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### PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

#### Weekly Calendar of Hearings.

The following hearings will be held during the week commencing Monday, January 24, 1910:

Monday, January 24—11 a. m.—Room 305.—CITY OF NEW YORK AND BRADLEY CONTRACTING Co.—“Arbitrations (Nos. 2, 3 and 4) of determination of Chief Engineer.”—H. H. Whitman of Counsel.  
2:30 p. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1197.—NASSAU ELECTRIC RAILROAD COMPANY.—“Application of City of New York as to opening New Utrecht Avenue, Eighth Avenue and Tenth Avenue, Brooklyn, across Company's tracks.”—Commissioner McCarroll.  
2:30 p. m.—Room 310.—Case No. 1209.—NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD Co. AND INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY.—“Emission of water and cinders from engines on elevated tracks on Eighth Avenue near Putnam Bridge.”—Commissioner Eustis.  
2:30 p. m.—Committee Room, 14th floor.—Case No. 1134.—CONEY ISLAND AND BROOKLYN RAILROAD COMPANY.—Jonas Monheimer, Complainant.—“Five cent fare from New York to Coney Island on week days.”—Commissioner Bassett.  
3:30 p. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1196.—NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD Co.—“Application of City of New York as to opening West 135th Street across Company's tracks.”—Commissioner Maltbie.  
Tuesday, January 25—2:30 p. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1185.—NEW YORK CITY INTERBOROUGH RAILWAY COMPANY.—“Application for abandonment of portions of route on West 238th Street, E. 200th Street, Decatur Avenue, Intervale Avenue and Wilkins Place.”—Commissioner Eustis.  
2:30 p. m.—Room 310.—Case No. 1048.—CONEY ISLAND AND BROOKLYN RAILROAD COMPANY.—“Rehearing as to fenders and wheelguards.”—Commissioner Maltbie.  
Wednesday, January 26—2:00 p. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1181.—THIRD AVENUE RAILROAD COMPANY.—“Application of Bondholders' Committee for approval of issue of securities under second reorganization plan.”—Chairman Willcox and Commissioner Maltbie.  
2:30 p. m.—Room 310.—Case No. 1206.—SOUTH BROOKLYN RAILWAY COMPANY, AND BROOKLYN, QUEENS COUNTY AND SUBURBAN RAILROAD COMPANY.—“Hearing under Order No. 615 as to service on the Reid Avenue Surface line.”—Commissioner Bassett.  
Thursday, January 27—2:15 p. m.—Commissioner Maltbie's Room.—Case No. 1174.—KINGS COUNTY ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY.—“Application for approval of issue of convertible debenture bonds for \$5,000,000.”—Commissioner Maltbie.  
2:30 p. m.—Room 310.—Case No. 1109.—CONEY ISLAND AND BROOKLYN RAILROAD COMPANY.—“Rehearing upon application for \$372,000 bond issue.”—Commissioner Bassett.  
2:30 p. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1211.—INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY.—“Express service on subway lines.”—Commissioner Eustis.  
4:00 p. m.—Room 310.—Case No. 1149.—LONG ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY.—“Application for discontinuance and relocation of Gaston Avenue Station, Arverne.”—Commissioner Bassett.  
Friday, January 28—2:00 p. m.—Room 305.—Case No. 1161.—NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY AND NEW YORK AND HANSON RAILROAD COMPANY.—Taxpayers' Alliance of the Borough of the Bronx, Complainant.—“Train service in the Bronx and rates of fare.”—Commissioner Eustis.

Saturday, January 29—10:30 a. m.—Room 305.—CITY OF NEW YORK AND CRANFORD COMPANY.—“Arbitration of determination of Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer.”—H. H. Whitman of Counsel.

Regular meetings of the Commission are held every Tuesday and Friday at 11:30 p. m., in Room 310.

### ART COMMISSION.

#### Minutes of Meeting Held Tuesday, January 11, 1910.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF ART COMMISSION HELD AT ITS OFFICES, ROOM 21, CITY HALL, ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 11, 1910, AT 4 O'CLOCK P. M.

Present—Hon. William J. Gaynor, Mayor; Commissioners de Forest, Healy, Brunner, Russell, Adams, Pratt, Halsey and Jones.

The President presented to the Commission the Hon. William J. Gaynor, who, as Mayor of The City of New York, became a member of the Art Commission on January 1, succeeding the Hon. George B. McClellan.

The meeting was called to order by his Honor, Mayor Gaynor.

A communication was presented from Mr. Robert Adamson, Secretary to his Honor the Mayor, announcing the appointment of Mr. Francis C. Jones, painter, to succeed Mr. Frank D. Millett, painter, and of Mr. R. T. H. Halsey, layman, to succeed Mr. John B. Pine, layman, whose terms of office expired December 31, 1909.

The Commission proceeded to organize and elect officers for the ensuing year with the following result: Robert W. de Forest, President; Arnold W. Brunner, Vice-President, and Charles Howland Russell, Secretary.

On communication from Commissioner Bigelow, explaining his absence, he was excused.

The President's report was presented stating that the following Committees had been appointed since the last meeting, December 28:

#### Submission 1023.

Sea View Hospital Buildings—Commissioners Brunner (Chairman), Healy and Russell. Appointed December 30, 1909.

#### Submission 1024.

Sage Pathological Institute—Commissioners Brunner (Chairman), de Forest and Pratt. Appointed December 30, 1909.

#### Submission 1025.

Children's Hospital Park Layout—Commissioners Brunner (Chairman), Russell and Pratt. Appointed December 30, 1909.

#### Submission 1016.

The Committee on One Hundred and Forty-third Street Public Bath reported that the submission had been withdrawn.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

#### Submission 1023.

The Committee on Sea View Hospital Buildings recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. Robert W. Heberd, Commissioner of Public Charities, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

#### Certificate 966.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and locations of four buildings for the Sea View Hospital on Staten Island, represented by Exhibits “189-Y,” “189-Z,” “189-AA,” “189-AB,” “189-AC,” “189-AD,” “189-AE,” “189-AF,” “189-AG,” “189-AH,” “189-AI,” “189-AJ,” “189-AK,” “189-AL,” “189-AM,” “189-AN,” “189-AO,” “189-AP,” “189-AQ,” “189-AR,” “189-AS,” “189-AT,” “189-AU,” “189-AV,” “189-AW” and “189-AX,” of record in this matter, and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Michael J. Drummond, Commissioner of Public Charities.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

#### Submission 1024.

The Committee on Sage Pathological Institute recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. Robert W. Heberd, Commissioner of Public Charities, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

#### Certificate 967.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of the north pavilion of the Sage Pathological Institute on Blackwells Island, represented by Exhibits “437-F,” “437-G” and “437-H,” of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Michael J. Drummond, Commissioner of Public Charities.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

#### Submission 1025.

Mr. Raymond F. Almiral, the architect, appeared before the Commission, at the request of Commissioner Drummond, and explained the designs.

The Committee on Children's Hospital Park Layout recommended that action be postponed.

On motion, the report of the Committee was adopted and action postponed.

#### Submission 1001.

Mr. Samuel B. Parsons, landscape architect for the Department of Parks, appeared before the Commission and was heard.

The Committee on Morningside Park Fence recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. Henry Smith, Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, be disapproved without prejudice to a new submission.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

#### Certificate 968.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby disapproves the designs for a fence around Morningside Park, Manhattan, represented by Exhibits “56-H,” “56-I,” “56-J,” “56-K,” “56-L,” “56-M” and “56-N,” of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Charles B. Stover, Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was directed to notify Commissioner Stover that these designs were disapproved without prejudice to a new submission.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

#### Submission 1005.

Mr. C. B. J. Snyder, Superintendent of School Buildings, appeared before the Commission and explained the designs.

The Committee on Boys' High School Addition recommended that the designs submitted by Mr. C. B. J. Snyder, Superintendent of School Buildings, be approved.



On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Certificate 969.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs for an addition to the Boys' High School, Brooklyn, represented by exhibits "400-E," "400-F," "400-G," "400-H," "400-I," "400-J," "400-K," "400-L," "400-M," "400-N" and "400-O," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Mr. C. B. J. Snyder, Superintendent of School Buildings.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

On motion, the salary of J. Q. Adams, the Assistant Secretary, was increased to the rate of \$3,600 per annum, and the salary of Alice S. Clark, Stenographer, was increased to the rate of \$1,350 per annum. These increases are to take effect January 1, 1910.

The President appointed the following Committees:

Relocation of Portraits, Brooklyn Borough—Commissioners Jones (Chairman), Healy and Pratt.

Quarters and Staff—Commissioners de Forest (Chairman), Brunner and Russell.

Catalogue of Works of Art Belonging to the City—Commissioners de Forest (Chairman), Brunner, Russell and Healy.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, Assistant Secretary.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York Held December 28, 1909.

Present—Commissioners John A. Bense, President; Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw.

MINUTES.

The minutes of December 21, 22 and 24, 1909, were read and approved.

FINANCIAL MATTERS.

The following bills were approved and ordered forwarded to the Comptroller for payment:

Voucher No.	In Favor of.	Amount.
CONTRACTS.		
155	Stewart-Kerbaugh-Shanley Company, Estimate 15, Contract 11.	\$17,134 82
156	Phoenix Construction Company, assignee of American Diamond Rock Drill Company, Estimate 28, Contract 1.	504 00
157	Glyndon Contracting Company Estimate 6, Contract 23.	23,694 75
158	The J. W. Pratt Company, Estimate 4, Contract E.	121 68
159	MacArthur Bros. Company and Winston & Co., Estimate 20, Contract 3.	164,667 06
160	Goldman & Steinberg Printing Company, Estimate 1 and Final, Contract D.	1,668 74
OPEN MARKET ORDERS.		
1808	Abendroth Brothers.	176 62
1809	Babylon Electric Light Company.	2 85
1810	Badger Fire Extinguisher Company.	56 00
1811	F. A. Baker & Co.	25 20
1812	A. R. Barker.	6 05
1813	Asbury Barker.	1 14
1814	George W. Benham, Agent and Warden of Auburn Prison.	27 86
1815	Mrs. Jacob W. Bennett.	13 50
1816	Borne, Scrymser Company.	18 40
1817	Boyd's City Dispatch.	11 36
1818	F. E. Brandis Sons & Co.	13 05
1819	E. C. Bridgman.	132 89
1820	Martin B. Brown Company.	24 00
1821	Buff & Buff Manufacturing Company.	91 70
1822	Mrs. John Bulman.	151 50
1823	T. J. Callahan.	9 50
1824	F. M. Camp.	82 30
1825	Challenge Company.	1 50
1826	Myron C. Clark Publishing Company.	5 00
1827	Clarke & Baker Company.	394 96
1828	Amos H. Cocks.	10 00
1829	The Columbia Towel Supply Company.	11 50
1830	G. F. Coombs.	5 00
1831	John Coons.	1 00
1832	Crandall Packing Company.	16 25
1833	The Crescent Towel Supply.	51 48
1834	Crucible Steel Company of America.	757 92
1835	N. Dain's Sons Company.	35 05
1836	Frank Davis & Co.	5 61
1837	Frederick Davis.	12 60
1838	C. Deutermann & Son.	2 50
1839	W. M. Dibbell.	44 20
1840	Eugene Dietzgen Company.	163 89
1841	Elliott Fisher Company.	2 25
1842	Levi Elmendorf.	5 50
1843	James H. English & Son.	23 75
1844	Everett & Treadwell Company.	172 60
1845	Mrs. W. S. Everts.	31 00
1846	The Fairbanks Company.	9 83
1847	Finn Bros.	12 00
1848	Follett Time Recording Company.	2 27
1849	Schoverling, Daly & Gales.	30 00
1850	John Fox & Co.	84 88
1851	Franklin Automobile Company.	5 25
1852	Frost & Seager.	9 50
1853	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	1 86
1854	Hasbrouck & Weissmiller.	49 15
1855	George A. Hass.	18 20
1856	Herring, Hall, Marvin Safe Company.	177 50
1857	Honk Falls Power Company.	15 30
1858	Hudson Counties Gas and Electric Company.	9 02
1859	George E. Johnston.	83 52
1860	Kanouse Mountain Water Company (Inc.).	32 10
1861	The Kennedy Valve and Manufacturing Company.	27 50
1862	Keuffel & Esser Company.	1 56
1863	Kolesch & Co.	292 80
1864	Krystaleid Water Company.	4 50
1865	William Lawson.	9 00
1866	Library Bureau.	42 06
1867	The Locomobile Company of America.	20 45
1868	Mail and Express Job Print (Inc.).	263 28
1869	John B. Mallon & Sons.	7 74
1870	Manhattan Electrical Supply Company.	3 90
1871	Mathews & North.	9 80
1872	James Millard & Son.	18 15
1873	Charles E. Miller.	381 47
1874	Motley-Green & Co. (Inc.).	165 69
1875	Abram S. Mowell.	27 50
1876	J. S. Mundy.	8 00
1877	M. A. Murray & Son.	2 27

Voucher No.	In Favor of.	Amount.
1878	George E. McCoy.	11 40
1879	A. McIlravy.	4 75
1880	McMillan & Hale.	5 81
1881	McNab & Harlin Manufacturing Company.	59 71
1882	The New York Edison Company.	1 50
1883	H. Opperman.	2 60
1884	S. C. Ougheltree.	50 00
1885	C. A. Perkins.	10 25
1886	Po'keepsie Ice Company.	2 40
1887	W. H. Powell.	1 50
1888	J. J. Roake & Son.	3 25
1889	Geo. I. Roberts & Bros.	52 85
1890	H. C. Robinson.	4 00
1891	Horace Sague & Son.	31 92
1892	Saks & Co.	25 00
1893	H. Smith & Son.	8 00
1894	Thomas Snyder.	4 77
1895	The Standard Motor Construction Company.	10 58
1896	Standard Oil Company of New York.	98 48
1897	Charles Stock & Co.	225 00
1898	Sumpawams Water Works Company.	10 00
1899	C. G. Swackhamer.	103 25
1900	The Taft-Howell Company.	5 80
1901	Tower Manufacturing and Novelty Company.	16 50
1902	Underwood Typewriter Company, Incorporated.	33 40
1903	Union Paper Company.	5 05
1904	United Manufacturers.	9 00
1905	John VanKleeck.	4 00
1906	Village of Cornwall Water Works.	80 08
1907	John Wanamaker, New York.	52 60
1908	The Weiss & Klau Company.	27 76
1909	Fred. D. Westbrook.	11 90
1910	Westchester Lighting Company.	8 85
1911	Glen Wickes.	72 94
1912	Chas. G. Willoughby.	38 30
1913	L. S. Winne & Co.	1 00
1914	The Winton Motor Carriage Company.	22 39
1915	R. Young Brothers Coal Company.	54 83
1916	Hudson Counties Gas and Electric Company.	2 00
1917	Crane Company.	175 10
1918	Hasbrouck & Weissmiller.	270 00
1919	Keasbey & Mattison Company.	70 50
1920	Manning, Maxwell & Moore, Incorporated.	189 30
1921	Poughkeepsie Light, Heat and Power Company.	15 32
1922	Charles Stock & Co.	465 00
1923	A. S. Spalding & Bros.	2 80
1924	Forsyth & Davis.	10 00
1925	Charles Hart.	140 00
1926	The Jeaneville Iron Works Company.	1,137 60
1927	Knickerbocker Blue Print Company.	39 11
1928	The Geo. H. Tyrell Company, Incorporated.	255 03
1929	Mathews & North.	275 30
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Expenses Incurred in Acquisition of Property.		
3741	J. Howard Carpenter.	134 71
3742	Gerald Fitzgerald.	125 00
3792	Henry T. Dykman.	4,550 00
3793	George Bernard.	74 63
3794	Henry H. Berry.	500 00
3795	W. R. Cox.	59 50
3796	Margaret Davis.	40 30
3797	Edwin W. Fiske.	120 00
3798	Charles H. Munch.	640 00
3799	Rodgers, Ruso & Kelly.	37 68
3800	E. A. Wood.	69 00
GENERAL BILLS.		
3738	Geo. M. Shotwell.	738 20
3739	Hudson River Telephone Company.	24 90
3740	The New York Press, New York Press Company, Limited, publishers.	240 00
3746	Abram J. Avery.	15 00
3747	Jacob Beesmer & Bro., assignee of Eugene Every.	20 40
3748	Jacob Beesmer & Bro., assignee of Alice Kelly.	22 80
3749	Herbert Bell.	45 00
3750	Peter Burgher.	45 00
3751	Edwin G. Comstock, assignee of Milton J. Bell.	18 00
3752	George Flowers.	15 00
3753	Alice Furman.	70 13
3754	Bertha Johnson.	45 00
3755	Walter Lee, assignee of Augusta Pearson.	15 00
3756	Walter Lee, assignee of Laura Van Tassel.	33 00
3757	T. S. Lennox, assignee of Charles Jones.	60 00
3758	Delancy N. Mathews, assignee of Saul Markle.	80 20
3759	Alvina Meeks.	15 00
3760	Jacob V. Merrihew, assignee of John Bell.	30 00
3761	James McMillin.	70 20
3762	George Scribner.	54 00
3763	Daniel Slover, assignee of Mrs. A. Coons.	18 00
3764	John VanKleeck, assignee of Alvina G. Honson.	51 00
3765	Dr. Edison Card.	250 00
3766	David L. Chadeayne.	75 00
3767	Josiah H. Clark.	45 00
3768	John N. Cordts.	43 00
3769	Catherine J. Evans.	120 00
3770	Hasbrouck & Sloan.	30 00
3771	Helena Pagenstecher.	300 00
3772	Poughkeepsie Trust Company.	166 66
3773	Theodore F. Tompkins.	60 00
3774	White Plains Realty Company.	175 00
3775	Fred K. Betts.	82 80
3776	Carleton E. Davis.	246 72
3777	Alfred D. Flinn.	60 48
3778	George G. Honness.	32 65
3779	James F. Sanborn.	16 42
3780	George T. Seabury.	9 65
3781	Merritt H. Smith.	26 94
3782	Wilson Fitch Smith.	50 35
3783	Charles E. Wells.	10 58
3784	Frank E. Winsor.	56 20
3785	William W. Brush.	39 23
3786	Ernst Jonson.	127 20
3787	Edmund J. Maurer.	23 56
3788	"Kingston Daily Express."	22 62
3789	"New York American."	300 00
3790	"The Sun."	224 00
3791	L. B. Stebbins.	45 74
3801	Lawrence C. Brink.	41 96
3802	"The Engineering Record."	12 00



Voucher. No.	In Favor of.	Amount.
3803	"Kingston Freeman" .....	17 94
3804	"The Kingston Daily Leader," The Leader Company, publishers	18 90
3805	Charles W. Leavitt, Jr. ....	10 80
3806	"The Morning Telegraph," The Morning Telegraph Company, publishers .....	136 80
3807	J. M. S. Millette, as Chief Clerk .....	334 61
3808	"New York Herald," New York Herald Company, publishers..	415 20
3809	Robert Ridgway .....	80 93
3810	St. Luke's Hospital .....	15 00
3811	Alexander Thomson .....	50 86
3812	"The New York Tribune," The Tribune Association, publishers	431 20
3813	L. White .....	37 21
3814	T. S. Lennox, assignee of Millie J. Silkworth .....	63 00
3815	"New York American" .....	494 00
3816	"The Evening Mail" .....	144 00
3817	"The Sun" .....	132 00

## AGREEMENTS.

3743	Ingersoll-Rand Company, Certificate 8, Agreement 73 .....	3,700 00
3744	Sprague & Henwood, Certificate 6, Agreement 74 .....	2,717 00
3745	Arthur L. Washburne, Certificate 4, Agreement 75 .....	528 64

ASHOKAN RESERVOIR, SECTION No. 3, SECOND SEPARATE REPORT.

## Awards.

3818	Parcel 123a, John Hogan, owner, or Farmers' Loan and Trust Company .....	7,105 91
3819	Part of Parcel 131, Lavina P. Miller, owner, or Farmers' Loan and Trust Company .....	16,043 43
3820	Balance of Parcel 131, John Pollypeon, assignee of Lavina P. Miller, or Farmers' Loan and Trust Company .....	566 31

## Counsel Fees of Parcel Owners.

3821	Parcel 123a, Arthur A. Brown, attorney .....	305 85
3822	Parcel 123a, Elting & Darrow, attorneys .....	15 00
3823	Parcel 131, Arthur A. Brown, attorney .....	725 63
3824	Parcel 131, A. T. Clearwater, attorney .....	24 37

## Expenses and Disbursements of Parcel Owners.

3825	Parcel 123a, John Hogan, owner .....	119 00
3826	Parcel 131, Lavina P. Miller, owner .....	122 00
3827	Parcel 131, John Pollypeon .....	20 00

## PAYROLLS.

207	Commissioners, December, 1909 .....	3,000 00
208	Administration Bureau, December, 1909 .....	6,902 99
209	Miners, week ended December 15, 1909 .....	4,094 18
210	Police Bureau, December, 1909 .....	12,779 90
211	Laborers, week ended December 15, 1909 .....	3,452 56
212	Engineering Bureau, December, 1909 .....	76,926 60
213	Chas. W. Leavitt, Jr. ....	600 00
214	Elting Harp .....	103 00

\$369,438 29

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

The following weekly financial statement (10878) was read and filed: Amount of Corporate Stock authorized to be issued, pur- suant to chapter 724, Laws of 1905, in accordance with resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment between June 16, 1905, and February 26, 1909 .....			\$101,402,000 00
Dec. 27.	Premium on sale of \$13,779,100 Water Bonds ..	226,563 90	
	Miscellaneous revenue .....	3,773 04	
			\$101,632,336 94
Dec. 27.	Vouchers registered from June 9, 1905, to December 27, 1909, inclusive—		
	1 to 9403, general .....	\$6,787,687 21	
	1 to 160, contracts .....	7,233,716 58	
	1 to 1929, open market orders ..	182,825 28	
	1 to 3827, miscellaneous .....	2,803,417 64	
	1 to 214, payrolls .....	1,592,133 18	
			\$18,599,779 89
	Registered contract liabilities .....	\$46,860,558 16	
	Estimated liabilities under special agreements .....	397,542 52	
	Liability, acquisition of property by condemnation proceedings and other expenses incidental thereto .....	893,420 95	
	Estimated liabilities on open mar- ket orders .....	98,554 89	
	All other liabilities, miscellane- ous, etc. ....	7,468 00	
			48,257,544 52
			66,857,324 41
Dec. 28	Amount available .....		\$34,775,012 53

## CIVIL SERVICE MATTERS.

## Appointments.

Commissioner Bensel reported that on December 22, 1909, he appointed the follow-  
ing men to the position of Miner, with compensation at the rate of \$3 per day (50  
cents additional per day when working in shafts), to take effect upon assignment to  
duty by the Chief Engineer (10854):

Erwin R. Douglas, Cold Spring, N. Y.  
Thomas Brennan, Cold Spring, N. Y.

On December 23, 1909, pursuant to the recommendation of the Chief Engineer in  
his communication 3952, December 10, 1909 (10292), Agnes R. Gillette, No. 642 West  
One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, was appointed to the position of Cataloguer,  
with compensation at the rate of \$900 per annum, to take effect upon assignment to  
duty by the Chief Engineer.

Commissioner Shaw reported the following actions taken by him:

On December 22, 1909, pursuant to authority granted in the communication of the  
Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated December 22, 1909 (10257), the emergency  
appointment of Daniel Shefflin, Clerk, No. 5 East One Hundred and Sixth street, was  
continued, pending the result of the non-competitive examination recently ordered for  
Shefflin, in accordance with Civil Service Rule XII, paragraph 3, with compensation  
at the rate of \$300 per annum.

A communication was received from the Municipal Civil Service Commission,  
dated December 23, 1909 (10601), approving the appointment of William J. Lloyd,  
Caretaker.

On December 23, 1909, the following eligible list was disposed of to the Municipal  
Civil Service Commission:

Date of list, December 8; position, Cataloguer; compensation, \$900 per annum;  
place of assignment, Headquarters Department; file number, 10292.

On December 23, 1909, the Mayor was requested to consent to the transfer to  
this Board of Benjamin S. Swann, Clerk, at \$1,050 per annum (10800).

On December 22, 1909, the following appointment was rescinded:  
Date of appointment, November 24, name, John C. Kelly; position, Patrolman;  
cause, failed to report for duty; file number, 9620.

## Change of Title.

A communication was received from the Municipal Civil Service Commission,  
dated December 21, 1909 (10635), granting the request of this Board for authority to  
change the title of Theodore A. Snedeker from Financial Clerk to Clerk. Such change  
was made December 24, 1909, to take effect January 1, 1910.

A communication was received from the Municipal Civil Service Commission,  
dated December 23, 1909 (10757), stating that the application for the change of titles  
of the Chief and Deputy Chief of Patrolmen to Inspector, with compensation at the  
rate of \$3,500 per annum, was laid on the table by said Commission December 22,  
1909. Commissioner Shaw called attention to the advertisement in the CITY RECORD at  
a public hearing on this application to be held before said Commission December 29,  
1909, 10 a. m.

## Promotions.

On motion, the salary of William H. Burr, Consulting Engineer, was fixed at the  
rate of \$8,000 per annum, to take effect January 1, 1910.

On December 23, 1909, pursuant to the recommendation of the Chief Engineer in  
his communication 3979, December 21, 1909 (10792), the salary of Richard J. Gebert,  
Clerk, was increased from \$600 per annum, to \$900 per annum, to take effect im-  
mediately.

The following increases of salaries were made, to take effect January 1, 1910:

Samuel Solonsky, Clerk, \$480 to \$540 per annum.  
Joseph F. X. McCarthy, Clerk, \$600 to \$900 per annum.

## Leaves of Absence.

The following leaves of absence, without pay, were granted:

December 24, George Beasley, Patrolman, 3 p. m., December 21, to 3 p. m., January  
21, 1910; personal business; file number, 10819.

December 22, Edward J. Fugelsang, Patrolman, 12 noon, December 3, to 12 noon,  
December 27; personal business; file number, 10776.

December 22, John J. Boyle, Patrolman, 12 noon, December 24, to 12 noon, De-  
cember 25; personal business; file number, 10781.

The following leaves of absence, with pay, were granted:

December 27, Frederick Evans, Assistant Secretary, December 29, 30, 31, personal  
business; file number, 10853.

December 21, James J. Murphy, Foreman, December 8 to 18, inclusive; illness;  
file number, 10720.

December 28, James J. Murphy, Foreman, December 18 to 31, inclusive; illness;  
file number, 10881.

December 24, Walter V. Hunter, Clerk, December 27 to 31, inclusive; personal  
business; file number, 10825.

December 24, James H. Hagan, Clerk, December 20, 21; illness; file number, 10842.

December 24, Everett Roosa, Patrolman, 12 noon, December 26, to 12 noon,  
January 2, 1910; vacation; file number, 10818.

December 24, William J. Gleason, Patrolman, 12 noon, December 31, to 12 noon,  
January 7, 1910; vacation; file number, 10817.

December 24, Arnold H. Herman, Patrolman, 12 noon, January 8, to 12 noon,  
January 15, 1910; vacation; file number, 10816.

December 23, Clifford Lynde, Assistant Engineer, December 16 to 23; illness;  
file number, 10807.

December 23, H. S. R. McCurdy, Division Engineer, December 18 to 24, inclusive;  
illness; file number, 10806.

December 22, Matthew P. McKenna, Patrolman, 12 noon, December 20, to 12 noon,  
December 27; vacation; file number 10775.

December 22, D. Fitzpatrick, Caretaker, 12 noon, December 24, to 12 noon, De-  
cember 26; vacation; file number, 10777.

December 22, James S. Wines, Patrolman, 12 noon, December 31, to 12 noon, Jan-  
uary 7, 1910; vacation; file number, 10778.

December 22, Patrick J. Melley, Patrolman, 12 noon, January 3, to 12 noon, Jan-  
uary 10, 1910; vacation; file number, 10779.

December 22, George W. J. Heron, Patrolman, 12 noon, January 5, to 12 noon,  
January 12, 1910; vacation; file number, 10780.

December 22, Harry M. Lynde, Assistant Engineer, December 9 to 17; illness;  
file number, 10750.

December 22, Clifford Lynde, Assistant Engineer, December 9 to 16; illness; file  
number, 10751.

December 21, John C. Groves, Transitman, December 13 to 18, inclusive; illness;  
file number, 10721.

On December 28, 1909, pursuant to the recommendation of the Chief Engineer in  
his communication 3993, December 27, 1909 (10882), the following leaves of absence,  
with pay, were granted:

Eugene F. Clayton, Topographical Draftsman, December 11; Chief Engineer's  
dinner.

Jerome C. Fitzpatrick, Rodman, December 15, 16; illness.

Walter L. Underhill, Clerk, December 16; illness.

William F. Mercer, Rodman, December 18; illness.

Daniel Shefflin, Clerk (emergency), December 18; illness.

Arthur Lowe, Stenographer and Typewriter, December 18; illness.

Henry J. Nurick, Assistant Engineer, December 20; illness in family.

Wilbur T. Wilson, Assistant Engineer, Designer; December 20, 21; illness.

Max Lewis, Clerk, December 21; illness.

On December 22, 1909, the minutes of August 31 and September 15, 1909, were  
amended so as to state that the leaves of absence granted Morris B. Simon, Patrol-  
man, from August 9, 1909, to September 8, 1909 (7772), and from September 8, 1909,  
to September 16, 1909 (8039), were with pay (10774).

## Reduction.

On December 21, 1909, Commissioner Bensel appointed John Bullock, Mining  
Foreman, to the position of Miner, with compensation at the rate of \$3 per day (50  
cents additional per day when working in shafts), to take effect upon assignment to  
duty by the Chief Engineer (10715).

## Separations.

William Barnett, Miner, at close of work, December 18; resigned; file number,  
10805.

Joseph L. Brennan, Leveler, at close of work, December 14; resigned; file number,  
10879.

John Spillane, Mining Foreman, at close of work, December 24; dismissed Decem-  
ber 24, absence without leave for more than five days; Chief Engineer's number, 3856;  
file number, 10374.

Pietro Senes, Laborer, at close of work, December 24; dismissed December 24,  
absence without leave for more than five days; Chief Engineer's number, 3986; file  
number, 10824.

Albert Buttendorf, Mechanical Draftsman, at close of work, December 2; ap-  
pointed Mechanical Draftsman (heating and ventilating); Chief Engineer's number,  
3982; file number, 10804.

A communication was received from the President of the Borough of Man-  
hattan, dated December 24, 1909 (8664), stating that Julius Eckman, Rodman, who had  
been transferred from this Board, reported for duty December 24, 1909.

## OTHER MATTERS.

## Accounts.

On December 24, 1909, Commissioner Shaw approved the recommendation of  
the Acting Auditor, dated November 17, 1909 (7574), that the action taken on August  
24, 1909, be amended so that money collected for personal telephone calls be directed  
to be paid to the telephone companies direct and deducted from the bills before the  
same are sent to the Auditor for payment.



On December 22, 1909, a letter was sent by the Chief Clerk to Martin B. Brown Company, stating that their bill for work done under Order 11369, would be reduced by the sum of \$32, making a total of \$770.66. Under date of December 24, 1909, a reply was received from said company refusing to accede to said deduction, and was referred to Commissioner Shaw on December 27, 1909 (10858). On recommendation of Commissioner Shaw, the Secretary was directed to write Martin B. Brown Company that if they will return the City property which was delivered to them the reduction will be canceled.

#### Architects.

A communication was received from the Comptroller, dated December 17, 1909 (10723), calling attention to an opinion of the Corporation Counsel rendered to him under date of December 1, 1909, in reference to contracts with architects and architects' fees. On motion, this was referred to Commissioner Benschel for report.

#### Contract 1.

A communication was received from the Phoenix Construction Company, dated December 24, 1909 (10790), requesting extension of time under the third modification agreement to and including August 1, 1910. On motion, this matter was laid on the table.

#### Contract 2.

Report of the Chief Engineer, dated December 23, 1909 (10835), as to the accident on December 21, 1909, to Dominic Spidal, Laborer, employed by the receivers of the contractor, was filed.

#### Contract 3.

Report of the Chief Engineer, dated December 22, 1909 (10833), as to the accident on December 18, 1909, to Carlo Movrinet, Hooker, employed by the contractors, was filed.

#### Contract 22.

Report of the Chief Engineer, dated December 23, 1909 (10834), as to the accident on December 17, 1909, to H. D. Patterson, one of the contractors, was filed.

#### Contract 30.

On December 24, 1909, the duplicate original of this contract was sent to the contractor, together with release of its deposit, and on the same date the triplicate original was filed with the Comptroller and notice to commence work was given, and the Chief Engineer was duly notified (10837).

#### Contract 38.

On December 22, 1909, the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond was requested to issue permit for a boring in Central Park, near the bridge on the south shore of lake opposite Seventy-third street (10798).

On December 22, 1909, a permit was received from said Commissioner, dated December 20, 1909 (10304), for a boring at transverse road number two in Central Park, about 800 feet east of Eighth avenue, and on the same date was referred to the Chief Engineer.

#### Contract 40.

Chief Engineer's communication 3980, December 22, 1909 (10758), transmitted communication from John J. Wilson, dated December 16, 1909, requesting extension of time for the completion of the buildings under this contract, to November 30, 1909. The Chief Engineer recommended that this extension of time be granted. On motion, said extension was granted, subject to the approval of the surety under said contract.

#### Contract 41.

Chief Engineer's communication 3983, December 22, 1909 (10830), recommended that Contract 41 be advertised for January 18, 1910. On motion, this recommendation was approved, and the Secretary was directed to place said advertisement in the CITY RECORD, "New York Herald," "New York Sun" and in one issue of the "Engineering Record" and in one issue of the "Engineering News."

#### Contract 52.

Opinion 804, December 23, 1909 (10796), approved as to form pamphlets and advertisements of this contract. On December 22, 1909, a copy of the advertisement for January 11, 1910, a copy of the contract and copies of the contract drawings were sent to the Comptroller (10615).

