requesting copy of the Department's rules and regulations concerning standpipes in office buildings. Reply communicated.

## Referred.

From Charles Sotheran—Reporting insufficient means of escape in case of fire and the erection of a wooden elevator on roof at No. 28 West Ninety-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Department of Buildings.

From E. N. Mahoney—Complaining of leaking pump in front of No. 217 West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Department of Water Supply.

From Foreman Engine 145, Borough of Brooklyn—Reporting violation of the law relating to equipment for fire protection at Albemarle Hotel, Surf avenue and West Eighth street, Palisades Hotel, Surf avenue and Fifth street, Coney Island, Borough of Brooklyn. To the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

From the White Thermostat Company—Requesting approval by the Department of such Automatic and Manual Fire-alarm System. To the Chief of Department.

From L. Pincus—Complaining of obstructed fire-escapes at No. 328 East Ninety-first street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine 33—Reporting violation of section 771 of the Charter, at No. 8 Bond street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 53—Reporting chimney fire at No. 2012 Second avenue, Borough of Manhattan. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Department of Buildings—Reporting violation of the building law, premises No. 766 Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan, occupied as quarters of Hook and Ladder 22. To the Buildings Superintendent.

From Foreman Engine 30—Reporting new horse on trial suitable for the service. To the Chief of Battalion in Charge of Hospital and Training Stables.

## Promoted.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

As Chief of Battalion.

Foreman George L. Ross, Engine 19, with salary of \$5,500 per annum, to take effect from 15th instant.

As Engineers of Steamers.

The following first grade Firemen, with salary of \$1,600 per annum, to take effect from 4th instant:

Name and present company.	Assignment.
Henry P. Shaughnessy, Hook and Ladder 2.....	Engine 16.
William L. Corley, Engine 58.....	Engine 19.
Gerhardt E. Weber, Engine 55.....	Engine 33.

## Trials.

JULY 5, 1900.

(Before the Deputy Commissioner. Penalties approved by the Commissioner.)

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Fireman 1st grade John Schultz, Engine 6, "violation section 243, Rules and Regulations." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 3d grade Frederick C. Reich, Engine 6, "violation section 204, Rules and Regulations," and "absence without leave." First charge not proven; fined two days' pay on the second charge.

Foreman James D. Clifford, Engine 6, "neglect of duty," making a false entry on company journal," and "absence without leave." Charges not proven.

Fireman 2d grade Charles J. McGuire, Engine 10, "neglect of duty." Charge not proven.

Fireman 2d grade John Knapp No. 2, Engine 21, "neglect of duty." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade John Tackney, Engine 34, "absence without leave" (3 charges). Fined five days' pay on each charge, fifteen days' pay in all, and warned.

Fireman 1st grade John S. Maister, Engine 53, "absence without leave" (2 charges). Fined five days' pay on the first charge and ten days' pay on the second charge, fifteen days' pay in all, and warned.

Fireman 4th grade John P. McGowan, Hook and Ladder 18, "neglect of duty." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade George Hulloran, Hook and Ladder 18, "neglect of duty" (2 charges). Fined two days' pay on each charge, four days' pay in all.

Night Watchman William Gleeson, Headquarters, "under the influence of liquor, drug or compound." Charge not proven. Transfer to Hospital and Training Stables ordered.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Fireman 1st grade Charles G. Morse, Engine 107, "absence without leave." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Thomas W. McDonough, Engine 110, "neglect of duty." Fined three days' pay.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

## Filed.

From the Charter Revision Committee—Requesting attendance of the Commissioner at meeting of a sub-committee of said Commission on the 10th instant for the purpose of discussing matters pertaining to the Department. Reply communicated.

From M. S. Adler, attorney, and Edward Reilly—Concerning indebtedness of certain members of the Uniformed Force. Reply communicated.

## Referred.

From Angelina Comperlengo—Complaining of obstructed fire-escapes at No. 336 Water street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Police Department.

From the Department of Finance—Relative to appropriation against which bills for maintenance of volunteer companies in the Borough of Queens should be charged, in view of the enactment of chapter 82, Laws of 1900. To the Deputy Commissioner.

From J. P. Hall, Electrical Contractor—Requesting permission to connect the following premises with the fire-alarm system of the Department:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 458 Broadway.

No. 1181 Broadway.

No. 32 Waverley place.



To the Chief of Department.  
 From George W. Vivant & Son—Requesting that in future certain kinds of coal be advertised for at the public letting of contracts for furnishing anthracite coal. To the Purchasing Agent.  
 From Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers—Transmitting check for \$96.75 net proceeds of sale on 29th ultimo of three horses (Nos. 813, 932 and 976), no longer fit for the service of the Department. To the Bookkeeper, with directions to place in the credit of said fund.

## APPOINTED

As Uniformed Firemen for a Probationary Period of Three Months, with Compensation at the Rate of \$800 per Annum.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

To take effect from 6th instant—

Name.	Assignment.
Thomas P. Conlon	Engine 5.
Samuel J. Ahern	Engine 7.
William B. Watts	Engine 13.
Stephen McKenna	Engine 13.
Thomas F. Murtha	Engine 14.
Charles J. Klein	Engine 17.
Joseph Bona	Engine 20.
William Meurer	Engine 27.
Edwin A. Quinn	Engine 29.
John J. C. Seufert	Engine 33.
Joseph V. Hickey	Engine 55.
Gerhardt Wyckoff	Hook and Ladder 1.
William Ellis	Hook and Ladder 1.
Joseph C. Robinson	Hook and Ladder 7.
Leola A. Ray	Hook and Ladder 9.
To take effect from 7th instant—	
Joseph E. Glendon	Engine 32.

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

To take effect from 6th instant—

James W. Hoffmann	Engine 121.
Robert S. Sticker	Engine 124.
John J. Donovan	Engine 131.
James A. Hagen	Engine 135.
Marlin J. Abraham	Engine 138.
James A. Stoney	Engine 160.
Maurice F. Dowdy	Hook and Ladder 61.

JULY 6, 1900.

## COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

## Filed.

From the Deputy Commissioner—Respecting the request of the Comptroller for information concerning the claim of Peter J. Kelly and seventeen other members of the Uniformed Fire, Borough of Brooklyn, for difference between the compensation they have been receiving and that to which they claim to be entitled under the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, and submitting report in regard thereto. Forwarded Department of Finance.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Reporting that he has received letters from E. Van Eften, General Superintendent, Grand Central Depot; Frederick A. Goeter, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, Columbia University, and J. C. Lyons, builder and contractor, commending the prompt and efficient work of the Uniformed Fire at recent fires.

2. Forwarding report of Chief of the Eighth Battalion in relation to the volunteer service rendered by Assistant Foreman Manuel J. Alvarez of Engine 31, Borough of Manhattan, while on leave of absence from his company, at recent fire in East Forty-seventh street, and recommending that he receive the thanks of the Department. Recommendation approved.

3. Respecting application of the Manhattan Fire-Alarm Company for permission to connect premises No. 142 West Fifty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, with street fire-alarm box No. 460 and recommending that the same be granted. Recommendation approved.

From the Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Report of operations of Bureau, week ending 30th ultimo.

From Foreman Engine 160, Borough of Brooklyn—Reporting loss of hose-spanner by Fireman 1st grade Michael Dwyer of his command. Usual fine imposed.

## Referred.

From the Deputy Commissioner—Reporting that, in appreciation of the prompt and effective work of the Uniformed Fire at recent fire at No. 224 Fifty-eighth street, Borough of Brooklyn, John Hess desires to present Engine 1 with an American flag. To the Chief of Department.

From the United Paramount Fire Alarm Telegraph Company—In reference to establishing telegraphic communication with Department Headquarters, and submitting testimonials in support of their system. To the Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 31—Reporting chimney fire at No. 24 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Fire Marshal—Respecting complaint of G. J. Wiman of defective fire at No. 132 West Sixty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, and recommending that the necessary work be done to remove the cause of complaint. Recommendation approved and referred back, with directions to require compliance within ten days.

From Foreman Engine 11—Reporting storage of shavings, without proper protection from sparks, premises Nos. 123 to 125 Mott street, Borough of Manhattan, in violation of section 780 of the Charter. To the Fire Marshal.

From the Department of Finance—

1. Forwarding notice from Department of Buildings of violation of the building law at quarters Hook and Ladder 22, No. 706 Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan. To the Building Superintendent.

2. Transmitting warrant for \$252.55 fine for violation agricultural laws. To the Bookkeeper with directions to place to credit of the Relief Fund.

From Foreman Engine 1—Reporting new horse on trial suitable for the service. To the Chief of Battalion in charge Hospital and Training Stables.

## PROMOTED.

## Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Fireman 1st grade John L. Dresler, Engine 55, to be Engineer of Steamer, Engine 44, with salary of \$4,600 per annum, to take effect from 15th instant.

## RETIRED ON HALF-PAY.

## Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Chief of Battalion William J. Cook, to take effect from 15th instant.

JULY 7, 1900.

## COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

## Filed.

From the Chief of Department—

1. Respecting the request of the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company for permission to connect the following premises with the street fire-alarm boxes specified, and recommending that the same be granted:

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Corner Wooster street and Washington place, box No. 289.

No. 22 East Ninetieth street, box No. 650.

Recommendation approved.

2. Recommending that the Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, be authorized and requested to discontinue the legal proceedings instituted against the Italian Emigrant Hotel, No. 2 James street, Borough of Manhattan, for violation of the law relating to equipment for fire protection, the same having been complied with. Recommendation approved.

3. Recommending that the names of Foreman Daniel Lawler and Fireman 1st grade Joseph Quinn, Hook and Ladder 14, Borough of Manhattan, be placed on the Roll of Merit for meritorious conduct, attended with personal risk, for rescuing Fireman 1st grade Charles R. Griffiths, Engine 35, from the burning building No. 156 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, in said borough, on the 4th instant. Recommendation approved.

From Charles W. Jenkins—Complaining that tenants occupying the floor above his store No. 1507 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, are in the habit of throwing lighted cigarettes, etc., on his awning. Reply communicated.

## Referred.

From James Daly—Complaining of obstructed hallway at No. 306 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Police Department.

From M. A. Dupras—Complaining of obstructed hallway at Nos. 35 and 37 Franklin street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Chief of Department.

From the Department of Health (Sanitary Inspector)—Reporting condition dangerous to health existing at premises Boulevard and Arverne Depot, Arverne, Rockaway Beach, Borough of Queens, occupied in part as an engine-house. To the Deputy Commissioner.

