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### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

#### SPECIAL MEETING.

MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING, BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, ROOM 16, CITY HALL, TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 1904.

The Board met pursuant to a call of the Chairman.

Present—George B. McClellan, Mayor; J. W. Stevenson, Deputy Comptroller; Charles V. Fornes, President of the Board of Aldermen; John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan; John C. Brackenridge, Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn; Louis F. Haffen, President of the Borough of The Bronx; Joseph Cassidy, President of the Borough of Queens; George Cromwell, President of the Borough of Richmond.

Hon. George B. McClellan, Mayor, presiding.

The Mayor announced that the purpose of the meeting was for the consideration of the issue of Special Revenue Bonds for existing emergencies.

The Secretary presented the following resolution of the Board of Aldermen, requesting an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$100,000 for the purpose of cleaning sewers and sewer-basins in the Borough of Manhattan:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied for the cleaning of sewers and sewer-basins in the Borough of Manhattan.

Unanimously adopted by the Board of Aldermen July 26, 1904, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and concurs in the resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted July 26, 1904, and approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, in relation to the expenditure of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), for the purpose of cleaning sewers and sewer-basins in the Borough of Manhattan, and that for the purpose of providing means therefor the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York, to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond and Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn—16.

The Secretary presented the following resolution of the Board of Aldermen, requesting an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$20,000, to defray the

expenses of the preliminary work of caring for the records of the respective departments in cleaning, overhauling, arranging and removing the same finally into the new quarters assigned to them in the Hall of Records Building, Kings County:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provision of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to defray the expenses of the preliminary work in caring for the records of the respective departments, in cleaning, overhauling, arranging and removing the same finally into the new quarters assigned to them in the new Hall of Records Building, Kings County.

Unanimously adopted by the Board of Aldermen July 26, 1904, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and concurs in the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 26, 1904, and approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, in relation to the expenditure of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) to defray the expenses of the preliminary work of caring for the records of the respective departments in cleaning, overhauling, arranging and removing the same finally into the new quarters assigned to them in the new Hall of Records Building, Kings County, and in order to provide means therefor the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York, to the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn—16.

The Secretary presented the following resolution of the Board of Aldermen and preambles and resolutions of the Board of Education relative to an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$316,343.72, and the transfer of said amount to "Special School Fund—Salaries of Janitors in all Schools."

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of three hundred and sixteen thousand three hundred and forty-three dollars and seventy-two cents (\$316,343.72), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to meet the expenses charged against the account of the Board of Education of The City of New York entitled "General Repairs."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen July 26, 1904, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

Whereas, At a meeting of the Board of Education held July 11, 1904, certain contracts were approved conditionally owing to the depletion of the General Repair Account of the Board of Education for the year 1904, by the transfer of three hundred eighty-one thousand three hundred forty-three and seventy-two one hundredths dollars (\$381,343.72) to other funds; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, upon the request of the Chairman of the Committee on Finance, and in order to provide immediate funds for the execution of the above-mentioned contracts, did, at a meeting held July 15, 1904, temporarily transfer the sum of three hundred sixteen thousand three hundred forty-three and seventy-two one hundredths dollars (\$316,343.72) from the account of the Department of Education for the year 1904, entitled "Special School Fund—Salaries of Janitors in all Schools," to the account of the Department of Education for the year 1904, entitled "Special School Fund—General Repairs"; and

Whereas, The Board of Aldermen, at a meeting held July 26, 1904, authorized the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to issue Special Revenue Bonds for the relief of the General Repair Account to the extent of three hundred sixteen thousand three hundred and forty-three and seventy-two one hundredths dollars (\$316,343.72); therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be, and it is hereby requested that when the issue of Special Revenue Bonds above mentioned has been fully authorized, it transfer the sum of three hundred sixteen thousand three hundred forty-three and seventy-two one hundredths dollars (\$316,343.72), from the account of the Department of Education for the year 1904, entitled "Special School Fund—General Repairs," as follows:

|                           |              |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Borough of Manhattan..... | \$152,578 00 |
| Borough of The Bronx..... | 50,000 00    |
| Borough of Brooklyn.....  | 68,970 00    |
| Borough of Queens.....    | 35,000 00    |
| Borough of Richmond.....  | 9,795 72     |

— to the fund of the Department of Education for the year 1904, entitled "Special School Fund—Salaries of Janitors in all Schools."

A true copy of preamble and resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of the Board of Education July 27, 1904.

FRED. R. JOHNSON, Assistant Secretary.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and concurs in the resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted July 26, 1904, and approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, in relation to the expenditure of three hundred and sixteen thousand three hundred and forty-three dollars and seventy-two cents (\$316,343.72), to meet the expenses charged against the account of the Board of Education of The City of New York, entitled "General Repairs," and that for the purpose of providing means therefor, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York, to the amount of three hundred and sixteen thousand three hundred and forty-three dollars and seventy-two cents (\$316,343.72), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue; and be it further

Resolved, That the sum of three hundred and sixteen thousand three hundred and forty-three dollars and seventy-two cents (\$316,343.72) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Education for the year 1904, as follows:

|                                       |              |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Special School Fund—General Repairs." |              |
| Borough of Manhattan.....             | \$152,578 00 |
| Borough of The Bronx.....             | 50,000 00    |

|                          |                     |
|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Borough of Brooklyn..... | 68,970 00           |
| Borough of Queens.....   | 35,000 00           |
| Borough of Richmond..... | 9,795 72            |
|                          | <b>\$316,343 72</b> |

—to the appropriation made to said department for the same year, entitled "Special School Fund—Salaries of Janitors in all Schools."

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond, and the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn—16.

The Secretary presented the following resolution of the Board of Aldermen, requesting an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$140,000, to be appropriated to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the purpose of lighting public school buildings during the year 1904:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds, under the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of one hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$140,000) for the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the purpose of lighting public school buildings during the year 1904.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen July 26, 1904, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and concurs in the resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted July 26, 1904, and approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, in relation to the expenditure of one hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$140,000) by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for the purpose of lighting public school buildings during the year 1904, and in order to provide means therefor the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of one hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$140,000), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Deputy Comptroller, requesting the transfer of \$6,000 to "Supplies and Contingencies—Comptroller's office":

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTRROLLER'S OFFICE, }  
August 1, 1904.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Will you kindly transfer the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000), to be taken from the account of moneys apportioned to The Jewish Hospital in the Charitable Institutions' Budget, in which there is a surplus, to the account of Supplies and Contingencies of the Comptroller's Office, for the purpose of duplicating the Private Charitable Institutions' Exhibit in the St. Louis Fair?

Respectfully,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to Charitable Institutions for the year 1904, entitled "The Jewish Hospital," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the Department of Finance for the same year, entitled "Supplies and Contingencies—Comptroller's Office," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn—16.

The Secretary presented the following report of the Engineer of the Department of Finance, relative to the form of contracts and specifications for work and materials for the erection and completion of the library stack work of the New York Public Library, Astor, Lenox and Tilden Foundations:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTRROLLER'S OFFICE, }  
July 27, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. John J. Pallas, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, in communication under date of July 21, 1904, transmits to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for approval, as required by the provisions of chapter 556 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 627 of the Laws of 1900, form of contract and specifications in triplicate for work and materials for the erection and completion of the library stack work in the New York Public Library, Astor, Tilden and Lenox Foundations, Fifth avenue, Fortieth and Forty-second streets, in the Borough of Manhattan; I would report:

The scope of this work is to provide all of the book stack equipment for the main stack room in the library; and, also, to provide book stacks and wall shelving in the subordinate rooms; this work embracing all of the equipment of this nature required in the building. The amount of work required is fixed and determined by the contract, excepting for the possible slight variation in the quantities of material required in some of the smaller rooms. This possible variation is allowed and provided for by prices to be stated in the proposal.

The specifications have been drawn and the drawings which accompany them have been made to show in detail all of the work, both as to size, arrangement and character. In view, however, of the possibility that some of the bidders may desire to bid upon some other style of shelf and shelf supports in the stacks proper, the contract has been so drawn as to permit of alternate bids for such construction. This possible variation, however, applies only to the shelves and shelf supports, the rest of the work being strictly determined by the drawings and specifications.

The work is divided in execution into two sections, first section comprising

structural work, to include bases, columns, beams and beams for floor No. 1, columns and floor framing for the stack floors in main stack room, the floor framing and fire-proofing of the reading room floor and the temporary roof. The second section of the work will include all manufacture, delivery and erection of all material in the main stack room not included in the first section, and all of the work in the miscellaneous rooms. The work in the first section must be done as soon as the walls of the stack room are up to the reading room floor level. The work in the second section will be done after the roofs are completed and plastering and floors finished.

The work included in section No. 1 is to be finished within six months, and the work included in section No. 2 within eight months, after notice is given by the architect to begin work.

The amount of surety required will be \$100,000.

The specifications have been carefully drawn, and in my opinion, will give a fair competition, and I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to chapter 556 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 627 of the Laws of 1900, may properly approve the contract and specifications as requested by the Commissioner of Parks, for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. MCLEAN, Engineer.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, }  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, }  
July 21, 1904.

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

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I beg to forward for the approval of your Honorable Board, as required by the provisions of chapter 556 of the Laws of 1897 and chapter 627 of the Laws of 1900, form of contract and specifications in triplicate for work and materials for the erection and completion of the library stack work in the New York Public Library, Astor, Tilden and Lenox Foundations, Fifth avenue, Fortieth and Forty-second streets, in the Borough of Manhattan.

The said forms have been prepared by the architects, Carrere & Hastings, under the guidance of the Corporation Counsel, who has indorsed thereon his approval as to legal form.

Respectfully,

JNO. J. PALLAS,

Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 556 of the Laws of 1897 and chapter 627 of the Laws of 1900, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the terms and conditions contained in the form of contract submitted in triplicate by the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, under date of July 21, 1904, for work and materials for the erection and completion of the library stack work in the New York Public Library, Astor, Tilden and Lenox Foundations, Fifth avenue, Fortieth and Forty-second streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn—16.

The President of the Borough of Richmond called up the matter of an appropriation of \$15,000 Special Revenue Bonds for street signs in the Borough of Richmond, pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, and requested an appropriation of \$7,500 for present use.

Laid over.

The Secretary presented the following resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting an appropriation of \$67,000 Special Revenue Bonds for the construction of a boat for the Department of Health:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment are hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of sixty-seven thousand dollars (\$67,000), for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses required to be incurred by the Board of Health in providing proper means for the transportation of patients affected with contagious diseases from the Borough of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond to the Riverside Hospital of the Department of Health, situated on North Brother Island, in the East river, Borough of The Bronx.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen July 26, 1904, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Health:

No. 174.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
SOUTHWEST CORNER 55TH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }  
NEW YORK, February 8, 1904.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

DEAR SIR—Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of a report submitted to the Board of Health by the Sanitary Superintendent of the Department of Health, calling the attention of said Board to the requirements of the Department for transportation by steamboat, and a copy of the preambles and resolution adopted by the Board of Health at its meeting held on Wednesday, February 3, 1904, petitioning the Board of Aldermen to request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of sixty-seven thousand dollars (\$67,000) for the construction of a new steamboat to convey patients affected with contagious diseases to the Riverside Hospital of the Department of Health, situated on North Brother Island, in the East river, Borough of The Bronx, from the different boroughs of The City of New York. And you are especially requested to cause said report and preambles and resolution to be submitted to the Board of Aldermen at its first meeting to be held after this date, in order that the matter may receive prompt action on the part of said Board.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
SOUTHWEST CORNER 55TH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }  
NEW YORK, January 23, 1904.