#### Contract 54.

Opinion 803, December 23, 1909 (10795), approved as to form first page proof of this contract.

#### Contract 62.

On December 24, 1909, the duplicate original of this contract was sent to the contractor, together with release of its deposit, and on the same date the triplicate original was filed with the Comptroller, and notice to commence work was given to the contractor, and the Chief Engineer was duly notified (10836).

A letter was received from the contractor, dated December 27, 1909 (10836), acknowledging receipt of the duplicate original of the contract, and another letter was received from the contractor, dated December 27, 1909, acknowledging receipt of the notice to commence work, and stating the steps already taken in this direction. On motion, this latter communication was referred to the Chief Engineer for report (10836).

#### Contract 68.

Chief Engineer's communication 3950, December 23, 1909 (10791), transmitted pamphlets and advertisements of this contract, and on December 23, 1909, the same were sent to the Corporation Counsel for approval as to form (10791).

Chief Engineer's communication 3983, December 22, 1909 (10830), recommended that this contract be advertised for January 18, 1910, the first publication to be December 27, 1909. The pamphlets and forms of advertisements having been received from the Corporation Counsel approved as to form, the advertisement for January 18, 1910, was, by order of the Commissioners placed with the CITY RECORD, "New York Tribune," "New York Morning Telegraph," and in one issue of the "Engineering News," and in one issue of the "Engineering Record" (10791).

#### Contract 73.

On December 22, 1909, a communication was received from the Comptroller, dated December 15, 1909 (10749), stating that on December 15, 1909, his certificate as to funds available had been endorsed upon this contract. Said communication was filed with the Auditor.

A permit was received from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, dated December 21, 1909, to make borings along and in the vicinity of Flatbush avenue, from Fulton street to Prospect Park West, and on December 22, 1909, was referred to the Chief Engineer (10444). On December 23, 1909, receipt of this permit was acknowledged by the Secretary in a letter stating that care would be exercised to disturb the pavement as little as possible (10444).

#### Contract E.

On December 24, 1909, the National Surety Company was requested (9931) to consent to the extension of time to October 6, 1909, for the delivery of proofs and pamphlets of Contract 55.

Chief Engineer's communication 3982, December 27, 1909 (10839), requested authority to proceed with the printing, under this contract, of pamphlet descriptive in general of the work of the Board as a whole and particularly as to what has been accomplished during the current year. On motion, this was referred to Commissioner Shaw with power.

#### Contract J.

A communication was received from the Peoples' Surety Company, dated December 22, 1909 (10787), asking, as surety on the contract for Class K, to what extent the deliveries under this contract had been completed. On December 23, 1909, this communication was referred to the Auditor.

#### Contract P.

The deposits received with the bids on December 22, 1909, were on the same date sent to the Comptroller (10748).

On December 22, 1909, the releases of the deposits of the unsuccessful bidders were sent to them (10753).

#### Hudson River Crossing.

Chief Engineer's communication 3985, December 23, 1909 (10808), recommended that the offer of Captain William Coleman, of Newburgh, to furnish a tug, together with crew and supplies, to maintain a passage across the river at the Storm King-Breakneck crossing line at all times except when the ice is sufficiently firm to permit of walking upon it, for \$25 per working day, and \$12.50 per day when unable to run on account of ice, be accepted, and that the service begin January 3, 1910, and terminate when the ice stops running and the City's launch can be safely put in commission, but in no event beyond March 15, 1910. On motion, this matter was referred to Commissioner Benschel.

Chief Engineer's communication 3990, December 24, 1909 (10859), submitted proposed agreement, in triplicate, with the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for laying and maintaining on the property of said company 1,230 feet south of Storm King station, a sixteen-inch wrought iron pipe, containing high tension electric wires, water pipes, air pipe and steam blow-off pipe, at a rental of \$25 per year, to commence November 15, 1909. On motion, this agreement was approved, subject to the approval of the same as to form by the Corporation Counsel.

#### Information.

A communication was received from F. R. Harris, Civil Engineer, United States Navy, Navy Yard, New York, dated December 22, 1909 (10785), asking copy of latest cement specifications, and whether special precautions are being taken or special ruling made for cement to be used in salt water. On motion, this was referred to the Chief Engineer for answer.

#### Leases.

Chief Engineer's communication 3977, December 21, 1909 (10782), recommended lease with Van Wart Underhill of his property on the road leading from Ardsley to Greenville for three years from March 1, 1910, at \$480 per annum, to be used as a section office of the White Plains Division, Southern Aqueduct Department. On motion of Commissioner Shaw, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to submit to the Corporation Counsel for approval as to form, and when so approved, to execute a lease to the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, from Van Wart Underhill, of the two-story frame building, situated on a plot of ground about 90 feet by 110 feet, located on the road leading from Ardsley to Greenville, in the Town of Greengrub, N. Y., together with the use of a shed measuring about 14 feet by 19 feet, and a stable about 12 feet by 20 feet, the shed being attached to the west side and the stable to the east side of the main barn, with separate entrances, giving access to said shed and stable; this lease to be for a term of three years from the first day of March, 1910, with rental at the rate of \$480 per annum, payable quarterly at the end of each quarter, with privilege of renewal for one or two years from the first day of March, 1913, upon the same terms and conditions; the owner to furnish the water used in the above mentioned house.

#### Police.

By direction of Commissioner Shaw, the Municipal Civil Service Commission, on December 23, 1909, was requested (10489), to approve the employment of Dr. Nelson Elliot, of Kitchawan, to render medical services at \$5 per visit, the total compensation in any one year not to exceed \$750.

Commissioner Shaw submitted with his approval Special Order 73 (10815).

#### Real Estate, Northern Aqueduct, Section 2.

By direction of Commissioner Shaw, a letter was sent to the Corporation Counsel December 22, 1909 (10794), stating that notice of judgment affirming the order entered September 28, 1908, setting aside the award for Parcel 72 and directing the payment to James E. Horton, claimant, of \$32.66, had been served upon Commissioner Shaw December 22, 1909.

On December 22, 1909, a letter was sent to the Corporation Counsel (10793), forwarding original option for the sale to the City by Julia H. Chadwick, of Parcels 73a and 73b, and requesting the Corporation Counsel to take such steps and proceedings as may be necessary to consummate the purchase of said property, advising this Board what action, if any, it should take in regard to the matter.

A report was received from Commissioner Chadwick, dated December 10, 1909 (3456), recommending the rejection of the claim of Marguerite E. Hyde, the claimant of Parcels 50, 51 and 55, for \$500, for having been shut from two-thirds of her farm a good part of 1908. On motion, this recommendation was approved.

#### Real Estate, Northern Aqueduct, Section 7.

A communication was received from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated December 20, 1909 (9575), stating that the proposed purchase of Parcels 345a, 345b and 345c had, on December 17, 1909, been referred to the Comptroller.

#### Real Estate, Southern Aqueduct, Section 13.

Opinion 802 December 22, 1909 (10742), forwarded contents of a communication from I. J. Beaudrias, Special Counsel, dated December 15, 1909, calling attention to the request of the attorney for Elisha P. Cronkhite, the claimant of Parcel 958, that the perpetual easement granted for pole lines, pipes and right of way over adjacent property be confined to a 10-foot strip instead of a 50-foot strip. The Corporation Counsel requested information as to whether this Board would grant this request. On motion, this matter was referred to the Chief Engineer for report.

#### Real Estate, Building.

A report was received from Commissioner Chadwick, dated December 20, 1909 (10877), recommending that Mrs. J. Traub, former owner of Parcel 367, Section 6, Kensico, be allowed to occupy the house on said parcel during the present winter on the usual terms and conditions. On motion, this recommendation was approved.

#### Real Estate, Claims.

On December 23, 1909, a letter was sent to the Corporation Counsel (9933), withdrawing the application for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal to estimate indirect damages in Ulster County.

A communication was received from Milton O. Auchmoody, Kingston, N. Y., dated December 23, 1909 (10675), forwarding claim of Elvin P. Davis for \$504, for damages, as foreman formerly employed by Oscar Herman on Parcel 78, Section 2, Ashokan Reservoir. This was referred to Commissioner Chadwick December 24, 1909.

Commissioner Chadwick submitted with his approval bill for \$9 of E. M. Carpenter, for services as Stenographer in the matter of the examination at Kingston of William W. Hinkley, Simon Hinkley, Romer Hinkley, Gilbert Hinkley, A. A. Terwilliger, Harvey Every, Martha Every, Lewis Shaw and Jacob A. Smith, upon their claims for damages as employees, under section 42, chapter 724, of the Laws of 1905, as amended. On motion, this bill was approved and ordered paid (10826).

A report was received from Commissioner Chadwick, dated December 10, 1909 (10808), recommending that the Secretary write to Ross Bloom, stating that this Board does not recognize him as an employee, and also recommending that the Chief of Patrolmen be directed to see that no trespassing upon Mr. Bloom's property is permitted. On motion, these recommendations were approved.



On motion of Commissioner Chadwick, the following resolution was adopted (10853):

Resolved, That the Auditor be and he hereby is directed to return the under-mentioned warrants and vouchers in payment of damage claims to the Comptroller of The City of New York:

Name.	Damage Claim Number.	Amount.
William D. Moores.....	123	\$75 00
F. E. Lewis.....	161	20 00
Doremus Ashton.....	160	55 00

—with the request that they be cancelled and the respective amounts credited to "New Water Supply of The City of New York, chapter 724, Laws of 1905."

#### Real Estate, Expense of Acquisition.

Bill was received from Joseph R. Kenny, Chief of the Bureau of Awards, Finance Department, dated December 24, 1909, for \$40.78, expenses incurred in paying awards from June 15, 1909, to November 3, 1909, and on motion, was referred to Commissioner Shaw (10960).

The following bills were received, approved by the Corporation Counsel and taxed by the Supreme Court, and vouchers therefor were ordered to be prepared and forwarded to the Comptroller:

Ashokan Reservoir, Sections 1 to 18; Ashokan Reservoir, Highways; Northern Aqueduct, Sections 3, 4, 5—	
Ellis B. Long, Clerk, disbursements.....	\$182 03
Ellis B. Long, Clerk, disbursements.....	242 36
Ellis B. Long, Clerk, disbursements.....	200 00
Frederick S. Benedict, Deputy Clerk.....	125 00
Hill View, Section 1—	
State Law Reporters, stenography and printing.....	17 60
Hill View, Section 2—	
Manhattan Life Insurance Company, rent.....	416 66
Kensico, Section 3—	
Manhattan Life Insurance Company, rent.....	416 66
Kensico, Section 4—	
John P. Hobbie, expert.....	100 00
Kensico, Section 6—	
State Law Reporters, stenography and printing.....	94 60
Kensico, Section 7—	
The School News Company, advertising.....	99 20
"The Pelham Register," advertising.....	28 08
Kensico, Section 11—	
Edwin W. Fiske, expert.....	240 00
Kensico, Section 12—	
"Democracy," advertising.....	86 40
"The Tammany Times," advertising.....	84 80
Henry H. Berry, expert.....	480 00
Southern Aqueduct, Section 13—	
The Cordner Motor Company, automobile hire.....	35 00
The Cordner Motor Company, automobile hire.....	35 00
Southern Aqueduct, Section 14—	
"The Tammany Times," advertising.....	80 00
"Democracy," advertising.....	76 80
I. J. Beaudrias, special counsel.....	1,821 01
Robert K. Clark, expert.....	1,080 00
Southern Aqueduct, Section 15—	
"The Tammany Times," advertising.....	1,993 60
Southern Aqueduct, Section 16—	
"Democracy," advertising.....	2,343 60
Northern Aqueduct, Sections 6, 7, 8—	
Everett Fowler, special counsel.....	2,522 41
Northern Aqueduct, Section 7—	
Municipal Reporting Company, stenography and printing.....	206 10
Municipal Reporting Company, stenography and printing.....	129 10
The Chief Publishing Company, advertising.....	96 00
The Police Chronicle, advertising.....	104 00
Northern Aqueduct, Section 8—	
Municipal Reporting Company, stenography and printing.....	56 50
Municipal Reporting Company, stenography and printing.....	107 80
I. E. Ward, expert.....	250 00

#### Real Estate, General Plan.

It appearing that the "Staten Island Gazette" is no longer published, but has been succeeded by the "Staten Island World," the advertisement of the hearing before the State Water Supply Commission on January 12, 1910, in reference to the report, map, plan and profile of November 15, 1909, was ordered published in the "Staten Island World," with the approval of said Commission, in their letter of December 23, 1909 (9681).

A communication was received from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated December 22, 1909 (9681), stating that the date of filing of one of the originals of said map, plan and profile in said Department was December 20, 1909.

#### Real Estate, Kensico, Section 5.

A report was received from Commissioner Chadwick, dated December 13, 1909 (10925), recommending the purchase for \$700, from Ray Reinhardt, of Parcel No. 344. On motion the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Water Supply, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended, and subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, hereby approves the purchase for \$700, from Ray Reinhardt, of Parcel No. 344, Southern Aqueduct, section 5, consisting of two lots, 25 feet by 100 feet each, and that the Secretary write the Board of Estimate and Apportionment requesting the approval of said purchase, and that when and if said purchase shall be so approved, the Corporation Counsel is hereby requested to search the title to said premises and take such other steps and proceedings as may be necessary and proper to consummate said purchase.

#### Real Estate, Possession.

A communication was received from the Finance Department, dated December 20, 1909 (9003), stating that every effort would be made to facilitate the payment of the awards for the parcels mentioned in the letter of this Board of December 15, 1909, possession of which is urgently needed for contracts already awarded or to be awarded in the near future.

#### Real Estate, Taxes.

On the following dates, respectively, reports of the Adjuster of Taxes and Assessments were approved by Commissioner Shaw and transmitted to the Auditor recommending the payment of State, county and town taxes for 1909, as follows, the amount in each case including collector's fee of one per cent:

Date.	Town.	Amount.
December 23	Montgomery.....	\$45 43
December 28	Olive.....	9,719 90
December 28	Shawangunk.....	737 96
December 28	Cornwall.....	73 60

#### Real Estate, Timber.

By order of Commissioner Chadwick and pursuant to the recommendation of the Chief Engineer in his communication, dated December 13, 1909 (9910), the site of standing timber on Parcels 3, 7, 10, 11, 12, 21, 140, 142, 143, 144, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 172, 203, 204, 205, 185, 85, 94, 95, Ashokan Reservoir, where marked with red and white flags on the ground, was notified for January 12, 1910, 10 a. m., at the office of the Department Engineer, Brown's Station, New York, and said notice was ordered

published in the "New York," "Kingston Leader," "Kingston Freeman," "Kingston Express" and "Kingston Argus," and twenty-five cloth posters were ordered printed.

#### Reports.

Weekly reports of the Chief Engineer 223, December 13, 1909 (10759), and 224, December 20, 1909 (10857), were filed.

#### Sanitary Protection.

Commissioner Shaw submitted report of Dr. Ernst J. Lederle, Sanitary Expert, dated December 23, 1909 (10832), recommending that this Board take no action in regard to the letter of Raeburn W. Jenkins, dated December 10, 1909, stating that the Laurent Manor Company is about to erect a tuberculosis sanitarium near Valhalla, it appearing that the proposed institution is not to be located in the watershed of the Kensico Reservoir. On motion this recommendation was approved, and the Secretary was directed to write Mr. Jenkins stating the action of the Board.

#### Supplies.

A communication was received from the Comptroller, dated December 20, 1909 (9837), calling attention to the letter of November 17, 1909, asking the estimated quantity of disinfectants and vermin destroyers which would be required by this Board during 1910, together with the brands or mixtures preferred. The Comptroller stated that no reply had been received to his letter and requested prompt answer. On motion this matter was referred to the Chief Engineer for report.

A communication was received from the Finance Department, dated December 23, 1909 (10862), calling attention to an opinion rendered to the Comptroller by the Corporation Counsel, dated December 18, 1909, advising that it is illegal to exchange old and worn-out automobiles for new cars, giving in exchange a cash payment of an amount slightly under \$1,000. On motion this matter was referred to Commissioners Benschel and Shaw.

Commissioner Shaw reported the following actions taken by him in reference to the purchase of supplies:

Requisition No. 8876—Pencils and crayons; estimates opened December 21; bidders, Eugene H. Tower (Inc.), Universal Trading Company, Tower Manufacturing and Novelty Company, Gerry and Murray, J. W. Pratt Company, Climax Stationery Company, W. E. Scudder; awarded December 22 to Tower Manufacturing and Novelty Company for \$562.07; File No. 10550.

Requisition No. 8870—Calendars and diaries; estimates opened December 20; bidders, Gerry and Murray, Tower Manufacturing and Novelty Company, H. K. Brewer & Co., J. W. Pratt Company, Martin B. Brown Company; awarded December 22 to H. K. Brewer & Co. for \$274.31; File No. 10487.

Requisition No. 8871—Soap and stove polish; estimates opened December 20; bidder, Austin, Nichols & Co.; awarded December 22 to Austin, Nichols & Co.; File No. 10474.

Requisition No. 8968—3,500 copies lithographs of Suffolk County map for 1908 report; estimates opened December 21; bidders, Robert A. Welcke, Charles Hart; awarded December 22 to Robert A. Welcke for \$117; File No. 10659.

Requisition No. 8875—Imperial tracing cloth; estimates opened December 21; bidders, Tower Manufacturing and Novelty Company, Favor, Ruhl & Co., Kolesch & Co., Technical Supply Company, Eugene Dietzgen Company, E. G. Ruehle & Co., Keuffel & Esser Company; awarded December 23 equally to all bidders for \$741.60; File No. 10549.

Requisition Nos. 8907 and 8894—Saddles, bits, halters, blankets and other police equipment; estimates opened December 20; bidders, Mehlbach Saddle Company, Smith-Worthington Company; awarded December 22 to Mehlbach Saddle Company for \$771.20; File No. 10442.

Requisition No. 8882—Wrought iron; estimates opened December 21; bidders, Motley, Green & Co., Blaine Contracting and Supply Company, J. Edward Ogden, Froment & Co., Ogden & Wallace, Denman & Davis; awarded December 23 to Motley, Green & Co. for \$560.89; File No. 10547.

Requisition No. 8869—Drafting tables; estimates opened December 22; bidders, Eugene Dietzgen Company, Keuffel & Esser Company, J. H. McCullagh & Sons, George W. Cobb, Jr., Finley & Handford, Mount & Robertson; awarded December 22 to Eugene Dietzgen Company for \$404.25; File No. 10546.

Requisition No. 8898—Vaseline, handy pumps, gage glasses, air cocks, ball cock, water gages, wire cloth, perforated brass; estimates opened December 22; bidders, Fairbanks Company, Manning, Maxwell & Moore, Motley, Green & Co., John Simmons Company, Lebedjeff & Co.; awarded December 23 to Lebedjeff & Co. for \$67.56; File No. 10556.

Requisition No. 8884—Printing forms 4E, 25E, 35E, 48E, 91E, 145E, 146E, 147E, 161E, 164E, 175E, 176E, 177E, 188E, 206E, 208E, 212E, 214E, 220E, 232E, 247E, 248E, 255E, 256E, 276E, 283E, 284E, 333E, 384E, 387E, 390E, 428E; estimates opened December 20; bidders, Martin B. Brown Company, J. W. Pratt Company, Dana T. Bennett Company, Continental Playing Card Company; awarded December 22 to Martin B. Brown Company for \$473.75; File No. 10486.

Requisition No. 8830—Tools and nails; estimates opened December 20; bidders, Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co., White, VanGlahn & Co., Robert H. Burnett, Harbrouck & Weismiller; awarded December 22 to White, VanGlahn & Co. for \$72.98; File No. 10485.

Requisition No. ....—Lithographing drawings of Contract No. 42; estimates opened December 16; bidders, Charles Hart, Robert A. Welcke; contract awarded December 17 to Charles Hart for \$5.90 per sheet; File No. 10448.

THOMAS HASSETT, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

### Minutes of Meeting Held Thursday, January 6, 1910.

Stated meeting, 3 p. m.

Mr. Thomas J. Higgins, who had been appointed a Commissioner of Parks, appeared and presented his certificate of appointment, as follows:

#### CITY OF NEW YORK.

Office of The Mayor.

Know all men by these presents that I, William J. Gaynor, Mayor of The City of New York, under and by virtue of the authority of the statutes in such case made and provided, do hereby appoint Thomas J. Higgins, a Commissioner of Parks of The City of New York, to have administrative jurisdiction in the Borough of The Bronx, to hold office until his successor shall be appointed and has qualified.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 3d day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

[Seal.]

(Signed) W. J. GAYNOR, Mayor.

Present—Commissioners Higgins, Kennedy.

Commissioner Kennedy was called to the chair.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate box was opened and all the bids or proposals which had been received pursuant to a duly published advertisement were opened and read, as follows:

For Repairing and Keeping in Repair the Motor, Horse and Hand Lawn Mowers of the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the Season of 1910.

Names of Bidders.	Amount.
Caldwell Lawn Mower Company, Newburgh, N. Y.....	\$1,650 00

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A communication was received from W. J. Fransoli, dated January 1, 1910, resigning the position of Secretary of the Park Board, to take effect at once.

On motion of Commissioner Higgins, said resignation was accepted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Higgins, Kennedy—2.

On motion, at 3:15 p. m., adjourned adjourned.

CLINTON H. SMITH, Acting Secretary.



## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

(PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.)

## Minutes, Meeting of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Held in Room 16, City Hall, Friday, January 14, 1910.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—William J. Gaynor, Mayor; William A. Prendergast, Comptroller; John Purroy Mitchel, President, Board of Aldermen; George McAneny, President, Borough of Manhattan; Alfred E. Steers, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx; Lawrence Gresser, President, Borough of Queens; George Cromwell, President, Borough of Richmond.

The Mayor, Hon. William J. Gaynor, presided.

The minutes of the meetings held December 17, 23 and 30, 1909, and January 7, 1910, were approved as printed.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

The following report from the Chief Engineer was ordered printed in the minutes and placed on file:

FINANCIAL STATEMENT No. C-1.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Office of Chief Engineer,  
January 10, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—I beg to submit the following tabular statement showing the estimated cost of local improvements and the number of opening proceedings for each Borough, and total for all Boroughs, authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment since January 1, 1908:

## Surface and Subsurface Improvements Authorized in 1908 and 1909.

Borough.	Surface Improvements.				Sewer Improvements.			
	Total, 1908.		Total, 1909.		Total, 1908.		Total, 1909.	
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
Manhattan.....	16	\$105,700 00	20	\$451,000 00	15	\$82,200 00	12	\$52,500 00
Brooklyn.....	90	792,000 00	108	853,200 00	91	696,300 00	89	686,600 00
The Bronx.....	19	560,500 00	69	1,556,400 00	36	364,000 00	17	200,100 00
Queens.....	14	179,300 00	20	361,500 00	20	91,600 00	19	183,200 00
Richmond.....	..	..	6	25,200 00	8	81,000 00	18	406,400 00
Total.....	139	\$1,637,500 00	223	\$3,247,300 00	170	\$1,315,100 00	155	\$1,528,800 00

## Number and Cost of Improvements Pending Before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on January 1, 1910, Excluding Those in Which Existing Conditions Prevent Immediate Authorization.

Borough.	Physical Improvements.				Opening Proceedings.							
	Surface Improvements.		Sewer Improvements.		Total.		Street Opening Resolutions.	Park and Public Place Opening Resolutions.	Land for Sewers.	Land for Bridges.	Land for Water Supply.	Map Changes.
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.						
Manhattan.....	4	\$77,500 00	..	..	4	\$77,500 00	4	..	..	..	1	..
Brooklyn.....	191	1,640,500 00	112	\$519,200 00	303	2,159,700 00	111	2	..	1	18	4
The Bronx.....	24	627,900 00	6	38,600 00	30	666,500 00	12	..	..	..	25	10
Queens.....	22	387,300 00	21	169,100 00	43	556,400 00	40	1	..	..	20	3
Richmond.....	3	29,000 00	1	5,800 00	4	34,800 00	..	..	1	..	7	2
Total.....	244	\$2,762,200 00	140	\$732,700 00	384	\$3,494,900 00	167	3	1	..	71	19

## Number and Cost of Improvements Pending Before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on January 1, 1910, but Which Cannot be Authorized Owing to Conditions to Which the Attention of the Borough Officials Has Been Called.

Borough.	Physical Improvements.				Opening Proceedings.							
	Surface Improvements.		Sewer Improvements.		Total.		Street Opening Resolutions.	Park and Public Place Opening Resolutions.	Land for Sewers.	Land for Bridges.	Land for Water Supply.	Map Changes.
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.						
Manhattan.....	9	\$157,300 00	..	..	9	\$157,300 00	..	..	..	..	2	..
Brooklyn.....	457	5,595,500 00	272	\$4,521,800 00	729	\$10,117,300 00	34	1	3	..	19	6
The Bronx.....	65	2,349,700 00	14	1,129,400 00	79	3,479,100 00	25	2	..	1	17	9
Queens.....	59	889,100 00	73	1,874,700 00	132	2,763,800 00	40	1	..	..	7	6
Richmond.....	6	26,900 00	1	9,100 00	7	36,000 00	2	..	3	..	4	1
Total.....	596	\$9,018,500 00	360	\$7,535,000 00	956	\$16,553,500 00	101	4	6	1	49	22

None of the reports required under the resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of February 8, 1907 (page 490 of the Minutes), and of May 7, 1909 (page 1030 of the Minutes), concerning progress made in carrying out assessable improvements during the fourth quarter of 1909 have yet been presented by the Borough Presidents, pending the receipt of which the review of the work of the quarter will have to be deferred.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

LAYING OUT DURYEA COURT, OVINGTON COURT AND CAMERON COURT, TO EXTEND FROM SIXTY-SIXTH STREET TO SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, AND CHANGING THE STREET GRADES WITHIN THE TERRITORY BOUNDED BY SIXTY-SIXTH STREET, SEVENTEENTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET AND NEW UTRECHT AVENUE, BROOKLYN.

The following communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

The City of New York,  
Office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Brooklyn, December 31, 1908.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—At a meeting of your Board held on April 19, 1907, Local Board resolutions recommending the laying out of Duryea Court, Ovington Court and Cameron

## Total Physical Improvements and Street and Park Opening Proceedings Authorized in 1908 and 1909.

Borough.	Physical Improvements.				Street and Park Opening Proceedings.			
	Total, 1908.		Total, 1909.		1908.		1909.	
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	Number of Streets and Parks Affected.	Number of Proceedings.	Number of Streets and Parks Affected.	Number of Proceedings.
Manhattan.....	31	\$187,900 00	32	\$503,500 00	12	7	13	9
Brooklyn.....	181	1,488,300 00	197	1,539,800 00	129	67	69	44
The Bronx.....	55	924,500 00	86	1,756,500 00	65	36	52	27
Queens.....	34	270,900 00	39	544,700 00	16	13	42	23
Richmond.....	8	81,000 00	24	431,600 00	3	3	6	6
Total.....	309	\$2,952,600 00	378	\$4,776,100 00	225	126	182	109

The number and estimated cost of additional improvements for which preliminary authorization only has been given is as follows:

Borough.	Surface Improvements.		Sewer Improvements.		Total.	
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
Manhattan.....	2	\$18,700 00	4	\$29,100 00	6	\$47,800 00
Brooklyn.....	6	138,700 00	9	110,400 00	15	249,100 00
The Bronx.....	2	53,500 00	..	..	2	53,500 00
Queens.....	2	25,300 00	3	6,100 00	5	31,400 00
Richmond.....	..	..	2	55,100 00	2	55,100 00
Total.....	12	\$236,200 00	18	\$200,700 00	30	\$436,900 00

A comparison of the estimated value of improvements for which either a preliminary and final or a preliminary authorization has been given since January 1, 1909, with the value of the assessment lists returned up to and including December 31, 1909, shows as follows:

Borough.	Amount for Which Authorizations Have Been Given.	Assessment Lists Returned.
Manhattan.....	\$551,300 00	\$571,537 03
Brooklyn.....	1,788,900 00	2,262,962 29
The Bronx.....	1,810,000 00	1,468,173 85
Queens.....	576,100 00	662,629 90
Richmond.....	486,700 00	419,377 09
Total.....	\$5,213,000 00	\$5,384,680 16

At the close of the year there were 1,806 requests for improvements awaiting the consideration of the Board, of which number nearly two-thirds were of such a character that authorization cannot be recommended at this time. In accordance with the practice heretofore observed the President of the Borough in which each of the improvements of the latter class is proposed has been advised of the conditions which prevent favorable action.

The improvements of reference are classified as follows:

Borough.	Physical Improvements.				Opening Proceedings.							
	Surface Improvements.		Sewer Improvements.		Total.		Street Opening Resolutions.	Park and Public Place Opening Resolutions.	Land for Sewers.	Land for Bridges.	Land for Water Supply.	Map Changes.
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.						
Manhattan.....	4	\$77,500 00	..	..	4	\$77,500 00	4	..	..	..	1	..
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Total.....	244	\$2,762,200 00	140	\$732,700 00	384	\$3,494,900 00	167	3	1	..	71	19

## Number and Cost of Improvements Pending Before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on January 1, 1910, but Which Cannot be Authorized Owing to Conditions to Which the Attention of the Borough Officials Has Been Called.

Borough.	Physical Improvements.				Opening Proceedings.							
	Surface Improvements.		Sewer Improvements.		Total.		Street Opening Resolutions.	Park and Public Place Opening Resolutions.	Land for Sewers.	Land for Bridges.	Land for Water Supply.	Map Changes.
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The Bronx.....	65	2,349,700 00	14	1,129,400 00	79	3,479,100 00	25	2	..	1	17	9
Queens.....	59	889,100 00	73	1,874,700 00	132	2,763,800 00	40	1	..	..	7	6
Richmond.....	6	26,900 00	1	9,100 00	7	36,000 00	2	..	3	..	4	1
Total.....	596	\$9,018,500 00	360	\$7,535,000 00	956	\$16,553,500 00	101	4	6	1	49	22

Court, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, were referred back to me for consideration of the suggestions contained in a report of Chief Engineer Lewis, dated February 14, 1907, and bearing No. 4848.

The Chief Engineer of our Topographical Bureau has gone into these matters to some extent, and I transmit herewith copy of his report on the subjects, together with copy of blueprint referred to therein, in order that they may be taken up again by the Board of Estimate and satisfactorily disposed of.

Very truly yours,

BIRD S. COLER, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

REPORT No. 7003.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 3, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 19, 1907, three resolutions of the Local Board of the Bay Ridge District, Borough of Brooklyn, recommending changes in the City plan by laying out Duryea court, Ovington court and Cameron court, each extending from Sixty-sixth street to Sixty-seventh street, and subdividing, transversely, the long block between Sixteenth avenue and Seventeenth avenue, were referred back to the Borough President, with the recom-



mentation that any streets laid out in this block should have a width of sixty feet, and that two streets be substituted for the three proposed, so that the resulting block depth would be suitable for improvement. It was also suggested at that time that the changes be made to include a similar treatment which would probably be required for the adjoining blocks on the east and west of the one to be subdivided.

Under date of December 31, 1908, the Borough President has submitted an amended plan which follows the recommendations originally made concerning the treatment of the block between Sixteenth avenue and Seventeenth avenue, and showing that it is to be subdivided by laying out Ovington court and Cameron court, each having a width of sixty feet, this treatment giving a block depth ranging from 200 feet to about 235 feet. The map also includes provision for subdividing, transversely, the block bounded by Sixteenth avenue, Sixty-seventh street, New Utrecht avenue and Sixty-sixth street, by laying out Duryea court with a width of fifty feet and a block depth ranging from about 250 feet to about 370 feet.

The position shown for Duryea court involves serious damage to or the destruction of a frame building, and does not appear to be such as to secure the most advantageous lay out unless the property subdivisions have already been made based on the treatment shown.

The Engineer in charge of the Topographical Bureau, in a report submitted with the map, advises that he has not found it practical to provide for the laying out of two streets across this block, and he also states that property within the limits of the block east of Seventeenth avenue has been divided into building lots and that it would, in his opinion, be unwise to attempt its subdivision at this time.

I would recommend that a public hearing be given in the matter, and that the map be approved unless it should be shown that the proposed position of Duryea court is inconsistent with the interests of property owners in its vicinity.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out Duryea court, Ovington court and Cameron court, between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, and establishing grades therefor; and changing the grade of the streets within the territory bounded by New Utrecht avenue, Sixty-sixth street, Seventeenth avenue and Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated December 21, 1908.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of February, 1910.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx and Queens—15.

#### CHANGING THE LINE OF BRYANT AVENUE AT ITS INTERSECTION WITH BOSTON ROAD, THE BRONX.

The following communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

The City of New York,  
Office of the President, Borough of The Bronx,  
New York, November 28, 1908.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith map showing change of lines of Bryant avenue at its intersection with Boston road, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, dated November 20, 1908, for the consideration of and approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Yours truly,

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

REPORT No. 7045.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 4, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, bearing date of November 28, 1908, requesting the approval of a map showing a change in the line of Bryant avenue, at its intersection with Boston road.

The map submitted shows that it is intended to provide for the inclusion in the street system of a somewhat irregular parcel located at the northerly corner of these streets and which fell within the lines of the old Boston road but outside of the street lines as heretofore mapped. The records of the proceeding for the acquisition of title to Boston road indicates that this area was then considered as dedicated to public use.

The plan also provides for the inclusion in the street system of two small triangular areas located at the easterly and westerly corners of Boston road and Bryant avenue and which are planned for the purpose of improving these intersections. The land which would have to be acquired if these changes were made is unimproved at the present time.