From Harry L. Moxley—Requesting an extension of time in which to complete the work of placing stand-pipes in building Nos. 320 to 324 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan. To the Chief of Department.

From R. H. Taylor—Complaining of existence of rubbish in cellar of premises No. 175 West Ninety-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Assistant Foreman Engine 62, Borough of The Bronx—Reporting storage of blasting powder without a license at premises northwest corner White Plains and Olin avenues, Borough of The Bronx. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From the Department of Health (Sanitary Inspector)—Reporting dangerous conditions existing at No. 62 Henry street and No. 254 West Eighteenth street, Borough of Manhattan. To the Fire Marshal.

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

## COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

## Filed.

From the Corporation Counsel—Forwarding answers affidavit of the Deputy Commissioner, in the matter of summons and complaint in action of John Adams and 54 other Engineers of Steamers, promoted May 10, 1900. Affidavits attached and papers returned to the Corporation Counsel.

From the Fire Marshal—Report of fires for week ending 30th ultimo.

From the Astoria Homestead Company—Declining terms of proposed lease for premises Nos. 354 and 356 Flushing avenue, Long Island City.

## Referred.

From the Department of Health, Borough of Queens—Concerning unsanitary condition of engine-house and dwelling at Arverne, Rockaway Beach. To the Chief of the Rockaway Beach Volunteer Fire Department.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 50—Reporting chimney fire at No. 256 Seventeenth street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 60—Reporting chimney fire at No. 78 Smith street. To the Inspector of Combustibles.

From Department of Education, Flushing—Requesting list of schools in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, which have been connected with the fire-alarm system. To the Inspector of Telegraph.

From Samuel Cupples Envelope Company—Requesting fire-alarm box key. To the Inspector of Telegraph.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

At a meeting of the Police Board of the Police Department of The City of New York, held on the 19th day of July, 1900.

Present—Commissioners York (President), Sexton, Hess and Abell.

The minutes of July 12 were read and approved.

## LEAVE OF ABSENCE WAS GRANTED TO

Sergeant M. S. McGovern, twenty days, with pay, vacation.  
 Captain William Dean, Eighteenth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.  
 J. Addison Corwin, Sixty-third Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.  
 William J. Burford, Seventieth Precinct, twenty days, with pay, vacation.  
 Patrolman William Crockett, Thirty-fifth Precinct, thirty days, if release is made.  
 Carl S. Daryea, Central Office, half pay, sick.

## REPORTS, ETC., ORDERED ON FILE.

Chief of Police—Leaves of absence granted under the rule.  
 Relative to Twentieth Century Club, Madison Square Garden.  
 Recommending promotion of Roundsmen James J. Kiernan.  
 Corporation Counsel—Relative to property for Fortieth Precinct Station-house.  
 Civil Service Board—Eligible list for Patrolmen.  
 Contagious disease in family of Patrolman John Moran, Eighteenth Precinct; Patrolman John Sedly, Thirty-second Precinct; Patrolman Henry Leeder, Fifty-fifth Precinct; Patrolman Peter J. Fitzgerald, Thirty-third Precinct; Patrolman John T. Byrne, Criminal Court.  
 Death of Patrolman Edward S. Walsh, Fourteenth Precinct, at 7.40 P. M., July 12; Patrolman Charles Scheldine, Fifty-third Precinct, at 5.30 P. M., July 13; Patrolman Thomas Ogilby, Fifth Precinct, at 4.30 P. M., July 18.  
 Sergeant Egan—On purchase of three horses.  
 On exchange of two horses after trial.  
 On change of owner of stable, Twenty-ninth Precinct.  
 Morgan & Slattery—Specifications for Sixty-fifth Precinct Station-house.  
 Benjamin Tuka—Acknowledgment, etc.  
 DeWitt Stafford—Acknowledgment, etc.  
 Charles E. Schuyler—Acknowledgment.  
 Cameron & Hill—Acknowledgment.  
 John Shlanick—Acknowledgment.  
 J. Harlan Rhoads—Thanks for courtesy, etc.  
 E. L. Benjamin—Thanks to officer for services on excursion.  
 G. Cohen—Thanks to Patrolman M. J. Galvin.  
 Noah C. Rogers—Commending Patrolman C. S. Gilligan.  
 Samuel A. Marten—Asking reinstatement as Patrolman.  
 Paulist Fathers—Protest against license at No. 215 West Fifty-ninth street.  
 Roundsmen Benjamin Wolf, Thirty-eighth Precinct—Relative to examination for promotion.  
 Inspector Cross—On complaint of S. Cohen against Patrolman George Thorn, Twelfth Precinct.  
 Second Precinct—On letter of J. W. Morse, commending Patrolman B. G. Thayer.  
 Sixth Precinct—On letter of Charles H. Rager, commending Patrolman McCloskey.  
 Thirty-first Precinct—On complaint of J. A. Stiner of flower-pots at One Hundred and Thirteenth street, Seventh and Eighth avenues.  
 Sixty-first Precinct—On accident to Doorman Thomas Dolan.  
 Sixty-fourth Precinct—On entertainment at Galvin's Big Show.  
 Seventy-sixth Precinct—On accident by collision with Patrol Wagon.  
 Seventy-seventh Precinct—On letter of Martin Kiesel, commending Patrolman David Hawkins.

## Send Copies.

Inspector Kane—On complaint of Christian Endeavorers of The Farm, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Seventh avenue.  
 Sixth Precinct—On complaint of A. Winick of disorderly young men, etc.  
 Twelfth Precinct—On complaint of Henry Fineman of disorderly place at No. 259 East Houston street.  
 Nineteenth Precinct—On complaint of Helen L. Rose of one "Spinach."  
 Thirty-second Precinct—On complaint of Mrs. Bernard of firing bullets into her rooms.  
 Sixty-second Precinct—On complaint of Mrs. Walter Herring of noise by boys.

## APPLICATIONS FOR PENSION REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS.

Anna Powers, Ann Fagan and Mary K. Stillwagon.

## COMMUNICATIONS REFERRED TO THE CHIEF CLERK TO ANSWER.

Corporation Counsel—Proof of contract, etc., Thirty-seventh Precinct Station-house.  
 R. B. Whitcomb—Debt claim against Patrolman Fred Faulhaber, Twenty-second Precinct.  
 Hoenthal—Recommending appointment of Minnie Bogan as Matron.  
 Katie Walsh—Application for pension.  
 Herman Friedel—Asking census of Seventh, Eighth, Ninth and Tenth Wards.  
 Edwin J. Dukes—Asking application blank.  
 Henry Lodge—Asking copy annual report.  
 D. D. Whitney, Assistant Corporation Counsel—Asking that Patrolman Alex H. Howry be sent to his office.

## COMMUNICATIONS REFERRED TO THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

Fire Department—Asking assistance to Fire Marshal, Borough of Richmond.  
 Hopeful Woman—Complaint of disorderly woman on Chrystie street.  
 Citizen—Complaint of negligence of an officer.  
 Citizen—Complaint of Officer Cooney.  
 A. H.—Complaint of Sharon Hotel, Third avenue and Fourteenth street.  
 Anonymous—Complaint of ball-playing on Sunday.



## For Report.

Mayor—Inquiry of Henry Erick as to Henry Herring.  
Commissioner of Parks, Brooklyn—Asking police protection for Cooper Park.  
Mrs. C. Jones—Inquiry as to Charles J. Tegan.  
Z. B. West—Inquiry as to Mary McGarry.  
Thomas Ryan—Commending Patrolman Van Delf, Twenty-first Precinct.  
Dr. Samuel Schneider, etc., commending Patrolman James Wall, Thirty-third Precinct.  
H. E. Bailey—Asking appointment of James A. Huse as Special Patrolman.  
C. E. Smith—Asking appointment of John Lyden as Special Patrolman.  
Widgerodt & Co.—Asking appointment of John J. Dwyer as Special Patrolman.  
Ernest Rorhous—Asking appointment of Palmer L. Hunt as Special Patrolman.  
Ackley & Balch—Asking appointment of Joseph Price as Special Patrolman.  
J. T. Sharkey—Asking appointment of M. Carroll as Special Patrolman.  
James B. Ryan—Asking appointment of John Lipsett as Special Patrolman.

## THE CHIEF OF POLICE REPORTED THE FOLLOWING TRANSFERS, ETC.:

Sergeant William G. Barker, from Fifteenth Precinct to Seventeenth Precinct.  
" Thomas Conboy, from Sixteenth Precinct to Fifteenth Precinct.  
" Edward S. Walling, from Seventeenth Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct.  
" George Haner, from Fifty-fourth Precinct to Seventy-eighth Precinct.  
" George F. Reibschneider, from Seventy-eighth Precinct to Fifty-fourth Precinct.  
" John J. Gordon, from Fifty-fourth Precinct to Sixty-ninth Precinct.  
" Albert Rathenborg, from Sixty-ninth Precinct to Fifty-fourth Precinct.  
Precinct Detectives Richard J. Finn and Thomas C. Hitchkins of the Sixtieth Precinct were remanded to patrol duty.  
Patrolmen William Collins and John J. O'Connor of the Sixtieth Precinct were assigned to duty as Precinct Detectives.  
De Forest Vredenburg, Forty-second Precinct, was remanded to patrol duty.  
Patrolman Thomas McQuade, Forty-second Precinct, was detailed to duty as Machinist on patrol boat.  
Patrolman Daniel D. Sullivan, from Sixteenth Precinct to Eighty-first Precinct.  
" Michael Sullivan, from Eighty-first Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.  
" George F. Mahoney, from Eleventh Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct.  
" David Gorman, from Twenty-fourth Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct.  
" Edward A. Larkin, from Thirty-first Precinct to Twenty-fourth Precinct.  
" Patrick J. Murphy, from Fifteenth Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct.  
" Edward O'Neill, from Thirty-first Precinct to Fifteenth Precinct.  
" Frank E. Buckley, from Sixty-ninth Precinct to Fifty-second Precinct.  
" Thomas J. Conlin, from Fifty-second Precinct to Sixty-ninth Precinct.  
" Peter Devlin, from Thirtieth Precinct to Thirty-seventh Precinct.  
" Walter R. Boston, from Fifteenth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.  
" Peter H. Baynes, from Sixth Precinct to Twenty-second Precinct.  
" George Frels, from Twenty-second Precinct to Sixth Precinct.  
" Henry Dupper, from First Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.  
" John McElhill, from First Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.  
" Edwin Carpenter, from Thirtieth Precinct to Fourteenth Precinct.  
" William H. Finley, from Fourteenth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.  
Doorman Benjamin Ellis, from Eleventh Precinct to Seventy-first Precinct.  
Probationary Doorman Patrick D. Shea, from Fifth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.  
Patrolman Charles Williams, from Seventh Precinct to Fortieth Precinct.  
" John F. Ryan, from Sixteenth Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct.  
" William A. Horst, from Fourteenth Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct.  
" Emil Wilder, from Nineteenth Precinct to Thirty-fourth Precinct.  
" Stephen J. Sullivan, from Sixty-first Precinct to Sixtieth Precinct.  
" Peter J. Hank, from Fifty-sixth Precinct to Sixty-third Precinct.  
" William Lanesdale, from Thirtieth Precinct to Thirty-sixth Precinct.  
" Joseph C. Downey, from Thirty-sixth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.  
" Andrew McLoughlin, from Seventeenth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.  
" Nicholas M. Pierce, from Thirtieth Precinct to Fifth Precinct.  
" George H. Storer, from Nineteenth Precinct to Bike Squad.  
" Josiah Jones, from Fortieth Precinct to Thirty-seventh Precinct.  
" Charles A. Cooke, from Nineteenth Precinct to Fourteenth Precinct.  
" Peter J. Bird, from Thirty-fourth Precinct to Twenty-sixth Precinct.  
" William Spooner, from Twenty-sixth Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct.  
" Leonard J. Beck, from Sixty-third Precinct to Thirty-sixth Precinct.  
" Richard Finn, from Sixtieth Precinct to Sixty-first Precinct.  
" Thomas L. Walsh, from Seventh Precinct to Eighty-first Precinct.  
" John J. Ryan, from Thirty-seventh Precinct to Fourteenth Precinct.  
" William Carroll, from Fourteenth Precinct to Thirty-seventh Precinct.  
" James Mulligan, from Ninth Precinct to Fourteenth Precinct, and detailed to duty at St. Francis Hospital, East Fifth street.  
" James E. Downing of the Central Office Squad was detailed to duty as Detective Sergeant and assigned to duty in Detective Bureau.  
Sundry temporary details, etc.