To the Honorable Board of Health:

SIRS—I have the honor to again call your attention to the requirements of the Department of Health for transportation by steamboat. Patients affected with contagious diseases must be conveyed from the boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn and Richmond by water to Riverside Hospital of the Department of Health, situated on North Brother Island, in the East river. This service requires a special boat, arranged that cases of contagious diseases may be segregated, so that the patients affected with different contagious diseases will not come in contact with one another; also at the time when the naphtha launch and row-boats are unable to maintain communication without danger between the docks in the Borough of The Bronx and North Brother Island.

For these services the steamboat "Franklin Edson," especially constructed for the use of the Department of Health, has been in service since May, 1885. Although repaired and kept in as good condition as possible when the requirements of the service are considered, that is, always in commission twelve hours a day and sometimes twenty-four for every day in the year, Sunday included, this boat is rapidly

deteriorating, and at any time liable to break down and be totally unfit for the services of the Department of Health, without extensive repairs.

The Board cannot charter a boat suitable for this service, as boats once used for the transportation of contagious diseases by the Department of Health will not be accepted for other work afterward, as a prejudice always remains against a boat so used. It is therefore absolutely necessary that an additional boat, built on proper lines, should be purchased or reconstructed for the use of this Department, as at any time the failure of the present boat to perform the work required would leave the Department unable to transport cases of contagious diseases.

I therefore recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York be requested to furnish means to purchase another boat for the use of the Department of Health.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. F. ROBERTS, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent.

A true copy.

EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding sixty-seven thousand dollars (\$67,000), for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses required to be incurred by the Board of Health in order to provide means for the construction of a steam-boat for the transportation of patients affected with contagious diseases from the boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond to the Riverside Hospital of the Department of Health, situated on North Brother Island in the East River, Borough of The Bronx, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding sixty-seven thousand dollars (\$67,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn—16.

The President of the Borough of Queens presented the following communications from the United States District Attorney and the Acting Corporation Counsel, also resolution of the Board of Aldermen relative to an appropriation of \$5,000 Special Revenue Bonds for the cost and expense of dredging Flushing creek, in the vicinity of Jones' coal dock, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens:

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE,  
OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK,  
FEDERAL BUILDING,  
BROOKLYN, N. Y., March 22, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor:

SIR—Complaint has been made to me by the War Department that there are certain deposits in Flushing creek made from a sewer maintained by the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, and emptying into Flushing creek, near or at the lower end of a dock occupied by Messrs. D. S. Jones & Co. and C. W. Copp, which deposits are illegal and in violation of section 13 of the River and Harbor Act approved March 3, 1899. I have been requested to institute proceedings against the proper authorities of The City of New York, as provided in section 16 and 17 of the said River and Harbor Act, but before taking any steps, I deem it but courteous to bring this matter to your attention, in order that, if possible, unnecessary litigation may be avoided.

I have the honor to be, sir,

Yours with great respect,

WM. J. YOUNG, United States Attorney.

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL,  
NEW YORK, July 7, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor:

SIR—I am in receipt of a communication signed by G. T. Goldthwaite, Assistant Secretary, dated the 24th day of March, 1904, inclosing a communication from W. J. Young, Esq., United States Attorney for the Eastern District of New York, referring to certain deposits in Flushing creek, Third Ward, Borough of Queens, made by a sewer emptying into Flushing creek at or near the lower end of a dock occupied by D. S. Jones & Co. and C. W. Copp.

In answer, I beg to say that I am informed by the Deputy Sewer Commissioner of the Borough of Queens, that this sewer is a main sewer of the former Village of Flushing and was constructed and in operation for a considerable period of time, in fact, some years before the construction of the dock, access to which it is claimed is impeded by the deposits from this sewer. It is claimed that the sewer has been in operation over twenty years, and that it is but recently that the amount of deposit therefrom has been become in any wise a hindrance to navigation. For the purposes of this communication it is assumed that Flushing creek is a navigable water. Vessels of considerable tonnage ply its waters at the higher stages of the tide for a distance of one or two miles above the point at which the sewer empties. The creek is the natural outlet for the flow of surface waters and drainage waters from the height of land upon which the Village of Flushing is located and is the natural depositary and only accessible natural depositary for the sewage of that place. Its waters empty into the tide waters of Flushing Bay of which it is a tributary.

So much of the United States Laws as apply to this matter is found in section 13 of the River and Harbor Act, approved March 3, 1899, which reads in substance as follows:

“Section 13. That it shall not be lawful to throw, discharge or deposit or cause, suffer or procure to be thrown, discharged or deposited from or out of any ship, barge or other floating craft of any kind or from the shore, wharf, manufacturing establishment or mill of any kind, any refuse matter of any kind or description whatever, other than that flowing from streets or sewers and passing therefrom in a liquid state, into any navigable water of the United States, \* \* \* \* \*”

Section 16, provides that “a violation of the provisions of section 13 shall be a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not less than \$500 or more than \$2,500, or in the case of a natural person by imprisonment for not less than thirty days nor more than one year, or by both fine and imprisonment.”

Undoubtedly from its context this act was passed to prevent the discharge of ashes, garbage or other like materials into the waters of navigable rivers and harbors. In its language, however, it is capable of a construction similar to that claimed for it by the learned United States Attorney.

It may be said that its language does not forbid the emptying into such waters of the refuse from a sewer so long as such refuse “passes therefrom in a liquid state,” but it is evident that if such refuse held in solution in the liquid sewage is after its discharge the cause of the formation of a bar or obstruction to navigation, the statute applies.

The City has no more right than a natural person to create or maintain a nuisance, and is liable for injuries occasioned thereby in any case where a private person would be liable under like circumstances.

Harper vs. Milwaukee, 30 Wisc., 365.

In my opinion if the deposits from this sewer have obstructed navigation the City is liable and should abate the nuisance. The trend of authorities and decisions is along this line.

“Although a municipality having the power to construct drains and sewers may lawfully cause them to be built so as to discharge their refuse matter into the sea or natural stream of water, yet this right must be so exercised as not to create a nuisance, public or private.”

Dillon on Mun. Corp., 4th ed., vol. 2, sec. 1047.

In Franklin Wharf Company vs. Portland, 67 Me., 46, Dickerson, J., treats the public right of navigation as paramount to the right of sewerage, recognizes both the wharf and the sewer as lawful and authorized structures, and concludes by holding that the City, under the statute empowering it to construct sewers, “has the right to construct their opening into the public docks, and to use them in a reasonable manner for conducting and depositing therein refuse matters and impurities; but it is its duty to cause such docks to be cleared of such deposits whenever they become an obstruction to navigation or injurious to the public health.”

In Richardson vs. Boston, 19 How. (U. S.), 270, it was held that the City was liable for a drain at end of wharf. “The public right of navigation is not limited at common law by any private or municipal right of sewerage.”

Gould on Waters, p. 177.

I therefore advise that the City remove the deposits, if any exist, that form an obstruction to navigation.

The papers in connection with this communication are returned herewith.

Respectfully yours,

THEODORE CONNOLY, Acting Corporation Counsel.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested, in pursuance to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds thereof to be applied to the cost and expense of dredging Flushing creek, in the vicinity of Jones' coal dock, Third Ward, Borough of Queens, in accordance with complaint of the Secretary of War.

Unanimously adopted by the Board of Aldermen July 26, 1904, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and concurs in the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 26, 1904, and approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, in relation to the expenditure of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), for the cost and expense of dredging Flushing creek in the vicinity of Jones' coal dock, Third Ward, Borough of Queens, in accordance with the complaint of the Secretary of War, and for the purpose of providing means therefor, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York, to the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Supervisor of the City Record, relative to a transfer to the account entitled “Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for City Departments and Offices” for 1904:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF CITY RECORD,  
OFFICE OF THE SUPERVISOR,  
March 17, 1904.

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

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of City Record, held March 14, 1904, the Supervisor of the City Record was directed to transmit to your Honorable Body the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to transfer from some unexpended balance the sum of one hundred and eighty-five thousand dollars (\$185,000) to the appropriation made to the Board of City Record for the year 1904, entitled “Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for City Departments and Offices,” the amount of said appropriation being insufficient; and

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to transfer from some unexpended balance the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) to the appropriation made to the Board of City Record for the year 1904, entitled “City Record—Supplies and Contingencies,” the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK J. TRACY, Secretary, Board of City Record.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made for “Interest on Revenue Bonds of 1904,” the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made for the Board of City Record for the year 1904, entitled “Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for City Departments and Offices,” the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn—16.

The Secretary presented the following resolution of the Board of Aldermen, relative to an appropriation of \$3,000 to meet the salary of the position of Inspector of Weights and Measures:

Whereas, In and by an ordinance duly passed by the Board of Aldermen at its meeting on March 15, 1904, and duly approved thereafter by his Honor the Mayor, it was in part provided in section 1 thereof as follows:

“There shall be a Mayor's Bureau of Weights and Measures in The City of New York, in charge of an Inspector of Weights and Measures, to be appointed by the Mayor and removable by him at his pleasure, who shall be paid a salary of twenty-five hundred dollars per annum”; and

Whereas, There now exists no appropriation from which said salary can be paid and the incidental expenses of said office can be defrayed; now therefore be it

Resolved, Pursuant to subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Charter, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and they hereby are requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of three thousand dollars to provide the means necessary to make said payments for the year 1904, from and including the 1st day of April, 1904.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 28, 1904, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor July 20, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and concurs in the resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted June 28, 1904, and

approved by the Mayor July 20, 1904, in relation to the expenditure of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) to meet the salary of the position of Inspector of Weights and Measures, and the incidental expenses of the Bureau of Weights and Measures for the year 1904, from and including the 1st day of April, 1904, and that for the purpose of providing means therefor the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the President of the Borough of Queens, the President of the Borough of Richmond and the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn—16.

The Secretary presented the following report of the Engineer of the Department of Finance, relative to additional appropriations for extra work in the new Hall of Records Building:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }  
August 1, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan, in communication under date of July 13, 1904, transmits for the consideration of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, “original letter from Horgan & Slattery, Architects for the New Hall of Records, requesting the Board's approval of an extra order in the amount of \$1,027, for work performed by John Peirce on the above-mentioned building, in furnishing labor and additional steel in and around the elevator shafts, and also requesting the Board's approval of an extra order in the amount of \$75 for work performed by John Peirce in the sump room in the same building.”

—I would report:

First—Additional steel in and around the elevator shafts..... \$1,027 00

This additional steel is due to the increased loads, as shown on final calculations for elevator loads, in excess of the loads as originally provided for. Since the final calculations show a much greater load, the beams, etc., about the elevator shafts had to be increased in weight. This work has been done, and I consider the price charged, \$1,027, just and reasonable.