The map submitted is in my judgment a proper one in so far as it relates to the inclusion of the dedicated area at the northerly corner of the two streets affected, but I can see no reason for making the changes proposed at the easterly and westerly corners. It is recommended, however, that a public hearing be given on the plan as presented and also on the same plan modified by the omission of the changes proposed at the easterly and westerly corners, and that the latter be approved unless further evidences are presented to establish a substantial need for the additional widenings shown.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the street lines at the northerly, easterly and westerly intersections of Boston road and Bryant avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, and dated November 20, 1908; or (alternative plan) by changing the street lines at the northerly intersection of Boston road and Bryant avenue as shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough of The Bronx and dated November 20, 1908.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of February, 1910.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx and Queens—15.

#### WIDENING PELHAM AVENUE, BETWEEN WEBSTER AVENUE AND PARK AVENUE, THE BRONX.

The following resolution of the Local Board of the Van Cortlandt District, Borough of The Bronx and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

In Local Board of Van Cortlandt, Twenty-fifth District, Borough of The Bronx.

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

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

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

Resolved, by the Local Board of Van Cortlandt, Twenty-fifth District, Borough of The Bronx, pursuant to titles 2 and 3 of chapter 10 of the Greater New York Charter, That the said petition be and the same hereby is granted; and it is hereby

Resolved, That this Board does hereby initiate proceedings for the said local improvement, to wit: Recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the laying out of an addition to the existing street area, that portion of the old Kingsbridge road, between Park avenue and Webster avenue, as shown on "Map or plan showing the widening of Pelham avenue, between Webster avenue and Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and it is hereby

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

Adopted by the Local Board of Van Cortlandt, Twenty-fifth District, on the 29th day of April, 1909, Alderman Handy, Alderman Crowley, Alderman Hochdorfer and the President of the Borough of The Bronx voting in favor thereof.

Negative—None.

Attest:

HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Secretary.

Approved and certified this 6th day of May, 1909.

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

REPORT No. 6997.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 3, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a resolution of the Local Board of the Van Cortlandt District, Borough of The Bronx, adopted on April 29, 1909, recommending a change in the City plan by widening Pelham avenue, between Park avenue and Webster avenue, to include a portion of the old Kingsbridge road.

From information presented with the resolution it appears that Pelham avenue, as now laid out, failed to include a small triangular area on its southerly side which fell within the former lines of the old Kingsbridge road at the angle point about midway in the block between Webster avenue and Park avenue, and that the owner of the adjoining land has been thereby deprived of frontage upon a public highway. This information is further corroborated in the proceeding which was carried out for acquiring title to Pelham avenue, which shows that the parcel which it is now proposed to add to the street area was then recognized as a part of Kingsbridge road, and that the street was considered as dedicated to public use.

Under these conditions I see no reason why the map should not be approved, and would recommend such action after a public hearing.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the lines of Pelham avenue, between Webster avenue and Park avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated April 27, 1909.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of February, 1910.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

#### LAYING OUT A STREET SYSTEM FOR THE TERRITORY BOUNDED BY WEXFORD TERRACE, DALNY ROAD, EDGERTON BOULEVARD, CROYDON ROAD, HOMELAWN AVENUE, EDGERTON PLACE, TUDOR ROAD, TRYON ROAD, KILDARE AVENUE, SURREY ROAD, TUDOR ROAD, CHEVY CHASE ROAD, KENT ROAD, AVON ROAD AND HILLSIDE AVENUE, QUEENS.

The following communication from the Secretary of the Borough of Queens and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

The City of New York,  
Office of the President, Borough of Queens,  
Long Island City, December 9, 1909.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—By direction of President Gresser, I transmit herewith the final map establishing lines and grades of that portion of the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens,



bounded by Wexford terrace, Dalny road, Edgerton boulevard, Croydon road, Homelawn avenue, Edgerton place, Tudor road, Tryon road, Kildare avenue, Surrey road, Tudor road, Chevy Chase road, Kent road, Avon road and Hillside avenue, which you will kindly have placed on the calendar for hearing at as early a date as possible.

Very truly yours,

JOHN M. CRAGEN, Secretary, Borough of Queens.

REPORT No. 7440.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 10, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a communication from the Secretary of the Borough of Queens, bearing date of December 9, 1909, requesting on behalf of the Borough President that a public hearing be given concerning the final map which has been prepared for the territory bounded by Wexford terrace, Dalny road, Edgerton boulevard, Croydon road, Homelawn avenue, Edgerton place, Tudor road, Tryon road, Kildare avenue, Surrey road, Tudor road, Chevy Chase road, Kent road, Avon road and Hillside avenue, comprising an area of about 225 acres.

A tentative plan showing the street system for almost the entire territory comprised within the limits of this map, and which is commonly known as the Jamaica Estates, was approved by the Board on January 15, 1909. The plan now presented is intended to ratify the tentative map and to definitely fix the block dimensions, angles and grades of all of the streets affected. The treatment in general conforms with that contemplated under the tentative plan, but advantage has been taken of the opportunity to somewhat improve the street grades, the most important change of this nature being located at the intersection of Doncaster boulevard and Edgerton boulevard, where the elevation has been lowered about 5.5 feet, thereby not only making a desirable flattening in the grade of the former street, but also conforming with the improvements which have been carried out.

The topography of this territory is of a rugged character, and while the street system as planned has been adapted to the natural conditions in so far as practicable, the grades contemplated are usually of reasonable rates, the only important exceptions being located on Dalny road and Kent road, in the former of which the maximum rate is about 7 per cent., while in the latter it is about 7.5 per cent. The streets are intended to have widths ranging from 60 feet upward to 120 feet, the latter width having been fixed for that portion of Midland parkway between Hillside avenue and Surrey road, a distance of nearly three-quarters of a mile. It is understood that this tract has already been subdivided and sold and that the street lines harmonize with the plans prepared by the developers.

Hillside avenue, forming the southerly boundary, is the only street in use which has otherwise been recognized, but I am informed by the Engineer in charge of the Topographical Bureau that the plans for the adjacent areas on the north, east and west can be made to conform with the map now submitted.

The plan is, in my judgment, a proper one, and I would recommend its approval after a public hearing, with the suggestion, however, that the attention of the Borough President be called to the desirability of making slight modifications in the grade of the two streets in which the rate is herein noted as excessive, providing these changes can be made without damage to improvements already carried out.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out a street system within the territory bounded by Wexford terrace, Dalny road, Edgerton boulevard, Croydon road, Homelawn avenue, Edgerton place, Tudor road, Tryon road, Kildare avenue, Surrey road, Tudor road, Chevy Chase road, Kent road, Avon road and Hillside avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated December 7, 1909.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of February, 1910.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

On motion, the Secretary was then directed to call the attention of the President of the Borough of Queens to the desirability of amending the plan in such a way as to eliminate the steep gradients noted, providing that such change can be made without damage to improvements already carried out.

#### CHANGE IN THE LINE OF CROMWELL AVENUE, BETWEEN RICHMOND ROAD AND SEASIDE BOULEVARD, RICHMOND.

The following communication from the President of the Borough of Richmond and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

Office of the President, Borough of Richmond,  
Borough Hall, New Brighton,  
New York City, May 20, 1909.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I send you herewith for adoption upon the map of the City of New York a map changing map or plan of the City as to certain parts thereof in the Borough of Richmond, to wit:

Layout and grades of Cromwell avenue, from Richmond road to Staten Island Railway property, and from the Staten Island Railway property to Seaside boulevard, in the Fourth Ward.

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President, Borough of Richmond.

REPORT No. 7270.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 10, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a communication from the President of the Borough of Richmond, bearing date of May 20, 1909, requesting the approval of a map providing for changing the lines and grades of Cromwell avenue, between Richmond road and Seaside boulevard, in the Fourth Ward.

Cromwell avenue, between Richmond road and the first unnamed street west of Seaside boulevard was shown upon a map approved on February 17, 1908, at which

time it was understood that the street plan was intended to conform with the improvements which had been made through a large portion of its length. Since this date the street has been macadamized, curbed and flagged through the section between Richmond road and a point near the unnamed street on the easterly side of the Staten Island Railway, but the improvement as carried out appears to have followed lines about five feet south of those laid out upon the City plan.

The object of the map change now desired is to legalize the street as in use and improved and at the same time to include provision for carrying it through the block between Seaside boulevard and the first unnamed street westerly therefrom, and through the block between the two unnamed streets on each side of the Staten Island Railway, excepting only the crossing which is in use at the present time but which cannot be legalized under the existing laws. It is understood that the grade proposed at this crossing conforms with the street elevation as now in use, and can be perpetuated when the grade crossing is removed, it being assumed that the railway will be elevated as required to accomplish this result.

The map appears to be a proper one and its approval is recommended after a public hearing.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines and grades of Cromwell avenue, as heretofore established, from Richmond road to the first unnamed street westerly from Seaside boulevard; extending Cromwell avenue, from the first unnamed street westerly from Seaside boulevard to Seaside boulevard, and laying out Cromwell avenue, from the first unnamed street westerly from the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad to the westerly right-of-way line of the said railroad, and from the easterly right-of-way line of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad to the first unnamed street easterly therefrom, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated May 17, 1909.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of February, 1910.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

#### ACQUIRING TITLE TO THE UNNAMED STREET ADJOINING RIVERSIDE DRIVE ON THE EAST AND EXTENDING FROM WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AT RIVERSIDE DRIVE TO WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET AT BUENA VISTA AVENUE, MANHATTAN.

The following resolution of the Local Board of the Washington Heights District, Borough of Manhattan, and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

In the Local Board of the Washington Heights District.

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

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

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

Resolved, by the Local Board of the Washington Heights District, pursuant to titles 2 and 3 of chapter 10 of the Greater New York Charter, That the said petition be and the same hereby is granted; and it is hereby

Resolved, That this Board does hereby initiate proceedings for the said local improvement, to wit:

To acquire title to the widening of Riverside drive, between One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Eighty-first streets, and widening of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, between Riverside drive and Buena Vista avenue; and it is hereby

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

Adopted by the Local Board of the Washington Heights District on the 5th day of October, 1909, all the members present voting in favor thereof.

Attest:

BERNARD DOWNING, Secretary.

Approved this 6th day of October, 1909.

JOHN F. AHEARN, President, Borough of Manhattan.

REPORT No. 7254.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 10, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a resolution of the Local Board of the Washington Heights District, Borough of Manhattan, adopted on October 5, 1909, initiating proceedings for acquiring title to the land needed for the widening of the following streets:

Riverside drive from West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, West One Hundred and Eighty-first street from Riverside drive to Buena Vista avenue.

This resolution is evidently intended to relate to the new street adjoining Riverside drive on the east and West One Hundred and Eighty-first street on the south, which has recently been laid out upon the City map to have a width of 40 feet. The elevation of the property abutting on Riverside drive and on West One Hundred and Eighty-first street is here much higher than the grades of these streets and the new street was laid out at a higher elevation, leaving the former street at West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and meeting the latter at Buena Vista avenue. It provides a service road which will permit of developing the frontages.

The retaining wall necessitated by this treatment has now been built, the street has been graded, the curbing and flagging has been laid on the side adjoining the frontages, and a building has been erected upon the abutting property. The property owners have, however, not released their rights in the property to the City, and in my judgment it would be desirable to institute the opening proceeding requested.

I would therefore recommend the adoption of a resolution for acquiring title to the unnamed street adjoining Riverside drive on the east and extending from West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street at Riverside drive to West One Hundred and Eighty-first street at Buena Vista avenue.



I would also recommend that title to the land be acquired in fee; that the entire cost and expense of the proceeding, including any damages allowed for intended regulating, be assessed upon the property benefited; and that a district of assessment be laid out to comprise the following area:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of the Unnamed street where it is intersected by the northerly line of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and running thence generally northwardly along the easterly line of the unnamed street to the angle point at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence eastwardly along the southerly line of the unnamed street to the intersection with the westerly line of Buena Vista avenue; thence southwardly along the westerly line of Buena Vista avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of the unnamed street as this street is laid out where it adjoins Buena Vista avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the unnamed street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with the unnamed street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from its easterly side, the said distance being measured at right angles to the unnamed street; thence generally southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of the unnamed street, as this street is laid out south of the angle point at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, to the intersection with a line at right angles to the unnamed street and passing through the point of beginning; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to the unnamed street to the point or place of beginning.

There are no buildings upon the land to be acquired.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of the unnamed street adjoining Riverside drive on the east, and extending from West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street at Riverside drive to West One Hundred and Eighty-first street at Buena Vista avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of the unnamed street where it is intersected by the northerly line of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, and running thence generally northwardly along the easterly line of the unnamed street to the angle point at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence eastwardly along the southerly line of the unnamed street to the intersection with the westerly line of Buena Vista avenue; thence southwardly along the westerly line of Buena Vista avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of the unnamed street as this street is laid out where it adjoins Buena Vista avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the unnamed street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with the unnamed street to a point distant 100 feet easterly from its easterly side, the said distance being measured at right angles to the unnamed street; thence generally southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of the unnamed street, as this street is laid out south of the angle point at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, to the intersection with a line at right angles to the unnamed street and passing through the point of beginning; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to the unnamed street to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days prior to the 11th day of February, 1910.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

ACQUIRING TITLE TO THE LANDS AND PREMISES REQUIRED FOR A DRAINAGE DITCH, OR CANAL, LOCATED BETWEEN CANAL AVENUE NORTH AND CANAL AVENUE SOUTH, AND EXTENDING FROM GRAVESEND BAY TO SHEEPSHEAD BAY, AND BETWEEN WEST TENTH STREET AND WEST ELEVENTH STREET, EXTENDING FROM CANAL AVENUE NORTH TO AVENUE V, BROOKLYN.

At the meeting of the Board, held on December 23, 1909, this matter was laid over for the consideration of the present Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Secretary presented the following:

City of New York, Law Department,  
Office of the Corporation Counsel,  
December 27, 1909.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—I am in receipt of a communication from the Secretary of the Board transmitting the communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to the Board relative to the acquisition of property required for the opening of what is to be known as the Coney Island Drainage Canal and its tributary, the Bensonhurst Storm Outlet, and stating that the matter was referred to me for advice as to the effect and extent of the legislative act mentioned by the Borough President.

I am also requested to advance the matters previously referred to me by the Commissioners of the Common Lands of Gravesend, so as to allow the sanitary development of the section to proceed at the earliest possible date.

In reply I would state that the act referred to is chapter 516 of the Laws of 1909, entitled "An act to amend the Greater New York Charter, relative to granting authority to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to exchange lands under water in creeks, tributaries thereto, ditches, ponds and bays no longer required by The City of New York for public purposes, for lands of private owners necessary for the purpose of constructing a sewer drainage canal within the same Borough."

The effect of this act upon chapter 638 of the Laws of 1895, relating to the common lands and Common Land Fund of the late town of Gravesend, was considered by this office in answer to a request for advice from the Acting Secretary of the Common Lands Commission and I herewith transmit a copy of the communication sent to such Commission.

In reply to the request that the other matters referred to this office by the Commissioners of the Common Lands of Gravesend be advanced, I would say that early in this year, at a meeting of such Commission, it was stated that a search of the title to the lands required would be made, but this office was not directed or requested to make such search.

Consequently this office did not make any requisitions for searches or institute any examination of such titles, deeming a duplicate expenditure therefor unnecessary.

As soon as such searches are furnished, or if the Board directs this office to take up the examination of the title and have the requisite searches made, this office will, at once, proceed with such matters.

Respectfully yours,

G. L. STERLING, Acting Corporation Counsel.

December 19, 1909.

To the Common Lands Commission:

GENTLEMEN—I have received, under date November 26, 1909, a communication signed by your Acting Secretary, requesting me to advise you as to whether the power conferred upon you by chapter 638 of the Laws of 1895 to sell and convey real estate of the common lands of the former Town of Gravesend has been taken away and vested in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by chapter 516 of the Laws of 1909, or if that power still remains with the Mayor, Comptroller and Supervisor, as set forth in section 2 of the statute of 1895.

Chapter 638 of the Laws of 1895 is an act in relation to the common lands and Common Land Fund of the late Town of Gravesend, and at the time of the passage of the act the Thirty-first Ward of the City of Brooklyn. The Mayor and Comptroller of the City and the Supervisor of the Thirty-first Ward of said City were authorized by the act to complete certain improvements then under way, or to cancel and compromise the contracts therefor, and to cancel and compromise all outstanding contracts of the town relating to the erection of any public building therein. The cost of completing these contracts and of effecting the compromises authorized was directed to be paid from the Common Land Fund. After the payment of such moneys from the fund, the amount remaining was directed to be used and expended for the payment of claims in the matter of town charges against said town incurred prior to its annexation to the City of Brooklyn, for school purposes and repairs to roads. By section 2 of the act the Mayor, Comptroller and Supervisor aforesaid were authorized, from time to time, to sell and to convey all or any part of the common lands of the late town remaining unsold, including the electric light plant, so-called, and the land purchased for the new town hall, and all other lands and property of said town not needed or used for governmental purposes. The proceeds of such sales were to be paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Common Lands Fund.

Chapter 516 of the Laws of 1909 is entitled:

"An Act to amend the Greater New York Charter relative to granting authority to the board of estimate and apportionment to exchange lands under water in creeks, tributaries thereto, ditches, ponds and bays no longer required by the City of New York for public purposes, for lands of private owners necessary for the purpose of constructing a sewer drainage canal within the same Borough."

The act amends the Charter by adding three sections numbered, respectively, 245a, 245b and 245c.

Section 245a authorizes the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to lay out sewer drainage canals and to acquire land therefor by exchanging with private owners.

Section 245b reads as follows:

"All acts, powers and proceedings relating to selling, transferring or exchanging of the lands under water in the creeks, tributaries thereto, ditches, ponds and bays, and such other powers as are set forth in chapter six hundred and thirty-eight of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five, are hereby devolved upon and such authority as is set forth in said chapter is hereby vested in the board of estimate and apportionment of the city of New York."

The decision of the question submitted to me is involved in the construction of the words "and such other powers as are set forth in chapter 638 of the Laws of 1895." This language, taken by itself, is certainly broad enough to apply to all the powers devolved by the statute of 1895 upon the Mayor, Comptroller and Supervisor. But I am of opinion that these words must be construed in connection with the context, and the scope thereof must be held to be limited to the subject stated in the title and set forth in the body of the statute. The subject matter there referred to relates to the laying out of sewer drainage to lands necessary therefor by exchanging lands under water no longer required for public purposes, for lands of private owners within the lines of the sewer drainage canal as laid out.

Section 245b, if strictly construed, would operate as a repeal of the Laws of 1895. In view of the many diverse duties imposed by its provisions upon the Mayor, Comptroller and Supervisor, aside from any particular powers relating to the lands under water which may form a part of the common lands of Gravesend, the intention of the Legislature to effect such repeal must plainly appear.

I am of opinion that the statute of 1909 does not effect the provisions of the Laws of 1895, except so far as those provisions relate to the control of the Common Lands Commission over lands under water in the former Town of Gravesend, which lands, for the purpose of laying out a sewer drainage canal, are authorized to be exchanged by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for other lands designated in the statute, and that the Common Lands Commission is still vested with the control of the common lands of the former Town of Gravesend, with the exception of the lands under water referred to in the act of 1909.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE L. STERLING, Acting Corporation Counsel.

On motion, the matter was referred to a Committee consisting of the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller and the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

ACQUIRING TITLE TO CHURCH AVENUE, FROM THIRTY-SIXTH STREET TO OCEAN PARKWAY, BROOKLYN.

The following resolution of the Local Board of the Flatbush District, Borough of Brooklyn, and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

In the Local Board of the Flatbush District.

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Flatbush District, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to section 428 of the Greater New York Charter, after duly advertised hearing had this 4th day of December 1907, hereby initiates proceedings to open Church avenue, from Thirty-sixth street to Ocean parkway; and it is hereby

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

Adopted by the Local Board of the Flatbush District on the 4th day of December, 1907, Commissioner Dunne and Aldermen Wentz, Ellery and Hann voting in favor thereof.

Attest:

CHARLES FREDERICK ADAMS, Secretary.

Approved this 30th day of December, 1907.

BIRD S. COLER, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

REPORT No. 7118.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Office of the Chief Engineer,  
January 7, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a resolution of the Local Board of the Flatbush District, Borough of Brooklyn, adopted on December 4, 1907, initiating proceedings for acquiring title to Church avenue from Thirty-sixth street to Ocean parkway.

This resolution affects nine blocks or about 2,500 feet of Church avenue which has been laid out upon the City map to have a width of 80 feet from Thirty-sixth street to East Fifth street, and of 100 feet in the block between East Fifth street and Ocean parkway which is partially occupied by the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Subway under the latter street. A narrow roadway is in use through the entire distance described, and the central portion is occupied by a double track trolley line. The abutting property is almost entirely unimproved at the present time, but I believe that buildings at East Fourth street and at East Fifth street fall partly within the street lines.

I would recommend the approval of the resolution; that title to the land be acquired in fee; that the entire cost and expense of the proceeding, including any damages allowed for intended regulating, be assessed upon the property benefited; and that a district of assessment be laid out to comprise the following area:

Beginning at the intersection of a line midway between East Seventh street and Ocean parkway with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Beverly road, the said distance being measured at right angles



to Beverly road, and running thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Beverly road to the intersection with a line distant 500 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Church avenue as this street is laid out west of East Fifth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Church avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Church avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Thirty-sixth street and Thirty-seventh street; thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between Thirty-sixth street and Thirty-seventh street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Clara street and Louisa street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Clara street and Louisa street and along the prolongations of the said line, to the intersection with a line midway between East Third street and East Fourth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East Third street and East Fourth street to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Albemarle road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Albemarle road; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Albemarle road to the intersection with the prolongation of the aforesaid line midway between Clara street and Louisa street; thence eastwardly along the prolongation of the aforesaid line midway between Clara street and Louisa street to the intersection with a line parallel with Ocean parkway, and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Ocean parkway to the point or place of beginning.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Church avenue, from Thirty-sixth street to Ocean parkway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at the intersection of a line midway between East Seventh street and Ocean parkway with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Beverly road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Beverly road, and running thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Beverly road to the intersection with a line distant 500 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Church avenue as this street is laid out west of East Fifth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Church avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Church avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Thirty-sixth street and Thirty-seventh street; thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between Thirty-sixth street and Thirty-seventh street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Clara street and Louisa street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Clara street and Louisa street, and along the prolongations of the said line, to the intersection with a line midway between East Third street and East Fourth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East Third street and East Fourth street to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Albemarle road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Albemarle road; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Albemarle road to the intersection with the prolongation of the aforesaid line midway between Clara street and Louisa street; thence eastwardly along the prolongation of the aforesaid line midway between Clara street and Louisa street to the intersection with a line parallel with Ocean parkway, and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Ocean parkway to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 11th day of February, 1910.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

#### ACQUIRING TITLE TO SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, FROM NEW UTRECHT AVENUE TO BAY PARKWAY, BROOKLYN.

The following resolution of the Local Board of the Flatbush District, Borough of Brooklyn, and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

*In the Local Board of the Flatbush District.*

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Flatbush District, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to section 428 of the Greater New York Charter, after duly advertised hearing had this 21st day of May, 1908, hereby initiates proceedings to open Sixty-seventh street, from Fourteenth avenue to Bay parkway (Twenty-second avenue); and it is hereby

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

Adopted by the Local Board of the Flatbush District on the 21st day of May, 1908, President Coler and Aldermen Potter and Esterbrook voting in favor thereof.

Attest:

CHARLES FREDERICK ADAMS, Secretary.

Approved this 8th day of June, 1908.

BIRD S. COLER, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

REPORT No. 7117.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 7, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a resolution of the Local Board of the Flatbush District, Borough of Brooklyn, adopted on May 21, 1908, initiating proceedings for acquiring title to Sixty-seventh street, from Fourteenth avenue to Bay parkway (Twenty-second avenue).

From New Utrecht avenue to Eighteenth avenue, an old road known as Ovington avenue, falls within the lines of Sixty-seventh street, which has here been laid out to have a width of 50 feet. East of Eighteenth avenue and west of New Utrecht avenue the street has a width of 60 feet. An opening proceeding affecting this street from

Fort Hamilton avenue to New Utrecht avenue was instituted by the Board in 1907, and the resolution should therefore apply to that portion only, lying easterly from New Utrecht avenue.

The proposed proceeding affects seven blocks, or a length of a little over one mile. From New Utrecht avenue to Eighteenth avenue the street has been macadamized for a portion of its width. A narrow roadway is in use from Eighteenth avenue to Twenty-first avenue, easterly from which point the street has been regulated and graded. A number of houses have been erected upon the abutting property on each side, but it is believed that none of these fall within the street lines.

The portion of Sixty-seventh street, formerly known as Ovington avenue, was laid out by the Commissioners of Highways of the former town of New Utrecht, and at that time I understand that the owners of the property filed releases from all claims for damage that might accrue by reason of the future opening of the street, but with the papers is submitted a copy of a communication from the Acting Corporation Counsel advising that it would not be safe to improve this portion of Sixty-seventh street without the intervention of condemnation proceedings.

I would recommend the adoption of a resolution for acquiring title to Sixty-seventh street from New Utrecht avenue to Bay parkway.

I would also recommend that title to the land be acquired in fee; that the entire cost and expense of the proceeding, including any damage allowed for intended regulating, be assessed upon the property benefited; and that a district of assessment be laid out to comprise the following area:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Sixty-seventh street and Sixty-eighth street, as these streets are laid out east of Eighteenth avenue, distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Bay parkway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Bay parkway, and running thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between Sixty-seventh street and Sixty-eighth street, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the southeasterly line of Eighteenth avenue; thence westwardly in a straight line to a point on the northwesterly line of Eighteenth avenue, where it is intersected by a line distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Sixty-seventh street, as this street is laid out between Seventeenth avenue and Eighteenth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Sixty-seventh street; thence northwestwardly along the said line parallel with Sixty-seventh street to the intersection with the northeasterly line of Sixty-eighth street; thence northwestwardly along the northeasterly line of Sixty-eighth street, and the prolongation thereof, to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of New Utrecht avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to New Utrecht avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with New Utrecht avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northeasterly line of Sixty-seventh street and the southwesterly line of Sixty-sixth street, as these streets are laid out between New Utrecht avenue and Eighteenth avenue; thence southeastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Eighteenth avenue; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point on the southeasterly line of Eighteenth avenue midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street; thence southeastwardly along a line midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with the southeasterly line of Bay parkway; thence southwardly and parallel with West Seventh street to the intersection with a line parallel with Bay parkway and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwestwardly along the said line parallel with Bay parkway to the point or place of beginning.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Sixty-seventh street, from New Utrecht avenue to Bay parkway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Sixty-seventh street and Sixty-eighth street as these streets are laid out east of Eighteenth avenue, distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Bay parkway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Bay parkway, and running thence northwestwardly along the said line midway between Sixty-seventh street and Sixty-eighth street, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the southeasterly line of Eighteenth avenue; thence westwardly in a straight line to a point on the northwesterly line of Eighteenth avenue where it is intersected by a line distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Sixty-seventh street, as this street is laid out between Seventeenth avenue and Eighteenth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Sixty-seventh street; thence northwestwardly along the said line parallel with Sixty-seventh street to the intersection with the northeasterly line of Sixty-eighth street; thence northwestwardly along the northeasterly line of Sixty-eighth street, and the prolongation thereof, to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of New Utrecht avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to New Utrecht avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with New Utrecht avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northeasterly line of Sixty-seventh street and the southwesterly line of Sixty-sixth street, as these streets are laid out between New Utrecht avenue and Eighteenth avenue; thence southeastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Eighteenth avenue; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point on the southeasterly line of Eighteenth avenue midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street; thence southeastwardly along a line midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with the southeasterly line of Bay parkway; thence southwardly and parallel with West Seventh street to the intersection with a line parallel with Bay parkway and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwestwardly along the said line parallel with Bay parkway to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 11th day of February, 1910.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.



## ACQUISITION OF LAND FOR PARK PURPOSES ALONG NEW UTRECHT AVENUE, BROOKLYN.

The following resolutions adopted by the West Brooklyn Board of Trade were presented:

West Brooklyn Board of Trade,  
Borough Park Club House,  
January 6, 1910.

## Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Enclosed please find resolutions adopted by the West Brooklyn Board of Trade.

Yours truly,

HOWARD O. PATTERSON, Secretary.

Whereas, Certain members of our Board of Trade are informed that the initial steps have been taken by the previous Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the acquisition of certain small triangular plots along New Utrecht avenue for park purposes; and

Whereas, The acquisition of such parcels for park purposes would mean the expenditure of a considerable amount of money by The City of New York; and

Whereas, That section of Brooklyn along New Utrecht avenue, popularly known as Borough Park, is greatly in need of street improvements, such as sewerage, flagging, paving, etc.; and

Whereas, It is believed by the members of said Board of Trade that such money should be expended in the improvement of said street, rather than in the acquisition of land for park purposes; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the West Brooklyn Board of Trade, in body assembled, do earnestly protest at this time against The City of New York expending money for the acquisition of land for park purposes along New Utrecht avenue and in the vicinity of Borough Park, but rather that such moneys be applied and be used for sewerage, asphalt and paving of the streets; be it further

Resolved, That we earnestly petition the present Board of Estimate and Apportionment to rescind whatever action has been taken by the previous Board of Estimate and Apportionment in relation to acquiring said triangular plots for park purposes; be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and to the Commissioner of Parks of the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

WEST BROOKLYN BOARD OF TRADE,

HOWARD O. PATTERSON, Secretary.

On motion, the matter was referred to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

## ACQUIRING TITLE TO THE EXTENSION OF UNIVERSITY PARK, THE BRONX.

At the meeting of the Board held on December 30, 1909, this matter was laid over for the consideration of the present Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

On motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen, the matter was referred to the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

## ACQUIRING TITLE TO THE WIDENING OF CRESCENT STREET, FROM SOUTH JANE STREET TO THIRTEENTH STREET, AND TO NOTT AVENUE, FROM HUNTER AVENUE TO JACKSON AVENUE, QUEENS.

The following resolution of the Local Board of the Newtown District, Borough of Queens, and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

## In the Local Board of the Newtown District.

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

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

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

Resolved, by the Local Board of the Newtown District, pursuant to titles 2 and 3 of chapter 10 of the Greater New York Charter, That the said petition be and the same hereby is granted; and it is hereby

Resolved, That this Board does hereby initiate proceedings for the said local improvement, to wit:

To legally open, widen and extend Crescent street, from South Jane street to Thirteenth street, and Nott avenue, from Hunter avenue to Jackson avenue, First Ward of the Borough of Queens; and it is hereby

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

Adopted by the Local Board of the Newtown District on the 20th day of May, 1909, Aldermen Quinn, Emener and Flanagan and Lawrence Gresser, President of the Borough of Queens, voting in favor thereof.

Attest:

JOHN M. CRAGEN, Secretary.

Approved this 20th day of May, 1909.

LAWRENCE GRESSER, President, Borough of Queens.

REPORT No. 7275.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Office of the Chief Engineer,  
January 10, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a resolution of the Local Board of the Newtown District, Borough of Queens, adopted on May 20, 1909, initiating proceedings for opening, widening and extending the following streets in the First Ward:

Crescent street, from South Jane street to Thirteenth street.

Nott avenue, from Hunter avenue to Jackson avenue.

The width of Crescent street has recently been increased from 60 feet to 75 feet by adding 15 feet on its easterly side, and the lines of Nott avenue were at the same time changed by including within the street area a triangle at the southeasterly corner of Hunter avenue, having frontage of about 160 feet on the latter street and about 200 feet on Nott avenue. The changes were intended to provide a direct connection for Jackson avenue into the Queensboro Bridge and although the resolution now presented is somewhat indefinite the evident purpose is to institute a proceeding for acquiring the land necessary to carry out the improvement.

Title to Crescent street for a width of 60 feet has been legally acquired, and the Topographical Engineer of the Borough advises that Nott avenue for a width of 100 feet has been ceded by the Trustees of Union College. Some question as to the validity of the City's title in the latter street has recently arisen, however, and in my judgment the opening proceeding as far as Nott avenue is concerned should relate to the entire block between Hunter avenue and Jackson avenue.

Crescent street has been in use for many years and a number of houses encroach upon the land needed for the widening. Nott avenue is paved, the abutting property is partially improved, and it is believed that a few minor encroachments exist.

I would recommend the adoption of a resolution for acquiring title to the following streets:

Crescent street widening, from South Jane street to Thirteenth street.

Nott avenue, from Hunter avenue to Jackson avenue.

I would also recommend that title to the land be acquired in fee; that the entire cost and expense of the proceeding, including any damages allowed for intended regulating, be assessed upon the property benefited; and that a district of assessment be laid out to comprise the following area:

Beginning at a point on the centre line of the Queensboro Bridge where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between William street and Ely avenue, and running thence eastwardly along the centre line of the Queensboro Bridge to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Prospect street and Radde street; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Prospect street and Radde street, and along the prolongations of the said line, to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Queens street and Dutch Kills street; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Queens street and Dutch Kills street, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with the northwesterly boundary line of the Sunnyside yard; thence generally southwestwardly along the said boundary line of the Sunnyside yard to the intersection with the southwesterly line of Arch street; thence northwestwardly along the southwesterly line of Arch street to a point distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Jackson avenue; thence southwestwardly and always distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Jackson avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Van Alst avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Van Alst avenue; thence generally northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Van Alst avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with Harris avenue and passing through a point on the easterly line of Ely avenue midway between Henry street and Harris avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Harris avenue to the intersection with a line midway between William street and Ely avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between William street and Ely avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the point or place of beginning.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Crescent street widening, from South Jane street to Thirteenth street, and of Nott avenue, from Hunter avenue to Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the centre line of the Queensboro Bridge where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between William street and Ely avenue, and running thence eastwardly along the centre line of the Queensboro Bridge to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Prospect street and Radde street; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Prospect street and Radde street, and along the prolongations of the said line, to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Queens street and Dutch Kills street; thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Queens street and Dutch Kills street, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with the northwesterly boundary line of the Sunnyside yard; thence generally southwestwardly along the said boundary line of the Sunnyside yard to the intersection with the southwesterly line of Arch street; thence northwestwardly along the southwesterly line of Arch street to a point distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Jackson avenue; thence southwestwardly and always distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Jackson avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Van Alst avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Van Alst avenue; thence generally northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Van Alst avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with Harris avenue and passing through a point on the easterly line of Ely avenue midway between Henry street and Harris avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Harris avenue to the intersection with a line midway between William street and Ely avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between William street and Ely avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days prior to the 11th day of February, 1910.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

## RECONSIDERATION OF THE DETERMINATION MADE BY THE BOARD CONCERNING THE ASSESSMENT IN THE PROCEEDING FOR ACQUIRING TITLE TO HOUSMAN AVENUE, RICHMOND.