## LAW CASES REFERRED TO THE CORPORATION COUNSEL:

New York Supreme Court—The People ex rel. Robert Clifford, John J. Sachs, Henry Foster, Writs of certiorari.  
First Municipal Court, Queens—Henry Livingston vs. Property Clerk. Summons and complaint.  
Debt complaint of A. J. Koshler against Patrolman F. Meyers, was referred to the Complaint Clerk.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to pay over to the Comptroller the following sums of money, less for licenses granted:

Theatrical licenses	\$25,700 00
Concert licenses	24,050 00
Runners' licenses	247 50
Boarding-house licenses	30 00

On recommendation of the Auditor, it was  
Resolved, That the following bills be approved and referred to the Comptroller for payment:

Account Station-house Rents, 1900—	
Henry Freygang, Seventy-sixth Precinct, 1st Sub., for June, 1900	\$60 00
Account General Election Expenses, 1900—	
Morgan & Brother, storage election material	\$165 00
" " " " " "	90 00
A. B. Yetter, storage election material	125 00
Total	\$380 00

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of nine hundred and forty-six thousand eight hundred and sixteen dollars and twenty-eight cents, for the month of July, 1900, being one-twelfth part of the appropriation made and appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the current year, as follows:

" Police Fund—Salaries	\$893,445 83
" Police Fund—Salaries, Clerical and Employees	24,895 25
" Supplies for Police	26,000 00
" Alterations, Fitting Up and Repairs to Station-houses	2,916 66
" Contingent Expenses—Central Department and Station-houses	2,500 00
" Additions to Mounted Squad	1,338 54
" Bureau of Elections—Salaries of Chief, Chief Clerk and Clerks	5,720 00
Total	\$946,816 28

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of the Police Department and Force, of the Central Department and of the Bureau of Elections, for the month of July, 1900, when properly audited and approved, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer, and that the Chief Clerk be and is hereby directed to certify such pay-rolls, in accordance with Rule 32 of the Civil Service Rules.

Resolved, That the following concert licenses be granted:  
Frank Pennacchio, No. 109 Mulberry street, to May 1, 1901, \$500. Resolution of May 16, denying license, reconsidered.  
James A. Galvin, Hamburg avenue, between Bleeker and Ralph avenues, Brooklyn, July 13 to October 13, 1900, \$150.

Resolved, That the following running licenses be granted:  
Henry Beebe, No. 230 Fifty-third street, Brooklyn, fee \$20, bond \$300.  
George A. Foster, No. 321 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, renewal, fee \$12.50, bond, \$300.  
Alfred K. Chamberlain, No. 228 East Eighty-seventh street, renewal, fee \$12.50, bond \$300.  
Permission granted Philip Dietrich to withdraw application for concert license for Palm Garden, Treasurer to return deposit.

## Resolved, That the following resignations be accepted:

Special Patrolmen Daniel F. Flaherty, Arthur Somerville and James McChesney.  
Resolved, That the following persons be and are hereby appointed Special Patrolmen in the service of the parties named:  
Michael Nolan for American District Telegraph Company.  
Louis Shapiro for Louis Pepper, on motion of Commissioner Abell.  
Application of Samuel Myer for appointment of Edward E. White as Special Patrolman withdrawn.  
On report of Captain Thomas Cullen, Fifty-first Precinct,  
Resolved, That the appointment of Joseph McMahon as Special Patrolman be and is hereby revoked.  
Petition from Benjamin Mallan for payment to him of balance of pension, \$11.65, due his mother, Annie E. Mallan, at the time of her death. Referred to Treasurer for payment in kind of identity.  
Resolved, That the following persons be and are hereby employed on probation as Patrolmen:  
John B. Freestone, Francis J. Mang, John J. Thompson, Robert S. Heilerty, Edward Kelly, John D. Bolton, Alexander Beggs, Leonard B. Quinn, John J. Branigan, Gillian Dethloff and James M. Jenkins.

Resolved, That the following probationary employees, having served the legal term as such, and their conduct and character being satisfactory, be and are hereby appointed Patrolmen, the Chief to assign them to duty:  
Frank J. Shelley, John C. McCormack, William H. Brown, Harry A. Carrigan, James Gallagher, Samuel B. Dubois, Thomas F. Davis, Jr., John J. McLean and Gillian M. Meehan.  
Communication having been received from the Corporation Counsel in reference to the execution of a contract for the purchase of property from Robert B. Johnston, situated at Kingsbridge; it is  
Resolved, That the President of the Board be and is authorized, in the name of the Police Board, to execute said contract.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, having duly authorized an issue of bonds in the sum of \$500,000, for the purchase of land and the erection of a station-house, prison and patrol-wagon stables in the Fortieth Precinct of The City of New York, and the said authority for the issuing of said bonds having thereafter been duly approved by the Municipal Assembly, and the Police Board having taken such action as has resulted in the making of a contract for the purchase of land for the erection of said buildings in said Fortieth Precinct, the purchase price of said land being \$8,500; it is

Resolved, That the Comptroller of The City of New York be and is respectfully requested to issue the bonds provided for in the said resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, so that the funds received from the sale of said bonds may be available to the Police Board in carrying out the purchase of said land and the erection of said buildings.

Report of Board of Surgeons of examination of Henry Hagenmeyer, appointed on probation July 12, 1900, and rejected. Referred to Surgeons for re-examination.  
Baker & Williams, including check of \$250, to be presented to Patrolman John J. Reilly and Detective Henry Hahn for bravery April 19, 1900, in pursuing and arresting an armed thief named Charles Birchall, to be given in the following proportion: \$200 to Officer Reilly and \$50 to Officer Hahn. Permission to officers to receive same granted, with usual deduction.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to transmit to the Civil Service Commission, for approval, a separate pay-roll in the case of James J. Kiernan as Roundman, from the 8th day of May to the 1st of July, 1900.

Resolved, That Patrolman Joseph M. McNierney, Twenty-fifth Precinct, be and is hereby commended for bravery in entering burning building and assisting a man and woman at Nos. 214 East Seventy-sixth street at about 2 A.M. June 10, 1900, that he be reimbursed for destruction of portion of his uniform in assisting said persons, and that he receive full pay from June 10 to June 24, 1900.

## On recommendation of the Committee on Pensions.

Resolved, That the pension of three hundred dollars per annum heretofore granted to Caroline Brice be and is hereby discontinued.

Resolved, That the pension of fifty dollars per annum heretofore granted to Margaret McDonald, youngest of the minor children of James P. McDonald, deceased, and who has since died, be and is hereby awarded pro rata to the remaining minor children of the said James P. McDonald.

Resolved, That the following pensions be granted from and after July 10, 1900:  
Augusta, widow of William G. Dressel, late Patrolman Sixty-first Precinct, \$250 per annum.  
Catharine, widow of Patrolman Otto Monarch, Forty-eighth Precinct, \$300 per annum.  
Delia, widow of Patrolman John Newman, Third Precinct, \$200 per annum.  
Mary A., widow of Michael Parley, pensioner, \$150 per annum.  
Julia, widow of Patrolman James H. Maxwell, Third Precinct, \$180 per annum.  
Josephine Haughey, \$70 increase.

## DISMISSED THE FORCE (USUAL FORCE).

Jose S. Joy, First Precinct, charge, absent five days without leave, tried by Commissioner Hess July 19.

## OTHER BOARD JUDGMENTS.

Job Deason, Forty-sixth Precinct, charge, failed to report change of residence, tried by Commissioner Abell May 29, two days.

Job Deason, Forty-sixth Precinct, charge, absent from duty, etc., tried by Commissioner Abell May 29, five days.

Trial was had of charges against members of the force before Commissioner York, who reported the disposition of such trials, as follows:

## Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Martin Cahill, Second Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.  
" Clarence W. Anthony, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Henry C. Rohrs, Fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, ten days' pay.  
" Reuben C. Harvey, Seventh Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Walter R. Boston, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Oliver P. Raymond, Fifteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Henry Steel, Eighteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, half-day's pay.  
" John Marrinan, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" Andrew W. Aylander, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Frederick Behr, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" John Schenkewitz, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" Gustave Kolbe, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, twenty days' pay.  
" Edward Turner, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" John Leidig, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, two days' pay.  
" John H. Lerner, Twenty-sixth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, half-day's pay.  
" Martin W. Hocter, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty, half-day's pay.  
" William J. McGuinness, Thirty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty, three days' pay.  
" Frederick Fanchaber, Seventy-sixth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, five days' pay.

## Reprimands.

Patrolman Peter S. Farvey, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
" Andrew L. Cahill, Seventeenth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
" Edward Turner, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty.  
" John W. Romer, Eightieth Precinct, neglect of duty.

## Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman George F. Thom, Twelfth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.  
" James F. Hannon, Twenty-fifth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
" William Wagner, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
" Walter S. Chapman, Sixty-eighth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

Trial was had of charges against members of the force before Commissioner York, who reported the disposition of such trials as follows:

## Fines Imposed.

Patrolman David Day, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" David Day, Twenty-ninth Precinct, neglect of duty, one day's pay.  
" James McGowan, Forty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay.  
" Henry Wayman, Forty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay.  
" Charles Hand, Forty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay.  
" Peter J. Campbell, Forty-sixth Precinct, violation of rules, thirty days' pay.  
" John T. Peacock, Forty-seventh Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, five days' pay.  
" Thomas Ogilby, Fiftieth Precinct, violation of rules, one day's pay.  
" Thomas Ogilby, Fiftieth Precinct, violation of rules, two days' pay.  
" Michael O'Brien, Fifty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules, five days' pay.  
" Patrick J. Conlin, Fifty-fifth Precinct, violation of rules, five days' pay.  
" Thomas J. Conroy, Fifty-fifth Precinct, violation of rules, five days' pay.  
" John W. Sangster, Seventy-eighth Precinct, violation of rules, three days' pay.



## Supervisors.

Patrolman Edward H. Lynch, Forty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " Edward H. Lynch, Forty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " Hugh J. Con, Forty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " John H. Danvers, Forty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " Charles L. Finch, Seventy-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 " William E. Carlson, Seventy-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 " John Stoughton, Eighty-fourth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.

## Confidential Dismissals.

Patrolman Samuel Butler, Forty-second Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.  
 " James McQuinn, Forty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " John P. Kinnear, Forty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " Patrick J. Scutell, Forty-second Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 " Michael O'Brien, Forty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " Charles Adams, Sixty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " John H. Corcoran, Sixty-fourth Precinct, violation of rules.  
 " Michael McLaughlin, Seventy-fifth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer.  
 " William E. Carlson, Seventy-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.  
 " William E. Carlson, Seventy-fourth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

City of New York—Office of the Mayor.

## APPOINTMENT MADE BY THE MAYOR.

JULY 24, 1900.

To be an Inspector in Common Schools for the English School Division of the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, in the City of New York, for the unexpired portion of a term of five years which commenced July 1, 1900. Moses L. Friedman.

New York, July 24, 1900.

Superintendent of the City Record.

DEAR SIR—The Mayor directs me to transmit to you herewith, for publication in the City Record, the above memorandum of appointment made by him this day.

Very respectfully yours,

RICHARD S. FARLEY, Acting Secretary to the Mayor.

City of New York—Office of the Mayor.

## APPOINTMENT MADE BY THE MAYOR.

JULY 25, 1900.

To be a Marshal in the City of New York for the unexpired portion of a term of six years, which commences January 1, 1901, and assigned to duty in the Borough of Queens, Frank Ryan.

New York, July 25, 1900.

To the Superintendent of the City Record.

DEAR SIR—The Mayor directs me to transmit to you herewith, for publication in the City Record, the above memorandum of appointment made by him this day.

Very respectfully yours,

RICHARD S. FARLEY, Acting Secretary to the Mayor.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

No. 600.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the contractor (who is permitted through the streets and avenues bounded by Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets, Lexington Avenue and East River, Borough of Manhattan, on Tuesday, August 7, 1900, and that the contractor regulating the discharge of fireworks in the City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit of a display along the line of march of the above parade, the work to be done at four o'clock p.m., under the direction of the Chief of Police, which permission is to continue only for the day and date above mentioned.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 26, 1900.

Adopted by the Council, June 26, 1900.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and the same is hereby directed to cause to be printed and the resolution as given, published to permit of the public streets, and approved as to so much of the resolution as relates to the suspension of the ordinance regulating the discharge of fireworks.

No. 601.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Morris Michman to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and periodicals under the canopy of the elevated railway, at the downtown station at the junction of Duane Avenue, Madison and Fulton streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said stand be erected in conformity with the provisions of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1896, and subject to the conditions of no ordinance to regulate the placing of stands under the canopy of the elevated railway, the work to be done at four o'clock p.m., under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways, which permission is to continue only during the pleasure of the Municipal Assembly.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1900.

Adopted by the Council, June 10, 1900.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and the same is hereby directed to cause to be printed and the resolution as given, published to permit of the public streets, and approved as to so much of the resolution as relates to the suspension of the ordinance regulating the discharge of fireworks.

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
 City of New York,  
 No. 24 Park Row,  
 Borough of Manhattan,  
 New York, July 24, 1900.

Superintendent of the City Record.

DEAR SIR—This is to advise you that George H. Patrick, Stenographer and Typewriter in the Topographical Bureau of this office, died on July 19.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES,  
 FIVE "A," N. E., BATTERY PLACE,  
 NEW YORK, July 23, 1900.

Superintendent of the City Record.

SIR—I beg to advise that, at a special meeting of the Board of Docks held the 24th instant, Henry H. Kuhn, who was certified by the Municipal Civil Service Commission as eligible, was appointed Machinist in this Department with compensation at the rate of 43 cents per hour while employed.

In accordance with the permission granted by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Thomas Farrell, of Flushing, Long Island, was also appointed Machinist, temporarily, with compensation at the rate of 43 cents per hour while employed.

The title of Francis J. Ryan was changed from Fifth Grade Stenographer to Fifth Grade Clerk.

Yours respectfully,

WM. H. BURKE,

Secretary.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH THE PUBLIC OFFICES IN THE CITY ARE OPEN FOR BUSINESS, AND IN WHICH THE COURTS REGULARLY OPEN AND ADJOURN, AS WELL AS OF THE PLACES WHERE SUCH COURTS ARE HELD, TOGETHER WITH THE LEADS OF DEPARTMENTS AND COURTS:

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor.  
 ALFRED M. DUNHAM, Private Secretary.

Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 DAVID J. RICHIE, Chief of Bureau.  
 Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Deputy Chief in Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 19, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; WILLIAM H. JOHNSON, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.  
 Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM H. McCART, 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; SEYMOUR BERNICK, Deputy Supervisor; THOMAS C. COWELL, Deputy Supervisor and Accountant.

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

The Mayor, Chairman; ROBERT S. COLES, Comptroller; PATRICK KENNEDY, Chamberlain; JACOBUS GOODEVER, President of the Council, and ROBERT MUM, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen; Members: EDGAR J. LEVY, Secretary.  
 Office of Secretary, Room No. 21, Stewart Building.

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

The Mayor, Chairman; THOMAS L. FAYRE, (President), Department of Taxes and Assessments, Secretary; the Commissioners, President of the Council, and the Corporation Council, Members: CHARLES W. ADAMS, Clerk.  
 Office of Clerk, Department of Taxes and Assessments, Room 10, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

The Mayor, ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Chairman; The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, THOMAS L. FAYRE, Secretary; The Commissioners of Public Buildings, Licenses and Supervision, HENRY S. KRAVITZ; Brigadier-General JAMES McLENNAN, and Brigadier-General McCORMACK, DUFF, Commissioners.  
 Address: THOMAS L. FAYRE, Secretary, Stewart Building.  
 Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

The Council.

ROBERT GOODEVER, President of the Council.  
 P. J. SCHULY, City Clerk.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

THOMAS F. WOOD, President.

MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Clerk.

## BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

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.  
 JAMES J. COUGHLIN, President.  
 IRA KIRBY KIRBY, Secretary.

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. HARRIS, President.

Borough of Brooklyn.

President's Office, No. 11 Borough Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 EDWARD M. SUGER, President.

Borough of Queens.

FREDERICK BOWEN, President.  
 Office, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. until 12 M.

Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROWTHER, 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.

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Room 12 and 13 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN C. HARRIS and EDWARD LEWIS, Commissioners.

## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, KINGS COUNTY.

No. 215 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. H. DAVENPORT, Public Administrator.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 307 Stewart Building, 26th Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN J. RYAN, Chairman; J. FOWLER, WILLIAM H. TAYLOR, JOHN P. WOODCOCK and THE MAYOR, all Commissioners; GEORGE W. WALKER, Secretary; WILLIAM K. HALL, Chief Engineer.

## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 115 Nassau Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WILLIAM M. HARRIS, Public Administrator.

## PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, QUEENS COUNTY.

No. 101 Third Street, Long Island City.  
 GEORGE A. WALKER, Public Administrator.

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Stewart Building, Chambers Street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 ROBERT S. COLES, Comptroller.  
 EDWARD T. DAVIS, EDGAR J. LEVY, Deputy Commissioners.

Indefinite Bureau.

JOHN B. THOMPSON, Auditor of Accounts.  
 J. W. SCHUCHMAN, Auditor of Accounts.  
 J. J. BURNETT, Auditor of Accounts.  
 MORRIS OBERHOLSER, Auditor of Accounts.  
 WILLIAM McKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts.  
 DONALD B. LINDLEY, Auditor of Accounts.  
 EDWARD J. CONNELLEY, Auditor of Accounts.  
 FRANKLIN B. COLE, Auditor of Accounts.  
 WALTER H. MOORE, Auditor of Accounts.  
 WILLIAM J. LEVY, Auditor of Accounts.  
 JAMES F. ALLEN, Auditor of Accounts.  
 FRANK J. McLENNAN, Auditor of Accounts.  
 JENNIFER T. McLENNAN, Auditor of Accounts.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears.

EDWARD GILSON, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.  
 EDWARD A. SLATTERY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan.  
 JAMES E. SEARSON, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of The Bronx.  
 MICHAEL O'KEEFE, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.  
 JOHN F. ROONEY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.  
 GEORGE BRANN, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

DAVID E. AUSTIN, Receiver of Taxes.  
 JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan.  
 JOHN H. O'NEILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of The Bronx.  
 JAMES B. BAUCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn.  
 FREDERICK W. BLACKWELL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.  
 MATTHEW S. TULLY, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

DAVID O'BRIEN, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.  
 ALEXANDER MEKIN, Clerk of Markets.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

PATRICK KENNEDY, City Chamberlain.  
 JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 63 Chambers Street and No. 63 Reade Street.  
 JOHN H. THOMPSON, City Paymaster.

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

No. 13 to 25 Park Row, 11th floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, President.  
 JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

Department of Highways.

No. 13 to 25 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JAMES P. KRAVITZ, Commissioner of Highways.  
 WILLIAM N. SHANNON, Deputy for Manhattan.  
 THOMAS R. FARRER, Deputy for Brooklyn.  
 JAMES H. MALONEY, Deputy for Bronx.  
 JOHN P. MADDER, Deputy for Queens.  
 HENRY P. MADDER, Deputy and Chief Engineer for Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York Avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Sewers.