The laws and terms of the contract of John Peirce for the erection of the Hall of Records, state that the contract may be modified or altered, but in no case to involve an increased expense greater than five per cent. of the whole expenditure provided for in said contract. The contract of John Peirce for the erection of the building (known as Contract No. 17318), is for \$1,997,900, and five per cent. of this amount is \$99,895. Against this amount the following has been authorized: \$4,432 for wood strips, etc., on mansard roof. Adding the cost, \$1,027, of the work in question, it will only make \$5,459, which is greatly below the amount, \$99,895, allowed by the provisions of the contract.

The contract allowing the modification without public letting, I would recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment order and authorize the President of the Borough of Manhattan to enter into an agreement with John Peirce to modify and alter his contract for the erection of the Hall of Records Building, in an amount not to exceed \$1,027, for placing additional steel in and around the elevator shafts.

Second—Work in sump room..... \$75 00

This work consists in removing the rough plumbing for Engineer's toilet and sump pumps, and replacing it in a new location in cellar. The price charged I consider just and reasonable, and see no reason why it should not be allowed.

As previously stated, the laws and terms of the contract of John Peirce for the completion of the Hall of Records Building state that the contract may be modified or altered, but in no case to involve an increased expense greater than five per cent. of the whole expenditure provided for in said contract. The contract of John Peirce for the completion of the building (known as Contract No. 4095), is for \$1,959,000, and five per cent. of this amount is \$97,950. Against this amount the following have been allowed and authorized:

United States mail chutes..... \$7,300 00  
Marble trim around register openings..... 2,771 00  
Mahogany doors..... 175 00  
..... \$10,246 00

If to this is added the cost, \$75, of the work in question, it will only make \$10,321, an amount greatly below the amount of \$97,950 allowed by the provisions of the contract.

The contract allowing the modification without public letting, I would recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment order and authorize the President of the Borough of Manhattan to enter into an agreement with John Peirce to modify and alter his contract for the completion of the Hall of Records Building in an amount not to exceed \$75, for making certain changes in the plumbing work in the sump room of the cellar of the Hall of Records Building.

Respectfully,  
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, }  
CITY HALL, July 13, 1904.

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

DEAR SIR—Herewith is transmitted for the consideration of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, original letter from Horgan & Slattery, architects for the new Hall of Records, requesting the Board's approval of an extra order in the amount of \$1,027 for work performed by John Peirce on the above-mentioned building, in furnishing labor and additional steel in and around the elevator shafts; and also requesting the Board's approval of an extra order in the amount of \$75 for work performed by John Peirce in the sump room in the same building.

Yours truly,  
JOHN F. AHEARN, President.

HALL OF RECORDS, July 12, 1904.

Hon. JOHN F. AHEARN, Borough President, City Hall, New York:

DEAR SIR—The following is a copy of letter received from Mr. John Peirce relative to extra work at the Hall of Records:

“MARCH 30, 1904.

“I inclose herewith copy of a letter dated December 3, 1902, covering an order for extra work in the sump room, in amount \$75, also copy of a letter under date of September 24, 1902, transmitting an order dated September 25 for supplying additional steel work in connection with the beams about the elevator shafts at the Hall of Records, in amount \$1,027.

“You will note from your letters that both of these extras have received your approval, but they have not yet been approved by the Board of Estimate.

“Will you please send them forward through the proper channels, so that I may collect my bill from the City.

“Yours truly,  
JOHN PEIRCE.”

We beg to report to you the facts leading to the issuing on September 25, 1902, of an extra order for \$1,027 to cover the cost of additional steel, cutting and fitting

old beams, repairing others, etc., in and around the elevator shafts, new Hall of Records, as follows:

On November 4, 1897, the late Mr. John R. Thomas, architect for the new Hall of Records, furnished Messrs. Lewinson & Just, Consulting Engineers for The City of New York, with a diagram of elevator loads for them to provide the necessary beams to carry these loads. With this data on hand the Consulting Engineers designed the beams around the elevator well, attic floor, of sufficient strength to carry these loads plus 100 per cent. for impact.

On April 26, 1902, we received from Mr. John Peirce, general contractor, a diagram of elevator loads required according to the final calculations. Both diagrams are shown on the prints attached. By comparing the two diagrams it is plainly to be seen that not only the position of the sheave beams had been changed but the loading had been increased and in some cases doubled. The elevator layouts furnished by Mr. Peirce also showed additional beams or channels required for the support of the intermediate sheaves and guides in the elevator shaft at the 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th floors, not provided for in the original contract.

On June 26, 1902, we received at this office a letter from Mr. Peirce calling our attention to the fact that extra beams and channels were required for the support of the intermediate sheaves and guides of the elevators, also asking us to design a method of supporting them from the steel work (which was already in place or waiting to be erected). We referred this matter to Messrs. Lewinson & Just, Consulting Engineers for the City, and they furnished us with a drawing showing the required beams and channels on the 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th and attic floors. As this was clearly an extra we asked Mr. John Peirce for an estimate to cover the cost of these changes, and on September 18, 1902, we received from him the following estimate:

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| For 10,600 pounds of additional steel to be bought from stock for prompt delivery and field work connected with same..... | \$727 00   |
| Shoring up beams, cutting floor arches, recentering and rebuilding floor arches .....                                     | 206 63     |
| Commission, superintendence, etc.....   | 93 36      |
|   | .....      |
| Total.....  | \$1,027 00 |

As this amount was reasonable, considering all the field work to be done, we issued the certificate for this amount on September 25, 1902, which is as follows:

“EXTRA ORDER NUMBER 1001.

“OFFICE OF HORGAN & SLATTERY, ARCHITECTS, }  
NEW YORK, September 25, 1902.

“Mr. JOHN PEIRCE, No. 277 Broadway, New York City:

“Please furnish the necessary materials and labor to completely perform the following extra work not included in your contract in the premises:

“New Hall of Records Building.

“Such extra work to be in accordance with the plans and specifications and satisfactory to Horgan & Slattery, architects.

“Complete the changes involving the supplying of 10,600 pounds of additional steel necessary for changing the beams about the elevator shafts, including the shoring up of the beams, cutting out the floor arches, resetting and rebuilding floor arches.

“The amount mutually agreed upon for the above work is the sum of one thousand and twenty-seven dollars (\$1,027).

“HORGAN & SLATTERY, Architects.

“City of New York, Owner.”

A diagram showing the size and location of the additional steel required accompanies this report.

We would respectfully request that you take such action as may seem proper to you in relation to the above-mentioned order.

Respectfully yours,

HORGAN & SLATTERY.

Diagram showing difference in the arrangement  
of Sheave Beams and loads for Main Elevators  
Hall of Records.

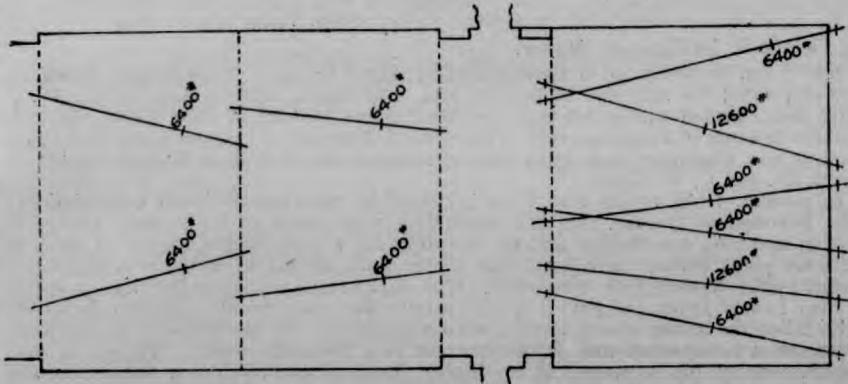


Diagram of Elevator Loads—Hall of Records.  
From Drawing received from Mr. J. R. Thomas.  
Scale 1/4" = 1 ft.  
Nov. 4, 1897

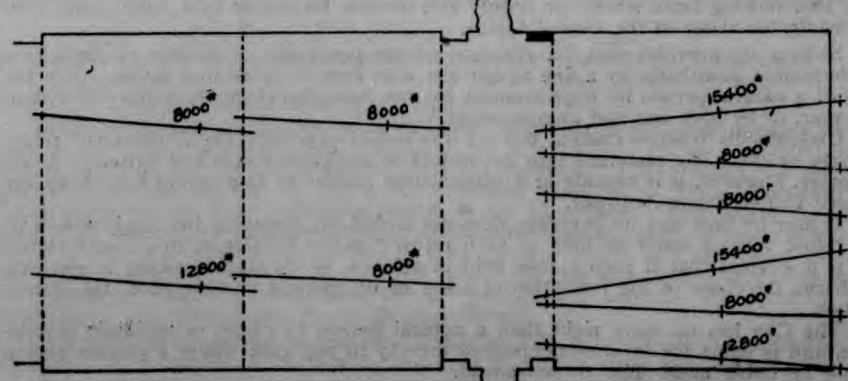


Diagram of Elevator Loads—Hall of Records.  
From Drawing received from Mr. E. E. McLean.  
April 26, 1902.



The Secretary presented the following communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, relative to the transfer of \$3,000 to "Maintenance of Playgrounds, Kindergartens, Bath-houses and Comfort Stations in the Parks" for the year 1904:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
July 25, 1904

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—Referring to the conference had at your office to-day on the subject of the Children's Farm School, established in DeWitt Clinton Park, I write to make an official request for a transfer of at least \$3,000 from any available fund to this Department for the purpose of conducting this enterprise and for the necessary assistance and attendance for the year 1904.

Respectfully,

JNO. J. PALLAS,  
Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation entitled "Interest on Revenue Bonds of 1904," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for 1904, entitled "Maintenance of Playgrounds, Kindergartens, Bath-houses and Comfort Stations in the Parks," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Acting Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen and the Acting Presidents of the boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—12.

The Secretary presented the following resolution, relative to the transfer of \$10,752.67 to "Salaries of Commissioners" and "Salaries of Deputies, Clerks and Employees," Department of Taxes and Assessments, for the year 1904, in accordance with request of the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments for an additional appropriation, which was presented at the meeting of July 15, 1904:

Resolved, That the sum of ten thousand seven hundred and fifty-two dollars and seventy-six cents (\$10,752.76) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made for the year 1904, entitled "Interest on Revenue Bonds of 1904," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriations made to the Department of Taxes and Assessments, for the same year, entitled and as follows:

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|---|-------------|
| Salaries of Commissioners.....                  | \$7,933 32  |
| Salaries of Deputies, Clerks and Employees..... | 2,819 44    |
| Total.....                                      | \$10,752 76 |

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Acting Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen and the Acting Presidents of the boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—12.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Secretary of the Sinking Fund Commission, consenting to the transfer of \$2,350 to the appropriation "Salaries—Department of Finance," 1904:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
August 12, 1904.

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

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith a certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at meeting held August 12, 1904, consenting to a transfer of the sum of \$2,350 from the appropriation made to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the year 1904, to the appropriation made to the Department of Finance. I also inclose herewith a copy of the communication from the Deputy Comptroller to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in regard to the matter.