The following communication from the Acting Corporation Counsel, to whom the matter was referred on October 22, 1909, was presented:

City of New York, Law Department,  
Office of the Corporation Counsel,  
December 31, 1909.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I am in receipt of your communication of October 26, 1909, in which you transmit a copy of a petition from thirty-eight property owners, requesting a reconsideration of the action taken by this Board relative to relief from assessment in the matter of acquiring title to land for sewer outlets at the foot of St. Nicholas avenue, Housman avenue and Union avenue, Borough of Richmond.

You say that an application for relief from assessment in the matter of the St. Nicholas avenue and Housman avenue proceedings, under provisions of chapters 513 and 641 of the Laws of 1907, was presented to this Board on November 22, 1907, and on December 6, 1907, was referred to a Committee consisting of the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller and the President of the Borough of Richmond. On December 18, 1908, a majority report was presented by this committee recommending that three-fifths of the cost in the case of Housman avenue be assumed by the City, and the matter was then laid over to permit of a report being prepared by the minority member. This was submitted at the meeting of January 15, 1909, and recommended that the entire cost in the case of the Housman avenue proceeding should be assessed. The latter recommendation was adopted by the Board. At a meeting of your Board, held on October 22, 1909, the petition above referred to was presented



and was referred to the Corporation Counsel for advice as to whether this Board now has the right to consider the matter under the law.

In answer I desire to say that under the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, revised, as amended, the determination or decision of your Board as to the proportion of cost and expense to be borne and paid by The City of New York and as to the proportion to be borne by the property benefited, after it shall have been made and announced, shall be final, and such determination or decision shall not be reopened or reconsidered by said Board; that the determination of your Board in this case cannot be reconsidered, as the provisions of the acts above referred to making exception to the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, revised as amended, upon the subject, once having been acted on, authority under them is at an end.

Very respectfully,

G. L. STERLING, Acting Corporation Counsel.

On motion, the matter was referred to a Committee consisting of the President of the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller and the President of the Borough of Richmond.

**RULE MAP AND DAMAGE MAP IN THE PROCEEDING FOR ACQUIRING AN EASEMENT TITLE TO A STRIP OF LAND EXTENDING FROM THE WESTERLY SIDE OF WINANT STREET TO THE SOUTHERLY PROPERTY LINE OF THE STATEN ISLAND RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD, RICHMOND.**

The following communication from the Acting Corporation Counsel and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

City of New York, Law Department  
Office of the Corporation Counsel,  
New York, December 17, 1909.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—In accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 26th day of March, 1909, requesting the Corporation Counsel to hereafter secure the approval of all rule, damage and profile maps prior to the date of making application for the appointment of Commissioners, I transmit herewith for your approval rule map and technical description and draft damage map in the matter of acquiring title to an easement for sewer purposes in a parcel of land extending from the westerly side of Winant street to the southerly property line of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Company, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

The President of the Borough of Richmond informs me that there is no change of grade in this proceeding, and that it is the acquisition of an easement through unimproved property, and that there are no buildings affected by the change of surface conditions to be carried out and that no profile map is necessary.

Respectfully,

G. L. STERLING, Acting Corporation Counsel.

REPORT No. 7412.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 10, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on July 2, 1909, a proceeding was instituted for acquiring an easement title to a strip of land extending from the westerly side of Winant street to the southerly property line of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company, in the Borough of Richmond, which it will be necessary to occupy for the purpose of sewer construction.

Under date of December 17, 1909, the Acting Corporation Counsel has transmitted for consideration the rule map and damage map prepared for the court record and for the use of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment to be appointed in this proceeding. No profile is submitted for the reason that no change in the existing surface is contemplated.

The maps show that the area in which the easement title is to be acquired comprises 2,198.89 square feet, and corresponds in dimensions with the plan under which the easement was laid out, and that the land is unimproved.

I would recommend the approval of these maps, and that after certification they be returned to the Corporation Counsel.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York hereby approves the rule map and damage map, transmitted by the Acting Corporation Counsel on December 17, 1909, to be used in the proceeding instituted by the said Board on July 2, 1909, for acquiring title to an easement in a strip of land extending from the westerly side of Winant street to the southerly property line of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company, Borough of Richmond.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

**CHANGE IN THE DRAINAGE PLAN OF MAP DD, DISTRICT 50, BROOKLYN.**

The following communication from the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

The City of New York,  
Office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn,  
Brooklyn, November 19, 1909.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—Herewith I forward change of plan maps for sewer in President street, between Troy and Albany avenues, for approval.

The Chief Engineer of Sewers reports that this change consists in raising the grade of this sewer so that it may be built before the outlet in Albany avenue is built and a temporary connection obtained into the already completed sewer in Albany avenue. This is done at the request of the Henry Roth Building Company who desire to improve the property on this block at once. It does not affect the operation of the sewer in any way and leaves sufficient depth to drain the deepest cellars which would be built on this street.

It is therefore respectfully recommended that this change be approved so that the desired improvements may be made.

Yours very truly,

THOMAS R. FARRELL, Acting Borough President.

REPORT No. 7056.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 5, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a communication from the Acting President of the Borough of Brooklyn, bearing date of November 19, 1909, requesting the approval of a change in the drainage plan of map D. D. District 50.

This change in plan affects the block of President street between Albany avenue and Troy avenue, and is in part desired to conform with the modification in the street grades adopted by the Board early last year, and in part to permit of the construction of the sewer under private contract, with a temporary outlet into an existing sewer which is comprised within the limits of the adjoining drainage district. The plan makes no provisions for the latter connection, it being understood that no change will be made in the district boundary, and that the sewer will ultimately connect with and form a part of the system outletting at the head of the Paerdegat Basin, but which cannot be constructed at this time. It is understood that the approval of the plan will enable owners of property in the block affected to improve their property at once.

I see no reason why the plan should not be approved, and would recommend such action.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

On motion of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, the matter was laid over until the next Public Improvement meeting (January 28, 1910).

**MODIFICATION IN THE DRAINAGE PLAN OF DISTRICT No. 42-C-2, THE BRONX.**

The following communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

The City of New York,  
Office of the President, Borough of The Bronx,  
January 25, 1909.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith for the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, black print of modified plan of drainage, showing location, sizes and grades of sewers in Sewerage District No. 42-C-2, dated New York, January 25, 1909, together with copy of the report of the Engineer in charge of Sewers thereon.

Yours truly,

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

REPORT No. 6987.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 3, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, bearing date of January 25, 1909, requesting the approval of a modification in the drainage plan of District 42-C-2.

This plan affects the territory bounded generally by Coster street, Lafayette avenue, Whittier street and Eastern boulevard, and provides for the substitution of a single sewer centrally located in Hunts Point road for a double line of sewers shown on the plan previously adopted. By reason of the concentration of drainage provided under this plan a reduction in the size of the sewers proposed for some of the adjoining streets has been effected.

The construction under the amended plan will probably be more economical than under the plan which it is intended to supersede, and its approval is recommended.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

The following resolution was then adopted:

Resolved, That the plan submitted by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, entitled "Modified plan of drainage showing location, sizes and grades of sewers in Sewerage District No. 42-C-2," affecting the territory bounded generally by Coster street, Lafayette avenue, Whittier street and Eastern boulevard, Borough of The Bronx, and bearing date January 25, 1909, be and the same hereby is approved.

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of paving, curbing and recurbing West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Broadway to Pinehurst avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

On motion of the President of the Borough of Manhattan the matter was laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of constructing sewers in Fifteenth avenue, from Sixty-eighth street to Sixty-ninth street; in Sixty-ninth street, from Fourteenth avenue to New Utrecht avenue, and in New Utrecht avenue, west side, from Sixty-eighth street to Sixty-ninth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion of the President of the Borough of Manhattan the matter was laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of regulating and grading Eighth avenue, from Thirty-ninth street to Fortieth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen the matter was laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of regulating and grading Saratoga avenue, from Eastern Parkway extension to Pitkin avenue, and from Blake avenue to Livonia avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen the matter was laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of paving Morgan avenue, from Metropolitan avenue to Bennett street, and from Beadel street to Meeker avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen the matter was laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of paving Forty-first street, from Sixth avenue to New Utrecht avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen the matter was laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of regulating and grading Fox street, from East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to Longwood avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

On motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen the matter was laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of paving and curbing, where necessary, Boscobel avenue, from Jerome avenue to Washington Bridge, Borough of The Bronx.

On motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen the matter was laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of constructing retaining basins on Hoyt avenue, at the corners of



Chauncy street, Crescent street, Woolsey street and Second avenue, Borough of Queens.

On motion of the President of the Borough of Queens the matter was laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of constructing sewers in Jackson avenue, from Paynter avenue to South Washington place, and in South Washington place, from Jackson avenue to Academy street, Borough of Queens.

On motion of the President of the Borough of Queens the matter was laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution authorizing the preliminary work required in the matter of paving Hopkins avenue, from Broadway to Grand avenue, Borough of Queens.

On motion of the President of the Borough of Queens the matter was laid over.

EXECUTED AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NEW YORK AND THE NEW YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD COMPANY, AND ITS LESSEE, THE NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY, EXTENDING THE TIME FOR THE DEPRESSION OF THE TRACKS AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE VIADUCTS OR BRIDGES IN CONNECTION WITH THE GRAND CENTRAL TERMINAL IMPROVEMENTS.

The following executed agreement was ordered printed in the Minutes and placed on file:

At the meeting of the Board, held on December 10, 1909, resolutions were adopted approving this agreement and authorizing the Mayor to execute the same.

This indenture, made this 13th day of December, in the year 1909, pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to provide for further regulation of the terminals and approaches thereto of the New York and Harlem Railroad at and north of Forty-second street, in The City of New York, and of the public highway structures over said terminals and approaches and of the motive power to be used on said railroad," being chapter 425 of the Laws of 1903, in effect May 7, 1903, as amended by chapter 639 of the Laws of 1904, and by chapter 403 of the Laws of 1908, by and between The City of New York, a municipal corporation, acting by its Board of Estimate and Apportionment, party of the first part, and the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, and its lessee, the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, both being railroad corporations, duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, parties of the second part, witnesseth:

Pursuant to the authority conferred by chapter 403 of the Laws of 1908, the time for the completion of the work of depressing the tracks and constructing the viaducts or bridges provided for in chapter 425 of the Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 639 of the Laws of 1904, and in the several agreements executed pursuant to the provisions of the said acts, made by and between the parties hereto, and dated respectively June 19, 1903; December 4, 1903; April 28, 1905, and July 8, 1907, is hereby extended from the thirty-first day of December, 1909, to the thirtieth day of June, 1911, and the said agreements are hereby modified accordingly, and as so modified all the terms and provisions of the said agreements shall be and remain in full force and effect.

In witness whereof, the party of the first part, acting by its Board of Estimate and Apportionment, has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and duly attested, and this instrument to be signed by its Mayor, and each of the parties of the second part has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, and this instrument to be signed by its President, the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

[SEAL.] By G. B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

Attest:

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

Approved as to form:

WILLIAM P. BURR, Acting Corporation Counsel.

THE NEW YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD COMPANY,

[SEAL.] By W. K. VANDERBILT, President.

THE NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY,

[SEAL.] By W. C. BROWN, President.

Approved as to form:

IRA A. PLACE, Vice-President.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On this 13th day of December, 1909, before me personally came George B. McClellan, to me personally known and known to me to be the Mayor of The City of New York, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: That he resides in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; that he is the Mayor of the said City of New York, and knows the corporate seal thereof; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of The City of New York, and was affixed thereto by authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the said City, and that he signed his name thereto by the like authority as Mayor of said City.

CHAS. A. GLASER,

Commissioner of Deeds, New York City.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On this 13th day of December, 1909, before me personally came P. J. Scully, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he resides in The City of New York; that he is the City Clerk of The City of New York; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the common seal of The City of New York, and was so affixed by due authority.

CHAS. A. GLASER,

Commissioner of Deeds, New York City.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On this 15th day of December, 1909, before me personally came William K. Vanderbilt, to me personally known and known to me to be the President of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, one of the corporations described in and which executed the foregoing instrument, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: That he resides in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; that he is the President of the said New York and Harlem Railroad Company, and knows the corporate seal thereof; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said company and was affixed thereto by authority of the Board of Directors of said company, and that he signed his name thereto by the like authority as President of said company.

CLARENCE R. DUGAN,

Notary Public (No. 126), New York County, N. Y.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On this 13th day of December, 1909, before me personally came William C. Brown, to me personally known and known to me to be the President of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, one of the corporations described in and which executed the foregoing instrument, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: That he resides in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; that he is President of the said New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and knows the corporate seal thereof; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said company and was affixed thereto by authority of the Board of Directors of said company, and that he signed his name thereto by the like authority as President of said company.

WILLIAM C. BROWN,

Notary Public, New York County, N. Y.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

I, Dwight W. Pardee, Secretary of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, do hereby certify that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, duly held at the office of the said company, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of December, 1909, the President submitted the foregoing instrument in writing executed by The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 425 of the Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 639 of the Laws of 1904, and by chapter 403 of the Laws of 1908.

Whereupon, upon motion, duly seconded, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That the said instrument in writing be and the same is hereby approved and that the President be and he is hereby authorized to execute, under the corporate seal of this company, such instrument."

D. W. PARDEE,

Secretary of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

I, Dwight W. Pardee, Secretary of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, do hereby certify that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, duly held at the office of the said company, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of December, 1909, the President submitted the form of the foregoing instrument in writing, executed by The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 425 of the Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 639 of the Laws of 1904, and by chapter 403 of the Laws of 1908.

Whereupon, upon motion, duly seconded, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That the said instrument in writing be and the same is hereby approved and that the President be and he is hereby authorized to execute, under the corporate seal of this company, such instrument."

D. W. PARDEE,

Secretary of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

I, Travis H. Whitney, Secretary of the Public Service Commission of the First District, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing agreement, dated the 13th day of December, 1909, and executed by and between The City of New York, the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, and its lessee, the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 403 of the Laws of 1908, was submitted to the said Public Service Commission of the First District for its approval at a meeting duly held by the said Commission on the 15th day of December, 1909, and that upon the 31st day of December, 1909, the preamble and resolutions, of which the following are full and true copies, were duly offered:

Whereas, Pursuant to the authority conferred by chapter 403 of the Laws of 1908, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, by resolution adopted on the 10th day of December, 1909, extended the time for the completion of the work of depressing the tracks and constructing the viaducts or bridges provided for in chapter 425 of the Laws of 1903, as amended by chapter 639 of the Laws of 1904, and in the several agreements executed pursuant to the provisions of the said acts made by and between The City of New York, the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, and its lessee, the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, from the thirty-first day of December, 1909, to the thirtieth day of June, 1911, such extension being evidenced by an instrument in writing by and between The City of New York, the New York and Harlem Railroad Company, and its lessee, the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, dated the 13th day of December, 1909, which said instrument in writing has been duly submitted to this Commission for its approval; and

Whereas, Pursuant to the said chapter 403 of the Laws of 1908, such extension does not become effective until approved by this Commission; now therefore, after due public notice and public hearing,

Resolved, That such extension of time be and the same is hereby approved; and

Resolved, That this approval be evidenced by indorsing upon it or annexing to the said instrument in writing a copy of the foregoing resolution duly certified under the seal of the Commission by the Secretary of the Commission;

—and that upon motion, duly seconded, the said resolutions, and each of them, were duly adopted by the said Public Service Commission of the First District.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my hand and affixed the seal of the Commission this 31st day of December, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

[SEAL.] TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary.

ACQUIRING TITLE TO PROPERTY BOUNDED BY SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, TWENTY-SECOND AVENUE, SIXTY-FIFTH STREET AND THE NEW YORK AND SEA BEACH RAILROAD TO BE USED FOR THE PARKVILLE DRIVEN WELL STATION, BROOKLYN.

At the meeting of December 30, 1909, this matter was laid over for the consideration of the present Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

On motion the matter was referred to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

BRIDGE AT EAST FOURTEENTH STREET, ON THE LINE OF THE BROOKLYN RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD AND THE LONG ISLAND RAILROAD, BROOKLYN.

The following communication from the Brooklyn Grade Crossing Commission was presented:

Brooklyn Grade Crossing Commission,  
No. 44 Court street, Borough of Brooklyn,  
New York, January 5, 1910.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith copy of report in the matter of East Fourteenth street, which was approved and adopted by the Brooklyn Grade Crossing Commission.

Very truly yours,

EDWIN C. SWEZEY, General Superintendent.

December 30, 1909.

Brooklyn Grade Crossing Commission:

DEAR SIRS—In the matter of providing a bridge for East Fourteenth street between Shore road and Neptune avenue under the Brighton Beach and Bay Ridge Improvements, copies of letters from Mr. Morris and Mr. Dwyer, together with the papers therein referred to are attached hereto.

There has never been any crossing of either railroad on the lines of East Fourteenth street between Shore road and Neptune avenue and the only record of opening is that of the formal opening proceedings held in the year 1890.

There is no sign of East Fourteenth street across the marsh between the railroads and Neptune avenue, nor has the street been graded between the railroad and Shore road.

This Commission is not required to provide crossings for other than travelled streets. In view of the fact that there is no sign of any development in the neighborhood which requires a street at this point and as the work on the Brighton Beach improvement has been completed south of Sheepshead Bay, I recommend that the petitioners be advised that they should apply to the Board of Estimate to open the street in accordance with the provisions of the "Railroad Act," believing that this Commission is not warranted in providing such expensive bridge construction as would be required on this marsh bottom until more definite need of the street is apparent and steps are taken to grade and improve the street adjacent to the requested bridge.



The estimated cost of this work for the Brighton Beach line is sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) and the Manhattan Beach line is fifty-five thousand dollars (\$55,000.)

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN C. SWEZEY, General Superintendent.

On motion the matter was referred to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

#### FIXING THE ROADWAY WIDTH OF PRESIDENT STREET, BETWEEN ALBANY AVENUE AND TROY AVENUE, BROOKLYN.

The following resolution of the Local Board of the Flatbush District, Borough of Brooklyn, and report of the Chief Engineer were presented:

*In the Local Board of the Flatbush District.*

Whereas, A petition for a local improvement, to wit:

To reduce the width of roadway of President street, between Albany and Troy avenues, from 60 feet to 42 feet, to correspond with President street, from New York avenue to Albany avenue, has been received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn; and

Whereas, He has appointed a time for a meeting of this Local Board, at which meeting the said petition would be submitted by him to the said Local Board; and

Whereas, The said petition was duly submitted thereafter to the said Local Board; now therefore it is

Resolved, That the Local Board of the Flatbush District hereby recommends to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the reduction of the width of the roadway of President street, between Albany and Troy avenues, from 60 feet to 42 feet; and it is hereby

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

Adopted by the Local Board of the Flatbush District on the 24th day of November, 1909, Commissioner Farrell and Alderman Morrison voting in favor thereof.

Attest:

CHARLES FREDERICK ADAMS, Secretary.

Approved on December 2, 1909.

BIRD S. COLER, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

REPORT No. 7428.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER,  
January 10, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Herewith is transmitted a resolution of the Local Board of the Flatbush District, Borough of Brooklyn, adopted on November 24, 1909, recommending that the roadway width of President street, between Albany avenue and Troy avenue, be fixed at 42 feet.

President street has been laid out to have a width of 100 feet, and under the existing ordinances the roadway width is fixed at 60 feet. The street has been paved under private contract between New York avenue and Albany avenue with a roadway width of 42 feet; the treatment proposed for the easterly block was legalized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 4, 1909, at which time it was pointed out that the abutting property was of a residential character and that the roadway width desired would fully meet the traffic needs.

The request now presented is, in my judgment, a proper one, and I would recommend the adoption of a resolution providing for the treatment desired.

Respectfully,

NELSON P. LEWIS, Chief Engineer.

On motion, the matter was referred to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

#### ACQUISITION OF LAND FOR PARK PURPOSES LOCATED BETWEEN ISLAND AND RALPH AVENUES, EXTENDING TO BERGEN BEACH, BROOKLYN.

The following communication from Mr. L. Jacobson was presented:

L. Jacobson,  
No. 312 West One Hundred and Twentieth Street,  
New York, December 9, 1909.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—Why should you go to Rockaway Beach for a farm where the car fare is 30 cents, when I can offer you 315 acres in Flatbush, Brooklyn, within the 5-cent zone, including three miles of water-front for less money than the Rockaway Beach swamp land. My property is located from Island and Ralph avenues extending to Bergen Beach. It is called on the map Mill Island. The property was appraised by the Lawyers' Title Company, six months ago, at \$1,800,000. Will make you a much lower price should you desire it for a park.

Respectfully yours,

L. JACOBSON.

On motion, the matter was referred to the Comptroller.

#### APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CROSS THE AQUEDUCT LAND ADJOINING PROPERTY OF AUGUST J. JAEGER ALONG OLD SOUTH ROAD, SOUTH WOODHAVEN, LONG ISLAND.

The following report of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to whom this matter was referred on December 17, 1909, was presented:

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,  
Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row,  
New York, January 7, 1910.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on December 17, 1909, the application of August J. Jaeger for permission to cross the aqueduct land adjoining his property along Old South road, South Woodhaven, Long Island, was referred to this Department for consideration.

I am advised by Chief Engineer Spear, of the Borough of Brooklyn, that a road was made on the City property, giving an outlet to the land of the petitioner on Central avenue, which lies about 250 feet east of the property in question. This roadway was made after a conference with Mr. Jaeger and Deputy Commissioner Cozier, and it was entirely agreeable that the new road would act as an outlet for his property.

I would suggest that the City incur no further expense in the establishment of new roads or right-of-ways until Mr. Jaeger's claim has been determined by the Commissioners of Appraisal. As far as the Department has been able to learn Mr. Jaeger's property had an outlet on Old South road lying north of the property, now separated from it by the lands acquired in 1858 for the old Brooklyn Conduit.

Mr. Jaeger owned the property at the time that this old right-of-way was acquired by the old city of Brooklyn. I believe that he is entitled to an outlet from his property, but he can establish this right, I presume, before the Commissioners of Appraisal.

Respectfully,

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

On motion the matter was referred to the Corporation Counsel.

#### STANDARDIZATION OF SPECIFICATIONS FOR PUBLIC WORK UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE VARIOUS BOROUGH PRESIDENTS.

The following communication from the Secretary of the General Contractors' Association was presented:

The General Contractors' Association,  
Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row,  
New York, January 3, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—This association has been engaged for the past year in the study of contracts and specifications for public work in this city and, pursuant to our request, the former Board of Estimate and Apportionment appointed a Committee of Engineers to hold hearings for the purpose of considering the feasibility of standardizing specifications for work under the jurisdiction of the Borough Presidents. Resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, July 2, 1909.

One of these hearings has already been held and we are now engaged in preparation of matter for other hearings and, deeming the subject one of importance and beneficial alike to both the City and the contractors, we beg that your Board will take action continuing the existence of the Committee.

Thanking you for the attention in the matter,  
Respectfully,

C. A. CRANE, Secretary.

On motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen the matter was laid over.

After considering certain franchise and financial matters, on motion of the President of the Board of Aldermen the Board adjourned to meet on Friday, January 21, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

##### Changes During the Week Ending January 8, 1910.

List of Changes in the Service of the Department During the Week Ending January 8, 1910.

January 1—Carr, Annie, title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, Blackwells Island, \$420 per annum; to conform with Budget.

January 1—Ellard, Myra A., title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, \$420 per annum, Metropolitan Training School; to conform with Budget.

January 1—Conway, Cletus Rose, title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, Central Office, Manhattan, \$420 per annum; to conform with Budget.

January 1—Bulmer, Robinson, dropped, Clerical Assistant, Children's Bureau, Manhattan, \$420 per annum; lack of appropriation.

December 26—Boylan, Joseph, dropped (temporarily), licensed Fireman, Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwells Island, \$3 per diem; on account of illness.

December 6—Buckley, George H., resigned, Hospital Helper, Cumberland Street Hospital, Brooklyn, \$240 per annum.

December 14—Burke, Annie, salary reduced, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, Blackwells Island, \$180 to \$150 per annum.

January 1—Crawford, Bessie, appointed, Hospital Helper, New York City Farm Colony, \$240 per annum; certified January 1, 1910.

January 1—Cherry, Frank, title changed from Hospital Helper to Deckhand and salary increased from \$150 to \$500 per annum; steamboats; certified January 1, 1910.

January 6—Baker, Richard C., resigned, First Deputy Commissioner, Central Office, Manhattan, \$5,000 per annum.

January 3—Fogerty, Thomas L., appointed, Second Deputy Commissioner, Central Office, Brooklyn, \$5,000 per annum.

January 7—Goodwin, Frank J., appointed, First Deputy Commissioner, Central Office, Manhattan, \$5,000 per annum.

January 1—Cassidy, Anna C., title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, Bureau of Dependent Children, Manhattan, \$420 per annum; to conform with Budget.

December 30—Charters, Christopher, dropped, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, Blackwells Island, \$180 per annum; own request.

December 2—Colson, Melville G., reappointed, Cook, Kings County Hospital, \$240 per annum; this was reported under date of December 20, week ending December 18, as Hospital Helper.

December 1—Curtin, Maggie (Mary), appointed, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, Blackwells Island, \$180 per annum; certified December 1, 1909.

November 30—Daly, Joseph, dismissed, Hospital Helper, New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools, Randalls Island, \$180 per annum; absence without leave.

January 3—Hynes, Thomas W., resigned, Second Deputy Commissioner, Central Office, Borough of Brooklyn, \$5,000 per annum.

January 1—Housner, Addie Lavinia, title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, Central Office, Manhattan, \$420 per annum; to conform with Budget.

January 1—Hutchins, Thomas, dropped, Deckhand, steamboats, \$500 per annum; absence without leave.

December 31—Healy, John, dismissed, Hospital Helper, New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools, Randalls Island, \$480 per annum; gross neglect of duty and destroying records.

January 1—Kane, Annette M., title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, Children's Bureau, Manhattan, \$420 per annum; to conform with Budget.

January 1—Laurence, Ella M., leave granted four days without pay, from January 1 to January 4, Deputy Superintendent, Metropolitan Hospital Training School, Blackwells Island, \$1,200 per annum.

January 2—Levine, Harry, dropped, Cook, City Hospital, Blackwells Island, \$240 per annum; resigned.

November 30—Lee, Margaret, dropped, Hospital Helper, Kings County Hospital, \$216 per annum; continued illness. Note—On November 6 her salary was increased from \$192 to \$216 per annum but the change of her title from Waitress to Hospital Helper was never reported.

January 1—McAvoy, Clara, title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, Children's Bureau, Manhattan, \$420 per annum; to conform with Budget.

January 1—MacIntyre, Frances C., title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, Children's Bureau, \$420 per annum; to conform with Budget.

January 1—Minoletti, Mary G., title changed to Hospital Helper from Clerical Assistant, Children's Bureau, \$420 per annum; to conform with Budget.

December 2—Molson, Edward, dismissed, Cook, Kings County Hospital, \$240 per annum; absence without leave. Note—Under date of December 29 this appointment was sent in as Hospital Helper and he was dismissed under date of December 13, week ending December 11, as Hospital Helper.

January 1—McCullum, Edwin, title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, Central Office, Manhattan, \$300 per annum; to conform with Budget.

January 1—McMahon, Ella C., title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, \$300 per annum; to conform with Budget; New York City Home, Blackwells Island.

January 1—Naeder, Julia A., title changed from Clerical Assistant to Hospital Helper, Central Office, Manhattan, \$420 per annum; to conform with Budget.

January 4—Noble, Ralph H., appointed, Hospital Helper, Storehouse, \$180 per annum; certified January 4, 1910.

December 30—Owens, Arthur, appointed, licensed Fireman, temporary, \$3 per diem; Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwells Island.

January 1—Ormsby, Charles, salary increased, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, Blackwells Island, \$120 to \$360 per annum; certified January 1, 1910.

December 31—O'Connor, Patrick S., dropped, Hospital Helper, City Hospital, Blackwells Island, \$360 per annum; overstaying pass.

December 15—O'Connor, Mary, dropped, Hospital Helper, Metropolitan Training School, Blackwells Island, \$180 per annum; own request.



January 3—Post, Fred, dropped, Hospital Helper, steamboats, \$240 per annum; absence without leave.

January 3—Rolf, Frank, dropped, Cook, City Hospital, Blackwells Island, \$240 per annum; resigned.

January 1—Ross, John, dropped, Hospital Helper, City Farm Colony, \$240 per annum; absence without leave.

January 4—Rothbart, Kate, dropped, Cook, City Hospital, Blackwells Island, \$360 per annum; resigned.

January 1—Ryan, Maggie, dropped, Cook, City Hospital, Blackwells Island, \$240 per annum; resigned.

January 1—Ryan, Helen, title changed to Hospital Helper from Clerical Assistant, Children's Bureau, Manhattan, \$420 per annum; to conform with Budget.

January 4—Weich, Iza, appointed, Cook, City Hospital, \$240 per annum; certified January 4, 1910.

January 5—Weinrib, Bertha, appointed, Cook, City Hospital, Blackwells Island, \$360 per annum; certified January 5, 1910.

December 1—Steinmetz, Mary Elizabeth, appointed, Trained Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, Blackwells Island, \$600 per annum; certified December 1, 1909. Note—This was reported under date of December 13, week ending December 11, as Elizabeth.

December 1—Wilshire, Clara E., resigned, Trained Nurse, Metropolitan Training School, Blackwells Island, \$600 per annum.

January 4—Thorne, Agnes, appointed, Cook, City Hospital, Blackwells Island, \$240 per annum; certified January 4, 1910.

December 16—Tasman, James, promoted, Hospital Helper, New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools, Randalls Island, \$120 to \$240 per annum; certified December 6, 1909.

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

The following proposals of December 16, 1909, were accepted January 4, 1910:

Line No.		Manhattan.	Brooklyn.
	J. M. Horton Ice Cream Company, No. 213 East Twenty-fourth Street.		
27	3,200 quarts ice cream, at 30 cents per quart.....	\$960 00	
	The Harral Soap Company, No. 467 Greenwich Street.		
251	4,000 pounds white castile soap, equal to Conti & Co., Leghorn, genuine imported, in original boxes; to be delivered not less than twenty-five boxes at a time, actual tare to be deducted; at 12 cents per pound, net.....	480 00	
	The Gallup Kumyss Company, No. 331 Pleasant Avenue.		
29	400 dozen Kumyss, at 90 cents per dozen.....	360 00	
	G. T. Bestle, No. 24 West Twenty-fifth Street.		
132	569 pounds white pepper (39 pounds for Brooklyn, 530 pounds for Manhattan), at 20 cents per pound.....	106 00	\$7 80
	H. Adams' Son, No. 81 Water Street.		
43	1,153 gallons molasses (153 gallons for Brooklyn, 1,000 gallons for Manhattan), at 30 1/2 cents per gallon.....	301 00	46 05
	H. T. Dakin, No. 97 Warren Street.		
250	300 pounds Dutch Cleaner, at 3.98 cents per pound.....	11 94	
	H. Kohnstamm & Co., No. 87 Park Place.		
239	225 pounds caustic potash, at 6 1/2 cents per pound.....	14 62	
	John T. Stanley, No. 628 West Thirtieth Street.		
240	4,150 pounds caustic soda, at 3 1/2 cents per pound.....	145 25	
	The T. A. Snider Preserving Company, No. 105 Hudson Street.		
17	388 dozen tomato catsup (82 dozen for Brooklyn, 306 dozen for Manhattan), at \$1.71 per dozen.....	523 26	140 22
	Troy Laundry Machinery Manufacturing Company, No. 33 Warren Street.		
246	5 gallons indelible ink, at \$8 per gallon.....		40 00
	Manhattan), at 6 1/2 cents per pound.....	3 13	562 50
258	35 pounds aniline blue, at \$1.25 per pound.....		43 75
	Abbott Manufacturing Company, No. 2314 Broadway.		
249	5,760 pounds Abbott's renovating compound, at 3 cents per pound....	172 89	

The following proposals of December 28, 1909, were accepted January 6, 1910:  
Bramhall Deane Company, No. 264 Water Street, City.

Line No.		Manhattan.
2179	1 large ice box.....	\$59 00
	The Kny Scheerer Company, No. 404 West Twenty-seventh Street, City.	
2172	8 screens and 8 panels for same, at \$7.23 each.....	\$57 84
2176	2 rocker trucks, at \$4.50 each.....	9 00
	The Manhattan Supply Company, No. 127 Franklin Street, City.	
2175	12 wheel chairs, at \$17.70 each.....	\$212 40
	George Poll & Co., No. 690 Harman Street, Brooklyn.	
2174	2 utensil racks, at \$5.50 each.....	\$11 00
	Pascarella Brothers, No. 65 George Street, Brooklyn.	
2170	100 bedside tables, at \$2.10 each.....	\$210 00
2171	2 dozen commode chairs, at \$49.80.....	99 60
2173	2 medicine closets, at \$45.50.....	91 00
	John Wanamaker, No. 784 Broadway, City.	
2177	6 mirrors, at \$1.35 each.....	\$8 10
2178	2 ice boxes, at \$15 each.....	30 00

The following proposals of December 28, 1909, were accepted on January 4, 1910:  
William Horn, Stapleton, S. I.