No. 13 to 25 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.  
 MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, Deputy for Manhattan.  
 THOMAS J. BYRNE, Deputy for Bronx. Office, Third Avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street.  
 WILLIAM FROHMAN, Deputy for Brooklyn. Office, Municipal Building, Room 42.  
 MATTHEW J. GORDON, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of Queens. Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City.  
 HENRY P. MADDER, Deputy Commissioner and Chief Engineer of Sewers, Borough of Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York Avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Bridges.

No. 13 to 25 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 JOHN L. SINA, Commissioner.  
 THOMAS H. YOUNG, Deputy.  
 SAMUEL R. PROSSER, Chief Engineer.  
 MATTHEW H. MOONEY, Deputy for Bronx.  
 HENRY BRANN, Deputy for Brooklyn.  
 JOHN E. BACCHUS, Deputy for Queens.

Department of Water Supply.

No. 13 to 25 Park Row. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WILLIAM DARTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.  
 JAMES H. HARRIS, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Manhattan.  
 GEORGE W. BROADBENT, Chief Engineer.  
 W. G. BYRNE, Water Registrar.  
 JAMES MURPHY, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.  
 LAWRENCE CHAMBERLAIN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Queens, Long Island City.  
 THOMAS J. MULLIGAN, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building.  
 HENRY P. MADDER, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond Terrace and York Avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

Department of Street Cleaning.

No. 13 to 25 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN L. SINA, Commissioner.  
 J. M. VIGOR, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Manhattan.  
 FREDERICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Brooklyn, Room 37 Municipal Building.  
 JOHN L. SINA, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of The Bronx, No. 125 East One Hundred and Fifty-second Street.  
 JAMES P. O'BRIEN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Queens, No. 48 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City.

Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.

No. 13 to 25 Park Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 HENRY S. KRAVITZ, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies.  
 PETER J. DOUGLASS, Deputy Commissioner for Manhattan.  
 GEORGE A. BEST, Deputy Commissioner for The Bronx.  
 JAMES J. KIRWIN, Deputy Commissioner for Brooklyn.  
 JOHN FOWLER, Deputy Commissioner for Queens.  
 EDWARD I. MINZLA, Deputy Commissioner for Richmond.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of Corporation Counsel.

State-Zeigler Building, 3d and 4th floors, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 JOHN WHITMAN, Corporation Counsel.  
 THOMAS CHAMBERLAIN, W. W. LADD, JR., CHARLES BRADY, GEORGE HILL, Assistants.  
 WILLIAM J. CARR, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.

Bureau for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Stewart Building, Broadway and Chambers Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.

No. 125 and 127 Nassau Street.

Bureau of Street Openings.

No. 95 and 97 West Broadway.

JOHN P. O'NEILL, Assistant to Corporation Counsel.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 BRADY J. YOUNG, President of the Board; JOHN B. SEYMOUR, JAMES HARRIS, HENRY E. ADAMS, Commissioners.

Bureau of Elections.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 General Bureau of Elections, Borough of Manhattan—No. 300 Mulberry Street. T. F. ROTHENBERG, Superintendent; WILLIAM FLEMING, Chief Clerk.  
 Branch Bureau, Borough of Brooklyn—No. 15 Smith Street. GEORGE BROWN, Chief; JOHN E. NEAL, Chief Clerk.

Branch Bureau, Borough of The Bronx—One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street and Mott Avenue. CONSTANCE A. BROWN, Jr., Chief.  
 Branch Bureau, Borough of Queens—Police Station, Astoria. JAMES R. ROONEY, Chief.  
 Branch Bureau, Borough of Richmond—Staten Island Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, S. I. CHARLES A. JONES, Chief.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Central Office.

Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN W. KELLEN, President of the Board; Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.  
 THOMAS S. BERNARD, Deputy Commissioner.

Commissioners for Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 125 and 127 Livingston Street, Brooklyn.  
 ROBERT GILBERT, Deputy Commissioner.  
 JAMES FERRY, Commissioner for Richmond.  
 Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Saturdays, 10 M.

Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Department for Care of Destitute Children, No. 68 Third Avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 128 East Twentieth Street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.  
 FRANCIS J. LANTIER, Commissioner.  
 S. O. FARMING, Deputy Commissioner.  
 JOHN MOONSHY, Deputy Commissioner for Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.



## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.

## Headquarters.

No. 127 and 129, East Sixty-seventh street.  
JOHN J. SCARRELL, Fire Commissioner.  
JAMES H. TOLLY, Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
AMUNDUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.  
EDWARD F. COOPER, Chief of Department, and in Charge of Fire-Alarm Telegraph.  
JAMES DALL, Deputy Chief, in Charge of Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
GEORGE E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles.  
PETER SEAR, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.  
ALFRED RYMER, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
Central Office open at all hours.  
Committee to examine persons who handle explosives meets Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Pier "A," N. K., Battery place.  
J. SARGENT CHAM, President; CHARLES F. MURPHY, Treasurer; PETER F. MEYER, Commissioner.  
WILLIAM H. BURKE, Secretary.  
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Burial Permit and Contagious Disease Offices always open.  
MICHAEL C. MURPHY, President, and WILLIAM T. JACKSON, M. D., JOHN B. COOKE, M. D., two Deputies of the Police Board, ex-officio, and the HEALTH OFFICERS OF THE PORT, ex-officio, Commissioners.  
CASPAR GULDENRAN, Secretary pro tem.  
CHARLES F. ROBERTS, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent.  
FREDERICK H. DILLINGHAM, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Manhattan.  
EUGENE MONAHAN, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of The Bronx.  
ROBERT A. BLACK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Brooklyn.  
OSCAR L. LUSH, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Queens.  
JOHN L. FREMY, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Richmond.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

GEORGE C. CLAVER, President, Park Board, Commissioner in Manhattan and Richmond.  
WILLIAM HALL, Secretary, Park Board.  
Offices, Arsenal, Central Park.  
GEORGE V. BAOWEN, Commissioner in Brooklyn and Queens.  
Offices, City Hall, Brooklyn, and Hightstown station, Prospect Park.  
ALFRED MONTAG, Commissioner in Borough of The Bronx.  
Offices, Zimowski Mansion, Claremont Park.  
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.  
Admission free.

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Main Office, No. 100 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 P. M.  
THOMAS J. BRADY, President of the Board of Building and Commissioners for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.  
JULIUS GUTTSOW, Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn.  
DANIEL CAMPBELL, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.  
A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary.  
Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, No. 100 Fourth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.  
Office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.  
Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, Richmond Hall, New Brighton, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond. Branch office, Room 1, second floor, Town Hall, Jamaica, Long Island, Borough of Queens.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.  
Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.  
THOMAS L. FETTER, President of the Board; EDWARD C. SHREVE, ARTHUR C. SALMON, THOMAS J. PATTERSON, FREDERICK L. FRY, Commissioners; HENRY BILLINGTON, Chief Clerk.

## BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

No. 13 to 21 Park Row, Room 127. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 P. M.  
JOHN T. NAULS, M. D., Chief of Bureau.  
Municipal Statistical Commissioner: FREDERICK W. GIBBS, LL. D., ARTHUR RABINOWITZ, RICHARD T. WILSON, JR., KENNETH HARVEY, J. EDWARD JETTER, THOMAS GILBERT.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.  
No. 140 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES H. KANE, President; AUGUSTUS T. MASON and WILLIAM N. DRUMMOND, Commissioners.  
LAW PHILLIPS, Secretary.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 390 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD McCUR, President; EDWARD CAMPBELL, THOMAS A. WILSON, PARKMAN M. HAYES and JOHN B. McLELLAND, Board of Assessors; WILLIAM H. JAMES, Secretary; THOMAS J. SHELLY, Chief Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

## Board of Education.

Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 P. M.  
MILES M. O'BRIEN, President; A. EMMISON PALMER, Secretary.  
School Board for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.  
Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.  
MILES M. O'BRIEN, President; WILLIAM J. ELLIS, Secretary.  
School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn.  
No. 131 Livingston street, Brooklyn. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 P. M.  
CHARLES E. ROBINSON, President; GEORGE G. BROWN, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Queens.  
Flushing, Long Island.  
PATRICK J. WHITE, President; JOSEPH H. FITZPATRICK, Secretary.

School Board for the Borough of Richmond.  
Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, Staten Island.  
WILLIAM J. COOK, President; FRANKLIN C. VERR, Secretary.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM F. GIBBS, Sheriff; HENRY J. MULVANEY, Under Sheriff.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, 100 Broadway.  
WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff; JAMES DOWNS, Under Sheriff.  
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE, QUEENS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM VAN BARN, Sheriff; WILLIAM McFARLANE, Under Sheriff.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE, RICHMOND COUNTY.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
AGOSTINO ACCIA, Sheriff.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 P. M. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.  
ISAAC FANNIN, Register; JOHN VAN GLANN, Deputy Register.

## REGISTER, KINGS COUNTY.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August, then from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., provided by the statutes.  
JAMES R. HOWE, Register.  
WILLIAM C. THREWELL, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES WEISS, Commissioner; JAMES E. COOPER, Deputy Commissioner.

## SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 121 Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
H. W. GALEY, Commissioner.  
FREDERICK V. STARRON, Assistant Commissioner.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY.

1 Court-house.  
WILLIAM E. MCELROY, Commissioner.

## SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY.

No. 121 Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD J. KRAVAK, Commissioner.  
H. DANIEL MONTAG, Assistant Commissioner.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, QUEENS COUNTY.

Office hours, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.  
EDWARD J. KRAVAK, Commissioner.  
H. DANIEL MONTAG, Assistant Commissioner.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, RICHMOND COUNTY.

CHARLES J. KILLIAN, Commissioner.  
WILLIAM J. DOWLING, Deputy Commissioner.  
Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.

## NEW YORK COUNTY JAIL.

No. 70 Madison street, 9 A. M. to 6 P. M. daily.  
WILLIAM F. GIBBS, Sheriff.  
FREDERICK H. FORTNEY, Warden.

## KINGS COUNTY JAIL.

Raymond street, between Willoughby street and DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, New York.  
WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff; RICHARD HENSON, Warden.

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

No. 1, 2, 3 and 11 to 12 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM SCHMIDT, County Clerk.  
GEORGE H. FARRINGTON, Deputy.