Very truly yours,

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

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby consent to a transfer of the sum of twenty-three hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,350) from the appropriation made to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the year 1904, entitled, "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Expenses of," to the appropriation made to the Department of Finance for the same year, entitled "Salaries—Department of Finance."

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund August 12, 1904.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand three hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,350) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the year 1904, entitled "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Expenses of," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the Department of Finance for the same year, entitled "Salaries—Department of Finance," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Acting Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen and the Acting Presidents of the boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—12.

The Secretary presented the following resolution transferring the sum of \$292.82 to the appropriation made to the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the year 1903, entitled "Bureau of Highways—Labor, Maintenance and Supplies":

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred and ninety-two dollars and eighty-two cents (\$292.82) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the year 1903, entitled "Bureau of Sewers—Altering, Rebuilding and Improving Receiving-basins and Sewer Appurtenances," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said President of the Borough of The Bronx for the same year, entitled "Bureau of Highways—Labor, Maintenance and Supplies," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen and the Acting Presidents of the boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—12.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, requesting the transfer of \$666.67 to "Bureau of Buildings—Contingencies and Emergencies," for the year 1904:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,  
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK,  
August 6, 1904.

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

DEAR SIR—On July 20, 1904, I wrote you relative to the transfer of \$666.67, unexpended balance of rent, to the Fund for Contingencies and Emergencies, Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, and now inclose copy letter from Superintendent Reville, dated August 5, relative to having the necessary resolution passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at an early date, and ask that his request be complied with.

Yours truly,

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF BUREAU OF BUILDINGS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,  
August 5, 1904.

Hon. LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President of the Borough of The Bronx:

DEAR SIR—On July 20, 1904, I wrote you requesting the transfer of \$666.67, unexpended balance of rent, to the Fund for Contingencies and Emergencies of this Bureau. After deducting the bill for car fares, etc., for Inspectors and Messengers for the month of July, will leave a balance of about \$100 to the credit of this fund. As the bills for above expenses average about \$160 a month, and are for current and actual expenses of employees of the Bureau, I would respectfully request you to urge the speedy passage of a resolution authorizing the transfer of the amount requested by me, in order to meet expenses of this Bureau of the next five months of this year.

Respectfully yours,

PATRICK J. REVILLE,  
Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of six hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$666.67) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the President of the Borough of The Bronx, for the year 1904, entitled "Bureau of Buildings—Rents," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the same year, entitled "Bureau of Buildings—Contingencies and Emergencies," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Acting Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen and the Acting Presidents of the boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—12.

The President of the Borough of Manhattan appeared and took his place in the Board.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Chief Auditor of Accounts, Department of Finance, relative to an appropriation of \$1,025 to pay the expenses incurred for appraising property at Kingsbridge, Harlem Ship Canal, for the new roadway of the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
August 16, 1904.

Mr. JAMES W. STEVENSON, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—A bill has been presented to this office in favor of Bryan L. Kennelly for the sum of one thousand and twenty-five dollars (\$1,025) for appraising property at Kingsbridge, Harlem Ship Canal.

The expense is made payable from the fund.

"Acquiring lands, rights of way, etc., for the new roadway and route of the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad Company, as provided by chapter 423, Laws of 1903, and chapter 615, Laws of 1904."

Bonds were previously authorized for the sum of five hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$550,000), and said bonds were duly issued, but I am informed that the fund is now exhausted.

In view of such fact, the matter is referred to you for submission to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for further authorization should you deem such course advisable.

Yours truly,

WM. MCKINNY, Chief Auditor of Accounts.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 423 of the Laws of 1903, 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 Revised Greater New York Charter to the amount of ten hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$1,025) for the purpose of paying the expenses incurred for appraising property at Kingsbridge, Harlem Ship Canal, acquired for the new roadway and route of the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad Company, altered and changed as provided by said chapter 423 of the Laws of 1903.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Acting Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the Acting Presidents of the boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond—14.

The Board adjourned to meet subject to the call of the Chair.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

AN ABSTRACT OF THE TRANSACTIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 24, 1904 (SECTION 1546, GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER).

### BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

#### Removal of Incumbrances.

(Section 545, Greater New York Charter.)

Unredeemed incumbrances on hand July 16, 1904..... 1,425

37

Incumbrances seized during the week..... 1,462

146

Incumbrances redeemed and released.....

1,316

Unredeemed incumbrances on hand.....

1,316

#### Bills and Pay-rolls

transmitted to Comptroller as follows:

Schedule No. 100—

J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Firemen, etc., week ending July

17, 1904..... \$90 65

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| Schedule No. 191—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Commissioner, etc., for month of July, 1904.....     | <u>\$3,133 31</u>  |
| Schedule No. 192—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Clerical Force for month of July, 1904.....          | <u>\$4,381 66</u>  |
| Schedule No. 193—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Uniformed Force for month of July, 1904.....         | <u>\$13,540 43</u> |
| Schedule No. 194—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Masters, etc., for month of July, 1904.....          | <u>\$462 00</u>    |
| Schedule No. 196—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, etc., week ending July 21, 1904.....          | <u>\$30,431 31</u> |
| Schedule No. 197—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Department Cart Drivers, week ending July 21, 1904..... | <u>\$13,337 74</u> |
| Schedule No. 189—  |                    |
| Sundry items amounting to.....   | <u>\$31,524 77</u> |
| Schedule No. 195—  |                    |
| Sundry items amounting to.....   | <u>\$1,184 50</u>  |

## Contract Executed.

July 19, 1904, with William Bradley, No. 320 West Eighty-sixth street, for removing snow and ice in the Borough of Manhattan for winter season 1904-5:

|   | Cost per Cubic Yard. |
|---|----------------------|
| First District.....   | \$0 22½              |
| Second District.....  | 21½                  |
| Third District.....   | 23½                  |
| Fourth District.....  | 23½                  |
| Fifth District.....   | 21½                  |
| Sixth District.....   | 21½                  |
| Seventh District.....   | 16½                  |
| Eighth District.....  | 20½                  |
| Ninth District.....   | 16½                  |
| Tenth District.....   | 18½                  |
| Eleventh District.....  | 18½                  |
| July 23, 1904, with Shea, Schnauffer & Dunnican, No. 714 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, for removing snow and ice in the Borough of The Bronx for winter season 1904-5, per cubic yard..... | <u>12</u>            |

Number of Loads of Material Collected during the Week ending July 24, 1904 (July 18 to 24, inclusive).

|                       | CART LOADS ASHES. | CART LOADS RUBBISH. | CART LOADS GARBAGE. | CART LOADS TOTAL. |
|-----------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Department carts..... | 15,280.12         | 4,190.50            | 5,220.25            | 24,690.87         |
| Permit carts.....     | 6,390.50          | 1,122.00            | 319.00              | 7,831.50          |
| Total.....            | 21,670.62         | 5,312.50            | 5,539.25            | 32,522.37         |

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

## Bills and Pay-rolls

transmitted to Comptroller as follows:

|  |                    |
|--|--------------------|
| Schedule No. 144—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Clerical Force for month of July, 1904.....                | <u>\$1,779 16</u>  |
| Schedule No. 145—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Uniformed Force for month of July, 1904.....               | <u>\$5,347 29</u>  |
| Schedule No. 147—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, etc., week ending July 21, 1904.....                | <u>\$12,377 84</u> |
| Schedule No. 148—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Department Cart Drivers, etc., week ending July 21, 1904..... | <u>\$7,149 38</u>  |
| Schedule No. 149—  |                    |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of hired trucks, etc., week ending July 21, 1904.....            | <u>\$72 00</u>     |
| Schedule No. 143—  |                    |
| Sundry items amounting to.....   | <u>\$500 00</u>    |
| Schedule No. 146—  |                    |
| Sundry items amounting to.....   | <u>\$1,535 00</u>  |

Number of Loads of Material Collected during the Week ending July 24, 1904 (July 18 to 24, inclusive).

|                        |        |
|------------------------|--------|
| Ashes.....             | 5,180½ |
| Paper and rubbish..... | 2,011¾ |
| Permit ashes.....      | 851    |
| Total.....             | 8,042¾ |

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

## BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

NEW YORK CITY, September 2, 1904.

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| I herewith submit a report of the operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Richmond, for the week ending August 27, 1904: |           |
| Plans filed for new buildings; estimated cost, \$2,300.....  | <u>2</u>  |
| Plans filed for alterations; estimated cost, \$5,359.....  | <u>11</u> |
| Plans filed for plumbing; estimated cost, \$1,795.....   | <u>10</u> |
| Violation notices issued.....  | <u>1</u>  |

JOHN SEATON,  
Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Richmond.

JAMES NOLAN, Chief Clerk.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, August 31, 1904.

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

Approved.

Recommendations of Second Deputy Commissioner Thomas F. Farrell, as follows:

Transfer of Patrolman Joseph DeCantillon, Forty-third Precinct, to Sanitary Corps, Brooklyn, and assigned as Driver.

Detail of Patrolmen Maurice Cunningham and Daniel O'Connor, Fifty-eighth Precinct, to telephone table, in place of Patrolmen Thomas Gallegher and Frank Nolan.

Detail of Patrolman William Pallas, Fifty-eighth Precinct, as guard on patrol wagon, in place of Patrolman John Schnidler.

Transfer of Patrolman Michael McNealy, from Fifty-fifth Precinct, to the Fifty-eighth Precinct, and assigned as Precinct Detective, in place of Patrolman Henry Babington.

Detail of Patrolman Christopher Grosel, Fifty-eighth Precinct, as Precinct Detective, in place of Patrolman Nathaniel Shuter, to be remanded and transferred to the Fifty-fifth Precinct.

Transfer of Roundsmen Thomas E. Crerend, from Fifty-fourth Precinct to Fifty-eighth Precinct, and James Moyland, from Fifty-eighth Precinct to Fifty-fourth Precinct.

Detail of Patrolman Robert J. Robinson, Fifty-seventh Precinct, to Wallabout Market.

Transfer of Patrolman Thomas J. Matthews, from Forty-fourth Precinct to Sixty-ninth Precinct, and assigned in plain clothes.

Transfer of Sergeants William Brennan, from Seventy-second Precinct to Sixtieth Precinct; John Wood, from Sixtieth Precinct to Seventy-second Precinct; Roundsmen James McAuley, from Sixty-seventh Precinct to Fifty-fourth Precinct; Peter Kuntz, from Fifty-fourth Precinct to Sixty-seventh Precinct; Patrolmen James A. Brogan, from Sixtieth Precinct to Seventy-second Precinct; Patrolmen George Van Hattton, from Sixtieth Precinct to Sixtieth Precinct, and detail of Patrolman John F. Slobor, to be remanded.

Detail of Patrolmen William Winkelman and Charles E. Kalenbeck, Sixty-fourth Precinct, as Drivers of patrol wagon, in place of Patrolmen Jacob Buckman and Robert Lyle, to be remanded.

Detail of Patrolman Henry Eberle, Sixty-fourth Precinct, as Guard on patrol wagon, in place of Patrolman Henry Flath, to be remanded.

Detail of Patrolman Peter H. Mahland, Sixty-fourth Precinct, to telephone table, in place of Patrolman Charles Peters, to be remanded.