Line No.		Richmond.
303	6,000 pounds common fish, at 7 3/4 cents per pound.....	\$465 00
304	1,000 pounds extra fish, at 10 1/2 cents per pound.....	105 00
		\$570 00
	The Fleischmann Company, No. 701 Washington Street, City.	
302	480 pounds yeast, at 25 cents per pound.....	\$120 00
	John Elsey, No. 210 Washington Street, City.	
305	6,000 hard clams, at \$1 per hundred.....	\$60 00
306	6,000 box oysters, at \$1 per hundred.....	60 00
307	40 pairs shad, at 80 cents per pair.....	32 00
		\$152 00

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, New York, January 6, 1910.

Manhattan Fire Alarm Company, No. 19 Barclay street, City. Gentlemen—Your proposition of December 28, 1909, reading as follows: "This company respectfully proposes to provide and maintain a fire alarm service in the Municipal Lodging House, No. 432 East Twenty-fifth street, during the year 1910, for the sum of sixty dollars

(\$60), inspecting and maintaining the service in thorough working order, and providing all necessary repairs and materials required therefor," is accepted, as above specified, and you are hereby directed to proceed with the work.

By direction of the Commissioner.

Respectfully yours,

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

#### MORGUE.

Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street.

New York, January 5, 1910. Description of unknown man from No. 1815 Seventh avenue—Age, 30 years; height, 5 feet 6 inches; weight, 135 pounds; color, white; eyes, blue; hair, dark brown; moustache, brown; good teeth. Clothing: Brown sack coat and pants, large check; blue serge vest, white shirt, black check stripes; white fleece lined underwear, black cotton socks, black patent leather walkover shoes. Condition of body, good. Remarks: Small scar on chin; was employed at above address as assistant janitor and known as Paul. No. 8178. Coroner Feinberg. Geo. W. Meeks, Superintendent.

New York, January 4, 1910. Description of unknown man from hallway, No. 280 Broome street—Age, 40 years; height, 5 feet 6 inches; weight, 150 pounds; color, white; eyes, brown; hair, dark brown; moustache, dark brown; one tooth, lower jaw, left side, missing. Clothing: Black sack coat, gray mixed vest, black stripes, drab pants, dark stripes, black cotton shirt, white fleece lined underwear, black socks, black lace shoes, tag marked Rosenstock, Eighth avenue. Condition of body, good. Remarks: Tattooed on left forearm initials T. R. N. 40—189X. On right forearm T. N. Address in pocket Antonio Tanuscioz, No. 437 East Sixteenth street; also Bellevue Dispensary card made out to Matthew Zrothersky, No. 4873. No. 8177. Coroner, Feinberg. Geo. W. Meeks, Superintendent.

New York, January 3, 1910. Description of unknown man from Municipal Lodging House, East Twenty-fifth street—Age, 60 years; height, 5 feet 6 inches; weight, 200 pounds; color, white; eyes, blue; hair, dark brown and gray; moustache, gray; all teeth missing. Clothing: Blue serge sack coat, gray mixed vest, blue serge pants, white fleece lined undershirt, black socks, black lace shoes, gray cap. Condition of body, good. Remarks: Old ulcers on both shin bones; clothing destroyed; vermin. No. 8176. Coroner, Feinberg. Geo. W. Meeks, Superintendent.

New York, January 3, 1910. Description of unknown woman from Washington Heights Hospital—Age, 40 years; height, 5 feet; weight, 250 pounds; color, white; eyes, blue; hair, black and gray; one upper tooth, left side, missing. Clothing: Long drab coat, gray mixed flannel jacket, black braid trimming, black serge skirt, blue and white striped flannel petticoat, white corsets, white cotton undershirt, black stockings, black lace shoes, patent leather tips, black felt hat, black ribbons and black feather trimming, brown fur neck piece. Condition of body, good. No. 8175. Coroner, Feinberg. Geo. W. Meeks, Superintendent.

New York, January 3, 1910. Description of unknown man from saloon, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Third avenue—Age, 40 years; height, 5 feet 7 inches; weight, 155 pounds; color, white; eyes, blue; hair, brown and gray; moustache, sandy; good teeth. Clothing: Black overcoat, black cheviot double breasted sack coat, tag marked Marks Arnheim, Broadway, tag inside pocket, name, H. Wallace No. 5577, May 11, 1905, black serge vest, black pants, gray suspenders, white shirt, pleated bosom, black stripes, turndown collar, laundry mark 61, blue fore-and-aft tie, gray cotton undershirt, white cotton drawers, black socks, black lace Blucher-Merit shoes, black derby hat. Condition of body, good. No. 8174. Coroner, Winterbottom. Geo. W. Meeks, Superintendent.

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

##### Transactions of December 9, 1909.

New York, December 9, 1909.

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

From the Corporation Counsel (84300)—Stating that the bonds of certain employees in the ferry service, transmitted by this Department under date of November 29, 1909, have been approved as to form and sent to the Comptroller for filing. Filed.

From the Department of Health (84114)—Requesting the removal of iron cleat located on the bulkhead immediately north of Sixteenth street, East River. Chief Engineer directed to remove cleat and install a mooring post on the bulkhead within the lines of Sixteenth street, in accordance with his recommendation.

From the Department of Street Cleaning—  
1 (84099). Asking that points be designated along the water-front for the dumping of snow and ice during the winter months. Information furnished as to points that have been designated.

2 (84215). Requesting dredging at the dumping boards foot of Canal street, North River. Dredging ordered.

From the President of the Borough of Richmond (84154)—Requesting permission to temporarily deposit ashes on the upland under the jurisdiction of this Department foot of Ferry street, Port Richmond, Borough of Richmond. Permit granted, the ashes to be deposited under the supervision of the Chief Engineer, and to be removed within ten days after receipt of notice from the Commissioner.

From the President of the Borough of Manhattan—  
1 (84136). Requesting permission to occupy space for the storage of sand at the following locations: West Thirtieth and West Fifty-second streets, North River; East Sixty-first and East Seventieth streets, East River, and One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, Harlem River. Permit granted, revocable at the will of the Commissioner, the spaces to be 30 by 100 feet in dimensions.

2 (84232). Requesting permission to pierce the bulkhead foot of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Harlem River, Borough of Manhattan, in connection with the work of reconstructing sewer thereat. Permit granted, work to be done under the supervision of the Chief Engineer, the premises to be restored to satisfactory condition upon completion of the work, the use of the premises for wharfage purposes not to be hampered.

From Albert H. Hastorf (84322)—Requesting permission to dredge at dumping board foot of West Thirtieth street, North River. Permit granted, work to be done under the supervision of the Chief Engineer.

From E. & J. Marrin (84279)—Requesting permission to store sand and broken stone in rear of bulkhead between Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets, North River. Privilege granted for a space 30 by 100 feet in dimensions, rental to be at the rate of \$37.50 per month, payable monthly in advance to Dockmaster.

From the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company (84244)—Requesting permission to make repairs, from time to time, as may be required, to its water-front property along the North, East and Harlem Rivers, Borough of Manhattan, and in Wallabout Basin, Brooklyn. Permit granted on usual conditions, revocable at the will of the Commissioner, and expiring by limitation of time December 31, 1910.

From James Tregarthen Son & Co. (84193)—Requesting permission to make repairs to the fender system on the bulkhead between Sixth and Seventh streets, East River, and on the pier foot of Seventh street, East River. Permit granted, work to be kept within existing lines and to be done under the supervision of the Chief Engineer.

From A. E. Outerbridge & Co. (84186)—Requesting permission to place two iron mooring posts on the platform immediately adjoining the approach to Pier 47, North River. Permit granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Chief Engineer.

From the Clyde Steamship Company (84124)—Requesting permission to install two toilets on Pier 45, North River. Permit granted, work to be done under the supervision of the Chief Engineer.

From Richard A. Scanlon (84113)—Requesting permission to store gravel on bulkhead between One Hundred and Thirty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets, North River. Privilege granted for a space 30 by 100 feet, rental to be at the rate of \$37.50 per month, payable monthly in advance to Dockmaster. The permit is revocable at the will of the Commissioner and expires by limitation of time April 30, 1910.

From Ezra B. Tuttle (84110)—Requesting permission to construct a sheet pile bulkhead on the westerly side of Newtown Creek, Borough of Brooklyn, northerly of Metropolitan avenue. Permit granted to construct the bulkhead for a distance of



173½ feet north of the northerly line of Metropolitan avenue, in accordance with plans submitted as amended, and under the supervision of the Chief Engineer.

From the Retail Butchers' Fat Rendering Company (84194)—Stating it does not desire to avail itself of the permit to use suction pipe under the pier foot of Thirty-ninth street, North River. Permit revoked; Chief Engineer ordered to plug up old pipe.

From the United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps—

1 (84184). Requesting permission to place a small building on pier foot of Grand street, East River. Denied.

2 (84183). Requesting permission to place a portable house on landing at the Battery. Denied.

From John J. Curran (84149)—Requesting permission to use a portion of the bulkhead foot of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Harlem River. Denied.

From O'Brien Brothers, Inc. (84115)—Asking that their permit for loading broken stone at West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth Street Pier be revoked as of November 27, 1909. Permit revoked.

From the Superintendent of Docks (84201)—Recommending the revocation of the permit to Edward V. Farley for berthing the ferryboats "South Brooklyn" and "West Brooklyn" at the pier at Stapleton, Staten Island, to take effect as of July 24, 1909, the date of discontinuance. Revoked.

From the Chief Engineer—

1 (84028). Recommending that the Superintendent of Docks be notified not to permit the carrying of extraordinarily heavy freight on the pier foot of Fifty-second street, North River, until provision is made to protect the deck of the pier. Dock Superintendent notified accordingly.

2 (84029). Recommending that the Pryor estate be directed to immediately make repairs to the bulkhead between Piers (old) 52 and 53, East River, and that, pending such repairs, they fence it off from public use. Order issued.

3 (84210). Recommending that the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals be notified that all construction work at the New Bellevue section, East River, will terminate, in so far as this Department is concerned, at the northerly line of Twenty-ninth street, East River, the area immediately north being private property, and that the Department will assume no responsibility for any work northerly of Twenty-ninth street, East River. Hospital Trustees notified as recommended.

4 (84265). Recommending that the Iron Steamboat Company be directed to remove its fender piles and chocking from the southerly side of Pier 62, North River. Order sent.

5 (84270). Recommending that H. O. Havemeyer, Jr., reputed owner, be directed to make the necessary repairs to the bulkhead adjoining the southerly side of the North Second street pier, Brooklyn. Order sent.

The Superintendent of Ferries (84320), having preferred charges of misconduct against Michael Devlin, Marine Stoker, Devlin was given a hearing, reprimanded and ordered reassigned to work.

Permission (80895) was granted John C. Groh to occupy Lot No. 9 of Block 35, at Broad Channel, Jamaica Bay, Borough of Queens, rental to be at the rate of \$34.20 per annum; the permit begins as of May 1, 1909, is revocable at the will of the Commissioner, and expires by limitation of time May 1, 1912.

Orders were issued to the Chief Engineer as follows:

(84046) To make repairs to the pier foot of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Harlem River.

(84088) To make repairs to the pier foot of Eighteenth street, East River.

(84092) To make repairs to Pier 54, East River.

(84090) To order dredging at bulkhead foot of Fifty-fourth street, East River.

(84089) To order dredging at Pier 54, East River, along the easterly side.

(84211) To order dredging in the half slips adjoining pier foot of One Hundred and Tenth street, Harlem River.

(84219) To order dredging on the southerly side of the pier foot of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Harlem River.

(84266) To order dredging in front of bulkhead between Piers 46 and 48, North River.

(84268) To make repairs from time to time, as may be required, to granite pavement along the North River.

(84271) To make necessary repairs to the North Second street pier, Brooklyn.

(84272) To order dredging in the half slips adjoining the North Second street pier, Brooklyn.

(84308) To order dredging along the bulkhead return on the northerly side of the pier foot of Fourth street, East River.

(84309) To order dredging at bulkhead between Piers 41 and 42, North River.

Charges of misconduct (84127) were preferred against James E. O'Brien, Dock Laborer, and he was directed to appear before the Commissioner for a hearing thereon.

The Department of Health (84318) was requested to make a physical examination of Harry Brady, Clerk.

The Commissioner's communication of November 30, 1909, to the Corporation Counsel for an opinion in the matter of the controversy between the Plumbers and Gasfitters on the Chelsea Piers, North River, was withdrawn.

The Comptroller was requested to authorize the chartering of the ferryboat "New York" for an additional period of five days to December 8, 1909 (84356).

The Corporation Counsel was requested to advise, first, as to what rights the owners of upland property have in the area outside of highwater mark; second, can such land under water be leased to anyone other than the upland owner, and third, should either of the foregoing two considerations enter into the computation in fixing the value of the land under water for rental purposes (84283, 83180).

A communication (84152) was received from the T. A. S. Sheridan Company, requesting dredging along southerly side of pier foot of Ninety-seventh street, North River, at the company's cost and expense. Advised that Department cannot comply with request.

ALLEN N. SPOONER, Commissioner.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

### Local Board Meeting.

#### JOINT MEETING OF THE LOCAL BOARDS OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

After the various Local Boards of the Borough of The Bronx adjourned on January 5, 1910, the President of the Borough called a joint meeting to arrange for their regular meetings, advertising of public notices in the official papers, and for the notification of property owners, associations, etc., as to when petitions would be considered by the Local Boards, which might affect them.

Present—Alderman Fagan, Alderman Sheridan, Alderman Mulhearn, Alderman Herbst, Alderman Hamilton, Alderman Finley, Alderman Godwin and the President of the Borough.

Alderman Herbst suggested Friday night as a regular meeting night. The President of the Borough inquired as to whether Friday night would be suitable for the members as a meeting night, and all members present answered in the affirmative.

The President of the Borough, under authority vested in him by section 430 of the Charter of Greater New York, fixed the hours of the meetings, as follows:

Local Board of Morrisania, Friday, January 28, 1910, at 8 p. m.; Local Board of Chester, Friday, January 28, 1910, at 8.30 p. m.; Local Board of Crotona, Friday, January 28, 1910, at 9 p. m.; Local Board of Van Cortlandt, Friday, January 28, 1910, at 9.30 p. m., in Room 13, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, and on other Friday evenings as may be necessary, until further notice.

#### Notice of Public Hearings Before Local Boards in the Borough of The Bronx.

The question of publishing the usual notice of petitions to be presented to the Local Boards, was taken up, and after discussion by the President of the Borough, the members of the Local Boards, and Commissioner Whittle, it was

Resolved, That the usual notice be published in the City Record announcing the presentation of petitions to the Local Boards, and in such papers as may be hereafter legally designated.

Adopted unanimously.

Notice of Meetings to be Sent to Taxpayers' Associations, Improvement Leagues, Boards of Trade, etc.

On motion, seconded, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to notify by postal card, the Secretary of each Taxpayers' Association, Improvement League, or Board of Trade, of the various meetings of the Local Boards, when petitions for improvements might affect them.

Adopted unanimously.

#### Official Borough Papers.

On motion, seconded, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to ascertain the names of the official Borough papers.

Unanimously adopted.

#### Petitions for Improvements to be Filled Out Properly.

The President of the Borough, after examining petitions addressed to former Local Boards, stated that he deemed it advisable for the information of the members of the Local Board, and for the information of owners interested, that, hereafter, when petitions are presented, that the signers specify, in addition to their residence, the amount of property they own on, or near, the street in which the improvement is to be made.

The members concurred in this view, and the Secretary was directed to see that this rule was carried out in future.

On motion the Board adjourned.

GEORGE DONNELLY, Secretary.

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

### Report of Transactions for the Week Ending December 31, 1909.

#### BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

During the week ending December 31, 1909, this Bureau issued thirty-eight orders for supplies and fifty-eight orders for repairs, making a total of ninety-six orders. Bills aggregating \$2,498.97 were signed by the Commissioner of Public Works and forwarded to the Department of Finance for audit and payment.

#### BUREAU OF INCUMBRANCES AND PERMITS.

##### Complaint Department.

Mail, 2; office, 7; Inspectors, 24; Police Department, 22. Total, 55. Classification and Disposal—Boulder removed, 1; trees and limbs removed, 45. Total, 46.

##### Inspectors' Department.

Complaints made, 24; complaints settled, 64; slips settled, 111.

##### Permit Department.

Permits Issued—Building material, 4; vaults, 5; cross walks, 2; special, 22; vault repairs, 3; electric companies, 18; railroad companies, 6; gas companies, 56. Total, 116. Permits Passed—Tap water pipes, 11; repair water connections, 13; sewer connections, 18; sewer connection repairs, 9. Total, 51.

##### Cashier's Department.

Moneys Received—	
Repaving over water connections.....	\$164 00
Repaving over sewer connections.....	61 00
Repaving over gas connections.....	191 00
Repaving over electric light connections.....	2,542 23
Inspection of work done by corporations.....	157 50
Extra paving.....	7 40
Telephone.....	3,071 48
Inspections, vaults.....	2,233 20
Special paving.....	113 48
Total.....	\$8,541 29

#### BUREAU OF SEWERS.

##### Superintendent's Office, Borough of Brooklyn.

Moneys received for sewer permits, \$334.68.  
Number of permits issued, 36; for new sewer connections, 23; for old sewer connections (repairs), 13.  
Requisitions drawn on Comptroller, 6; appropriations, \$10,746.23; funds, \$21,858.89.  
Linear feet sewer built, 24-inch to 90-inch, 150; linear feet pipe sewer built, 519.  
Total number of feet sewer built, 669.  
Number of manholes built, 5; number of feet sewer repaired, 1,500; linear feet of pipe sewers cleaned, 17,500; linear feet of sewers examined, 2,200; manhole head and cover reset, 1; manhole covers put on, 5; number of basin pans set, 7; number gallons sewage pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward, 61,079,400; number gallons sewage pumped, Thirty-first Ward, 32,212,617; cubic feet sludge pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward, 48,248; cubic feet sludge pumped, Thirty-first Ward, 8,284; complaints examined, 3.

##### Laboring Force Employed During the Week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers—Inspectors of Sewer Connections, 10; Foremen, 10; Inspectors of Sewers and Basins, 9; Mechanics, 3; Laborers, 103; horses and carts, 35.  
Street Improvement Fund—Laborers, 25.  
Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works—Laborers, 19.  
Thirty-first Ward Disposal Works—Foremen, 2; Laborers, 25.  
Cleaning Large Brick and Concrete Sewers—Foremen, 2; Laborers, 34; horses and carts, 15.

#### BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

##### Division of Street Repairs.

Force Employed on Repairs to Street Pavements—Laborers, 157; horses and wagons, 24; horses and carts, 4; Foremen, 22; teams, 12.  
Work Done by Connection Gangs—Dangerous holes repaired and made safe, 15; complaints received, 24; defects remedied, 140.  
Miscellaneous Work—Cleaning Wallabout Market, cleaning snow and ice from streets.

##### Asphalt Plant.

Force at Plant—Superintendent, 1; Foreman, 1; Auto Engineer, 1; Stoker, 1; Asphalt Workers, 3; Laborer, 1.  
The force employed on repairs to plant and watching.  
Force Employed on Maintenance—Foremen, 3; Engineer, 1.  
The above force employed on inspecting streets and repairs to steam rollers.  
Force Employed on Maintenance and Unimproved Roadways—Mechanics, 1; Laborers, 63; horses and wagons, 7; teams, 7.  
Loads Material Hauled—To work, 13; to dump, 6,049.



## Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Week Ending December 31, 1909.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$2,030,650).....	116
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$103,750).....	28
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$99,892).....	84
Building slip permits issued (estimated cost, \$5,455).....	35
Bay window permits issued (estimated cost, \$4,455).....	19
Unsafe cases filed.....	6
Violation cases filed.....	91
Unsafe notices issued.....	6
Violation notices issued.....	91

## Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Corresponding Week Ending January 2, 1909.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$612,460).....	109
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$139,760).....	71
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$108,192).....	40

ALFRED E. STEERS, President of the Borough.

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

## Minutes of Meeting Held Thursday, December 30, 1909.

Minutes of Special Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held at the Offices of the Commission, No. 299 Broadway, on Thursday, December 30, 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Present—President Frank L. Polk and Commissioners R. Ross Appleton and Arthur J. O'Keefe.

The President, Mr. Frank L. Polk, presided.

Mr. John F. Skelly, Assistant Secretary, appeared in answer to the charge of conduct prejudicial to the best interests of the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

At the conclusion of the hearing the Commission went into regular session.

On motion, the matter of the charges preferred against the Assistant Secretary was laid over.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were approved:

Patrick J. Horan, from the position of Stationary Engineer, at a salary of \$4.50 per diem, in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to that of Chief Engineer, at a salary of \$1,500 per annum, in the Police Department.

Michael H. Purtell, from the position of Watchman, at a salary of \$2 per diem, in the Department of Docks and Ferries, to that of Bridge Keeper (Ticket Taker), at a salary of \$900 per annum, in the Department of Bridges.

Romanus L. Mahoney, from the position of Watchman, at a salary of 31½ cents per hour, in the Department of Bridges, to that of Bridge Keeper (Ticket Taker), at a salary of \$900 per annum, in the same Department.

Charles M. Smith, Stationary Engineer, from the Department of Bridges to the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn (Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices).

George F. Shaw, Clerk, second grade (\$900 per annum), from the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, to the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

Benjamin S. Swann, Clerk, second grade (\$1,050 per annum), from the office of the Mayor to the Board of Water Supply.

Sidney A. Williams, from Executive Clerk to Clerk in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, as of November 23, 1909, the date on which the application was first presented.

James Brady, from the position of Inspector of Sewers to that of Inspector of Sewer Connections, in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, as of December 1, 1909.

John P. Kerrigan, from the position of Inspector of Masonry and Sewers to that of Inspector of Sewer Connections, in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, as of December 1, 1909.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfer was disapproved:

Kate Horton, from the position of Cleaner to that of Attendant in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, there being a preferred list for the latter position.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the following reinstatements were approved:

Charles F. Ackerman, in the position of Architectural Draftsman in the Department of Education, he having resigned from a similar position on May 1, 1909.

James J. Fitzpatrick, in the position of Clerk, second grade (\$900 per annum), in the Bookkeeping Division of the Department of Finance, he having resigned from a similar position on March 31, 1909.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the action of the Commission in disapproving the reinstatement of George A. O'Brien as Patrolman in the Police Department be and the same hereby is rescinded, it appearing from a further investigation of the case that former Commissioner Bingham virtually reconsidered his action in dismissing O'Brien, that he had summoned him to appear before the Deputy Commissioner for further investigation, but that before the hearing was concluded the Commissioner resigned.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated December 30, in relation to the second appeal of Frank Hehn, Jr., a candidate in the examination for Engineer of Steamer, who had signed his name to his papers, for which reason they were rejected by the Chief Examiner. The report stated that the candidate had presented no reasons why the Commission should rescind its action of October 27, 1909, in denying the appeal. After consideration of the matter, the appeal was referred back to the Chief Examiner with the request that he ascertain why the monitors did not remove the candidate's name from the papers before handing them in.

A report was presented from the Chief Examiner in relation to the appeal of Thomas Hynes, a candidate for promotion to Lieutenant of Police, who had been disqualified for signing his name to the report paper. The matter was laid on the table.

Reports were presented from the Chief Examiner, dated December 13, 14 and 21, in relation to the candidates who had been disqualified in the examinations for promotion to Lieutenant of Police, Sergeant of Police and Battalion Chief, Fire Department. The matter was laid on the table.

Reports were presented from the Chief Examiner, dated December 20, recommending that the following subjects and weights be used in the examinations for Alienist and Janitor and Janitor Steam Heating:

Technical .....	6
Experience .....	4
Janitor and Janitor Steam Heating.	
Technical .....	6
Experience .....	4

On the recommendation of the President, to whom the matter had been referred at the meeting of December 22, it was ordered that the disqualification appearing against the name of Michael J. Benedetto, of No. 553 Third avenue, on the eligible list of Fireman be removed and that he be certified in the order of percentage (79.94).

The President stated that Mr. Justice Truax, of the Supreme Court, had just rendered a decision sustaining the contention of the Municipal Civil Service Commission that only Sergeants who had served two years in the grade were eligible to enter an examination for promotion to Lieutenant, but that the Commission had been

advised that an appeal had been taken from the decision. After consideration of the matter, the Commission directed that the papers of the Sergeants who had served less than two years as such, and who were permitted to take the examination provisionally, be rated, but that their names be withheld from the eligible list pending the decision of the Appellate Division.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That in all examinations where experience is a factor, the statements of candidates as to their experience be verified before the promulgation of the eligible lists.

A report was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated December 24, in relation to the request of the Commissioner of the Fire Department for authority to reinstate Edward McCormick as a Rubber Tire Repairer. The report stated that McCormick had been originally appointed from an eligible list of Rubber Tire Repairer on June 30, 1909, and that the list from which he had been appointed terminated on the date of appointment; that he had resigned on July 6, 1909, and that there was no evidence that he had ever been credited with any time on the payrolls of the Department. On motion, the request was denied for lack of power.

A report was presented from Mr. Thomas C. Murray, Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated December 27, in relation to a request of the Commissioner of the Fire Department, dated December 17, for information regarding the positions of Foreman Hostler at the Repair Shops, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond, and Foreman Cable Splicer in the Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau, Borough of Manhattan. After consideration of the matter, the Commission directed the Secretary to reply to the communication and state that the only way in which the titles of persons employed in the Labor Class could be changed to titles in the Competitive Class would be by means of promotion examination from among persons employed in positions of lower and corresponding character; that the title, "Foreman," could not be construed as an office title as it was regularly classified in the Competitive Class.

A report was presented from Mr. Thomas C. Murray, Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated December 30, in relation to the request of the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries that an examination be held for promotion from the position of Collector to that of third grade Clerk, and recommending that the request should be granted in accordance with Rule XV., clause 2, the examination to be open to all Collectors who had served at least six months. The recommendation was adopted.

A report was presented from Mr. Thomas C. Murray, Assistant Chief Examiner in Charge of Promotions, dated December 30, in relation to the request of the Comptroller for authority to change the title of Miss Margaret M. Collins, an employee of the Engineering Division of his Department, from Typewriting Copyist to Stenographer and Typewriter. The report stated that the change of title would be proper provided that Miss Collins qualified by means of a promotion examination; that the records of the office showed that she had served for over three years as a Typewriting Copyist of the second grade, and that an examination might be held for promotion to third grade Stenographer and Typewriter, to be open to all Typewriting Copyists in the Engineering Bureau of the Department of Finance who had served at least three years in the second grade. The recommendation was adopted.

A letter was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated December 30, requesting authority to appoint John P. Hayes, No. 404 East One Hundred and Forty-third street, as a Clerk of the first grade in the absence of an eligible list for that position. On motion, the appointment was approved for a period of fifteen days, in accordance with paragraph 4 of Rule XII., and the Secretary was directed to proceed with the necessary non-competitive examination to qualify the candidate for provisional appointment.

A letter was presented from Hon. Philip D. Meagher and Hon. William J. Bogenschutz, Justices of the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, Third District, dated December 22, requesting approval of their action in rescinding the dismissal of William A. Nugent from the position of Court Attendant and reassigning him to duty. The reassignment was approved.

A letter was presented from the Board of Water Supply, dated December 29 requesting approval of the appointment of Michael Crowley, Storm King, N. Y., as a Miner, with salary at the rate of \$3.50 a day when working in the shafts and \$3 a day when working on the surface. The appointment was approved in accordance with paragraph 7 of Rule XII.

A letter was presented from Hon. T. J. Higgins, Chairman of the Committee on Care of Buildings, Board of Education, dated December 24, requesting to be advised as to the classification of the position of Janitor; also requesting that he be furnished with an authoritative statement confirming the oral statement made to him by the Secretary that the Janitors of school buildings would not be considered as members of the Attendance Service, which was graded as to salary. The Secretary was directed to reply to the communication and state that the classification would be construed as not applying to Janitors who were paid according to the square feet of floor space in a building.

A letter was presented from the Secretary of the Borough of Manhattan, dated December 29, requesting approval of the increase in salary of Michael J. Berrigan, Inspector of Complaints, from \$1,200 to \$1,500 per annum, as of December 1, 1909, and stating that the increase in salary for Mr. Berrigan had been under consideration prior to December 10, the time of the regrading of the competitive class, but that an earlier notice had not been sent to the Commission because of the unsettled conditions in the office of the Borough President, the office having been declared vacant by the courts at that time. After consideration of the matter, the increase was approved, and the Secretary was directed to pass the payroll at the increased rate from December 1.

A letter was presented from Mr. James K. Paulding, Secretary to the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, dated December 29, requesting authority to appoint an Egg Candler under paragraph 6 of Rule XII., of the Municipal Civil Service Rules, and stating that the contract for the supply of eggs, butter and cheese for those institutions for the year 1910 required that they be examined by an expert; that application had been made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the establishment of a grade at a salary of \$1,000 per annum, and that it was desired to make a temporary appointment pending the creation of the grade. The request was granted.

A letter was presented from Hon. Gustave J. Schaefer, Coroner-elect, Borough of Queens, dated December 22, requesting permission to appoint a Coroner's Physician temporarily, pending the decision of the courts regarding the status of the Coroners' Physicians previously employed. The Secretary was directed to reply to the communication and suggest that a Coroner's Physician be appointed in the emergency caused by the litigation over that office.

The Secretary stated that it had been brought to his attention that John Zimmerman, of Richmond terrace, West New Brighton, Staten Island, a Foreman at \$4 a day, who had been taken over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity from the Staten Island Water Supply Company, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 142 of the Laws of 1908, had not had an opportunity to qualify in an examination for permanent appointment as provided by the act. After consideration of the matter, the Secretary was directed to arrange a non-competitive examination for Mr. Zimmerman at the earliest possible date.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Friday, December 31, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

## Minutes of Meeting Held Friday, December 31, 1909.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York, Held at the Commission's Offices, No. 299 Broadway, New York, on Friday, December 31, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Present—President Frank L. Polk and Commissioners R. Ross Appleton and Arthur J. O'Keefe.

The President, Mr. Frank L. Polk, presided.

The President presented the following report on transfers, reinstatements, etc., in the labor class.



## Transfers Approved.

Joseph Trainor, from Marine Sounder to Dock Laborer, Department of Docks and Ferries.

Emil Reutter, Deckhand to Bridgeman, Department of Docks and Ferries.

George F. Teator, Deckhand to Bridgeman, Department of Docks and Ferries. Bernard J. Connors, from the position of Laborer in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to that of Laborer in the Department of Bridges.

Edward Kerrigan, from Laborer in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to Laborer in the Fire Department.

John J. Tucker, from Laborer in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to Laborer in the Department of Bridges.

Jessie Faulkner and Sarah Driscoll, from Cleaner, College of The City of New York, to Cleaner, Normal College.

Michael C. Kerwin, from Driver to Stableman in the Department of Street Cleaning.

Michael Carroll, from Driver to Stableman in the Department of Street Cleaning. Cornelius Sheehan, from Stableman to Blacksmith's Helper.

Raffael Jannace, from Driver to Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

John Guiry, from Wheelwright to Cabinetmaker, Department of Street Cleaning.

James F. Sheridan, from Oiler, Department of Docks and Ferries, to Oiler, office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Thomas McConville, from Paver, office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, to Paver, office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Patrick McCarthy, from Paver, office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, to Paver, office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Isidore Fracassi, from Laborer to Sewer Cleaner, office of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

Thomas Ross, from Laborer to Sewer Cleaner, office of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

Beneditto Naimo, from Laborer to Sewer Cleaner, office of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

John Dynan, from Laborer, Aqueduct Commission, to Laborer, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

## Reinstatements Approved.

Louis H. Ricca, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Michael McLaughlin, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Patrick Kenealy, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

## Reassignments Approved.

Thomas Corcoran, Laborer, Department of Bridges.

Robert Houston, Park Laborer, Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond.

Charles Biedenapp, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Arthur Monahan, Sewer Cleaner, President, Borough of Manhattan.

## Applications Approved.

Request of the President of the Borough of Queens, under date of December 28, 1909, for approval of his action in rescinding the dismissal of the following named persons:

James Larkin, Stoker; John T. Grady, Bricklayer; John Helm, Machinist's Helper; Edward J. Fallon, Laborer.

Request of the Commissioner of Bridges for approval of his action in employing 18 laborers to remove ice and snow from the bridges in the Borough of Queens on December 26 and 27, 1909, subject to the provisions of Rule XIX., paragraph 11.

Request of the Commissioner of Bridges for approval of his action in employing laborers, as follows, to remove snow from the bridges over Newtown Creek, subject to the provisions of Rule XIX., paragraph 11:

December 26, 1909, 75 laborers; December 27, 1909, 75 laborers; December 28, 1909, 75 laborers.

Request of the Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, under date of December 23, 1909, for approval of the emergency appointment of Edward Golden as Scowman, to date from December 21, 1909.

## Applications Denied.

Request of the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries, under date of December 30, 1909, for authority to transfer Charles Klein, No. 2, from Deckhand to Bridgeman, and August Gildemeister from Deckhand to Bridgeman, they having served as Deckhands for less than one year.

Request of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, under date of December 13, for authority to transfer Mary Simpson from the position of Cleaner in the Board of Education to that of Cleaner in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, such transfer being contrary to the provisions of Rule XIX., clause 13.

The report was approved.

A letter was presented from the Comptroller, dated December 30, stating that he had rescinded the dismissal of James P. Loughran, an Accountant in the Bookkeeping Division, and accepted Mr. Loughran's resignation as of April 11, 1909, the date of dismissal. The Secretary was directed to amend the records accordingly.

The Secretary presented a supplementary payroll of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for the salary of Joseph M. Pearson, Clerk, from February 1 to April 4, 1909, time lost through illness. The Secretary was directed to attach the certificate of the Commission to the payroll.

The Commission then went into executive session.