## KINGS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
PETER P. HONOREY, County Clerk.

## QUEENS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Jamaica, N. Y., Forest Ward, Borough of Queens.  
Office hours, April 1 to October 4, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; November 1 to April 3, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 P. M.  
County and Superior Court held at the Queens County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens from 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.  
JOHN H. SULLIVAN, County Clerk.  
CAROLINE DICKSON, Deputy County Clerk.

## RICHMOND COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD M. MOLLAY, County Clerk.  
CARROLL M. COOPER, Deputy County Clerk.

## NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

Commissioners' Office, No. 101 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
LAWRENCE MCGOWAN, President; JAMES W. DOYLE, Vice-President; THOMAS D. BELT, Secretary; JAMES D. VANDERBILT, Treasurer; JOHN W. WARD, SERRA E. LANE and THE MAYOR, Commissioners.  
Chief Engineer's Office, No. 14 Broadway, Brooklyn, R. D., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALAN BORN GARDNER, District Attorney; WILLIAM J. McKEENA, Chief Law Clerk.

## KINGS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

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

## QUEENS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN E. MCELROY, District Attorney.  
CLARENCE A. DICK, Chief Clerk.

## CURATORS.

## Borough of Manhattan.

Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all times of day and night.  
EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK, JAMES E. BAUCKE, EDWARD W. HART, ARTHUR ZUCKA.

## Borough of The Bronx.

No. 701 East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street. Open from 9 A. M. to 12 midnight.  
ANTHONY McOWEN, THOMAS M. LYNCH.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

Office, Room 17, Borough Hall. Open all times of day and night, except between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M., on Sundays and holidays.  
ANTHONY J. SULLIVAN, GEORGE W. DELANEY.

## Borough of Queens.

Office, Borough Hall, Fulton street, Jamaica, L. I.  
PHILIP T. CAMPBELL, LAWRENCE RUFFY, JR., and SAMUEL S. GUY, Jr.  
CHARLES J. SCARRELL, Clerk.

## Magistrate of Richmond.

No. 45 New York avenue, Richmond.  
Open for the transaction of business all hours of the day and night.  
JOHN MEYER, GEORGE C. TRANTER.

## RICHMOND COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Post Richmond, S. I.  
RICHARD A. HAWMAN, District Attorney.

## CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

Room 25, Schermerhorn Building, No. 95 Broadway, Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 9 P. M.  
WILLIAM E. SPILLER, Chairman; CHARLES A. JACKSON, OSCAR A. FANTY, Commissioners.  
LAMONT McLEOD, Clerk.

## SURROGATES COURT.

New County Court-house. Court open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except Saturdays, when it closes at 12 M.  
FELICE T. FERRACANE, AMOS C. THOMAS, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

## CITY MAGISTRATES COURT.

Courts open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
City Magistrate—HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CONNELL, EMORY R. CHAM, JOSEPH M. HADLEY, CHARLES A. PLAMMER, LEONARD ZELINSKY, CLARENCE W. MEAGRE, JOHN D. MORTY, JAMES PHILL, JOHN E. MEYER, EDWARD HUGHES, WILLIAM H. OLMSTEAD.  
First District—Criminal Court Building.  
Second District—Jefferson Market.  
Third District—No. 40 Essex street.  
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.  
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place.  
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.  
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

## Second Division.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—No. 123 Adams street. JACOB ROSENBERG, Magistrate.  
Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY HENSON, Magistrate.  
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TAYLOR, Magistrate.  
Fourth District—Nos. 8 and 1 Lee avenue. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.  
Fifth District—Even and Powers streets. ANDREW LEXON, Magistrate.  
Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WYER, Magistrate.  
Seventh District—No. 11 Great street, Flatbush. ALFRED E. STROM, Magistrate.  
Eighth District—Coney Island—ALFRED VAN DYKE VOORHEES, Jr., Magistrate.

## Borough of Queens.

First District—Nos. 11 and 23 Jackson avenue, Long Island City. MERRILL J. BURKE, Magistrate.  
Second District—Flushing, Long Island. LOUIS J. COMPTON, Magistrate.  
Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. EDWARD J. HEALY, Magistrate.

## Borough of Richmond.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. JOHN CHAM, Magistrate.  
Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. NATHANIEL MARSH, Magistrate.  
Secretary to the Board, JACOB J. CHAMBERS, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

## KINGS COUNTY SURROGATE'S COURT.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn.  
GEORGE B. ANNETT, Surrogate.  
MICHAEL F. McQUINN, Chief Clerk.  
Court opens 10 A. M. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## THE COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS, KINGS COUNTY.

Room 1, Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE E. WALTON, Commissioner.  
FRANK M. THOMPSON, Deputy Commissioner.  
THOMAS D. MASON, Superintendent.  
JOSEPH H. GOSCHALL, Secretary.

## COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I.  
STEVENS H. STEVENS, County Judge.

## KINGS COUNTY TREASURER.

Court-house, Room 12.  
JOHN W. KIRKLAND, Treasurer; THOMAS F. FARRALL, Deputy Treasurer.

## EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.

Room 12, 13 and 14 No. 129 to 131 Church street.  
President, JOHN REICHARD, Secretary, JAMES A. McGOVERN, Treasurer, EDWARD HALEY, HERBERT LORRAINE, P. J. ANDERSON, ex-officio.  
Office open during business hours every day in the year, except legal holidays. Examinations are held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday after 1 P. M.

## SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 100 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Special Term, Part I, Room No. 11.  
Clerk's Office, Part I, Room No. 15.  
Special Term, Part II, Room No. 13.  
Clerk's Office, Part II, Room No. 17.  
Special Term, Part III, Room No. 11.  
Clerk's Office, Part III, Room No. 15.  
Special Term, Part IV, Room No. 13.  
Special Term, Part V, Room No. 17.  
Special Term, Part VI, Room No. 11.  
Special Term, Part VII, Room No. 15.  
Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 11.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 15.  
Trial Term, Part II, Room No. 13.  
Trial Term, Part III, Room No. 17.  
Trial Term, Part IV, Room No. 11.  
Trial Term, Part V, Room No. 13.  
Trial Term, Part VI, Room No. 17.  
Trial Term, Part VII, Room No. 11.  
Trial Term, Part VIII, Room No. 13.  
Trial Term, Part IX, Room No. 17.  
Trial Term, Part X, Room No. 11.  
Trial Term, Part XI, Room No. 13.  
Trial Term, Part XII, Room No. 17.  
Appellate Term, Room No. 25.  
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, Room No. 25.  
Ninth Avenue Branch, Room No. 15.  
Justice—GEORGE C. BARRETT, ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, CHARLES H. TAYLOR, CHARLES E. McLEARY, FREDERICK SWYER, JAMES FITZPATRICK, MILES BEACH, DAVID LEVINSKY, LEONARD A. GRUBERSON, HENRY BUCHHEIT, JR., JOHN J. VANDERBILT, GEORGE F. ANDERSON, P. HENRY DODGE, DAVID McADAM, HENRY R. BECKMAN, HENRY A. GILDERSCHEVE, FRANK M. SCOTT, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, WILLIAM SCHMIDT, Clerk.

## CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.  
EDWARD H. CAMPBELL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 100 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Court opens at 1 P. M.  
Justices: H. VAN DYKE, Presiding Justice; CHESTER H. McLEOD, JAMES A. McGOVERN, JAMES J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE C. BARRETT, WILLIAM KRAMER, EDWARD H. HUGHES, JUSTICE, ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk; WILLIAM LAMM, JR., Deputy Clerk.

## COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 20, 30 and 40. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room No. 10; Part II, Room No. 20; Part III, Room No. 30; Part IV, Room No. 40. Clerk's Office, Rooms 10 and 20, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.  
JOSEPH ABRAMSON and WM. B. HORN, Jr., County Judges.  
CHARLES Y. VAN DYKE, Chief Clerk.

## QUEENS COUNTY COURT.

County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens at 9:30 A. M.; adjourns at 5 P. M. County Judge's Office, always open at Flushing, N. Y. HANCOCK S. MOORE, County Judge.

## CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 30 Chambers street, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
General Term.  
Trial Term, Part I.  
Part II.  
Part III.  
Part IV.  
Special Term Chambers will be held 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES M. FERRACANE, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONAN, JOHN P. SCHUMMER, EDWARD F. O'DONNELL and THOMAS F. HANCOCK, Justices; THOMAS J. SMITH, Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre Elm, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at half-past 10 o'clock.  
JAMES M. FERRACANE, Chief Justice; JOHN W. GARY, Recorder; JAMES L. NICHOLSON, MARTIN T. McMAHON and WARREN W. FURBER, Judges of the Court of General Sessions; EDWARD R. CAMPBELL, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A. M.  
Justices, First Division—ERNEST B. HISSOGLIE, WILLIAM FRANKLIN JENNINGS, EDWARD A. JACOB, JOHN B. McMAHON, WILLIAM C. HENDERSON, WILLIAM M. FERRACANE, Chief Justice; JAMES M. JONES, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Second Division—Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.  
Justices—JOHN CAMPBELL, HENRY A. FARRAR, PATRICK KEANE, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZPATRICK, JOHN J. KENNEDY, Clerk; CHARLES F. WOOD, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## MUNICIPAL COURTS.

## Borough of Manhattan.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eleventh Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Outer Islands. New County Court, No. 123 Prince street, corner of West street.  
JAMES E. FINE, Justice; FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying east and east of Broadway and Whitehall street, Courtroom, corner of Grand and Centre streets.  
HARRISON BOOTH, Justice; FRANK STANGE, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Court opens daily at 9 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Courtroom, southeast corner Ninth avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
W. F. MONTAG, Justice; DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Courtroom, No. 101 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.  
GEORGE F. ROSEN, Justice; JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Courtroom, No. 124 Clinton street.  
BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice; THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Courtroom, northeast corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Courtroom, 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.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Courtroom, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open to close of business.

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. STONE, Justice; THOMAS CONTINAM, 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. Courtroom, No. 70 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. FARLON, Justice; WILLIAM J. KERRIS, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open only 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-ninth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Courtroom, 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. Courtroom, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FRANK J. WAGSTAFF, Justice.