Transfer of Doorman Bartholomew Driscoll, Forty-fifth Precinct, to Branch Detective Bureau, Brooklyn.

Transfer of Patrolman Thomas P. Gerrity, from Forty-seventh Precinct to Eighty-second Precinct, and detailed in Second District Magistrates' Court, in place of Patrolman John J. Higgins, to be remanded and transferred to Forty-seventh Precinct.

Transfer of Patrolman William Dillon, from Fifty-first Precinct to Forty-seventh Precinct, as Precinct Detective, in place of Patrolman Joseph F. Roberts, to be remanded and transferred to the Fifty-first Precinct.

Transfer of Roundsmen Michael J. Lyman, from Seventy-first Precinct to Fifty-ninth Precinct; Edward J. McGlynn, from Fifty-ninth Precinct to Seventy-first Precinct; Patrolmen William McSorley, from Sixtieth Precinct to Seventy-second Precinct; Daniel McCarthy, from Seventy-second Precinct to Sixtieth Precinct.

Detail of Patrolmen Daniel McCarthy, Forty-ninth Precinct, and Jeremiah Moran, Seventy-seventh Precinct, as Drivers of patrol wagon, in place of Patrolmen Peter C. Henriques, Forty-ninth Precinct, and Daniel F. Leary, Seventy-seventh Precinct.

Detail of Patrolman John J. Hallahan, Sixty-fifth Precinct, as Guard on patrol wagon, in place of Patrolman Thomas Gorman.

Detail of Patrolman Charles Schifferdecker, Fifty-second Precinct, in plain clothes.

Transfer of Sergeants Isaac S. Tichenor, from Fifty-eighth Precinct to Seventy-second Precinct; John Wood, from Seventy-second Precinct to Fifty-eighth Precinct, and Patrolman Richard Doherty, from Fiftieth Precinct to Fifty-first Precinct.

Recommendations of First Deputy Commissioner Thomas F. McAvoy, as follows:

Transfer of Patrolmen James J. Farrell and James Coughlin, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Seventy-seventh Precinct.

Transfer of Patrolman Michael J. Londigan, from Seventeenth Precinct to Fourteenth Precinct, and assigned to duty in plain clothes.

Transfer of Patrolman Joseph T. Gorman from Thirty-second Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct.

Transfer of Patrolman James P. McCormick, Second Precinct, and John T. Conway, Thirty-first Precinct, to the Thirty-second Precinct, as Precinct Detectives.

Transfer of Patrolmen Michael J. Sullivan and Patrick J. Mahoney, from Second Precinct to Thirty-second Precinct, for duty in plain clothes.

Transfer of Patrolman Rudolph Teswig from Second Precinct to Thirty-second Precinct, for clerical duty.

Transfer of Roundsman John Glynn from Third Precinct to Fifth Precinct.

Detail of Patrolman Lawrence Clarkson, Third Precinct, to some light duty when the opportunity arises.

Transfer of Patrolman William Wilkesman from Twelfth Precinct to Thirty-sixth Precinct.

Detail of Patrolman Samuel Dunston, Ninth Precinct, to Christopher Street Ferry.

Application of Probationary Patrolman Edwin W. Kearn to be assigned to mounted duty.

Application of Patrolman Harold A. Lockwood, Twenty-second Precinct, to be remanded from plain clothes and transferred to Sixty-eighth Precinct.

Request for transfer of Patrolman Michael Tucker, Eighth Precinct, to the Sixty-ninth Precinct.

Application of Captain John Daly, Seventeenth Precinct, for transfer of Patrolman Matthew T. Adams, Fourteenth Precinct, to his command for duty in plain clothes.

Application of Captain John Daly, Seventeenth Precinct, for transfer of Patrolman Thomas J. Butler, Nineteenth Precinct, to his command for duty in plain clothes.

Application of Captain James E. Hussey, Twenty-second Precinct, for assignment of certain Patrolmen in plain clothes.

Application of Captain Michael E. Foody, Thirty-fifth Precinct, for transfer of Patrolmen James Devaney, Fourth Precinct, and Martin J. Scully, Thirty-ninth Precinct, to his command for duty in plain clothes.

Applications of Captain James E. Dillon, Twenty-sixth Precinct, for transfer of Patrolmen Frank Connor and Rhody J. Kennedy, Twenty-eighth Precinct, and Mark F. Horrigan, Sixteenth Precinct, to his command for duty in plain clothes.

Application of Captain Charles D. Kemp, Seventy-fifth Precinct, for transfer of Patrolman Mack Donnelly from his command, and Patrolman Harry M. Neggesmith, Twenty-sixth Precinct, to his command for duty in plain clothes.

Applications of Captain John Cooney, Twenty-third Precinct, for transfer of Patrolmen Mack Donnelly, Seventy-fifth Precinct, and Henry Michaels, Eighth Precinct, to his command for duty in plain clothes.

Applications of Captain Cornelius G. Hayes, Twentieth Precinct, for transfer of certain Patrolmen to his command for plain clothes duty.

Application of Captain John W. O'Connor, Thirteenth Precinct, for detail of Patrolman in plain clothes duty.

Application of Captain Joseph C. Gehegan, Thirty-ninth Precinct, for transfer of certain Patrolmen for duty as Precinct Detectives.

Recommendation of Sergeant Richard Coffey, in charge of horses, etc., that Hostler Charles Carr, Thirty-sixth Precinct, be transferred to the Thirty-seventh Precinct.

Notice from Inspector Donald Grant, Twelfth District, that he is about to commence civil action against the City for certain moneys due him.

Application of Patrolman John A. Corcoran, Twenty-second Precinct, for permission to begin civil action against Metropolitan Street Railroad Company for injuries received January 29, 1904.

Request of the Army and Navy Union that the Officers of the Fortieth Precinct who are members of General Franz Sigel Garrison No. 63 be excused from duty on afternoon of September 10, 1904, to participate in opening of military parade grounds in Pelham Bay Park.

Referred to the Chief Inspector.

Communication from James Ferraro and others, commanding Acting Captain of the Fifteenth Precinct for arrest of a murderer. For report.

Application of Greater New York Mineral Water Protective Association for appointment of Abe Adisky as Special Patrolman.

Application of F. A. Higgins for appointment of Olaf Gabrielson as Special Patrolman for Arbuckle Brothers.

Application of Henry Leiner for appointment of David Reiff as Special Patrolman.

Application of John O'Neill for appointment of Frank Swing as Special Patrolman.

Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

Summons, Third District Court, case of Nellie Green against Thomas F. O'Connor, Property Clerk. For advice or to defend if required.

Referred to the First Deputy Commissioner.

Communication from W. C. Arnold, DuBois, Pa., asking that Patrolman James Smith, No. 6559, Fifteenth Precinct, be given a detail. Report.

Referred to Civil Service Commission.

Application of Harry White, Lineman in Central Office, to be cited for examination for Chief Lineman. With copy of record.

Runner License Granted.

Felix Loeb, No. 243 East Eighty-third street, Manhattan, for one year from August 26, 1904, fee \$12.50, bond \$300.

Special Patrolmen Appointed.

William J. Keleher, for Benj. Salvin, Manhattan.

Patrick Cahill, for Charles E. Miller, Manhattan.

Leave of Absence Granted.

Patrolman William J. Creegan, Twenty-fifth Precinct, sixty days' sick leave.

Ordered, That the Sergeant in charge of horses be and is hereby directed to purchase forthwith twenty-five (25) additional horses for mounted patrol duty, under contract with John Donahue, made and executed March 18, 1904.

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint one (1) Hostler in the Police Department.

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint one (1) Fireman for the steamer "Patrol," with compensation at the rate of \$900 per annum, for a period of forty days' temporary employment.

Ordered, That Appendix B of the Rules and Regulations of the Police Department of the City of New York be and is hereby amended so as to make the boundary line of the Forty-fourth Precinct as follows:

"Beginning at Third street and Prospect Park, West, both sides, to Fifteenth street, both sides, to Seeley avenue, to Gravesend avenue, both sides, to Twentieth street, both sides, to Seventh avenue, both sides, to Twenty-third street, to New York Bay, to Gowanus canal, to Third street, to the place of beginning,"

— and the boundary line of the Seventy-second Precinct, as follows:

"Beginning at Gravesend and Seeley avenues to Coney Island avenue, both sides, to Caton avenue, both sides, to Parade place, both sides, to Parkside avenue, to Ocean avenue, to Bay avenue, to Elm avenue, to Avenue N, to Sixtieth street, to New Utrecht avenue, to Fort Hamilton avenue, to Gravesend avenue, both sides, to Seeley avenue, to place of beginning."

These changes to take effect on September 1, 1904.

On reading and filing report of Captain James G. Reynolds, Forty-fourth Precinct, and Inspector John Wiegand, Seventh District, approved by the Board of Honor, consisting of First Deputy Commissioner Thomas F. McAvoy, Third Deputy Commissioner Harris Lindsley and William Howell, Secretary to the Police Commissioner,

Ordered, That Patrolman Christopher J. Donnelly, Forty-fourth Precinct, be and is hereby "Commended" for his action in apprehending one Gustave Hultze, a burglar who escaped from Raymond Street Jail on July 19, 1904.

On reading and filing report of Captain Michael Naughton, Eightieth Precinct, and Inspector George F. Titus, Second District, approved by the Board of Honor, consisting of First Deputy Commissioner Thomas F. McAvoy, Third Deputy Commissioner Harris Lindsley and William Howell, Secretary to the Police Commissioner,

Ordered, That Patrolman James V. Cahill, Eightieth Precinct, be and is hereby "Commended" for his bravery and skill in saving a boy from being run over by a rapidly approaching train on the morning of July 3, 1904, by seizing him and carrying him from the track.

Chief Clerk to Answer.

Robert A. Sharkey, asking that his brother, Sergeant Louis F. Sharkey, Fifty-fourth Precinct, be granted leave of absence from September 16 to 24, 1904.

On File, Send Copy.

Opinion of Corporation Counsel as to power of Captain or Sergeant of Police or Acting Sergeant to accept bond of National Surety Company for automobiles. Copy to W. E. Scarritt, No. 27 Pine street.

Full Pay Granted.

Patrolman John Lynch, Eighth Precinct, August 2 to 15, 1904.

On File.

Acknowledgment from Electric Launch Company of receipt of notice relative to award of contract for three steam launches.

Report of Captain Nathaniel N. Shire, Twenty-first Precinct, and Inspector William W. McLaughlin, relative to action of Patrolman Thomas F. J. O'Grady, Twenty-first Precinct, in stopping a runaway horse.

Report of Captain Joseph Burns and Inspector George F. Titus, relative to action of Patrolman Michael J. O'Neill, Second Precinct, in extinguishing the burning clothing of Mrs. Josephine Geriagh.

Report of Captain John F. Flood and Inspector M. F. Schmittberger, relative to action of Patrolman John W. McCoy, Twelfth Precinct, in making arrest.

Report of Captain John F. Flood and Inspector M. F. Schmittberger, relative to action of Patrolman Charles Lander, Twelfth Precinct, in stopping runaway horse.

Report of Captain Nathaniel N. Shire, and Inspector William W. McLaughlin, relative to action of Patrolman Michael C. Moroney, Twenty-first Precinct, in rescuing one John McDermott from drowning.