At the conclusion of the executive session the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The investigation conducted by the State Civil Service Commission and the Civil Service Reform Association of The City of New York has satisfied them that there is no basis of fact in the so-called Jeremiah Flood and McCarthy cases referred to in the Skelly letters published in the daily "American," and further that there is nothing in connection with these cases reflecting in any way on the officers or employees of the Municipal Civil Service Commission; and

Whereas, It is the sense of this Commission that in deciding this case it would seem fair to eliminate the vexation and annoyance caused the Commission by the publication of these letters, and to deal merely with the indiscretion and bad taste shown by Mr. Skelly in indulging in humor on a serious subject; and

Whereas, The Commission feel they should take into consideration Mr. Skelly's record both in the City's employ and also in private business before entering the City service; now be it

Resolved, That in view of all the circumstances the Commission severely reprimand Mr. Skelly for his lack of discretion and direct that he be suspended for eight days without pay, such suspension to date from December 23, 1909.

The Commission then adjourned without date.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

## CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

## BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

January 21—The following increases of salaries were made, to take effect January 12, 1910: Harry O. Tafel, Clerk, \$1,050 to \$1,200 per annum. Michael Brady, Cleaner, \$750 to \$900 per annum.

## DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

January 21—Death of Samuel R. Probasco, late Assistant Engineer, occurred on January 19, 1910.

Thomas H. J. Heatley, of No. 64 Henry street, Brooklyn, is appointed as Carpenter, and his compensation fixed at \$5 per day, to date from January 24, 1910.

The following are appointed Laborers, and their compensation fixed at \$2.50 per day, to date from January 24, 1910:

Joseph F. Starrett, No. 1843 Mohegan avenue, The Bronx. John Hopp, Jr., No. 1975 Webster avenue, The Bronx.

## TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

January 20—Sarah K. Clarke, Typewriting Copyist, salary increased from \$750 to \$900 per annum. This promotion to take effect January 1, 1910.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

## Borough of The Bronx.

January 21—Appointment of Alexander Keir, No. 407 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, Foreman of Park

Laborers, at a compensation at the rate of \$100 per month, to take effect January 22, 1910.

January 17—

Appointment of the following named Drivers, with wagons and teams, at a compensation at the rate of \$4.50 per diem, to take effect January 17, 1910:

John Coleman, Albany Post road, Riverdale.

Peter J. Jones, Albany Post road, about Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

## SURROGATE, KINGS COUNTY.

January 21—Appointed John F. Horie, of No. 282 Wyckoff street, Brooklyn, New York, as a Laborer, to take the place of Thomas F. Lantry, resigned, said appointment to take effect as of January 20, 1910, and the salary of said Horie to be at the rate of \$60 per month.

## COMMISSIONER OF LICENSES.

January 18—

Appointed Joseph Marans, No. 205 Pacific street, Brooklyn, to the position of first grade Clerk in this office, at an annual salary of \$300, appointment to take effect January 21.

The services of Thomas Crinion, first grade Clerk, who filled the position pending the promulgation of the Civil Service list, terminated at the close of business on January 20.

## PRESIDENT, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

January 22—

Report of changes in the several Bureaus under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn during the period from January 1 to 15, inclusive:

## General Administration.

Peter A. Lee, No. 133 Penn street, transferred from the Division of Substructures, at a salary of \$1,500 per annum, to date from January 1.

William J. Bierach, No. 40 Woodland avenue, Woodhaven, Long Island, Stenographer, resigned, to date from January 1.

## Bureau of Highways.

Margaret M. Fleming, No. 474 Lafayette avenue, Stenographer and Typewriter, promoted from second to third grade, salary increased to \$1,200 per annum, to date from January 1.

J. J. Henderson, No. 180 Fourteenth street, Stationary Engineer, suspended on account of lack of work, to date from January 8.

The following named Laborers were dropped on January 10 for failure to report:

Thomas Burke, No. 762 Gates avenue. Thomas Lowery, No. 22 Skillman avenue.

George O'Connell, No. 129 Carlton avenue.

Michael McQuade, No. 136 Newton street.

William Malloy, No. 24 Rush street.

William G. Banks, No. 354 Fifty-sixth street, Laborer, transferred from the Bureau of Sewers at a compensation of \$2.50 per day, to date from January 14.

The following named persons were suspended on January 11 on account of lack of work:

## Flaggers.

Martin Costello, No. 419 East Nineteenth street, Manhattan.

Thomas Coffey, No. 694 Trinity avenue, The Bronx.

John Hackett, Bleigh road, Flushing.

Thomas Jones, No. 2504 Cambrelling avenue, The Bronx.

Michael Kennedy, No. 118 Cooper street.

Thomas Kenney, No. 69 Prince street.

George Kinney, No. 69 Prince street.

Erhardt Kramer, No. 10 Central avenue.

Michael Maher, No. 414 Warren street.

Daniel J. Meany, No. 17 Sycamore street.

Bernard Morris, No. 727 Bergen street.

Jos. J. Mulligan, No. 432 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, The Bronx.

John D. McMahon, No. 62 Steuben street.

H. McGinley, No. 430 Flushing avenue.

William O'Brien, Ferry lane, The Bronx.

F. O'Brien, No. 596 Mott avenue, The Bronx.

Jos. Rankiellor, No. 328 East Seventy-first street, Manhattan.

Patrick Hanrahan, Fifty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Stone Cutter.

John J. Keegan, No. 456 Vanderbilt avenue, Bricklayer.

John L. Baker, Jr., No. 68 Du Bois avenue, West New Brighton, Staten Island, Transitman, suspended, to date from February 1, on account of lack of work.

William T. Fitzpatrick, No. 154 Berkeley place, Assistant Engineer, suspended, to date from February 1, on account of lack of work.

John Hughes, No. 398 Sackett street, Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, granted a leave of absence for two

months, without pay, to date from January 8, on account of illness.

## Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

Edward Kerrigan, Laborer, was transferred to the Fire Department, to date from January 1.

## Bureau of Sewers.

Otto Herbke, No. 179 Stuyvesant avenue, Driver, transferred from the Bureau of Highways, at a compensation of \$900 per annum, to date from January 10.

The services of James W. Cody, No. 108 Rapelje street, who was employed under the provisions of Rule 12, paragraph 6, as Expert Gas Engineman, were dispensed with, to date from January 4.

The following named Inspectors of Sewer Construction were suspended for lack of work, to date from January 3:

Jason Mills, No. 369 East One Hundred and Forty-second street, The Bronx.

Robert Hankinson, No. 9 Vandam street, Manhattan.

William Travers, No. 588 Hicks street, Laborer, deceased, December 6.

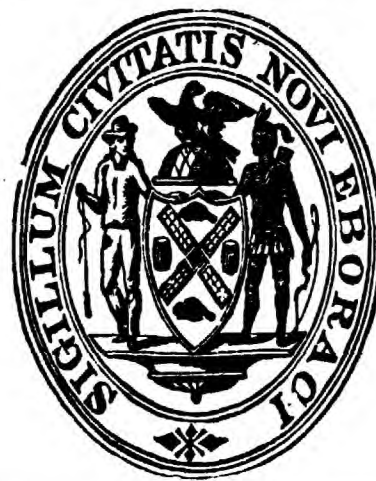
William T. Gilbert, No. 727 Conselyea street, Driver, at \$900 per annum, was transferred from the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, to date from January 15.

The following named persons were transferred from the Bureau of Highways on the dates indicated opposite their respective names:

William Ratigan, No. 206 McDougal street, Driver, at \$900 per annum, effective January 17.

Henry Finnegan, No. 170 Hopkinson avenue, Laborer, at \$2.50 per day, effective January 17.

Patrick Mannix, No. 294 Clinton street, Foreman of Laborers, at \$4 per day, effective January 17.



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**SURROGATE.**  
 Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
 Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.  
 Edward J. Bergen, Chief Clerk and Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.  
 Court opens at 10 a. m. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Telephone, 3954 Main.

## QUEENS COUNTY.

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**  
 Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; July and August, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Queens County Court-house, Long Island City.  
 John P. Balbert, Commissioner of Jurors.  
 Telephone, 455 Greenpoint.

**COUNTY CLERK.**  
 No. 364 Fulton street, Jamaica, Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.  
 Office open, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Martin Mager, County Clerk.  
 Telephone, 151 Jamaica.

**COUNTY COURT.**  
 Temporary County Court-house, Long Island City.  
 County Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September. Special Terms each Saturday, except during August and first Saturday of September.  
 County Judge's office always open at No. 356 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.  
 Burt J. Humphrey, County Judge.  
 Telephone, 286 Jamaica.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**  
 Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Frederick G. De Witt, District Attorney.  
 Telephone, 50 Greenpoint.

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
 No. 17 Cook avenue, Elmhurst.  
 John T. Robinson, Public Administrator, County of Queens.  
 Telephone, 335 Newtown.

## SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Thomas M. Quinn, Sheriff.  
 Telephone, 43 Greenpoint (office).  
 Telephone, 372 Greenpoint.

## SURROGATE.

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.  
 Office, No. 164 Fulton street, Jamaica.  
 Except on Sundays, holidays and half-holidays, the office is open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 The calendar is called on Tuesday of each week at 10 a. m., except during the month of August.  
 Telephone, 397 Jamaica.

## RICHMOND COUNTY.

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**  
 Village Hall, Stapleton.  
 Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.  
 Office open from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.

**COUNTY CLERK.**  
 County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
 C. L. Bostwick, County Clerk.  
 County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Telephone, 28 New Dorp.

**COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.**  
 Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1909.  
 County Courts—Stephen D. Stephens, County Judge.  
 First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jury.  
 Second Monday of November, 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.  
 Fourth Wednesday of December, without a Jury.  
 Surrogate's Court—Stephen D. Stephens, Surrogate.  
 Mondays, at the Borough Hall, St. George, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.  
 Tuesdays, at the Borough Hall, St. George, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.  
 Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**  
 Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.  
 Samuel H. Evans, District Attorney.  
 Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville.  
 Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

**SHERIFF.**  
 County Court-house, Richmond, S. I.  
 John J. Collins, Sheriff.  
 Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 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. (Friday, Motion day, at 10.30 a. m.)  
 Edward Patterson, Presiding Justice; George L. Ingraham, Chester B. McLachlan, Frank C. Laughlin, John Proctor Clarke, James W. Houghton, Francis M. Scott, Justices; Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk; William Lamb, Deputy Clerk.  
 Clerk's Office opens at 9 a. m.  
 Telephone, 3840 Madison Square.

**SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.**  
 County Court-house, Chambers street. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
 Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 16.  
 Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 13.  
 Special Term, Part III. Room No. 19.  
 Special Term, Part IV. Room No. 20.  
 Special Term, Part V. Room No. 6.  
 Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad cases), Room No. 31.  
 Trial Term, Part II, Room No. 34.  
 Trial Term, Part III, Room No. 22.  
 Trial Term, Part IV, Room No. 21.  
 Trial Term, Part V, Room No. 24.  
 Trial Term, Part VI, Room No. 18.  
 Trial Term, Part VII, Room No. 2.  
 Trial Term, Part VIII, Room No. 23.  
 Trial Term, Part IX, Room No. 35.  
 Trial Term, Part X, Room No. 26.  
 Trial Term, Part XI, Room No. 27.  
 Trial Term, Part XII, Room No. 1.  
 Trial Term, Part XIII, and Special Term, Part VII, Room No. 36.  
 Trial Term, Part XIV, Room No. 28.  
 Trial Term, Part XV, Room No. 37.  
 Trial Term, Part XVI, Room No. 37.  
 Trial Term, Part XVII, Room No. 20.  
 Trial Term, Part XVIII, Room No. 29.  
 Appellate Term, Room No. 29.  
 Naturalization Bureau, room on mezzanine floor, northeast.  
 Clerks in attendance from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 16.  
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), ground floor, southeast corner.  
 Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, grand floor, south.  
 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—Henry Bischoff, Leonard A. Giegerich, P. Henry Dugro, James Fitzgerald, James A. O'Gorman, James A. Blanchard, Samuel Greenbaum, Edward B. McCall, Edward B. Amend, Vernon M. Davis, Victor J. Dowling, Joseph E. Newburger, John W. Goddard, Samuel Seabury, M. Warley Platzek, Peter A. Hendrick, John Ford, Charles W. Dayton, John J. Brady, Mitchell L. Erlanger, Charles L. Guy, James W. Gerard, Irving Lehman, Edward B. Whitney, Alfred R. Page, Edward J. Gavegan, Nathan Bijur.  
 Peter J. Dooling, Clerk, Supreme Court.  
 Telephone, 4540 Cortlandt.



**SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Court open daily from 10 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions.  
James F. McGee, General Clerk.  
Telephone, 5466 Main.

**CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.**

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.  
William P. Schneider, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.**

Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.  
Thomas C. T. Crain, Otto A. Rosalsky, Warren W. Foster, Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Edward Swann, Joseph F. Mulqueen, James T. Malone, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. Edward R. Carroll, Clerk. Telephone, 1201 Franklin.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
During July and August Clerk's Office will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

**CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building City Hall Park, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Part I.  
Part II.  
Part III.  
Part IV.  
Part V.  
Part VI.  
Part VII.  
Part VIII.  
Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Edward F. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice; Francis B. Delehanty, Joseph I. Green, Alexander Finelite, Thomas P. Donnelly, John V. McAvoy, Peter Schmuck, Richard T. Lynch, Edward B. La Fetra, Richard H. Smith, Justices. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.  
Telephone, 6142 Cortlandt.

**COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.**

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.  
Court opens at 10 a. m.  
Justices—First Division—William E. Wyatt, Willard H. Olmsted, Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, John B. Mayo, Franklin Chase Hoyt. William M. Fuller, Clerk.  
City Magistrates to sit in the Court of Special Sessions until November 30, 1909—Charles W. Harris, Joseph F. Moss.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 2092 Franklin, Clerk's office.  
Second Division—Trial Days—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays at 10 o'clock; Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, Wednesdays at 10 o'clock.  
Justices—Howard J. Forker, John Fleming, Morgan M. L. Ryan, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe, James J. McInerney. Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

**CHILDREN'S COURT.**

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan. Ernest K. Coulter, Clerk.  
Telephone, 5353 Stuyvesant.  
Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn. William F. Delaney, Clerk.  
Telephone, 627 Main.

**CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.**

**First Division.**  
Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
City Magistrates—Robert C. Cornell, Leroy B. Crane, Peter T. Barlow, Matthew P. Breen, Joseph F. Moss, Henry Steinert, Daniel E. Finn, Frederick B. House, Charles N. Harris, Frederic Kernochan, Arthur C. Butts, Joseph E. Corrigan, Moses Herrman, Paul Krotel, Keyran J. O'Connor, Henry W. Herbert.  
Philip Bloch, Secretary, One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Sylvan place.  
First District—Criminal Courts Building.  
Second District—Jefferson Market.  
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.  
Fourth District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.  
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.  
Sixth District—One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Brook avenue.  
Seventh District—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street.  
Eighth District—Main street, Westchester.  
**Second Division.**  
Borough of Brooklyn.  
City Magistrates—Edward J. Dooley, James G. Tighe, John Naumer, E. G. Higginbotham, Frank E. O'Reilly, Henry J. Furlong, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., Alexander H. Geismar, John F. Hyland, Howard P. Nash.  
President of the Board, Edward J. Dooley, No. 232 Clermont avenue.  
Secretary to the Board, John E. Dowdell, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, and No. 648 Halsey street.  
**Courts.**  
First District—No. 318 Adams street.  
Second District—Court and Butler streets.  
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.  
Fourth District—No. 136 Bedford avenue.  
Fifth District—No. 245 Manhattan avenue.  
Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.  
Seventh District—No. 31 Snider avenue (Flat-bush).  
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).  
Ninth District—Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street.  
Tenth District—No. 133 New Jersey avenue.  
**Borough of Queens.**  
City Magistrates—Matthew J. Smith, Joseph Fitch, Maurice E. Connolly, Eugene C. Gilroy.  
**Courts.**  
First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, Long Island City.  
Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.  
Third District—Central avenue, Far Rockaway, L. I.

**Borough of Richmond.**

City Magistrates—Joseph B. Handy, Nathaniel Marsh.  
**Courts.**  
First District—Lafayette place, New Brighton, Staten Island.  
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton, Staten Island.

**MUNICIPAL COURTS.****Borough of Manhattan.**

First District—The First District embraces the territory bounded on the south and west by the southerly and westerly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of Fourteenth street and the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue, on the east by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.  
Washope Lynn, William F. Moore, John Hoyer, Justices.  
Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Merchants' Association Building, No. 54-60 Lafayette street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Additional Parts are held at southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Tenth street and at No. 128 Prince street.  
Telephone, 6036 Franklin.

Second District—The Second District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue and on the south and east by the southerly and easterly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.  
Benjamin Hoffman, Leon Sanders, Thomas P. Dinnean, Leonard A. Saitkin, Justices.  
James J. Devlin, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Nos. 264 and 266 Madison street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 5596 Orchard.

Third District—The Third District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street, on the east by the centre line of Seventh avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Central Park West from Fifty-ninth street to Sixty-fifth street, on the north by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street and the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from Seventh to Eighth avenue, on the west by the westerly boundary of the said borough.  
Thomas E. Murray, Thomas P. Noonan, Justices.  
Michael Skelly, Clerk.  
Location of Court—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone number, 5450 Columbus.

Fourth District—The Fourth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, on the north by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street, on the east by the easterly line of said borough; excluding, however, any portion of Blackwell's Island.  
Michael P. Blake, William J. Boyhan, Justices.  
Abram Bernard, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Part I and Part II, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street, on the east by the centre line of Central Park West, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the westerly boundary of said borough.  
Alfred P. W. Seaman, William Young, Frederick Spiegelberg, Justices.  
James V. Gillon, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Broadway and Ninety-sixth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from Lexington avenue to Fifth avenue, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue from Fifty-ninth street to Ninety-sixth street and the centre line of Fifth avenue from Ninety-sixth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the easterly boundary of said borough, including, however, all of Blackwell's Island and excluding any portion of Ward's Island.  
Jacob Marx, Solomon Oppenheimer, Justices.  
Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Northwest corner of Third avenue and Eighty-third street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 4343 Seventy-ninth street.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the centre line of Fifth avenue to the southerly terminus thereof and north of the southerly terminus of Fifth avenue, following in a northerly direction the course of the Harlem river, on a line continuous with the easterly boundary of said borough, on the north and west by the northerly and westerly boundaries of said borough.  
Phillip J. Sinnott, David L. Well, John R. Davies, Justices.  
Heman B. Wilson, Clerk.  
Location of Court—No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Eighth District—The Eighth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north and east by the northerly and easterly boundaries of said borough, including Randall's Island and the whole of Ward's Island.  
Leopold Prince, John J. Dwyer, Justices.  
William J. Kennedy, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Sylvan place and One Hundred and Twenty-first street, near Third avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 3956 Harlem.

Ninth District—The Ninth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street and by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from the centre line of Seventh avenue to the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, and by the centre line of Fifth avenue from the centre line of Ninety-sixth street to the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from the centre line of Lexington avenue to the centre line of Fifth avenue and by One Hundred and Tenth street from Fifth avenue to Central Park West, on the west by the centre line of Seventh avenue and Central Park West.

Edgar J. Lauer, Frederick De Witt Walls, Frank D. Sturges, William C. Wilson, Justices.  
William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Southwest corner of Madison avenue and Fifth-ninth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

**Borough of The Bronx.**

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, No. 1400 Williamsbridge road, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week.  
Peter A. Sheil, Justice.  
Stephen Collica, Clerk.  
Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays closing at 12 m.  
Telephone, 457 Westchester.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, southeast corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.  
Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to Navy street, thence along the centre line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to the point of beginning of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets. Parts I and II.  
Eugene Conran, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and the centre line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twentieth Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Waverly avenue, thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Park avenue, thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Washington avenue, thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue, and thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning.  
Court-room, No. 495 Gates avenue.  
John R. Farrar, George Friefeld, Justices. Franklin B. Van Wart, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Central avenue, and northwest of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.  
Philip D. Meagher and William J. Bogenahutz, Justices. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
Court opens at 9 a. m.  
Telephone, 995 Williamsburg.

Fourth District—Embraces the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards, that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards lying east of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and east of the centre line of Schenectady avenue, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying southeast of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens and the centre line of Central avenue, and southeast of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.  
Court-room, No. 12 Howard avenue.  
Jacob S. Strahl, Justice. Edward H. Taylor, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

Fifth District—Contains the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, and so much of the Twenty-second Ward as lies south of Prospect avenue. Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue.  
Cornelius Furguson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
Telephone, 407 Bay Ridge.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flat-bush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flat-bush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic avenue to Washington avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.  
Lucien S. Baylis and George Fielder, Justices. Charles P. Bible, Clerk.  
Court-house, No. 611 Fulton street.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.  
Alexander S. Rosenthal and Edward A. Richards, Justices. Samuel F. Brothers, Clerk.  
Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 31 Pennsylvania avenue).  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.  
Trial days, Tuesdays and Fridays.  
Clerk's Office, 304 East New York.  
Court Telephone, 905 East New York.

**Borough of Queens.**

First District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the canal, Rapelye avenue, Jackson avenue, Old Bowery Bay road, Bowery Bay, East river and Newtown creek. Court-room, St. Mary's Lyceum, Nos. 115 and 117 Fifth street, Long Island City.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day, excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 m. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
Thomas C. Kadien, Justice. Thomas F. Kennedy, Clerk.  
Telephone, 2376 Greenpoint.

Second District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeth avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad, Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the second and fourth wards, boundary line between the second and third wards, Flushing creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bayside avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck bay, East river, Bowery bay, Old Bowery Bay road, Jackson avenue, Rapelye avenue, the canal and Newtown creek. Court-room in Court-house of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. Address, Elmhurst, Queens County, New York.  
John M. Cragen, Justice. Luke J. Connorton, Clerk.  
Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeth avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad, Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the second and fourth wards, Vandever avenue, Jamaica avenue, Shaw avenue, Atlantic avenue, Morris avenue, Rockaway road, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Atlantic Ocean, Rockaway Inlet, boundary line between Queens and Kings counties and Newtown creek.  
Alfred Denton, Justice. John H. Nuhn, Clerk.  
1908 and 1910 Myrtle avenue, Glendale.  
Telephone, 189 Jamaica.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays (Fridays for jury trials only), at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the boundary line between the second and fourth wards, the boundary line between the second and third wards, Flushing creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bayside avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck bay, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Rockaway road, Morris avenue, Atlantic avenue, Shaw avenue, Jamaica avenue and Vandever avenue.  
James P. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.

**Borough of Richmond.**

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Anning S. Prall, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.  
Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
Arnold J. B. Weidemyer, Justice. Peter Tierman, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

**BOARD MEETINGS.****Board of Aldermen.**

The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1.30 o'clock, p. m.  
P. J. SCULLY,  
City Clerk and Clerk to the Board of Aldermen.

**Board of Estimate and Apportionment.**

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.  
JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary.

**Commissioners of Sinking Fund.**

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.

Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

**Board of Revision of Assessments.**

The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Thursday at 11 a. m., upon notice of the Chief Clerk.  
HENRY J. STORRS,  
Chief Clerk.

**Board of City Record.**

The Board of City Record meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.  
PATRICK J. TRACY,  
Supervisor, Secretary.

**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 219, 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, July 27, 1909.  
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,  
GEORGE C. NORTON,  
LEWIS A. ABRAMS,  
Commissioners.  
LAMONT McLAUGHLIN, Clerk.



## OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

**BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**  
"The Bronx Star," "North Side News," "Bronx Independent."

**BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**  
"Staten Island World," "The Staten Islander."

**BOROUGH OF QUEENS.**  
"Long Island Star" (First and Second Wards), "Flushing Evening Journal" (Third Ward), "Long Island Farmer" (Fourth Ward), "Rockaway News" (Fifth Ward).

**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**  
"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard-Union," "Brooklyn Free Press."

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**  
"Real Estate Record and Guide" (Harlem District), "Manhattan and Bronx Advocate" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights and Harlem Districts).

Designated by Board of City Record June 19, 1906. Amended June 20, 1906; September 30, 1907; February 24, 1908; March 5 and 16, 1908, and March 16, 1909.

## OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The Sun," "The New York Times."  
Evening—"The Globe," "The Evening Mail."  
Weekly—"Democracy," "Tammany Times."  
German—"Staats-Zeitung."

Designated by the Board of City Record, January 22, 1906. Amended March 1, 1906; November 20, 1906; February 20, 1907, and March 5, 1908.

## BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, TWENTY-SIXTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the President of the Board of Trustees in the Staff Room of Bellevue Hospital (entrance No. 411 East Twenty-sixth street) until 3 o'clock p. m. on

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1910,**  
FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE FURNISHING AND INSTALLING ELECTRIC AND GAS LIGHTING FIXTURES IN THE PATHOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT AND MALE DORMITORY OF THE NEW BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, SITUATED ON FIRST AVENUE AND BOUNDED BY TWENTY-SIXTH AND TWENTY-NINTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing all the work included under this contract will be not more than sixty (60) consecutive calendar days from the date of executing the contract.

The surety required will be Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum to the lowest bidder as soon thereafter as practicable, according to law.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Contract Clerk, No. 419 East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN W. BRANNAN, President of the Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.  
Dated January 21, 1910.

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## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

## Public Notice.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at its meeting to be held on Friday, February 4, 1910, at 10.30 a. m., in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, will hold a public hearing, at which citizens will be entitled to appear and be heard, for the purpose of inquiring into the desirability of, and the public necessity for, the grant of a franchise to the Queens Lighting Company to lay mains and supply gas in the easterly portion of the Borough of Queens, embracing within its limits the following sections or villages (so called):

Little Neck, Creedmoor, Holliswood, Queens, St. Albans, Springfield, Laurelton, Rosedale, Jamaica Gardens and Idelwild Park.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Dated New York, January 21, 1910.

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## Franchise Matters.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held January 7, 1910, the following petition was received:

NEW YORK CITY, December 30, 1909.  
Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The Manhattan Bridge Three Cent Line, a railroad corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New York, hereby makes application to your Honorable Board for the right to construct, operate and maintain a street surface railroad, to be operated either by an underground current of electricity or by gas engine cars, as follows:

Beginning at a point in the marginal way adjacent to the North River, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, at or near Desbrosses Street Ferry; thence on and over the marginal way and West street to Desbrosses street; thence upon and along Desbrosses street to Washington street; thence upon Washington street to Vestry street; thence upon Vestry street to Canal street; thence upon Canal street to and over the Manhattan Bridge and over and upon its approaches and plazas to Flatbush avenue extension, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; thence upon Flatbush avenue extension to Fulton street; thence upon Fulton street to Rockwell place; thence upon Rockwell place to Flatbush avenue; thence on Flatbush avenue to Fourth avenue; thence on Fourth avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence on Atlantic avenue to Third avenue; thence on Third avenue to Flatbush avenue; thence on Flatbush avenue to Livingston street; thence on Livingston street to Hoyt street; thence on Hoyt street to and across Fulton street to Bridge street; thence upon Bridge street to said Flatbush avenue extension, and crossing such streets and avenues, named and unnamed, as may be encountered in said route,

with a branch line commencing in the route above described at the intersection of Washington street and Desbrosses street; thence upon Desbrosses street to Greenwich street, and thence upon Greenwich street to Vestry street, and there connecting with the route above described.

Respectfully submitted,  
MANHATTAN BRIDGE THREE CENT LINE,  
(Seal.) By FREDERICK W. ROWE, President.  
City and State of New York, Kings County, ss.:

On the 30th day of December, 1909, before me personally came Frederick W. Rowe, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he resided in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and is the President of the Manhattan Bridge Three Cent Line, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knew the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument was such corporate seal, and was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation, and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

GILBERT ELLIOTT,  
Notary Public,  
Kings County.

—and the following resolutions were thereupon adopted:

Whereas, The foregoing petition from the Manhattan Bridge Three Cent Line, dated December 30, 1909, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held January 7, 1910.

Resolved, That in pursuance of law this Board sets Friday, the 4th day of February, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary is directed to cause such petition and these resolutions to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two daily newspapers in The City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the City Record immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

The "New York Press" and "The World" designated.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.  
New York, January 7, 1910.

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## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

**MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1910,**  
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SHOING THE HORSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1910.

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

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SHOING THE HORSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1910.

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

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SHOING THE HORSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1910.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The number of horses in the eight (8) stables of the Department of Street Cleaning in the Borough of Brooklyn is estimated at 734 draft horses and 32 driving horses, for the purpose of testing and comparing bids.

The number of horses in the twelve (12) stables of the Department of Street Cleaning in the Borough of Manhattan is estimated at 1,100 draft horses and 55 driving horses, for the purpose of testing and comparing bids.

The number of horses in the three (3) stables of the Department of Street Cleaning in the Borough of The Bronx is estimated at 134 draft horses and 7 driving horses, for the purpose of testing and comparing bids.

The prices are to be at agreed rates per month for draft horses and driving horses, respectively, and the contractor is to be paid at these rates each month for each and every horse of the Department that is in the stables of the Department during the month under the contractor's care for the purpose of this work, whether said horse shall be in such care for the whole or a fraction of the month. These prices must be the sum or amount per month for each draft horse, and the sum or amount per month for each driving horse, and these prices must be written out and must be given also in figures. The bids will be compared by the total sums or amounts for the number of horses stated as above, and each of the three contracts will be awarded to the lowest bidder as thus ascertained.

The period of these contracts will begin on the first day of the month next succeeding its execution and end on the 31st day of December, 1910, unless terminated sooner by the Commissioner.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Dated January 18, 1910.

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 1910,**  
Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TICKING FOR SADDLE PADS AND HORSE COLLARS, CART HARNESS, SINGLE TRUCK HARNESS, DOUBLE TRUCK HARNESS, SINGLE DRIVING HARNESS, BREECINGS FOR SINGLE CART HARNESS, HARNESS

MAKERS' SUPPLIES, PIPE HORSE COLLARS, HORSESHOE PADS AND LEATHER SOLES, LEATHER.

The time for the delivery of the said supplies and the performance of the contracts in relation to the same is as follows: Ticking for saddle pads and horse collars, thirty (30) days; cart harness, sixty (60) days; single truck harness, sixty (60) days; double truck harness, sixty (60) days; single driving harness, sixty (60) days; breechings for single cart harness, sixty (60) days; harness-makers' supplies, sixty (60) days; pipe horse collars, ninety (90) days; horseshoe pads and leather soles, sixty (60) days; leather, by or before July 1, 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of bid or estimate.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Dated January 11, 1910.

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1910,**  
Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SPONGES, WINDOW GLASS, SECOND-HAND BURLAP BAGS, HOSE COUPLINGS AND NOZZLES, MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES, PAINTS AND PAINT OILS, PURE MANILA ROPE, COAL FOR HEATING PURPOSES AND LUMBER.

The time for the delivery of the said supplies and the performance of the contracts in relation to the same is as follows:

Sponges, thirty (30) days; window glass, thirty (30) days; second-hand burlap bags, ninety (90) days; hose couplings and nozzles, sixty (60) days; miscellaneous supplies, sixty (60) days; paints and paint oils, by or before July 1, 1910; pure manila rope, by or before July 1, 1910; coal for heating purposes, by or before July 1, 1910; lumber, as required during the year 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of bid or estimate.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Dated January 11, 1910.

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

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 4 o'clock p. m. on

**MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1910,**  
Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNITURE, ETC., FOR NEW YORK EVENING HIGH SCHOOL FOR WOMEN, AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 27, ON FORTY-FIRST AND FORTY-SECOND STREETS, EAST OF THIRD AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be forty (40) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

The bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated January 12, 1910.

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

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 4 o'clock p. m. on

**MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1910,**  
Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR COMPLETING AND FINISHING THE NEW FIREPROOF MAIN STAIRS AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 46, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET AND ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORIGINAL PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT AWARDED TO JOHN FURY, WHICH HAS BEEN DECLARED ABANDONED.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The work in question is for the completion of said abandoned contract.

The attention of bidders is expressly called to the printed addenda which is inserted in the printed specifications.

The quantities of work to be done and the materials to be furnished are the balance of the work, together with corrections enumerated in the addenda.

Bidders must examine the abandoned work before making an estimate, and must examine the addenda attached to the contract and specification.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, original plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated January 13, 1910.

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**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

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 16, until 11 o'clock a. m.,

**MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1910.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR SEWER AND APPURTENANCES ON THE WEST SIDE OF PARK AVENUE, BETWEEN THIRTY-SEVENTH AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREETS.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

185 linear feet of sewer, viz:

185 linear feet of brick sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameters, all complete.

6 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified stone-ware pipe culvert of 12 inches interior diameter, all complete.

300 cubic yards of rock, to be excavated and removed.

9,500 feet (B. M.) of timber and planking for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred (100) working days.

The amount of the security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, January 11, 1910.

E. V. FROTHINGHAM, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President, Borough of Manhattan.

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**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CENTRAL DEPARTMENT, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of The City of New York, at the Bookkeeper's office, Headquarters of the Police Department, Broome, Grand and Centre streets, Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10 o'clock a. m., on

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1910.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MATERIAL FOR REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENT BY DEPARTMENTAL LABOR, CONSISTING OF LUMBER AND BUILDING MATERIAL, HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS, PLUMBING AND GASFITTING SUPPLIES AND ROOFING MATERIAL.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES FOR STEAMBOAT "PATROL" AND LAUNCHES OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies, and the performance of the contract is during the year 1910.

The amount of security will be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, 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 item, and the Police Commissioner will award the contract to the lowest bidder on each item for all the articles, materials or supplies specified and contained in the specifications and schedule.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies of Headquarters, the Police Department, Broome, Grand and Centre streets, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM F. BAKER, Commissioner.  
The City of New York, January 21, 1910.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CENTRAL DEPARTMENT, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of The City of New York, at the Bookkeeper's Office, Headquarters of the Police Department, Broome, Grand and Centre streets, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10 o'clock a. m. on

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1910.**

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY IN THE INSTALLATION OF NEW PLUMBING WORK



AND FIXTURES AT THE NINTH, TWENTY-FIRST, THIRTY-SIXTH, THIRTY-NINTH, FORTIETH AND HARBOR "B" PRECINCTS, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN; AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH PRECINCTS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for making and completing repairs and alterations will be sixty (60) days. The security required will be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest bidder for each precinct.