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**SEALED PROPOSALS 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, JULY 30, 1900,**

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Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR IMPROVING LOTS ADJOINING PUBLIC SCHOOLS 43 AND 49, MANHATTAN; SPECIAL FURNITURE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 103, MANHATTAN; FOR HEATING APPARATUS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 4, QUEENS; FOR SANITARY WORK, PUBLIC SCHOOL 7, QUEENS; ALSO, FOR ELECTRIC LIGHTING PLANT FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 18, QUEENS.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS 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, JULY 30, 1900,**

for improving lots adjoining Public Schools 43 and 49, Manhattan; Special Furniture for Public School 103, Manhattan; for Heating Apparatus for Public School 4, Queens; for Sanitary Work, Public School 7, Queens; also, for Electric Lighting Plant for Public School 18, Queens.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of One Thousand Dollars for Public School 43, One Thousand Dollars for Public School 49, One Thousand Dollars for Public School 103, Three Thousand Dollars for Public School 4, Queens; One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars for Sanitary Work, Public School 7, Queens; and Five Hundred Dollars for Electric Lighting Plant, Public School 18, Queens.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence or place of business 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, 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 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 or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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 to act as surety in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned 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 this contract 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 the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State Banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law.

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. The work and materials must conform in every respect to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained 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 may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

The Committee reserves the right to reject all proposals submitted if deemed for the best interests of the City so to do.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, July 19, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,  
ABRAHAM STERN,  
WILLIAM J. COLE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ALTERATIONS IN AND ERECTING ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 22, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS 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, JULY 30, 1900,**

for Alterations in and Erecting Addition to Public School 22, corner of Stanton and Sheriff streets, in the Borough of Manhattan.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000).

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence or place of business 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, 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 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 or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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 to act as surety in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned 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 this contract 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 the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law.

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. The work and materials must conform in every respect to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals obtained 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 may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

The Committee reserves the right to reject all proposals submitted if deemed for the best interests of the City so to do.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, July 17, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,  
ABRAHAM STERN,  
WILLIAM J. COLE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ERECTING NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 178, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS 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, JULY 30, 1900,**

for erecting new Public School 178, north side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Morris and Grant avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000).

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence or place of business 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, 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 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 or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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 to act as surety in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned 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 this contract 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 the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law.

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. The work and materials must conform in every respect to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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The By-Laws may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

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Dated Borough of Manhattan, July 17, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,  
ABRAHAM STERN,  
WILLIAM J. COLE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ERECTING NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 131, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS 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, JULY 30, 1900,**

for erecting new Public School 131, east side of Four Hamilton avenue, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets in the Borough of Brooklyn.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000).

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence or place of business 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, 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 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 or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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 to act as surety in The City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned 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 this contract 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 the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law.

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. The work and materials must conform in every respect to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

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Dated Borough of Manhattan, July 17, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES E. ROBERTSON,  
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JOSEPH J. KITTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

#### DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row,  
New York, July 26, 1900.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A** sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder addressed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, in Room No. 1601, until 11 o'clock A. M.

**THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1900.**

The bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, in Room 1612, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, at the hour above mentioned.

#### Borough of Manhattan.

- No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Park to Lexington avenue.
- No. 2. FOR FLAGGING, ETC. SIDEWALKS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF FORTY-FIFTH STREET, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
- No. 3. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON PRESENT PAVEMENT, EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from Madison to Park avenues.
- No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE



ROADWAY OF MORRIS STREET, from Broadway to Greenwich street.

#### Borough of The Bronx.

- No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, ETC., LAFAYETTE AVENUE, from Longwood avenue to Bronx river.
- No. 7. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, ETC., TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, from Broadway to Riverdale avenue.
- No. 8. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE LARGEST WAY OF CHISHOLM STREET, from Seaboard avenue to Jennings street.
- No. 9. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, JENNINGS STREET, from Union to Seaboard avenue.

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

- No. 10. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF PACIFIC STREET, from Kingston to Albany avenue.
- No. 11. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF WILLOWHILL AVENUE from Throop avenue to Broadway.
- No. 12. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, CARROLL STREET, from Smith street to Thompson street West.
- No. 13. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF GOLD STREET, from Canal to Water street.
- No. 14. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF MCDONOUGH STREET, from Stevenson to Kent avenue.
- No. 15. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF KEMP STREET, from Wythe to Bedford avenue, and from Division avenue to Broadway.
- No. 16. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, ADAMS STREET, from Sands street to East river.
- No. 17. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, CHENCK AVENUE, between Atlantic and Linden avenues.
- No. 18. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF SECOND AVENUE, from Fifth street to Sixty-fifth street.
- No. 19. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOUR HUNDRED YARDS OF CLEAN SHARP SAND, IN WALLABOUT AND DOUGLASS STREET YARDS.
- No. 20. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, ONE HUNDRED YARDS OF CLEAN SHARP SAND, IN LEXINGTON AVENUE AND NORTH EIGHTH STREET YARDS.

Each bid or 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 therein, and if no other person is 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 in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent in writing of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, he will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, he 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 to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must 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 contract, 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 surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

THE COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained in Room No. 206, Nos. 23 to 25 Park row.

JAMES P. KEATING,

Commissioner of Highways.

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, in the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—namely, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 23 to 25 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

PERCIVAL E. NAGLE,

Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

#### AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

##### PUBLIC AUCTION.

FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1900.

SALE TO BE HELD AT FREDERICK STATION AT 20 O'CLOCK A.M.  
SALE TO CONTINUE UNTIL PROPERTY IS ALL SOLD.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York will sell at public auction, under the direction of Peter F. Meyer & Co., Auctioneers, at the premises, the following described buildings now standing within the purchase line of the New Croton Reservoir:

Parcel No.	Former Owner.	Description.	Minors Value.
491	Conrad Miesner	Store	\$20,000
471	Loose Halsey	House	75 00
472	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
473	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
474	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
475	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
476	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
477	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
478	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
479	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
480	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
481	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
482	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
483	Ed. Stephen Bate	"	40 00
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#### Terms of Sale.

- First—The purchase money must be paid on the day of sale.
- Second—The buildings will be sold in the most advantageous manner.
- Third—The buildings must be moved off the City's property by October 1, 1900.
- Fourth—No building will be sold for less than the minimum price given to the City Records and in the papers.
- Fifth—The buildings must be moved to new sites, which are at least one hundred and fifty feet from the Croton reservoir or any of the aqueducts or any drain carrying sewage.

Sealed bids, one building or part of the same, to be left on the premises of The City of New York on or after the 1st day of October, noon, the purchaser shall furnish all right and title to the buildings or any part of buildings as well as to the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale, and the Aqueduct Commissioners may at any time or at any other time, on or after the 1st day of October, noon, remove and demolish or parts of buildings or remove or destroy the same.

The Aqueduct Commissioners reserve the right to extend from each site any building or buildings that may be designated by the Division Engineer.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of The City of New York.

JOHN J. RYAN,

President.

HARRY W. WAGNER,

Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.  
ANNUAL GENERAL BIDS.  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.  
JULY 26, 1900.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WITH THE title of the work and the names of the bidder or bidders interested therein, will be received by the Park Board, at its office, Arsenal Building, Twenty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 2 o'clock a. m.

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 1900.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER FOR PARKS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Further particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supply, or the nature and extent of the work required, or of material to be furnished, will be found in the printed specifications and contracts for the said work.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the work above mentioned is \$100,000.

BIDDERS MUST NAME A PRICE FOR EACH AND EVERY ITEM INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS UPON WHICH THESE BIDS ARE BASED, AND ALSO STATE THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THEIR BIDS.

Bidders, or their representatives, must satisfy themselves, by personal examination, as to the nature and quantity of the work and materials required, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding relative to the nature or quantity of the work to be done or materials to be furnished.

Each bid or 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; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, 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 or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, with their respective places of business or residences, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they 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 or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned 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 this contract 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 the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York, if the

contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by The City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of the deposit will be returned to him.

No. 10.—The price must be written on the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herein called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, or surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Park Board, Arsenal Building, Twenty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, Manhattan.

GEORGE C. CLAUSEN,

GEORGE V. BROWER,

AUGUST MOEDER,

Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York.

#### NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

COMMISSION NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, July 9, 1900.

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE, at their office, at No. 223 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, at two o'clock in the afternoon of the

9th DAY OF AUGUST, 1900.

intended "Bid for Construction of the Steel and Masonry Approach on the Brooklyn Side of the New East River Bridge" for furnishing the materials for and constructing the steel and masonry approach on the Brooklyn side of the New East River Bridge, in accordance with the proposed form of contract and the drawings and specifications therefor. All bids shall be inclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to Lewis Nixon, President of the Board of Commissioners of the New East River Bridge, and presented to him on that day and at that hour at said office, and such bids will be opened in public meeting by the said Commissioners on that day at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Copies of the specifications and the general drawings for the work, with the proposed forms for the bid, bond and contract, may be seen, and further information will be given at the office of the Chief Engineer, No. 84 Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on and after the 26th day of July, 1900.

The Commission requires that all bidders shall carefully examine the specifications, drawings and proposed form of contract, in order that no question as to their meaning may arise hereafter. It must be distinctly understood that no changes in the quality of the materials or of the workmanship will be allowed, and that the specifications will be adhered to strictly.

The contract is to be completely performed within five months after the execution of the contract.

Bids will be made upon a form provided therefor, and only those bids will be considered which are complete, in proper form, comply with the requirements herein stated, and are offered by parties of known reputation, experience and responsibility.

Each bidder will be required to deposit, with his bid, in the office of the Commissioners, a certified check for \$10,000, payable to the order of Julian D. Fairchild, as Treasurer of the New East River Bridge Commissioners, as security for the execution by him of the contract and giving of the required bond; if his bid is accepted, within two weeks after notice of the acceptance of his bid.

The contractor will be required to give a bond in the penal sum of \$100,000, in the form annexed to the proposed form of contract, with two approved surety companies doing business in The City of New York, conditioned for the prompt and faithful performance of the contract and its covenants and the work thereunder.

As by far the greater part of this work can be executed only by bridge establishments of the first class, bids will be received only from such parties as have the requisite plant and facilities, which have been in successful operation on work of similar character for at least one year. The bidders must be, in the opinion of the Commissioners, fully qualified both by experience and in appliances to execute work of this character and importance according to the highest standard of such work at the present time.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all of the bids offered, and to accept any bid offered.

LEWIS NIXON,

President.

JAMES D. BELL,

Secretary.

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CITY OF NEW YORK, July 9, 1900.

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The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all of the bids offered, and to accept any bid offered.

LEWIS NIXON,

President.

JAMES D. BELL,

Secretary.

#### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,  
No. 243 Broadway,  
New York, July 26, 1900.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held at the offices of this Commission, No. 243 Broadway, New York Life Insurance Building, for the following positions, upon the dates specified:

Friday, July 27, A. M. INSPECTORS OF PIPE MAKING. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Tuesday, July 31, A. M. MEASURER. Subjects of examination: Writing, arithmetic, technical knowledge and experience.