Referred to Civil Service Commission.

Application of Philip Visco for reinstatement as Patrolman, he having resigned on October 24, 1903. To issue certificate.

The following temporary assignments were this day ordered by the Police Commissioner, to take effect 8 A. M., September 1:

Patrolman James J. Sheehy, Fourteenth Precinct, assigned to the Twentieth Precinct for duty at telephone table.

Patrolman Louis Grey, Eighth Precinct, assigned to the Twentieth Precinct for duty at telephone table.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

*Statement and Return of Moneys Received by HERMAN STIEFEL, Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, for the month of August, 1904, rendered to the Comptroller, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 117, Article II., Chapter IV., of the Revised Ordinances of 1897, and of Sections 259 and 1550 of Chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by Chapter 466, Laws of 1901.*

| DATE.  | WHAT FOR.  | JUDGMENTS. | COLLEC-TIONS AND PENALTIES. | COSTS.   | TOTAL AMOUNT. |
|--|--|------------|-----------------------------|----------|---------------|
| 1904<br>Aug. 1   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Walter G. Farrell.   | .....      | \$100 00                    | .....    | \$100 00      |
| " 1  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Norman E. Mitchell.  | .....      | 25 00                       | .....    | 25 00         |
| " 1  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Jacob Rubenstein and Samuel Rockmac.                           | .....      | 26 00                       | \$4 60   | 30 60         |
| " 1  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. James J. Waters.   | .....      | 25 00                       | .....    | 25 00         |
| " 2  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Giuseppe Marshevello, Meyer Zalha and Joseph Celentano.        | .....      | 60 00                       | .....    | 60 00         |
| " 2  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Edward Prager, Michael Cohn and Fritz Lindinger.               | .....      | 28 00                       | .....    | 28 00         |
| " 3  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isidor Rosen and Casper Engler.                                | .....      | 20 00                       | 4 00     | 24 00         |
| " 3  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.  | .....      | 20 00                       | .....    | 20 00         |
| " 5  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Benjamin Wagner and Nathan Reisler.                            | .....      | 24 00                       | .....    | 24 00         |
| " 5  | Collection for antitoxin.  | 75         | .....                       | 75       | 75            |
| " 8  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Joseph Schein.   | .....      | 12 00                       | .....    | 12 00         |
| " 8  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Warren Allabough and Clifford E. Young.                        | .....      | 24 00                       | .....    | 24 00         |
| " 8  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Thomas F. May, Richard Cole and John J. McNally.               | .....      | 28 00                       | .....    | 28 00         |
| " 9  | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.  | .....      | 20 00                       | .....    | 20 00         |
| " 10   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Samuel Boyd, Charles Glatt and Matilda Boyd.                   | .....      | 6 00                        | .....    | 6 00          |
| " 10   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Nicholas Toronto, Andrew Barbierci and Peter C. Campbell.      | .....      | 5 00                        | .....    | 5 00          |
| " 10   | Collection for virus.  | 12 34      | .....                       | 12 34    | 12 34         |
| " 11   | Collection for hydro treatment.  | 25 00      | .....                       | 25 00    | 25 00         |
| " 13   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. David Rosenzweig and Samuel Kosant.                            | .....      | 12 00                       | .....    | 12 00         |
| " 15   | Collection for virus.  | 15 34      | .....                       | 15 34    | 15 34         |
| " 15   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Sahn and Max Nadelbach.                                  | .....      | 48 00                       | .....    | 48 00         |
| " 16   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. John Casey, Catharine McIntyre and Margaret Kerr.              | .....      | 4 00                        | .....    | 4 00          |
| " 16   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Kirsch and Harris M. Cohn.                               | .....      | 10 00                       | .....    | 10 00         |
| " 16   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Wallace S. Parker, David Beers and Letitia M. Parker.          | .....      | 6 00                        | .....    | 6 00          |
| " 16   | Collection for antitoxin.  | 24 50      | .....                       | 24 50    | 24 50         |
| " 17   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Nathan Mayer.  | .....      | 6 00                        | .....    | 6 00          |
| " 17   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Adam Metzger.  | .....      | 14 00                       | .....    | 14 00         |
| " 17   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Charles C. Schildwachter, Jr., John Shea and Daniel Sylvester. | .....      | 12 00                       | .....    | 12 00         |
| " 18   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.  | .....      | 20 00                       | .....    | 20 00         |
| " 18   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Alphonse Cahn.   | .....      | 10 00                       | 10 00    | 20 00         |
| " 23   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Jacob C. Leonhardt and Anthony C. Leonhardt.                   | .....      | 15 00                       | .....    | 15 00         |
| " 24   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Harry McCabe and Edward Smith.                                 | .....      | 3 00                        | .....    | 3 00          |
| " 24   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.  | .....      | 20 00                       | .....    | 20 00         |
| " 25   | Collection for tetanus.  | 4 00       | .....                       | 4 00     | 4 00          |
| " 25   | Collection for antitoxin.  | 8 50       | .....                       | 8 50     | 8 50          |
| " 27   | Fees for vault space.  | 4,750 20   | .....                       | 4,750 20 | 4,750 20      |
| " 27   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Andrew Golden.   | .....      | 10 00                       | .....    | 10 00         |
| " 27   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Wallace S. Parker, David Beers and Letitia M. Parker.          | .....      | 2 00                        | .....    | 2 00          |
| " 29   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.  | .....      | 20 00                       | .....    | 20 00         |
| " 29   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Nicolo Ivone and Michael Palavino.                             | .....      | 6 00                        | .....    | 6 00          |
| " 30   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Charles J. Steiner and Jacob Haizen.                           | .....      | 20 00                       | .....    | 20 00         |
| " 30   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Abraham Greenwald, Bannie Hershko-witz and Samuel Desowitz.    | .....      | 20 00                       | .....    | 20 00         |
| " 31   | In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. John Wollenhagen and Mary L. Striebel.                         | .....      | 20 00                       | 4 00     | 24 00         |
| " 31   | Violation Corporation Ordinances.  | 60 00      | .....                       | 60 00    | 60 00         |
| Total amount collected.  |  |            |                             | .....    | \$5,653 99    |
| Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities in abandonment and bastardy cases.        |  |            |                             | \$71 00  | .....         |
| Amount paid over to President of Borough of Manhattan, fees received for vault space.          |  |            |                             | 4,750 00 | .....         |
| Amount paid over to Board of Health, collections for antitoxin, etc., furnished by said Board. |  |            |                             | 120 19   | .....         |
|  |  |            |                             |          | 5,571 39      |
| Balance due The City of New York.  |  |            |                             | .....    | \$82 60       |

HERMAN STIEFEL, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

### COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

NEW YORK, August 16, 1904.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 466, Laws of 1901, I herewith transmit for publication in the CITY RECORD the following report of the transactions of this office for the week ending August 6, 1904.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

LOUIS L. TRIBUS, Commissioner of Public Works.

Public Moneys Received during Week.

|  | BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS. | BUREAU OF SEWERS. | TOTAL. |
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## Permits Issued.

|  | BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS. | BUREAU OF SEWERS. | TOTAL. |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|--------|
| Permits to open streets to tap water pipes.....        | 4                   | ....              | ....   |
| Permits to open streets to repair water pipes.....     | 13                  | ....              | ....   |
| Permits to open streets to make sewer connections..... | 13                  | ....              | ....   |
| Permits—special.....                                   | 18                  | ....              | ....   |
| Permits for new sewer connections.....                 | ....                | 13                | ....   |
| Total.....   | 48                  | 13                | 61     |

## Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller.

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| General Administration.....                 | \$61 50     |
| Bureau of Highways.....                     | 6,621 28    |
| Bureau of Sewers.....                       | 2,960 87    |
| Bureau of Street Cleaning.....              | 2,147 80    |
| Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices..... | 581 29      |
| Topographical Bureau.....                   | 115 00      |
| Total.....                                  | \$12,487 74 |

## Work Done.

|   |       |
|---|-------|
| Bureau of Sewers—                               |       |
| Linear feet of sewer cleaned.....               | 900   |
| Number of basins cleaned.....                   | 48    |
| Number of basins examined.....                  | 219   |
| Number of basins repaired.....                  | 3     |
| Number of manholes examined.....                | 22    |
| Number of manholes cleaned.....                 | 22    |
| Linear feet of culverts examined.....           | 2,850 |
| Linear feet of culverts repaired.....           | 86    |
| Linear feet of culverts and drains cleaned..... | 395   |
| Number of flush tanks examined and cleaned..... | 7     |
| Number of flush tanks repaired.....             | 1     |

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| Bureau of Street Cleaning—                         |     |
| Number of loads of ashes collected.....            | 521 |
| Number of loads of street sweepings collected..... | 621 |
| Number of loads of light refuse collected.....     | 60  |
| Number of loads of garbage collected.....          | 269 |

## Statement of Laboring Force Employed.

| EIGHT HOURS CONSTITUTE ONE WORKING DAY. | BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS. |           | BUREAU OF SEWERS. |         | BUREAU OF STREET CLEANING. |         | BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES. |       | ENGINEER CORPS. |         | TOTAL. |           |
|---|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|---------|----------------------------|---------|---|-------|-----------------|---------|--------|-----------|
|   | No.                 | Days.     | No.               | Days.   | No.                        | Days.   | No.                                     | Days. | No.             | Days.   | No.    | Days.     |
| Foremen.....                            | 25                  | 16 3/4    | 2                 | 13      | 5                          | 39 1/2  | ...                                     | ...   | 3               | 18      | 35     | 23 3/4    |
| Assistant Foremen.....                  | ...                 | ...       | 3                 | 20 1/2  | ...                        | ...     | 1                                       | 6     | 4               | 26 1/2  | 7      | ...       |
| Foremen Asst. Section.....              | ...                 | ...       | 1                 | 7       | ...                        | ...     | ...                                     | ...   | ...             | ...     | ...    | ...       |
| Laborers.....                           | 138                 | 56 3/4    | 19                | 12 1/2  | 93                         | 506 1/2 | 1                                       | 6     | 9               | 54      | 260    | 1,245 3/4 |
| Laborers (Crematory).....               | ...                 | ...       | 4                 | 27      | ...                        | ...     | ...                                     | ...   | 4               | 27      | ...    | ...       |
| Carts.....                              | 19                  | 88 1/2    | 1                 | 5 1/2   | 12                         | 66 1/2  | ...                                     | ...   | 32              | 160 3/4 | ...    | ...       |
| Carts (garbage, etc.).....              | ...                 | ...       | 36                | 209     | ...                        | ...     | ...                                     | ...   | 36              | 209     | ...    | ...       |
| Sprinkling carts.....                   | 39                  | 75 1/2    | ...               | ...     | ...                        | ...     | ...                                     | ...   | 39              | 75 1/2  | ...    | ...       |
| Teams.....                              | 50                  | 188 1/4   | 2                 | 6       | 4                          | 13 1/2  | ...                                     | ...   | 6               | 36      | 61     | 244 1/4   |
| Drivers.....                            | 1                   | 7         | ...               | ...     | 1                          | 7       | ...                                     | ...   | ...             | 2       | 14     | ...       |
| Sweepers.....                           | ...                 | ...       | ...               | ...     | ...                        | ...     | ...                                     | ...   | ...             | 1       | 7      | ...       |
| Steam rollers.....                      | 1                   | 7 1/2     | ...               | ...     | ...                        | ...     | ...                                     | ...   | ...             | 2       | 14     | ...       |
| Janitors.....                           | ...                 | ...       | ...               | ...     | ...                        | ...     | 2                                       | 14    | ...             | ...     | 1      | 7         |
| Janitress.....                          | ...                 | ...       | ...               | ...     | ...                        | ...     | 1                                       | 7     | ...             | ...     | 1      | 7         |
| Female cleaners.....                    | ...                 | ...       | ...               | ...     | ...                        | ...     | 2                                       | 14    | ...             | ...     | 2      | 14        |
| Mechanics.....                          | 7                   | 38 1/2    | 1                 | 6 1/2   | ...                        | ...     | 2                                       | 14    | ...             | 10      | 58 1/2 | ...       |
| Mechanic's Helper.....                  | 2                   | 13        | ...               | ...     | 1                          | 7       | ...                                     | ...   | 3               | 20      | 6      | ...       |
| Mason's Helper.....                     | ...                 | ...       | ...               | ...     | 1                          | 6       | ...                                     | ...   | 1               | 6       | ...    | ...       |
| Labs., Acting Foremen.....              | ...                 | ...       | ...               | ...     | 2                          | 14 1/2  | ...                                     | ...   | 2               | 14 1/2  | ...    | ...       |
| Total.....                              | 282                 | 1,148 3/4 | 24                | 143 1/2 | 162                        | 917 1/2 | 10                                      | 68    | 19              | 114     | 497    | 2,391     |