Bidders are particularly requested to examine the plans, specifications and location of the work before bidding, and they are expressly notified that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless the same has been previously authorized by a written permission therefor obtained from the Police Commissioner.

The bidder will state the price for which he will do all the work, and provide, furnish and deliver all the labor and materials mentioned and described in said contract and specifications for one or more precincts.

For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications and to the plans on file in the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, Broome, Grand and Centre streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, Broome, Grand and Centre streets, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM F. BAKER, Commissioner.  
The City of New York, January 19, 1910.

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#### POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY**  
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
Police Commissioner.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY**  
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 209 State street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
Police Commissioner.

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

#### NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

**THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS** will sell at public auction on **TUESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1910,** at 11 o'clock a. m., the following:

At No. 874 Willoughby Avenue.  
15 nickel-plated shower cocks.  
53 nickel-plated combination cocks.  
13 nickel-plated cold water cocks.  
1 fly-wheel, with stand.  
1 steam gauge.  
650 pounds of rubber.  
120 pounds of iron.  
1 bundle of carpet.

At Municipal Building.  
160 yards of old carpet.  
65 yards of linoleum.  
About 4,000 pounds of iron.  
About 200 square feet of wire screening.  
1 large desk.  
3 small desks.  
1 lounge.

At Kings County Court House (Cellar).  
About 100 yards of carpet.  
About 200 yards of linoleum.  
1 standing desk.  
1 wood rack.

At Borough Hall (First Floor).  
1 large desk.  
About 150 yards of carpet.  
3 doors.  
7 tables.  
15 chairs.  
6 flat top desks.  
1 letter press.  
7 lockers.  
1 clothes closet.

At Hall of Records.  
About 20 rolls of cork carpet.  
About 100 strap files.

At Liberty Avenue Comfort Station.  
1 old iron heater.

At Huron Street Bath.  
About 1 ton of old iron grate bars and iron pipe.

At North Eighth Street Yard.  
1 old boiler.

At Municipal Asphalt Plant.  
1 iron tank, 1,500 gallons capacity.  
About 2 tons of old iron.  
8 empty oil barrels.

At Wallabout Yard.  
2,294 building bricks (white).  
1 pushcart.  
1 road cart.  
1 icebox.  
2 fruit stands.  
1 road wagon.

1 kitchen range.  
1 gas range.  
6 brownstone fence rests for posts.  
2 octagonal granite post rests.  
1 stone stoop step.  
2 mill stones.  
2 small tar kettles.  
28 old oil barrels.  
1 iron gravel heater.  
1 sand sprinkling truck.  
1 sand sprinkling cart.  
About 1½ tons of scrap iron.

At Donnelly's Stable, No. 12 Brooklyn Avenue.  
1 brown mare, No. 8.

At Powers' Stables, No. 117 Sterling Place.  
1 brown cob, No. 12a.  
1 chestnut mare, No. 16.

At Little's Stables, No. 5512 Fourth Avenue.  
1 bay mare, No. 17.

At Utica Boarding Stables, No. 720 Herkimer Street.  
1 black gelding, No. 18.  
1 bay gelding, No. 19.

At Sixty-seventh Street Yard.  
30 old oil barrels.  
12 old truck wheels.  
About 10 tons of scrap iron.  
4 old axles.  
About 1 ton of old rubber.  
A lot of old harness.

7 light wagons, to be bid for separately.  
Sale will take place at Room 2, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

Intending bidders may apply for particulars at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 11a, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.

#### TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale and the removal of the iron, rubber and all other material immediately. If the purchasers or purchaser fail or fails to remove the said iron, rubber, old material, etc., within fifteen days, the purchase money and the ownership of the same shall be forfeited.

T. B. LINEBURGH, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn.  
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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, 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, FEBRUARY 2, 1910.**

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SEVEN THOUSAND (7,000) TONS BEST GRADE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL (2,240 POUNDS TO TON).**

The time for the delivery of same and full performance of the contract is until December 31, 1910.

The amount of security required will be Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Room 29, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.  
Dated January 13, 1910.

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 2, BOROUGH HALL, 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, JANUARY 26, 1910.**

**No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN SIXTY-FIRST STREET, BETWEEN TWELFTH AVENUE AND FORT HAMILTON AVENUE, AND AN OUTLET SEWER IN ELEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN SIXTY-FIRST AND SIXTIETH STREETS.**

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

275 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.20.....	\$605 00
90 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.80.....	162 00
1,525 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.60.....	2,440 00
1,360 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, 70 cents.....	952 00
21 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....	1,050 00
5 sewer basins, complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$130.....	650 00
3,000 feet (B. M.) of sheeting and bracing, driven in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet (B. M.), \$18.....	54 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$5,913 00</b>

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

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

**No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN WASHINGTON AVENUE, BETWEEN PRESIDENT AND MONTGOMERY STREETS.**

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

1,069 linear feet of 24-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$4.25.....	\$4,543 25
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10 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....	500 00
2 sewer basins, complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$165.....	330 00
48,000 feet (B. M.) of sheeting and bracing, driven in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet (B. M.), \$18.....	864 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$6,237 25</b>

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

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

**No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN STERLING STREET, BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND NOSTRAD AVENUES.**

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

45 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$3.....	\$135 00
980 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.90.....	1,862 00
40 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.40.....	96 00
1,640 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, 75 cents.....	1,230 00
11 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....	550 00
3,000 feet (B. M.) of sheeting and bracing, driven in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet (B. M.), \$18.....	54 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$3,927 00</b>

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

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

**No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, BETWEEN FOURTH AND SIXTH AVENUES.**

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

95 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.....	\$190 00
1,490 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50.....	2,235 00
2,160 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, 60 cents.....	1,296 00
16 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....	800 00
1,800 feet (B. M.) of sheeting and bracing, driven in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet (B. M.), \$18.....	32 40
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$4,553 40</b>

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

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

**No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN TREMONT STREET, FROM THE END OF THE EXISTING SEWER, BETWEEN RICHARDS AND VAN BRUNT STREETS, TO RICHARDS STREET.**

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

35 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.60.....	\$91 00
191 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.40.....	458 40
2 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50.....	100 00
9,000 feet (B. M.) of sheeting and bracing, driven in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet (B. M.), \$18.....	162 00
600 feet (B. M.) of foundation plank, laid in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet (B. M.), \$18.....	10 80
11 cubic yard of concrete cradle, laid in place, complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$6.....	66 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$888 20</b>

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

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$450).

The foregoing Engineer's preliminary estimate of the total cost for the completed work is to be taken as the 100 per cent. basis and test for bidding. Proposals shall each state a single percentage of such 100 per cent. (such as 95 per cent., 100 per cent. or 105 per cent.), for which all materials and work called for in the proposed contract and the notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentages, as bid for this contract, shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be

seen at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.

Dated January 3, 1910.  
ALFRED E. STEERS, President.  
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#### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

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

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1910.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOUR HUNDRED (400) CORRUGATED GALVANIZED IRON PANELS FOR THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

The time allowed for the delivery will be within forty (40) days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

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, Borough of Manhattan, Arsenal, Central Park.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President;  
THOMAS J. HIGGINS,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated January 22, 1910.  
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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, JANUARY 27, 1910.**

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE AT PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

The time allowed for the completion of the contract will be until June 30, 1910.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

The bids will be compared and 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 West and Fifth street, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President;  
THOMAS J. HIGGINS,  
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, JANUARY 27, 1910.**

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL IN PARKS AND ON PARKWAYS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.**

The time allowed for the completion of the contract will be until December 31, 1910.

The amount of security required will be Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000).

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 West and Fifth street, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President;  
THOMAS J. HIGGINS,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

##### Notice of Sale.

##### NOTICE OF SALE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, No. 280 BROADWAY, MANHATTAN.

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF MANHATTAN TAX SALE.

**THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID** taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Manhattan, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of sales of June 2, 10, 17, July 1, 15, August 19, September 20, October 14, November 11, December 2, 9, 23, 27 and 30, 1909, and January 6, 1910, has been continued to

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 1910,** at 10 a. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time at the Aldermanic Chamber, in the City Hall, as heretofore.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN,  
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.  
Dated January 7, 1910.  
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##### Sureties on Contracts.

**UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY** companies will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

*Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.*

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

When such company is authorized to write that amount, as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.



**Construction.**

One company on a bond up to \$25,000. Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc., etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount, as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

*Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements.*

Two companies will be required on any and every bond up to amount authorized by letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

Dated January 3, 1910.  
WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

**Notices to Property Owners.****NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

**TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.**  
**BELMONT STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES,** from Featherbed lane to the approach of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at Walton avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Belmont street, from Featherbed lane to the approach of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at Walton avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues, including Lots Nos. 17, 53, 54, 56, 58, 61 and 63, of Block 2845, and Lots Nos. 24, 46 and 58, of Block 2846.

**EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET—PAVING THE ROADWAY AND SETTING CURB,** from Quarry road to Boston road. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Quarry road to Boston road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets, including Lots Nos. 55, 82 and 83, of Block 3083; Lots Nos. 50 and 55, of Block 3119, and Lots Nos. 51, 53 and 54, of Block 3124.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on January 20, 1910, and entered January 20, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 21, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 20, 1910.

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

**THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.**  
**EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET—SEWER,** between Fort Hamilton avenue and Fifth avenue, and **OUTLET IN GELSTON AVENUE,** between Eighty-eighth and Ninety-second streets, and in **FORT HAMILTON AVENUE,** both sides, between Eighty-eighth and Ninety-second streets, with **OUTLETS** between Ninetieth and Ninety-second streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Gelston and Fort Hamilton avenues, between Eighty-sixth and Ninety-second streets, east side of Fifth avenue, between Eighty-sixth and Ninetieth streets; north side of Ninety-second street and both sides of Ninetieth and Eighty-eighth streets, between Fifth avenue and Gating place.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on January 20, 1910, and entered January 20, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Ar-

rears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 21, 1910, 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 such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 20, 1910.

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

**THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 17.**  
**FIFTY-FIRST STREET—OPENING,** between Ninth avenue and New Utrecht avenue. Confirmed May 29, 1907, and November 24, 1909; entered January 20, 1910. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southeasterly side of Ninth avenue and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of Fifty-first street; running thence southeasterly and parallel with Fifty-first street to the westerly side of New Utrecht avenue; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of New Utrecht avenue to where a line drawn parallel with the southerly side of Fifty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom would intersect the same; running thence northwesterly and parallel with Fifty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom to the southeasterly side of Ninth avenue; running thence northwesterly along the southeasterly side of Ninth avenue to the point or place of beginning.

—that the above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 21, 1910, 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 such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 20, 1910.

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

**SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 2.**  
**HENRY STREET—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT,** between Market and Pike streets. Area of assessment: North side of Henry street, about 260 feet west of Pike street, known as Lot No. 7, in Block 282.

**HENRY STREET—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT,** in front of No. 203, between Clinton and Jefferson streets. Area of assessment: North side of Henry street, about 4 feet west of Clinton street, known as Lot No. 13, in Block 285.

The above assessments were certified to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, under the provisions of section 391 of the Greater New York Charter.

—that the same were entered on January 20, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room H. No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 21, 1910, will be exempt from interest as above provided.

vided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 20, 1910.

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**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

**FIRST WARD.**  
**ACADEMY STREET—PAVING,** from Broadway to Jamaica avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Academy street, from Broadway to Jamaica avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

**TWELFTH AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS,** from Grand avenue to Vandeventer avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Twelfth avenue, from Grand avenue to Vandeventer avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

**FOURTEENTH AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS,** from Grand avenue to Vandeventer avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fourteenth avenue, from Grand avenue to Vandeventer avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

**WILLIAM STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS,** from Paynter avenue to Wilbur avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of William street, from Paynter avenue to Wilbur avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors January 18, 1910, and entered January 18, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 19, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 18, 1910.

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**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

**FIRST WARD.**  
**NINTH AVENUE—PAVING,** from Flushing to Grand avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Flushing to Grand avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments January 20, 1910, and entered January 20, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 20, 1910.

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**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

**FIRST WARD.**  
**FOREST AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING AND CONSTRUCTING A REINFORCED CONCRETE BRIDGE,** from Brooks avenue to Cherry lane. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forest avenue, from Brooks avenue to Cherry lane, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets; west side of Bement avenue, between First street and Myrtle avenue; south side of Myrtle avenue, between Bement avenue and Brooks avenue; both sides of

**NINETEENTH WARD, SECTION 5.**

**FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—SEWER,** between Avenue A and East River. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, from Avenue A to East River, and east side of Avenue A, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on January 20, 1910, and entered January 20, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room H. No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 21, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 20, 1910.

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**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.**

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**TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.**  
**EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET—PAVING THE ROADWAY AND SETTING CURB,** from Forest avenue to Westchester avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Forest avenue to Westchester avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

**TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 11.**  
**WEBSTER AVENUE—REPAIRING SIDEWALKS,** east side, for a distance of 125 feet, beginning 50 feet south of Anna place, and **PLACING GUARD RAIL.** Area of assessment: East side of Webster avenue, 50 feet south of Anna place, Lot No. 16, in Block 2893.

**TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.**  
**EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET AND BRYANT AVENUE—FENCING PREMISES** on the northwest corner. Area of assessment: Northwest corner of Bryant avenue and East One Hundred and Eightieth street, Lot No. 25, in Block 3133.

**TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.**  
**PERRY AVENUE—REPAIRING SIDEWALKS,** westerly side, between Woodlawn road and Two Hundred and Fifth street. Area of assessment: Westerly side of Perry avenue, between Woodlawn road and Two Hundred and Fifth street, Lots Nos. 26 and 27, in Block 3341.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors January 18, 1910, and entered January 18, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 19, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 18, 1910.

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**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF RICHMOND:

**FIRST WARD.**  
**FOREST AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING AND CONSTRUCTING A REINFORCED CONCRETE BRIDGE,** from Brooks avenue to Cherry lane. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forest avenue, from Brooks avenue to Cherry lane, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets; west side of Bement avenue, between First street and Myrtle avenue; south side of Myrtle avenue, between Bement avenue and Brooks avenue; both sides of



Barber avenue, between Forest avenue and Myrtle avenue; north side of First street, between Broadway and Bement avenue; both sides of Broadway, between Division avenue and Myrtle avenue; both sides of Forest avenue, between Bement avenue and Brooks avenue; north side of Division avenue, between Broadway and Brooks avenue; both sides of Brooks avenue, from Division avenue to Myrtle avenue; both sides of Elizabeth street, from Forest avenue to Myrtle avenue; both sides of Brookside avenue, between Forest avenue and Egbert avenue; both sides of Raymond place, between Egbert avenue and Manor road; both sides of Park avenue and Curtis avenue and Egbert avenue, from Manor road for their entire length; both sides of Egbert avenue, from Manor road to Jewett avenue; both sides of Manor road, between New York avenue and Delafeld avenue; both sides of Greenleaf avenue, between Egbert avenue and Delafeld avenue; both sides of Dubois avenue, between Egbert avenue and Delafeld avenue; both sides of Mundy avenue, between Egbert avenue and Cherry lane; east side of Jewett avenue, between New York avenue and Cherry lane, and both sides of Cherry lane, from Jewett avenue to Manor road.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors January 18, 1910, and entered January 18, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest shall be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 19, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 18, 1910.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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##### EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

GRADING LOTS on the northeast corner of SEVENTH AVENUE AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET, and on the north side of FORTY-SIXTH STREET, about 100 feet from Seventh avenue. Area of assessment: North side of Forty-sixth street, from Seventh avenue to a point about 140 feet easterly.

FORTY-FOURTH STREET—PAVING, between Sixth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fourth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

##### EIGHTH AND THIRTIETH WARDS, SECTIONS 3 AND 19.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON FIFTY-SECOND STREET, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; on FORTY-SIXTH STREET, south side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; on TWENTY-FIRST AVENUE, both sides, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-second street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues; south side of Forty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and both sides of Twenty-first avenue, from Eighty-second to Eighty-third street.

##### TWENTY-SECOND AND TWENTY-NINTH WARDS, SECTIONS 4 AND 16.

PARKSIDE AVENUE—SEWER, northerly side, from St. Pauls place to Ocean avenue, and BASINS ON PARKSIDE AVENUE, north side, opposite St. Pauls place, and between St. Pauls place and Ocean avenue. Area of assessment: North side of Parkside avenue, between St. Pauls place and Ocean avenue; both sides of Ocean avenue, between Parkside avenue and Washington place, Lot No. 37, Block 5024, and Lot No. 13, Block 5040.

##### TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 6.

HAVENS PLACE—PAVING, between Atlantic avenue and Herkimer street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Havens place, between Atlantic avenue and Herkimer street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

##### TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12.

BLAKE AVENUE—SEWER, between Williams and Alabama avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Blake avenue, from Williams to Alabama avenue.

BLAKE AVENUE—SEWER, between Georgia and Sheffield avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Blake avenue, between Georgia and Sheffield avenues.

SHEFFIELD AVENUE—PAVING, from Pitkin avenue to Blake avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sheffield avenue, from Pitkin avenue to Blake avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

##### TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTIONS 12 AND 13.

BELMONT AND MILLER AVENUES—BASINS, on the northwest and southeast corners. Area of assessment: East side of Miller avenue, between Sutter and Belmont avenues, and west side, from Belmont to Pitkin avenue, and northeast corner of Belmont avenue and Bradford street.

##### TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.

ETNA STREET—SEWER, between Force Tube avenue and Hale avenue, and between Norwood avenue and Richmond street; and BASINS ON ETNA STREET, at the northeast corner of EUCLID AVENUE; southwest corner of EUNE STREET; northeast, northwest and southwest

corners of HEMLOCK STREET, and the north-west corner of ELDERTS LANE. Area of assessment: West side of Elderts lane, from Main street to Jamaica avenue; both sides of Main street, from Etna street to Jamaica avenue; block bounded by Danforth avenue, Crescent street, Hemlock street and Etna street; north side of Etna street, between Railroad and Euclid avenues, and south side, between Pine street and Euclid avenue; west side of Pine street, between Ridgewood avenue and Etna street; both sides of Etna street, between Richmond street and Norwood avenue, and between Force Tube avenue and Hale avenue, including Lot No. 3, Block 3904.

##### TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11.

CENTRAL AVENUE—SEWER, between Moffatt and Chauncey streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Central avenue, between Moffatt and Chauncey streets, and southeast side of Moffatt street, between Evergreen and Hamburg avenues.

##### TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.

BASINS, on the northerly and southerly sides of ALBEMARLE ROAD, and on the west side of the BRIGHTON BEACH IMPROVEMENT. Area of assessment: South side of Albemarle road, between Marlborough road and East Seventeenth street; north side, between East Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets; east side of Sixteenth street from Albemarle road to Church avenue.

BEVERLY ROAD AND CONEY ISLAND AVENUE—BASIN, at the southeast corner. Area of assessment: West side of Coney Island avenue, from Beverly road to a point about 100 feet southerly.

CATON AVENUE—PAVING, between Marlborough road and Parade place. Area of assessment: Both sides of Caton avenue, from Marlborough road to Parade place, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

ELMORE PLACE (EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET)—PAVING, between Farragut road and Avenue G. Area of assessment: Both sides of Elmore place, from Farragut road to Avenue G, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EAST FOURTH STREET—PAVING, between Avenue C and Cortelyou road. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Fourth street, from Cortelyou road to Avenue C, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

EAST EIGHTH STREET—PAVING, between Johnson street and Church avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Eighth street, from Johnson street to Church avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

MIDWOOD STREET—PAVING, between Rogers and Nostrand avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Midwood street, from Rogers to Nostrand avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

WINTHROP STREET—PAVING, between Rogers and Nostrand avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Winthrop street, between Rogers and Nostrand avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

WINTHROP STREET AND NOSTRAND AVENUE—BASINS, on the northwest and southwest corners. Area of assessment: Both sides of Winthrop street, from Nostrand avenue to Rogers avenue, and west side of Nostrand avenue, from Robinson street to Winthrop street.

##### THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 17.

FORTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, and between New Utrecht and Twelfth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-ninth street, from New Utrecht to Thirteenth avenue, and west side of Thirteenth avenue, from Forty-ninth to Twelfth street.

##### THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

SECOND AVENUE—SEWER, between Sixth and Sixty-fourth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Second avenue, from Sixth to Sixty-fourth street, and west side of Third avenue, between Sixth and Sixty-fourth streets.

SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET—PAVING, between Third and Fourth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventy-eighth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

##### THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.

EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET—PAVING, between Eleventh and Thirteenth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Eleventh to Thirteenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on January 18, 1910, and entered January 18, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest shall be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 18, 1910.

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##### TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 14.

GARRISON AVENUE—SEWER, between Longwood avenue and Whittier street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Garrison avenue, from

Longwood avenue to Hunts Point road, both sides of Madison street, Baiting street and Fifty street, from Lafayette avenue to Garrison avenue; both sides of Lafayette avenue, from Garrison avenue to Tiffany street; both sides of Garrison avenue, from Tiffany street to Barry street; both sides of Barry street, from Garrison avenue to Tiffany street.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on January 18, 1910, and entered January 18, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 13, 1910.

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TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.

GRANT AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Jamaica and Liberty avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Grant avenue, from Jamaica to Liberty avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues and streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 14.

SCHENCK AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING, between New Lots road and Stanley avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Schenck avenue, between New Lots road and Stanley avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

FOURTH AVENUE—SEWER, westerly side, between Ninety-second and Ninety-fifth streets, and OUTLET IN FOURTH AVENUE, westerly side, between Ninety-fifth street and Marine avenue, and in NINETY-FOURTH STREET, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: West side of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-second to Ninety-fifth street, and triangle bounded by Fourth and Fifth avenues, Ninety-second and Ninety-fifth streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on January 18, 1910, and entered January 18, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

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TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

ST. MARYS STREET—PAVING THE ROADWAY AND SETTING CURB, from St. Anns avenue to Robbins avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of St. Marys street, from St. Anns avenue to Robbins avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

WEBB AVENUE (TEE TAW AVENUE)—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES, from West One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Kingsbridge road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Webb avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets; both sides of Parkview place, between Webb avenue and West One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on January 11, 1910, and entered January 11, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 12, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 11, 1910.

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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

CRESCENT AND LINCOLN STREETS—CATCH BASIN, at the northwest corner. Area of assessment: West side of Crescent street, from Lincoln street to Jamaica avenue.

ELM STREET—PAVING, from Hopkins avenue to Ely avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Elm street, from Hopkins avenue to Ely avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

ELM STREET AND ELY AVENUE—SEWER BASIN, at the southeast corner. Area of assessment: South side of Elm street, from Elm street to Ely avenue.

FREEMAN AVENUE—SEWER, from Elm street to Radde street. Area of assessment:

Both sides of Freeman street, from Academy to Radde street.

ROCKWOOD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Broadway to Washington avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Rockwood street, from Broadway to Washington avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

PROSPECT STREET—PAVING, from Paynter avenue to the approach of the Queensboro Bridge. Area of assessment: Both sides of Prospect street, from Paynter avenue to the bridge plaza, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

TEMPLE AND SHERMAN STREETS—SEWER BASIN, at the southeast corner. Area of assessment: Southeast side of Sherman street, from Temple street to Elm street.

VANDEVENTER AVENUE—SEWER, from Fourteenth avenue to Eleventh avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Vandeventer avenue, from Eleventh to Fourteenth avenue; southeast side of Winans street (Twelfth avenue), from Vandeventer avenue to a point about 500 feet easterly.

TWELFTH AVENUE—SEWER, from Grand avenue to Vandeventer avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Twelfth avenue, from Grand to Vandeventer avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors January 11, 1910, and entered January 11, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 12, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 11, 1910.

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IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

ST. MARYS STREET—PAVING THE ROADWAY AND SETTING CURB, from St. Anns avenue to Robbins avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of St. Marys street, from St. Anns avenue to Robbins avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

WEBB AVENUE (TEE TAW AVENUE)—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES, from West One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Kingsbridge road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Webb avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets; both sides of Parkview place, between Webb avenue and West One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on January 11, 1910, and entered January 11, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 12, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, January 11, 1910.

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IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:



**SEVENTEENTH WARD, SECTION 2.**  
**AVENUE A—SEWER,** between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Avenue A, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets.

**TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 6.**  
**ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET AND FIFTH AVENUE—REPAIRING SIDEWALK** at the northeast corner. Area of assessment: East side of Fifth avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, in Block 1622.

**TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.**  
**WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING, CURBING AND RECURRING,** from Amsterdam avenue to Edgecombe road. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Amsterdam avenue to Edgecombe road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

**BROADWAY—SEWER,** both sides, between Isham and Emerson streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Broadway, from Isham street to Emerson street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on January 11, 1910, and entered January 11, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room H, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 12, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
 City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, January 11, 1910.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for **LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS** in the **BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN**:

**EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.**  
**FORTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING,** between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-third street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.  
**FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—SEWER,** between Sixth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

**TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2.**  
**WEST NINTH STREET—SEWER,** between Hicks and Henry streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of West Ninth street, from Hicks to Henry street.

**FOURTEENTH AND SEVENTEENTH WARDS, SECTIONS 8 AND 9.**  
**WYTHE AVENUE—SEWER,** from North Fifteenth street to North Thirteenth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Wythe avenue, from North Thirteenth street to North Fifteenth street, and north side of North Thirteenth street, between Wythe and Kent avenues.

**SIXTEENTH AND EIGHTEENTH WARDS, SECTION 10.**  
**TEN EYCK STREET—SEWER,** between Bushwick avenue and Waterbury street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ten Eyck street, between Bushwick avenue and Waterbury street.

**SEVENTEENTH WARD, SECTION 9.**  
**JEWELL STREET AND MESEROLE AVENUE—BASIN,** at the northwest corner. Area of assessment: West side of Jewell street, between Meserole avenue and Calyer street, and northeast corner of Meserole avenue and Diamond street.

**PROVOST STREET—SEWER,** from Paidge avenue to Eagle street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Provost street, from Paidge avenue to Eagle street; both sides of Paidge avenue, from Clay street to Dupont street; both sides of Dupont street, between Oakland avenue and Provost avenue.

**EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10.**  
**BUSHWICK AND METROPOLITAN AVENUES—BASINS,** at the southeast corner. Area of assessment: East side of Bushwick avenue, from Metropolitan avenue to Devos street.

**TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.**  
**SEVENTH AVENUE—SEWER,** between Windrow place and a point 100 feet north. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventh avenue, between Prospect avenue and Sixteenth street.

**TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.**  
**PROSPECT PLACE—PAVING,** between Rochester and Buffalo avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Prospect place, from Rochester to Buffalo avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.  
**KINGSTON AVENUE AND DEGRAU STREET—BASIN,** at the southwest corner. Area of assessment: North side of Eastern parkway, between Brooklyn avenue and Kingston avenue, and southwest corner of Kingston avenue and Degrau street.

**TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 5.**  
**PROSPECT PLACE—SEWER,** between Hopkinson avenue and Eastern parkway. Area of assessment: Both sides of Prospect place, between Hopkinson avenue and Eastern parkway.

#### TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.

**DITMAS AVENUE—BASINS** on the north-west corner of EAST ELEVENTH STREET; at the northeast corner of EAST THIRTEENTH AND EAST FOURTEENTH STREETS. Area of assessment: Block bounded by Ditmas and Dorchester avenues, Coney Island avenue and Stratford road; east side of Argyle road and Rugby road, from Ditmas avenue to Dorchester avenue, and north side of Ditmas avenue and south side of Dorchester avenue, between Argyle road and Marlborough road.

**FOSTER AVENUE AND EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET—BASINS,** at the southeast and southwest corners. Area of assessment: South side of Foster avenue, from East Seventeenth street to East Nineteenth street, and both sides of East Eighteenth street, between Foster avenue and Avenue G.

**EAST TWENTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING,** from Foster avenue to Avenue F. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Twenty-ninth street, from Foster avenue to Avenue F, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

#### THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 17.

**FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—SEWER,** between Ninth and Fort Hamilton avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth to Fort Hamilton avenue; and south side of Ninth avenue, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets; and south side of Fifty-fourth street, from Ninth to Fort Hamilton avenue.

**FIFTY-SIXTH STREET—SEWER,** between Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues.

**NEW UTRECHT AVENUE AND SIXTIETH STREET—BASIN,** at the southwest corner. Area of assessment: South side of Sixtieth street, from New Utrecht to Thirtieth avenue; and east side of Thirtieth avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street.

#### THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

**SIXTY-FOURTH STREET—PAVING,** between Third and Fourth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixty-fourth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

**EIGHTIETH STREET—PAVING,** between First and Second avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eightieth street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

**EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET—SEWER,** between Third and Fourth avenues, and **OUTLET,** between Second and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from Second to Fourth avenue, including Lot No. 28 of Block 6043; north side of Eighty-eighth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

**EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET—BASINS,** on the southerly corners of Second avenue and Shore road. Area of assessment: South side of Eighty-eighth street, from Second avenue to Third avenue, and block bounded by Eighty-eighth street, Narrows avenue and Shore road.

#### THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.

**EIGHTEENTH AVENUE AND EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET—BASIN,** at the southeast corner. Area of assessment: West side of Eighteenth avenue, between Eighty-sixth street and Benson avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on January 11, 1910, and entered January 11, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics' Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 12, 1910, 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 such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
 City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, January 11, 1910.

#### Corporation Sales.

#### CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

BRYAN L. KENNELLY, Auctioneer.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that, pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held on the 22d day of December, 1909, in accordance with the provisions of law, the Comptroller of the City of New York will offer for sale at public auction on

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1910,**

at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York of, in and to all those certain lots or parcels of land, as hereinafter designated:

Date of Sale.	Certificate No.	Ward.	Block.	Lot.	Amount Sold For.
July 21, 1886.	5013	24	41	30	\$31.05
July 21, 1886.	5014	24	41	31	31.05
July 21, 1886.	5015	24	41	32	31.05
July 28, 1886.	5023	24	41	42	31.11
July 28, 1886.	5024	24	41	50	31.11
July 28, 1886.	5025	24	41	51	31.11
July 28, 1886.	5026	24	41	52	34.37
July 21, 1886.	5027	24	41	53	4.71
July 21, 1886.	5028	24	41	54	4.71

#### —on the following terms and conditions:

The property will be offered at an upset price which shall be the full amount which would be necessary to redeem the same on February 14, 1910, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 114 of the Laws of 1883, and in addition thereto, the successful bidder will be required to pay the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) for the preparation of papers for the conveyance of Lots Nos. 30 to 32, inclusive, and 49 to 52, inclusive, in said block above designated.

Said payment shall be made in cash at the time of sale, upon which payment, receipts will be given and a deed, quit-claim in form, releasing the right, title and interest of The City of New York, as successor to the City of Brooklyn, of, in and to said lands above designated as Lots Nos. 30 to 32, inclusive, and Nos. 49 to 52, inclusive.

That as to Lots Nos. 53 and 54, the successful bidder at the time of the sale shall receive the certificates of sale, in accordance with the provisions of said act, by assignment without recourse.

Said deed for the property shall be delivered by the City to the successful purchaser within thirty days after the date of the sale.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property if the successful bidder or bidders shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the sale shall be held open until such person shall so have paid his purchase price.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under resolution adopted December 22, 1909.

Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, Room 101.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
 City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, January 6, 1910.

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#### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO** the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

#### Borough of The Bronx.

List 326, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, between Topping avenue and the New York and Harlem Railroad, and building steps thereon between Anthony avenue and Clay avenue.

List 327, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from the Southern boulevard to the Bronx River.

List 963, No. 3. Paving with wood blocks East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Morris avenue to Park Avenue East, and curbing where necessary.

List 982, No. 4. Receiving basins and appurtenances at the northwest corner of Minford place and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, northeast corner of Minford place and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, northwest corner of Charlotte street and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, and southeast corner of Charlotte street and Seabury place.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Eastburn avenue to Park avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets, including Lot No. 88 of Block 2889, Lots Nos. 15, 44 and 48 of Block 2898, Lots Nos. 12 and 25 of Block 2899.

No. 2. Both sides of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Southern boulevard to the Bronx River, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Morris avenue to Park avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Minford place, from One Hundred and Seventy-second to One Hundred and Seventy-third street; north side of One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Seabury place to Minford place; both sides of Charlotte street, from One Hundred and Seventy-second street to Boston road; both sides of Seabury place, from Charlotte street to One Hundred and Seventy-second street, and the northwest corner of Boston road and One Hundred and Seventy-second street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before February 23, 1910, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

JOS. P. HENNESSY,

WM. C. ORMOND,

ANTONIO C. ASTARITA,

Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary.

No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, January 21, 1910.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO** the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

List 789, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on East Eighth street, between Church avenue and Montgomery street.

List 793, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, paving with asphalt and laying cement sidewalks on Farragut road, between Flatbush avenue and East Twenty-sixth street.

List 794, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on Sheffield avenue, between Pitkin and Blake avenues.

List 798, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on Winthrop street, between Rogers and Nostrand avenues.

List 857, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on Forty-seventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

List 889, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on Forty-sixth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

List 930, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curbing and paving with asphalt Centre street, between Henry and Hicks streets.

List 957, No. 8. Paving with asphalt Sutter avenue, between Rockaway and Saratoga avenues. The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of East Eighth street, from Montgomery street to Church avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block, including Lot No. 60 of Block 5330.