Wednesday, August 1, A. M. HOSPITAL ORDERLY. Subjects of examination: Writing, reading, arithmetic, experience and dexterity.

LEE PHILLIPS,

Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, CONSISTING MAINLY OF BROOM CORN, BRISTLES, BASS LEATHER, ETC., FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES, GOODS TO BE DELIVERED WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER NOTICE TO DELIVER TO THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

#### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING THE ABOVE-MENTIONED SUPPLIES.

In conformity with specifications will be received at the office of this Department, No. 148 East Twentieth street, New York City, until 4 P. M.

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 1900.

No empty packages are to be returned to bidders or contractors except as herein specified, and none will be paid for by the Department.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, intended "Bid or Estimate for Broom Corn and Bristles, Bass Leather, etc., for Manufacturing Purposes and Miscellaneous Supplies," 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 bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by Commissioner of said Department and read.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of fifty (50) per cent of the bid for each article.

Each bid or 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; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, 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 or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall 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, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they 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 or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned 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 contract 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 the intention to execute the bond required by the Revised Ordinances if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates, and are cautioned against referring to any samples or specifications other than those furnished by the Department. Such references are cause for rejecting bids wherever they are written, and will in no case govern the action of the Department officers in passing upon tenders.

Bidders must state the price of each article per pound, dozen, gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be taken. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the final footing and awarded to the lowest bidder on each item. All estimates not conforming to these requirements may be considered as informal.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures. Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FRANCIS J. LANTY,  
Commissioner.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

NO. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out an approach for pedestrians, from Brook avenue, opposite One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, to Park avenue, across the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 19 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 1st day of August, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which said proposed laying out will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 17th day of July, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 46, of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out an approach for pedestrians, from Brook avenue, opposite One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, to Park avenue, across the tracks of the New York and Harlem Railroad, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

PARCEL "A."

The center line of the proposed approach, from Park avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to the Melrose Avenue Viaduct, to be in the eastern prolongation of the center line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Teller avenue to Park avenue.

PARCEL "B."

The center line of the proposed approach from Brook avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to the Melrose Avenue Viaduct, to be in the western prolongation of the center line of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Washington avenue to Brook avenue.

The width of the proposed approach to be 30 feet. Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out of the above-named approach at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 1st day of August, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed laying out of the above-named approach will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 1st day of August, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

Dated New York, July 17, 1900.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
NO. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the grade in Nichols avenue, from Etna street to Jamaica avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 19 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 1st day of August, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which said proposed change of grade will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 17th day of July, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of

The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 46, of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the grade in Nichols avenue, from Etna street to Jamaica avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Nichols avenue and Etna street, the elevation to be 38.50 feet above mean high-water datum as hereinafter:

1st. Thence northerly to the intersection of Nichols avenue and wood street, the elevation to be 41.4 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence northerly to the intersection of Nichols avenue and Condit street, the elevation to be 43 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence northerly to the intersection of Nichols avenue and Jamaica avenue, the elevation to be 52.53 feet above mean high-water datum as hereinafter.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grade of the above-named avenue at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the office of this Board on the 1st day of August, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change of grade of the above-named avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 1st day of August, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Secretary.

Dated New York, July 17, 1900.

THE CITY RECORD.

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WILLIAM A. BUTLER,  
Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NO. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, JULY 15, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indicated thereon, will be received at this office until

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 1900,

at 12 o'clock A. M., at which time they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read.

For the following work in the:

Borough of Brooklyn.

18-INCH SEWER UNDER THE WESTERN SIDEWALK OF BUSHWICK AVENUE, between Greene avenue and Weirfield street.

Each bid or 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 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 in the work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate they will upon its being awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same they 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 to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are read.

The consent last above-mentioned must 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 contract 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 surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

THE COMMISSIONER OF SEWERS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JAS. KANE,  
Commissioner of Sewers.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz:

Borough of Manhattan.

List 6083, No. 1. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Lawrence street, between Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, with extension in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

List 6084, No. 2. Sewer in Sixty-ninth street, between Avenue A and Exterior street.

List 6085, No. 3. Sewers in Washington street between Duane street and Franklin street.

Borough of The Bronx.

List 6086, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from the existing sewer in Webster avenue to Washington avenue, with branches in Park avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and in East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, between Park avenue and Washington avenue.

List 6087, No. 5. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, between Lafayette avenue and Arthur avenue, and in Arthur avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Tremont avenue) and East One Hundred and Eighty-first street.

List 6088, No. 6. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from West Farms road to Boston road.

List 6089, No. 7. Sewer and appurtenances in Dawson street, between Wales avenue and Leggett avenue.

List 6090, No. 8. Sewers and appurtenances in Spencer place, between East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, and in East One Hundred and Fiftieth street from Spencer place to a point 65 feet east of Mott avenue.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Lawrence street, from Columbus avenue to Amsterdam avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Convent avenue to Lawrence street, and west side of Convent avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street to One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

No. 2. Both sides of Sixty-ninth street, from Avenue A to Exterior street.

No. 3. Both sides of Washington street, from Duane to Franklin street.

No. 4. Both sides of Park avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-third street to One Hundred and Eighty-first street; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Park avenue to Washington avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Webster avenue to Washington avenue; and west side of Washington avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-third street to a point distant about 387 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Hughes avenue to Lafayette avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Hughes avenue to Arthur avenue; both sides of Arthur avenue, from Tremont avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-first street, east side of Lafayette avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-first street to One Hundred and Eighty-third street; and both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-third street, from Arthur avenue to Lafayette avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from West Farms road to Boston road; both sides of Boston road, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; both sides of One street, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to Boston road; both sides of Vane street, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to Boston road; both sides of Bryant street, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; both sides of Longfellow street, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; both sides of Beane street, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; west side of West Farms road, from Rodman place to a point distant about halfway between One Hundred and Seventy-fourth and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Dawson street, from Wales avenue to Leggett avenue; both sides of Faxon avenue, from Dawson street to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, and south side of Westchester avenue, from Dawson street to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

No. 8. Both sides of Spencer place, between East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, extending east and west about 200 feet, also both sides of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Spencer place to Mott avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before August 21, 1900, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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Borough of Brooklyn.

List 6091, No. 1. Flagging west side of Fifth avenue, between Fortieth and Forty-first streets.

List 6092, No. 2. Flagging south side of Thirty-ninth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. West side of Fifth avenue, between Fortieth and Forty-first streets, on Block 199, Lot Nos. 33 to 36 inclusive and 92.

No. 2. South side of Thirty-ninth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Block 32, Lot Nos. 29, 30, 31 and 37.

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Borough of The Bronx.

List 6093, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, between Jerome avenue and the Concourse.

List 6094, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in Kingsbridge road, between Exterior street and Bailey avenue; in Bailey avenue, between Kingsbridge road and Boston avenue, and in Boston avenue between Bailey avenue and Sedgwick avenue.

List 6095, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in Daly avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street (Manhattan street) and East One Hundred and Eighty-first street (Vane street).

List 6096, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from the existing sewer in Jackson avenue to Forest avenue.

List 6097, No. 5. Receiving-basin and appurtenances on the northwest corner of Trinity avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

List 6098, No. 6. Altering, rebuilding and improving receiving-basin on west side of Valentine avenue, about 35 feet north of Burnside avenue.

List 6099, No. 7. Sewer in East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Jerome avenue to the Concourse; both sides of Walton avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-first to One Hundred and Eighty-second street; both sides of Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-first street to One Hundred and Eighty-second street; both sides of Creston avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-first to One Hundred and Eighty-second street, and west side of the Concourse, from One Hundred and Eighty-first to One Hundred and Eighty-third street.

No. 2. Both sides of Kingsbridge road from Exterior street to Tee Taw avenue; both sides of Bailey avenue, from One Hundred and Ninety-second street to a point distant about 200 feet north of Two Hundred and Thirty-first street; both sides of Duane avenue, from Bailey avenue to Sedgwick avenue; both sides of Heath avenue, from Emerson place to Sedgwick avenue; both sides of Nathalie avenue, from Kingsbridge road to Boston avenue; both sides of Sedgwick avenue, from a point distant about 125 feet south of Kingsbridge road to its intersection with Gates place; both sides of One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, from Exterior street to Bailey avenue; both sides of Two Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Bailey avenue to Heath avenue; both sides of Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Exterior street to Nathalie avenue; both sides of Park street, from Nathalie avenue to Sedgwick avenue; both sides of Gates place, from Nathalie avenue to Sedgwick avenue; both sides of Tee Taw street, from Kingsbridge road to a point distant about 100 feet easterly.

No. 3. Both sides of Daly avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to One Hundred and Eighty-first street; both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Honeywell avenue to Daly avenue; south side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Honeywell avenue, to Daly avenue and east side of Honeywell avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-first to One Hundred and Eighty-third street.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Jackson avenue to Forest avenue.

No. 5. West side of Trinity avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-third street to Teardale place, and north side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Trinity avenue to Cauldwell avenue.

No. 6. West side of Valentine avenue, from Burnside avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-third street and north side of Burnside avenue, from Rye avenue to Valentine avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue.

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Borough of Manhattan.

List 6083, No. 1. Receiving-basins on the northeast and northwest corners of Howard and Elm streets.

List 6084, No. 2. Sewer in Pine street, between Front and Water streets.

Borough of The Bronx.

List 6093, No. 1. Sewers and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, between Intervale avenue and Prospect avenue; in Hill place, between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets; in Stedden avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets; in Prospect avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets; in East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, between Prospect avenue and Union avenue, and in Union avenue, between Home street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

List 6094, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from the existing sewer in Intervale avenue to West Farms road, with branch in Southern Boulevard, from East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Home street.

List 6095, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street (Welch street), from the existing sewer in Webster avenue to Morris avenue; in Tishont avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Fordham road; in Valentine avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Fordham road, and in Creston avenue, between Kirk place and Fordham road.

List 6096, No. 4. Sewers and appurtenances in Townsend avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventieth and East One Hundred and Seventy-second streets, and in Walton avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventieth and East One Hundred and Seventy-second streets.

List 6097, No. 5. Sewer and appurtenances in Burnside avenue, from the existing sewer in Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Elm street, from Howard street to Grand street; north side of Howard street, from Crosby street to Centre street; south side of Grand street, extending about 45 feet east of Elm street, and south side of Grand street extending about 100 feet west of Elm street.

No. 2. Both sides of Pine street, from Front street to Water street; east side of Water street, extending about 88 feet south of Pine street; west side of Front street, extending about 107 feet south of Pine street.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Intervale avenue to Prospect avenue; both



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