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,  
NEW YORK, September 7, 1904.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor in the week ending Saturday, September 3, 1904.

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

| DATE.                 | NUMBER OF LICENSES. | AMOUNTS.   |
|-----------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Monday, Aug. 29, 1904 | 52                  | \$173 50   |
| Tuesday, " 30, "      | 109                 | 848 25     |
| Wednesday, " 31, "    | 241                 | 756 75     |
| Thursday, Sept. 1, "  | 73                  | 232 75     |
| Friday, " 2, "        | 68                  | 236 25     |
| Saturday, " 3, "      | Holi day.           |            |
| Total.....            | 543                 | \$2,247 50 |

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

|                       |           |            |
|-----------------------|-----------|------------|
| Monday, Aug. 29, 1904 | 77        | \$243 00   |
| Tuesday, " 30, "      | 41        | 231 00     |
| Wednesday, " 31, "    | 19        | 522 50     |
| Thursday, Sept. 1, "  | 23        | 76 00      |
| Friday, " 2, "        | 44        | 146 50     |
| Saturday, " 3, "      | Holi day. |            |
| Total.....            | 204       | \$1,289 00 |

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

|                       |           |         |
|-----------------------|-----------|---------|
| Monday, Aug. 29, 1904 | 6         | \$17 50 |
| Tuesday, " 30, "      | ..        | ....    |
| Wednesday, " 31, "    | 7         | 13 00   |
| Thursday, Sept. 1, "  | 6         | 22 00   |
| Friday, " 2, "        | 7         | 13 50   |
| Saturday, " 3, "      | Holi day. |         |
| Total.....            | 19        | \$53 00 |

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

|                       |           |         |
|-----------------------|-----------|---------|
| Monday, Aug. 29, 1904 | 7         | \$23 50 |
| Tuesday, " 30, "      | 4         | 11 00   |
| Wednesday, " 31, "    | 7         | 13 00   |
| Thursday, Sept. 1, "  | ..        | ....    |
| Friday, " 2, "        | 2         | 12 00   |
| Saturday, " 3, "      | Holi day. |         |
| Total.....            | 20        | \$59 50 |

JOHN P. CORRIGAN,  
Chief of Bureau of Licenses.COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.  
September 6—George W. C. Roberts, of No. 832 Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, has been transferred from the position of Keeper in the Department of Correction to that of Attendant in the Court of General Sessions, such transfer taking effect September 1, 1904.

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## CITY OFFICERS.

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Telephone, 1929 Cortlandt.

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JOHN H. O'BRIEN, Secretary.

G. TARLETON GOLDFTHWAITE, Assistant Secretary.

THOMAS HASSETT, Chief Clerk.

## Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Telephone, 706 Cortlandt.

JOHN P. CORRIGAN, Chief of Bureau.

Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall, GAETANO D'AMATO, Deputy Chief, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; DANIEL J. GRIFFIN, Deputy Chief, Borough of Brooklyn.

Branch Office, Richmond Building, New Brighton, S. I., WILLIAM R. WORL

The Bronx.  
One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott Avenue (Solingen Building).

CORNELIUS A. BUNNER, Chief Clerk.

Brooklyn.

No. 42 Court street.  
GEORGE RUSSELL, Chief Clerk.

Queens.

No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.  
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Richmond.

Staten Island Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, S. I.  
ALEXANDER M. ROSS, Chief Clerk.  
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WILLIAM M. BLAKE, Private Secretary.

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THOMAS H. O'NEIL, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of the Bronx, Crotona Park Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

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NICHOLAS J. HAYES, Fire Commissioner.  
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Telephone, 5331 Eighteenth.

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 First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jury;  
 First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of January, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of February, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of September, without a Jury;  
 Fourth Wednesday of October, without a Jury;  
 —All at the Court-house at Richmond.

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Mondays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Tuesdays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

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

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

## SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I.  
 Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 CHARLES J. McCORMACK, Sheriff.  
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## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## THE COURTS.

## APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.

## FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

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

## SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Courts open from 10:15 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12.  
 Special Term, Part II. (ex parte business), Room No. 15.  
 Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
 Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.  
 Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30.  
 Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad cases), Room No. 36.

Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 25.  
 Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 17.  
 Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 18.  
 Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 16.  
 Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 24.  
 Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23.  
 Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 33.  
 Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 31.  
 Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 32.  
 Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 22.  
 Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 34.  
 Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, VII., Room No. 26.

Appellate Term, Room No. 31.  
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.  
 Assignment Bureau, room on third floor.  
 Clerks in attendance, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 13.

Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex parte business), room southwest corner mezzanine floor.  
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, room southwest corner, second floor.

Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room northeast corner, second floor, east.  
 Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.

Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).

Criminal Court-house, Centre street.  
 Justices—CHARLES H. TRUAX, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR.; LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, JOHN J. FREEDMAN, P. HENRY DUGRO, HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE, JAMES FITZGERALD, DAVID LEVENTHIT, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, GEORGE C. BARRETT, JAMES A. BLANCHARD, JOHN PROCTOR CLARKE, SAMUEL GREENBAUM, EDWARD E. McCALL, EDWARD B. AMEND, VERNON M. DAVIS.

## SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

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

## CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
 Court opens at 10:30 A. M.  
 THOMAS L. HAMILTON, Clerk; EDWARD R. CARROLL, Special Deputy to the Clerk.  
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
 Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.  
 RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, MARTIN T. MCMAHON and WARREN W. FOSTER, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk. Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

General Term, Part I  
 Part II.  
 Part III.  
 Part IV.  
 Part V.

Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.

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 Justices—First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM E. WYATT, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLARD H. OLNSTED, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, LORENZ ZELLER, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.

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

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Clerk's Office, No. 172 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan EDMUND C. LEE, Clerk.

Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn. ROBERT J. WILKIN, Justice. JAMES P. SINNOTT, Clerk.

## CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

Courts open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

City Magistrates—ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN M. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, PETER P. BARLOW, MATTHEW P. BRENN, SEWARD BAKER, ALFRED G. OMNEN, CHARLES S. WHITMAN, JOSEPH MOSS.

PHILIP BLOCH, Secretary.

First District—Criminal Court Building.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 59 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

SECOND DIVISION.  
 Borough of Brooklyn.

City Magistrates—ALFRED E. STEERS, A. V. B. VOORHEES, JR., JAMES G. TIGHE, EDWARD J. DOOLEY, JOHN NAUMER, E. G. HIGGENBOTHAM, FRANK E. O'RIELLY, HENRY J. FURLONG.

President of Board, JAMES G. TIGHE, No. 184½ Bergen street.

Secretary to the Board, THOMAS D. OSBORN, West Eighth street, Coney Island.

First District—No. 318 Adams street.

Second District—Court and Butler streets.

Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.

Fourth District—Lee avenue and Clymer street.

Fifth District—Manhattan avenue and Powers street.

Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues.

Seventh District—Grant street (Flatbush).

Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Borough of Queens.

City Magistrates—MATTHEW J. SMITH, LUKE J. CONNORTON, EDMUND J. HEALY.

First District—Long Island City.

Second District—Flushing.

Third District—Far Rockaway.

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—JOHN CROAK, NATHANIEL MARSH.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.

Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

## MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island, and the Oyster Islands. New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.

HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.

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

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.

HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.

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

Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. ANDREW LANG Clerk.

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five wards). Court-room, No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 M.

Court opens 10 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

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

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

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room, in Court-house of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. Address, Elmhurst, New York.

WILLIAM RASQUIN, JR., Justice. HENRY WALTERS, Clerk.

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

Third District—Fourth and Fifth Wards, comprising the territory of the former towns and villages of Jamaica, Far Rockaway and Rockaway Beach.

CHARLES F. MC LAUGHLIN, Justice. GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Telephone, 189 Jamaica.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

HERMAN JOSSEPH, Justice.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings and return causes called at 9:30 A. M. Calendar trial causes, 10 A. M.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.

Trial days and Return days, each Court day.

JAMES W. MC LAUGHLIN, Justice.

HERN MERZBACH, Clerk.

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

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 112, ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF FIFTEENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN SEVENTY-FIRST AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 80, ON THE WEST SIDE OF WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET, 145 FEET SOUTH OF NEPTUNE AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 40 working days.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 132, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF CONSEYEA STREET, CORNER OF MANHATTAN AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 90 working days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 112, ON FIFTEENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN SEVENTY-FIRST AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$1,200 00  
Item 2..... 200 00  
Item 3..... 1,200 00  
Item 4..... 500 00

No. 6. ITEM 4, FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 47, ON PACIFIC STREET, BETWEEN THIRD AVENUE AND NEVINS STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

On Contracts Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contract No. 5 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and manner in which quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan; also at branch office, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings,  
SEPTEMBER 7, 1904.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 12, NO. 337 WEST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1, Building work..... \$1,500 00  
Item 2, Sanitary work..... 200 00  
Item 3, Heating work..... 1,500 00

Borough of Queens.

No. 2. FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITIONS TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 22, 37, 53 AND 54, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public Sch. 22, Item 1..... \$200 00  
Public Sch. 22, Item 2..... 200 00  
Public Sch. 37, Item 1..... 200 00  
Public Sch. 37, Item 2..... 250 00  
Public Sch. 53, Item 1..... 200 00  
Public Sch. 53, Item 2..... 275 00  
Public Sch. 54, Item 1..... 200 00  
Public Sch. 54, Item 2..... 275 00

On Contracts Nos. 1 and 2 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and manner in which quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan; also at branch office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings,  
AUGUST 31, 1904.

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, FIFTH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the President of the Borough of Queens at the above office, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1904.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND REPAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF THE MERRICK ROAD, FROM A POINT 2,050 FEET SOUTH OF LOCUST AVENUE TO THE EASTERN LINE OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FOURTH WARD.

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

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

22,000 square yards of macadam pavement.  
1,200 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

2,000 cubic yards of earth filling (to be furnished).

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND REPAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF BROADWAY, FLUSHING, FROM THE BROADWAY STATION TO BELL AVENUE, THIRD WARD.

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

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

On Contract Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11 and 14 the bids will be compared and the contracts awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contract Nos. 7, 12 and 13 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The time of completion is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, foot B. M., cubic yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the architects,

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan; also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

SEPTEMBER 7, 1904.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TEXT-BOOKS, MAPS, GLOBES, CHARTS, PICTURES, ETC., FOR THE DAY AND EVENING ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, DAY AND EVENING HIGH SCHOOLS AND TRAINING SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,000 best Maine granite monuments.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereto annexed, per yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as bids will be read from the total.

The bidder will compare and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

24,000 square yards of macadam pavement.

2,000 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid as foundation or in approaches, etc.

4,000 cubic yards of earth filling (to be furnished).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE THOUSAND (1,000) BEST MAINE GRANITE MONUMENTS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,000 best Maine granite monuments.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereto annexed, per yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as bids will be read from the total.

The bidder will compare and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President.

JOSPH CASSIDY,

President of the Borough of Queens.

DATED SEPTEMBER 7, 1904.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 3 o'clock P. M., on

Messrs. Renwick, Aspinwall & Owen, No. 367 Fifth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,

Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 1, 1904.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 3 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904.

FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF THE PLUMBING AND GA-FITTING FOR A PUBLIC COMFORT STATION AT THE INTERSECTION OF EAST BROADWAY AND GRAND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the contract is one hundred and twenty-five (125) working days.

The amount of security is two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the architects, Messrs. Renwick, Aspinwall & Owen, No. 367 Fifth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,

Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 1, 1904.

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BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

ARMORY BOARD, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Mayor, Chairman of the Armory Board, in The City of New York, until 2 P. M.,

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR MAKING AND COMPLETING THE REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE SEVERAL ARMORIES OF THE ORGANIZATIONS OF THE N. G. N. Y. IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, AS FOLLOWS:

No. 1. SQUALRON "A" ARMORY.

Security required, Three Thousand Dollars.

Deposit to be made with the bid, One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Time allowed for doing the work, 70 working days.

No. 2. ARMORIES OF THE EIGHTH REGIMENT, TWELFTH REGIMENT, TWENTY-SECOND REGIMENT, SQUADRON "A," in Manhattan; FOURTEEN H REGIMENT, and TWENTY-THIRD REGIMENT, in

of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.  
MARTIN W. LITTLETON,  
President.

Dated AUGUST 30, 1904. 57,21

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock A.M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF BAY FIFTEENTH STREET, from Cropsey avenue to Eighty-sixth street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

9,140 square yards of macadam pavement.  
4,290 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

1,130 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,250 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

1,440 square yards of brick gutter pavement on a concrete foundation.

370 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING TENTH AVENUE, from Seventy-ninth street to Eighty-sixth street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

9,430 cubic yards of earth excavation.

4,349 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON AMBOY STREET, from East New York avenue to Sutter avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,710 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

557 cubic yards of earth excavation.

372 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

134 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

11,365 square feet of cement sidewalks.

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

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BRISTOL STREET, from East New York avenue to Hunterly road.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,616 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

749 cubic yards of earth excavation.

5,651 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

230 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

21,650 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING EAST TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Cortelyou road to Dorchester road.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,200 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

70 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

1,510 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

63 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FOURTEENTH AVENUE, from Sixty-ninth street to Seventy-fifth street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,900 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

3,030 cubic yards of earth excavation.

140 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

11,925 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FIFTEENTH AVENUE, from Sixty-ninth street to Seventy-fifth street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,120 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

200 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

500 square feet of old flagstones, to be relaid.

17,800 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HUMBOLDT STREET, from Stagg street to Mesoole street.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,410 square yards of granite block pavement, with tar and gravel joints.

10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

280 cubic yards of concrete.

820 linear feet of new curbstone.

40 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, to be reset.

174 square feet of new granite bridgestones.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF SIXTIETH STREET, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

14,485 cubic yards earth excavation.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is one hundred (100) days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, foot B.M., square yard, cubic yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock A.M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904.

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## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

### INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1904, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 37).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from October 15, 1904, to November 1, 1904.

The interest due November 1, 1904, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due November 1, 1904, on Coupon Bonds of other Corporations now included in the City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 1, 1904.

Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 2 P.M., and on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before August 22, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liable to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 1, 1904.

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NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF THE SALE of lands and tenements within that part of The City of New York known as the Borough of Manhattan, for unpaid taxes and unpaid Croton Water rents, advertised to be held on Friday, September 2, 1904, is postponed to Thursday, March 2, 1905, pursuant to Section 1029 of the Greater New York Charter.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

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### INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE OCTOBER 1, 1904, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 37).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from September 15 to October 1, 1904.

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EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 1, 1904.

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### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, NEW YORK, September 1, 1904.

TAXPAYERS WHO DESIRE TO OBTAIN their bills, promptly should make immediate written requisition (blanks may be procured in the borough offices), stating their property by Section or Ward, Block and Lot or Map number, making copy of same from their bills of last year.

If a taxpayer is assessed for personal tax, the requisition should also request bill for such tax.

Each requisition should be accompanied by an envelope bearing the proper address of the applicant, AND WITH RETURN POSTAGE PREPAID.

In case of any doubt in regard to Ward, Section, Block or Lot number, taxpayers should take their bills to the Department of Taxes and Assessments and have their property located on the maps of that Department and forward to the Deputy Receiver of Taxes with the requisition a certified memorandum of their property, which will be furnished by the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Taxpayers in this manner will receive their bills returned by mail at the earliest possible moment and avoid any delay caused by waiting on lines, as required in case of personal application.

The requisition must be addressed and mailed to the Deputy Receiver of Taxes in whichever borough the property is located, as follows:

JOHN J. McDONOUGH, No. 57 Chambers street, Borough of Manhattan, New York.

JOHN B. UNDERHILL, corner Third and Tremont avenues, Borough of The Bronx, New York.

JACOB S. VAN WYCK, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, New York.

FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN, corner Jackson and Fifth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, New York.

JOHN DE MORGAN, Bay and Sand streets, Stapleton, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond, New York.

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The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 210 calendar days.  
The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.  
Deliveries will be required to be made at the time and in the manner specified.

## CONTRACT NO. 8-0.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING ABOUT 10,000 CUBIC YARDS ON THE NORTH, EAST AND HARLEM RIVERS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of September 30, 1905.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Dredging will be required to be done at the time and in the manner specified.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,

Commissioner of Docks.

Dated AUGUST 27, 1904. a31,813

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

## THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1904.

## Borough of Manhattan.

## CONTRACT NO. 8-3.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A NEW DECK SCOW AND A NEW COAL SCOW.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 120 calendar days.

The amount of security required is for—

Class I., the sum of \$2,000.

Class II., the sum of \$2,000.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner specified.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,

Commissioner of Docks.

Dated AUGUST 26, 1904. a27,88

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER A, NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, MARCH 31, 1904.

THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE amounts of bonds required on contracts awarded by this Department, as follows:

On all contracts for supplies, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is not over \$200,000, 40 percent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$200,000, but not over \$1,000,000, 25 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 20 per cent. of the estimated cost.

CHARLES J. COLLINS,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M., on

## THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1904.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STANDARD QUALITY VITRIFIED SEWER PIPE AT SUNSET PARK IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the delivery of the article will be fifteen working days.

The security required will be One Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

JOHN J. PALLAS, President;  
WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated AUGUST 26, 1904. a26,88

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M., on

## THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1904.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR ASPHALTING VARIOUS WALKS AND ROADWAYS IN PARKS AND PARKWAYS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work and furnishing the materials will be 60 working days.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS TO LAY CEMENT SIDE-WALKS AROUND CARROLL PARK, PROSPECT PARK AND HIGHLAND BOULEVARD, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work and furnishing the materials will be thirty working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS TO COMPLETE A TIMBER JETTY ON THE BEACH AT CONEY ISLAND, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work and furnishing the materials will be 90 working days.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

The contracts must be bid for separately. The bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract. Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

JOHN J. PALLAS, President;  
WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated AUGUST 26, 1904. a25,88

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1904.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR WORK AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CLEANING THE LAKE IN PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, OF ALL REFUSE, WEEDS, ETC.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be 30 consecutive working days.

The security required will be Five Thousand Dollars. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

JOHN J. PALLAS, President;  
WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1904.

## Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 4.

FOR WORK AND MATERIALS FOR ERCTION AND COMPLETION OF THE LIBRARY STACK WORK IN THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY, ASTOR, LEXON AND TILDEN FOUNDATIONS, FIFTH AVENUE, FORITETH AND FORTY-SECOND STREETS.

The security required will be One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

The time allowed for doing and completing the first section of the work will be six (6) calendar months after notice to begin work at the building has been given by the architects, and for section 2 the time shall be 6 months after notice to begin work at the building shall have been given by the architects.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan, and also at the office of the architects, Carrere & Hastings, No. 28 East Forty-first street.

JOHN J. PALLAS, President;  
WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated AUGUST 8, 1904. a10,822

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

## CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

## TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said Acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 138, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated NEW YORK CITY, March 26, 1904.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,  
CHARLES A. JACKSON,  
OSCAR S. BAILEY,  
Commissioners.

LAMONT MCLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NO. 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF ALL competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will close. Applications will be received for only such examinations as are scheduled.

When an examination is advertised, a person desiring to compete in the same may obtain an application blank upon request made in writing, or by personal application at the office of the Commission.

All notices of examinations will be posted in the office of the Commission, City Hall, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, and advertised in the CITY RECORD for two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications will close for any stated position.

Public notice will also be given by advertisement in the City papers.

Whenever an examination is of a technical character, due notice is given by advertisement in the technical journals appertaining to the particular profession for which the examination is called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers as matters of news, and to the General Postoffice and stations thereof. The scope of the examination will be stated, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Unless otherwise specifically stated, the minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

12-24-03

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NO. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK CITY, August 19, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions:

GARDENER—MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Tuesday, September 6, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Technical. ....

Experience. ....

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Experience. ....

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Percentage required, 75 on technical paper, and 70 on total. The salary attached to this position is \$75 per month. The minimum age is 21.

INSPECTOR OF REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING—WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, September 7, 1904, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Technical. ....

Mathematics. ....

Report. ....

Experience. ....

Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.

The salary attached to this position is from \$3.50 to \$4.00 per day.

The minimum age is 21.

LIBRARIAN IN CHARGE (Men and Women)—THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, September 8, 1904, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Special Paper. ....

Arithmetic. ....

Experience. ....

The minimum age is 21.

The percentage required is 70.

BOOKKEEPER—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1904, AT 10 A. M. (Open to Men and Women).

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, September 8, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

Special paper. ....

Arithmetic. ....

Letter. ....