No. 2. Both sides of Farragut road, from Flatbush avenue to East Twenty-sixth street, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Sheffield avenue, from Pitkin avenue to Sutter avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Winthrop street, from Rogers avenue to Nostrand avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Forty-seventh street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 6. Both sides of Forty-sixth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Centre street, from Hicks street to Henry street, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Sutter avenue, between Rockaway avenue and Saratoga avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before February 23, 1910, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

JOS. P. HENNESSY,

WM. C. ORMOND,

ANTONIO C. ASTARITA,

Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary.

No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, January 21, 1910.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO** the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

#### Borough of The Bronx.

List 8818, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Concord avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-first street to Kelly street, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 595, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fence in Nereid avenue (Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street), from First street (Bullard avenue) to White Plains road.

List 596, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches, placing fences and constructing drains in East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street (Dater street), from the Southern boulevard to St. Mary's Park, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

#### Borough of Queens.

List 32, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Academy street, from Paynter avenue to Washington avenue, First Ward.

List 33, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Greenpoint avenue, from Borden avenue to Thompson avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 66, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging North Henry street, from Flushing avenue to Newtown avenue, First Ward, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 580, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks on Jamaica avenue, from Thirteenth avenue to Old Bowery Bay road, First Ward.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Concord avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first street to Kelly street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets, including Lot No. 9, of Block 2643.

No. 2. Both sides of Nereid avenue, from First street to White Plains road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from the Southern boulevard to St. Mary's Park, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Academy street, from Paynter avenue to Washington avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets, including Lot No. 34, of Block 65.

No. 5. Both sides of Greenpoint avenue, from Borden avenue to Thompson avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets, including Lot No. 26, of Block 143; Lots Nos. 41, 49 and 11, of Block 121; and Lot No. 47, of Block 86.

No. 6. Both sides of North Henry street, from Flushing avenue to Newtown avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Jamaica avenue, from Thirteenth avenue to Old Bowery Bay road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets, including Lots Nos. 11 to 24 inclusive, 104, 106, 108, 110 and 112, of Block 210; Lots Nos. 13 to 30 inclusive, 111 to 114 inclusive, and Lots Nos. 100 and 101, of Block 219; Lots Nos. 7 and 8, of Block 218; Lots Nos. 40 to 65 inclusive, 9 to 32 inclusive, and Lot No. 38, of Block 226; Lots Nos. 25 and 26, of Block 234; Lots Nos. 15, 16 and 17, of Block 227; Lot No. 26, of Block 233; Lot No. 37, of Block 246; Lot No. 51, of Block 242; Lots Nos. 19 to 23 inclusive, 70, 72 to 72 inclusive, and Lots Nos. 68 and 69, of Block 262; Lots Nos. 23 to 26 inclusive, and Lots Nos. 73 to 75 inclusive, of Block 254.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before February 15, 1910, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ANTONIO ZUCCA,

PAUL WEIMANN,

JAMES H. KENNEDY,

Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary.

No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, January 14, 1910.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO** the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:



**Borough of Brooklyn.**

- List 339, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on East Thirty-fourth street, between Church and Clarkson avenues.
- List 464, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on Eighty-third street, between Second avenue and Shore road.
- List 787, No. 3. Regulating, grading and curbing Cornelia street, from Knickerbocker avenue to the boundary line between the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
- List 788, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on East Fourth street, between Avenue C and Cortelyou road.
- List 790, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on East Eighth street, between Montgomery and Johnson streets.
- List 791, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on East Twenty-fifth street, between Clarendon road and Canarsie lane.
- List 795, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on Sixty-eighth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.
- List 935, No. 8. Sewer in East Fourth street, between Church avenue and Albemarle road, and in Albemarle road, between East Third and East Fifth streets.
- List 942, No. 9. Sewer in Fifty-third street, between New Utrecht and Thirteenth avenues.
- List 944, No. 10. Basins at the south corner of Halsey street and Irving avenue; north and east corners of Halsey street and Irving avenue.
- List 953, No. 11. Sewer in Sterling place, between Schenectady and Utica avenues.
- List 954, No. 12. Sewer in Sixtieth street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth avenues.
- List 958, No. 13. Basins at the northeast, northwest and southeast corners of Twentieth and Benson avenues.
- The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on:
- No. 1. Both sides of East Thirty-fourth street, from Church avenue to Clarkson avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets, including Lot 52½ of Block 4854, Lot 43 of Block 4855 and Lots 20 and 57 of Block 4871.
- No. 2. Both sides of Eighty-third street, from Second avenue to Shore road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
- No. 3. Both sides of Cornelia street, from Irving avenue to the Queens boundary line, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
- No. 4. Both sides of East Fourth street, from Cortelyou road to Avenue C, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
- No. 5. Both sides of East Eighth street, from Montgomery street to Johnson street, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.
- No. 6. Both sides of East Twenty-fifth street, from Clarendon road to Canarsie lane, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
- No. 7. Both sides of Sixty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
- No. 8. Both sides of East Fourth street, between Caton avenue and Church lane; both sides of East Third street, from a point 138 feet south of Albemarle road to a point 500 feet north; both sides of Albemarle road, from Gravesend avenue to East Fifth street; east side of Gravesend avenue, between Albemarle road and a point 227 feet north; both sides of East Second street and east side of Gravesend avenue, between Caton avenue and Albemarle road; west side of Gravesend avenue, between Albemarle road and Fort Hamilton avenue, and south side of Fort Hamilton avenue, between West street and Gravesend avenue; also blocks bounded by Fort Hamilton avenue, Caton avenue, Gravesend avenue and East Third street.
- No. 9. Blocks bounded by New Utrecht avenue, Thirteenth avenue, Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets.
- No. 10. Both sides of Halsey street, between Wyckoff and Irving avenues; southeast corner of Halsey street and Irving avenue.
- No. 11. Both sides of Sterling place, from Utica avenue to Schenectady avenue, including Lot No. 31 of Block 1378.
- No. 12. Both sides of Sixtieth street, from Sixteenth avenue to Seventeenth avenue.
- No. 13. Both sides of Twentieth avenue, between Eighty-sixth street and Benson avenue; both sides of Benson avenue, from Twentieth avenue to Bay Twenty-fifth street; southeast side of Bay Twenty-third street, from Benson avenue to Eighty-sixth street.
- All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before February 15, 1910, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.
- ANTONIO ZUCCA,  
PAUL WEIMANN,  
JAMES H. KENNEDY,  
Board of Assessors.
- WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary.  
No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, January 14, 1910.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Nos. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 21, 1910.

**FISS, DOERR & CARROLL HORSE COMPANY,** Auctioneers, on behalf of the Fire Department, City of New York, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder on

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 1910,** at premises Twenty-fourth street, Third to Lexington avenue, Borough of Manhattan, at 10.30 a. m. on said date, the following vehicles:

Lot No. 1—1 top wagon.

Lot No. 2—1 two-seated surrey.

Lot No. 3—1 top wagon, pneumatic tires.

Lot No. 4—1 brougham.

Lot No. 5—1 pole wagon.

Lot No. 6—1 red-wheel side-bar wagon.

Lot No. 7—1 stivers wagon.

Lot No. 8—1 sleigh.

Lot No. 9—1 sleigh.

Lot No. 10—1 electric automobile.

Each lot to be sold separately.

The right to reject all bids is reserved.

The highest bidder for each lot, in case the bid is accepted, will be required to pay for the same in cash at the time of sale, and must remove the same within twenty-four hours after the sale.

Lots Nos. 1 to 9, inclusive, can be seen before date of sale at the Hospital and Training Stable, No. 133 West Ninety-fifth street, and Lot No. 10 at the Repair Shop, Fifty-sixth street and Twelfth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

R. WALDO, Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Nos. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 29, 1910.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTEEN HUNDRED (1,300) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR FIREBOATS BERTHED ON THE NORTH RIVER.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE THOUSAND (1,000) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR FIREBOATS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Richmond.**

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE (175) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR FIREBOATS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (2,500) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Manhattan.**

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (2,500) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS SOUTH OF FIFTY-NINTH STREET.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Manhattan.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOURTEEN HUNDRED (1,400) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS NORTH OF FIFTY-NINTH STREET.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of The Bronx.**

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE THOUSAND (1,000) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Richmond.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (250) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Queens.**

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY (150) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS AT ARVERNE, ROCKAWAY BEACH AND FAR ROCKAWAY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Queens.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE HUNDRED (100) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS AT JAMAICA AND RICHMOND HILL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Queens.**

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE HUNDRED (100) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS AT FLUSHING AND COLLEGE POINT.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Queens.**

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (250) NET TONS OF EGG, STOVE OR NUT SIZE WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL FOR DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS IN LONG ISLAND CITY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

RHINELANDER WALDO, Commissioner.

Dated January 15, 1910.

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Nos. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1910,**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN, SALT AND FLAXSEED MEAL FOR COMPANIES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 1, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of The Bronx.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN, SALT AND FLAXSEED MEAL FOR COMPANIES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 1, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Richmond.**

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN, SALT AND FLAXSEED MEAL FOR COMPANIES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 1, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

RHINELANDER WALDO, Commissioner.

Dated January 13, 1910.

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

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Nos. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1910,**

**Borough of Queens.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN AND OIL MEAL FOR COMPANIES, PAID SYSTEM, ARVERNE, ROCKAWAY BEACH AND FAR ROCKAWAY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 1, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Queens.**

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN AND OIL MEAL FOR COMPANIES, VOLUNTEER SYSTEM.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 1, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Queens.**

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN AND OIL MEAL FOR COMPANIES IN LONG ISLAND CITY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 1, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Queens.**

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN AND OIL MEAL FOR COMPANIES IN JAMAICA AND RICHMOND HILL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 1, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

**Borough of Queens.**

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN AND OIL MEAL FOR COMPANIES IN COLLEGE POINT AND FLUSHING.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 1, 1910.

The amount of security required shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

RHINELANDER WALDO, Commissioner.

Dated January 13, 1910.

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Nos. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1910,**

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, OATS, BRAN, STRAW AND OIL MEAL FOR COMPANIES IN BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before September 30, 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, 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. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

RHINELANDER WALDO, Commissioner.

Dated January 12, 1910.

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

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.**

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

**MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1910,**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOOD, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, CROCKERY, HARDWARE, RUBBER GOODS, WOODENWARE, LAUNDRY AND STABLE SUPPLIES.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

Deliveries to be made at the New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond.

The bidder will state the price per pound, per yard, or other designated unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each line or item, as stated in the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, or at the New York City Farm Colony, Borough of Richmond.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The City of New York, January 12, 1910.

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**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, HALL OF RECORDS, JANUARY 6, 1910.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED** by the Greater New York Charter, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond," comprising The City of New York, will be open for public inspection, examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open to and including

**THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1910,**

During the time that the books are open for public inspection, application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate to have the same corrected.

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, No. 31 Chambers street, Hall of Records.

In the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building.



In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Borough Hall, St. George, Staten Island.

Applications for the reduction of real estate assessments must be in writing and should be upon blanks furnished by the Department.

Applications for the correction of the personal assessment of corporations must be filed at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed at the office of the Department in the Borough where such person resides, and in case of a non-resident carrying on business in the City of New York at the office of the Department in the Borough where such place of business is located, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., except on Saturday, when all applications must be made between 10 a. m. and 12 noon.

LAWSON PURDY, President;  
JAMES H. TUTTLE,  
CHARLES PUTZEL,  
HUGH HASTINGS,  
CHARLES J. McCORMACK,  
JOHN J. HALLERAN,  
Commissioners.  
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### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1910.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE, AS REQUIRED, TO THE RESEARCH LABORATORY, RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL AND THE DEPARTMENT STABLES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHS, DURING THE YEAR 1910.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class, as indicated by the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D.,  
President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
Board of Health.

Dated January 21, 1910.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CORNER OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1910.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, BREAD TO THE KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL AND THE HOSPITALS FOR CONTAGIOUS EYE DISEASES, AND ICE ONLY TO THE RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL AND THE DEPARTMENT BUILDING AT STAPLETON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, CITY OF NEW YORK, DURING THE YEAR 1910.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class, as indicated by the specifications.

Blank forms, samples and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph. D.,  
President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
Board of Health.

Dated January 21, 1910.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CORNER OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1910.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ELEVEN WAGONS REQUIRED FOR USE IN THE DISINFECTING SERVICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
Board of Health.

Dated January 21, 1910.

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CORNER OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1910.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GROCERY SUPPLIES, AS REQUIRED, TO

THE WILLARD PARKER, RIVERSIDE AND KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITALS, AND THE HOSPITALS FOR CONTAGIOUS EYE DISEASES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHS, CITY OF NEW YORK, DURING THE YEAR 1910.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each item, as indicated by the specifications.

Samples of groceries may be seen and blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan. Samples of canned goods will be opened at the above office on January 25 and 26.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
Board of Health.

Dated January 19, 1910.

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CORNER OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1910.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, MEAT, FISH, VEGETABLES, FRUITS, BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS, GROCERY SUPPLIES, COAL AND FORAGE TO THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y., DURING THE YEAR 1910.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class, as indicated by the specifications.

Samples of groceries may be seen and blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, or at the Tyngsboro House, on the grounds of the Tuberculosis Sanatorium, at Otisville, Orange County, N. Y. Samples of canned goods will be opened at the above office on January 25 and 26.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
Board of Health.

Dated January 19, 1910.

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 1910.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE NECESSARY LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLING PLUMBING AT THE DRUG LABORATORY BUILDING, ON THE WEST SIDE OF AVENUE D, NEAR FIFTEENTH STREET, ON THE GROUNDS OF THE WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL, FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

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

Blank forms and plans for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
Board of Health.

Dated January 17, 1910.

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1910.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO FURNISH AND INSTALL ELECTRIC AND GAS LIGHTING FIXTURES, ETC., WITH ALL NECESSARY ALTERATIONS AND OTHER WORK INCIDENTAL THERE TO, IN THE OFFICE BUILDING AT FLEET AND WILLOUGHBY STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

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

Sample of the quality of the fixtures may be seen, blank forms and plans for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, President;  
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,  
WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
Board of Health.

Dated January 11, 1910.

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### PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 61 OF THE RAILROAD LAW, the Public Service Commission for the First District hereby gives notice to The City of New York, to the Long Island Railroad Company and to all owners of land adjoining the said railroad and that part of Suydam street and Willoughby avenue to be opened or extended from Irving avenue to the borough line in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, that the Public Service Commission for the First District will hold a public hearing in its hearing room, on the third floor of the Tribune Building, No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on February 14, 1910, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of hearing an application made by The City of New York to the Public Service Commission to determine whether Suydam street and Willoughby avenue, from Irving avenue to the borough line, shall pass over or under or at grade of the tracks of the Long Island Railroad Company and to determine the manner and method of construction of Suydam street and Willoughby avenue across said railroad tracks, the grade or grades of the streets and such other matters pertaining thereto as may be brought before the Commission under the provisions of the Railroad Law.

Dated January 11, 1910.  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT,  
By TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary.  
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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 61 OF THE RAILROAD LAW, the Public Service Commission for the First District hereby gives notice to The City of New York, to the Long Island Railroad Company and to all owners of land adjoining the said railroad and that part of Starr street to be opened or extended from Irving avenue to Wyckoff avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, that the Public Service Commission for the First District will hold a public hearing in its hearing room, on the third floor of the Tribune Building, No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on February 14, 1910, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of hearing an application made by The City of New York to the Public Service Commission to determine whether Starr street, from Irving avenue to Wyckoff avenue, shall pass over or under or at grade of the tracks of the Long Island Railroad Company, and to determine the manner and method of construction of Starr street across said railroad tracks, the grade or grades of the streets, and such other matters pertaining thereto as may be brought before the Commission under the provisions of the Railroad Law.

Dated January 11, 1910.  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT,  
By TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary.  
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### DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1910,  
Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND STORING THREE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (3,500) GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is April 30, 1910.

The amount of security will be Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$8,500).

The bidder will state the price per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded for all the work, articles, materials and supplies contained in the specifications or schedule attached thereto.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid or estimate, together with a copy of the plans and contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 922, No. 21 Park row, New York City, or at the office of the Department for the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, Borough of Richmond, where the original plans, which are made a part of the specifications, may also be seen, and any further information desired may be obtained from the Engineer in charge of the Borough.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.  
The City of New York, January 13, 1910.  
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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, JANUARY 17, 1910.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from

MONDAY, JANUARY 17, UNTIL 4 P. M.

MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1910,

for the position of

#### ALIENIST.

(No application received by the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. on January 31 will be accepted.)

The examination will be held on Monday, March 7, 1910, at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 6  
Experience ..... 4

The percentage required is 75 on the technical paper and 70 on all.

Salaries range from \$600 to \$1,500 per annum. Vacancies, none at present time. Minimum age, 18 years. Application blanks may be obtained at No. 299 Broadway, room 1119.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.  
j10,f4

Salaries range from \$600 to \$1,500 per annum. There is a vacancy in the position of Assistant Alienist in the Department of Public Charities (Kings County Hospital) at \$600 per annum. Minimum age, 21 years. Application blanks can be obtained at No. 299 Broadway, Room 1119.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.  
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, JANUARY 17, 1910.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from

MONDAY, JANUARY 17, UNTIL 4 P. M.

MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1910,

for the position of

#### ELECTRICIAN (X-RAY).

(No application received by the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. on January 31 will be accepted.)

The examination will be held on Thursday, March 3, 1910, at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 6  
Experience ..... 4

The percentage required is 75 on the technical paper and 70 on all.

Applicants must have had actual experience in the operation of X-Ray apparatus, and should have some theoretical knowledge of the subject. A vacancy exists in the Department of Public Charities at \$4 a day. Minimum age, 21 years. Application blanks can be obtained at No. 299 Broadway, Room 1119.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.  
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, JANUARY 14, 1910.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from

FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, UNTIL 4 P. M.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 28, 1910,

for the position of

JANITOR AND JANITOR STEAM HEATING.

(No application received by the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. on January 28 will be accepted.)

A physical examination is required preliminary to the mental. The dates of the physical and mental examinations will be announced later.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 6  
Experience ..... 4

The percentage required is 70. Salaries range from \$600 to \$1,500 per annum. The minimum age is 21 years. Application blanks can be obtained at No. 299 Broadway, Room 1119.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.  
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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, JANUARY 12, 1910.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12, UNTIL 4 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1910,

for the position of

#### TRANSITMAN.

(No application received by the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. on January 26 will be accepted.)

The examination will be held on Monday, February 28, 1910, at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 5  
Mathematics ..... 3  
Experience ..... 2

The percentage required is 75 on the technical paper and 70 on all.

Vacancies, none at present. Salaries range from \$1,200 to \$2,100 per annum. Minimum age, 21 years. Application blanks can be obtained at No. 299 Broadway, Room 1119.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.  
j12,f2

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, JANUARY 10, 1910.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from

MONDAY, JANUARY 10, UNTIL 4 P. M.

MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1910,

for the position of

#### RODMAN.

(No application received by the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. on January 24 will be accepted.)

The examination will be held on Monday, February 21, 1910, at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 6  
Mathematics ..... 2  
Experience ..... 2

The percentage required is 75 on the technical paper and 70 on all.

The salaries of this position range from \$900 to \$1,200 per annum. Vacancies, none at present time. Minimum age, 18 years. Application blanks may be obtained at No. 299 Broadway, room 1119.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.  
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### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

#### NOTICE OF SALE AT AUCTION.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 1553, GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER, and section 490, Revised Ordinances, the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of Queens, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1910,  
at 11 a. m., by Oscar B. Way, at the following named places:  
Corporation Yard, East of Thirtieth Street, Long Island City.  
One sprinkler, 1 plow, 114 old lamp-posts, 200 pounds of iron pipe.



**Borough Hall, Jackson Avenue and Fifth Street, Long Island City.**

About 25 feet of old office partition, 20 feet of office railing, 1 oak door and 1 large sign.

**Queens County Court House, Long Island City.**

Two tubular horizontal boilers, 16 feet by 54 inches, with grate bars and boiler fronts; 1 duplex steam pump (Snow), 4 1/2 inches by 4 1/2 inches by 6 inches; 1 iron hot water tank, 7 1/2 feet by 30 inches; 2 small iron tanks, 3 radiators and lot of old scrap iron.

**Corporation Yard, Thompson Avenue Near Grand Street, Newtown, Long Island.**

Thirty shovels, 3 hoes, 5 lanterns, 3 sprinklers, 3 plows, 3 road machines, 12 plow shears.

**Rumbuski's Garage, Newtown, Long Island.**

Automobile (Rambler), manufacturer's number, 9,144; license number, 62,685; Model 14, 1906; 24 horse-power, 5-passenger.

**Hohfeler's Garage, Middle Village, Long Island.**

Automobile (National), Model D, 1906; 35-50 horse-power; 5-passenger; manufacturer's number, 1,806; license number, 30,936.

**Town Hall, Newtown, Long Island.**

One hundred and fifty pounds sheet lead, 150 pounds sheet copper (estimated), tank, 4 1/2 feet by 8 feet by 4 1/2 feet.

**Corporation Yard, No. 1884 Myrtle Avenue, Glendale, Long Island.**

Automobile (Winton), manufacturer's number, 7,208; license number, 49,305; Model XIV, 1907; 35 horse-power; 5-passenger; 1 sprinkler; 800 pounds steel rail (estimated).

**Corporation Yard, Leavitt and State Streets, Flushing, Long Island.**

Forty-five shovels, 2 sprinklers, 3 plows, 5 road machines, 1 porcupine, 1 harrow, 1 sweeper.

**Corporation Yard, Vanderbilt Avenue and Archer Place, Jamaica, Long Island.**

Three road machines.

**Deckinger's Garage, Hillside Avenue, Jamaica, Long Island.**

Automobile (Winton), manufacturer's number, 7,186; license number, 49,180; Model 14, 1907; 30 horse-power; 5-passenger.

**Corporation Yard, No. 38 North Division Street, Rockaway Beach, Long Island.**

Seven shovels, 4 lanterns, 3 wheelbarrows, 27,000 pounds steel rails.

On account of distance between the several places of sale, it is assumed that the auction will continue on consecutive days until all of the articles are sold.

**TERMS OF SALE.**

Successful bidder must make cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale. The purchasers must remove articles within ten days after the sale, otherwise they will forfeit the money paid at the time of sale and the ownership to the various goods, which will thereafter be resold for the benefit of the City. Responsibility of City ceases when goods are paid for.

EMANUEL BRANDON, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices, Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens.  
JOS. SULLIVAN, Commissioner of Public Works.  
J14,24

**BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

**NOTICE OF SALE AT AUCTION.**

PURSUANT TO SECTION 1553, GREATER New York Charter, the President of the Borough of The Bronx will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1910.**

at 11 a. m., at Department Yard, One Hundred and Forty-third street and College avenue, 5,534 linear feet old curbstone.  
3,224 linear feet old bridgestone.

**TERMS OF SALE.**

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and removal of the materials within eight days from the date of sale. If the purchaser or purchasers do not comply with the above conditions of removal they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the articles purchased, which will thereafter be resold for the benefit of the City.

And the President of the Borough of The Bronx reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from the sale any of the articles and materials, or to reject any and all bids.

CYRUS C. MILLER, President.  
J20,11

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 1. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Unionport road, from White Plains road at the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to White Plains road, near Bear Swamp road, or Bronxdale avenue.

No. 2. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches, drains, walls, etc., and erecting fences where necessary in Bronx avenue, from White Plains road to Bronx Park, at the Bronx boulevard, full width, and from the Bronx boulevard to the Bronx River, sixty (60) feet in width.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on January 28, 1910, at 8.30 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated January 17, 1910.  
CYRUS C. MILLER, President.  
GEORGE DONNELLY, Secretary.  
J18,28

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 3. Replacing present high board fence surrounding the West Farms Cemetery, northwest corner of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Bryant avenue, with a picket fence, either of iron or wood.

No. 4. Relaying flagging on the east side of Third avenue, about 118 feet south of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on January 28, 1910, at 9 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated January 17, 1910.  
CYRUS C. MILLER, President.  
GEORGE DONNELLY, Secretary.  
J18,28

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 5. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Jerome avenue and River avenue.

No. 6. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in West Two Hundred and Forty-second street, between Broadway and Waldo avenue; Waldo avenue, between West Two Hundred and Forty-second street and West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street; in Spuyten Duyvil parkway, between West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Spuyten Duyvil parkway; in Spuyten Duyvil parkway, between West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Riverdale avenue.

No. 7. Constructing sewers and appurtenances across the property of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, from the United States pier and bulkhead line of the Harlem River (Ship Canal) to Leyden avenue, at the unnamed street over the former right-of-way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and in said unnamed street, between Leyden avenue and Spuyten Duyvil road at West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, and in Spuyten Duyvil road, between said unnamed street and West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and Riverdale avenue.

No. 8. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in Spuyten Duyvil road, between Riverdale avenue and West Two Hundred and Fortieth street, and in West Two Hundred and Fortieth street, between Spuyten Duyvil road and Broadway, and in Riverdale avenue, between Spuyten Duyvil road and the Spuyten Duyvil parkway.

No. 9. Erecting a guard rail on the north side of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, between Valentine avenue and Rye avenue.

No. 11. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in Perry avenue, between Gun Hill road and East Two Hundred and Eleventh street; Two Hundred and Eleventh street, between Perry avenue and Woodlawn road; Woodlawn road, between Gun Hill road and East Two Hundred and Twelfth street; Two Hundred and Twelfth street, between Woodlawn road and Jerome avenue; Rochambeau avenue, between East Two Hundred and Twelfth street and Gun Hill road; DeKalb avenue, between East Two Hundred and Twelfth street and Gun Hill road; Jerome avenue, between East Two Hundred and Twelfth street and first summit southerly therefrom.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on January 28, 1910, at 9.30 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated January 17, 1910.  
CYRUS C. MILLER, President.  
GEORGE DONNELLY, Secretary.  
J18,28

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT A PETITION has been presented to me, and is on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 10. Paving with sheet asphalt Avenue St. John, from Prospect avenue to Southern boulevard, on a concrete foundation, and setting curb where necessary, and all work incidental thereto.

The petition for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on January 28, 1910, at 8 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated January 17, 1910.  
CYRUS C. MILLER, President.  
GEORGE DONNELLY, Secretary.  
J18,28

**BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.****CONTRACT 54.**

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, in Room 910, No. 299 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m. on **TUESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1910,** for

**CONTRACT 54.**

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PORTION OF THE YONKERS SIPHON A DEEP PRESSURE TUNNEL, 16 FEET 7 INCHES INSIDE DIAMETER, AND ABOUT 2 MILES LONG, REACHED THROUGH 3 SHAFTS FROM 100 TO 150 FEET IN DEPTH, AND A CONNECTION CHAMBER, WITH APPURTENANT WORKS.

The work is located in the City of Yonkers, about one and one-half miles northwest of the Mount Vernon station on the Harlem Division of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

An approximate statement of the quantities of the various classes of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be Four Hundred and Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$475,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York to the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000).

Time allowed for the completion of this work is forty months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, etc., and pamphlets of contract drawings, can be obtained at Room 904, at the above address, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in currency to check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply

for each pamphlet, or Twenty Dollars (\$20) for each set. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

JOHN A. BENDEL, President;  
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,  
CHARLES A. SHAW,  
Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.  
J. WALDO SMITH, Chief Engineer.  
THOMAS HAMMETT, Secretary.

Note—See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto, and not otherwise provided for.

**SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.****FIRST DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of an addition to ST. NICHOLAS PARK, between the westerly line of Hamilton terrace produced and the easterly line of Convent avenue, and between the center line of St. Nicholas terrace and the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of February, 1910, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of February, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 21st day of February, 1910.

Third—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract of estimate of damage, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 19th day of April, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fourth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of damage, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 20, 1910.

MATTHEW F. DONOHUE,  
Chairman;  
MARTIN WALLACE,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.  
J24,114

**FIRST DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SPUYTEN DUYVIL ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Spuyten Duyvil parkway near the Spuyten Duyvil depot to the junction of Riverdale avenue and West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward, City of New York, and

In re application of Caroline Weigel for damages to old Lot No. 50, new Lot No. 685, in Block 3402, caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in front thereof of old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re application of Frank A. Beckman for damages to old Lot No. 71, new Lot No. 713, in Block 3402, caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in front thereof of old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re application of Thomas D. Tighe, as executor, etc., for damages to old Lot No. 73, new Lot No. 714, in Block 3402, caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in front thereof of old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re application of Elizabeth M. Tierney, as executrix, etc., for damages to old Lot No. 76, new Lot No. 717, in Block 3402, caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in front thereof of old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re application of Julia T. Malloy for damages to old Lot No. 169, new Lot No. 719, in Block 3402, caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in front thereof of old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re application of Peter Tarantino for damages to old Lot No. 165, new Lot No. 723, in Block 3402, caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in front thereof of old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re application of Elizabeth M. Pryor for damages to old Lot No. 150, new Lot No. 722, in Block 3402, caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in front thereof of old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re application of Nora Leddy for damages to old Lot No. 146, new Lot No. 735, in Block 3402, caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in front thereof of old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re application of Patrick Stafford for damages to Lot No. 723, in Block 3402, caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing in front thereof of old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, the aforesaid parcel being described as follows: Being all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being at Spuyten Duyvil, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, which said lot is bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning on the easterly line of the road leading from Spuyten Duyvil Station on the Hudson River Railroad to Kingsbridge, as said road is shown on a map accompanying the partition deed made on the 23d day of August, 1865, between David B. Cox and wife and Elias Johnson, Isaac G. Johnson and wife, and John C. Cameron and wife, at a point 25 feet north of the most northerly corner of a parcel of land heretofore conveyed to Patrick Scanlon by Mary E. Cox by deed dated June 27, 1877, and recorded in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York in Liber 1430 of Conveyances, page 136; thence on a line drawn at right angles to said Kingsbridge road easterly 40 feet, more or less, to the lands of the Spuyten Duyvil and Fort Morris Railroad Company, thence along said railroad company's land northerly 185 feet, more or less, to a point where said line would intersect the prolongation of the southerly line of lot last conveyed to James Finnegan by David B. Cox; thence along said prolonged line westerly 5 feet, more or less, to said Kingsbridge road 190 feet, more or less, to the point or place of beginning.

In re application of Thomas Scanlon, Patrick Scanlon, Mary Scanlon Kenny and Margaret Scanlon for damages to old Lot No. 210, new Lot No. 766, in Block 3402, caused by the abandonment, discontinuance and closing thereof in front of old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re application of Sarah C. Roden for damages to old Lot No. 459, new Lot No. 200, in Block 3410, caused by the abandonment and discontinuance, and closing thereof of Old Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceedings will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of January, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day; and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 22, 1910.

ERNEST HALL,  
JOHN H. KNOEPPPEL,  
PIERRE G. CARROLL,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.  
J22,27

**FIRST DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment to ascertain and determine the compensation which should justly be made to Henry R. Winthrop, individually, and to Henry R. Winthrop, J. Frederick Kernochan and William Jay, as trustees under the will of Thomas Buchanan Winthrop, deceased, as owners of the premises abutting on the easterly side of DEPEW PLACE, between Forty-second street and Forty-third street, in The City of New York, for the discontinuance and closing of the portion of Depew place, 12 feet in width and 35 feet in length, on its westerly side, and 121.83 feet north of Forty-second street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of February, 1910, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of February, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 21st day of February, 1910.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

"Beginning at a point in the westerly side of Depew place, as formerly laid out under chapter 261 of the Laws of 1884, distant one hundred and twenty-one and eighty-three one-hundredths (121.83) feet northerly from the northerly side of Forty-second street; running thence easterly at right angles to said westerly side of Depew place twelve (12) feet; thence northerly parallel to said westerly side of Depew place thirty-five (35) feet; thence westerly at right angles to said westerly side of Depew place twelve (12) feet, and thence southerly along said westerly side of Depew place thirty-five (35) feet to the point or place of beginning."

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of April, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.



Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 17, 1909.

FRANCIS S. McAVOY,  
Chairman;  
ROBERT TOWNSEND,  
GILBERT H. MONTAGUE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of LYVERE STREET, between Zerega avenue and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; FULLER STREET, between Zerega avenue and Seddon street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; BUCK STREET, between Zerega avenue and Seddon street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; MACLAY AVENUE, between Parker street and West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; STEARNS STREET, between Glover street and Parker street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and DORSEY STREET, between Zerega avenue and Seddon street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, up to and including December 28, 1909, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 19, 1910.

ROBERT C. WOOD,  
WILLIAM G. DRADDY,  
ANDREW J. CARSON,  
Commissioners of Estimate.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

j19,29

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands and lands, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York on the North River, between Bloomsfield street and Little West Twelfth street, and between Tenth and Thirteenth avenues, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A supplemental bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York on the 28th day of January, 1910, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 15, 1910.

BENNO LEWINSON,  
BERNARD F. MARTIN,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

j17,27

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to amending its application heretofore made in the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BENSON AVENUE (Madison avenue), from West Farms road to Lane avenue; OVERING AVENUE (Washington avenue), from West Farms road to Westchester avenue; ST. PETERS AVENUE (Union avenue), from West Farms road to West Farms road; SEDDON STREET (Tyron row), from St. Raymond's avenue (Fourth street); HUBBELL STREET (Washington avenue), from Dorsey street (Carroll place) to MacLay avenue (Fifth street), in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, by including therein certain additional lands required, and also by excluding therefrom certain lands not required.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Part III, thereof, in and for the County of New York, in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on

the 28th day of January, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order amending the proceeding entitled "In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of Benson avenue (Madison avenue), from West Farms road to Lane avenue; Overing avenue (Washington avenue), from West Farms road to Westchester avenue; St. Peters avenue (Union avenue), from Westchester avenue to West Farms road; Seddon street (Tyron row), from St. Raymond's avenue (Fourth street) to West Farms road; Rowland street (Washington avenue), from West Farms road to West Farms road; Westchester avenue to St. Raymond's avenue (Fourth street); Hubbell street (Washington avenue), from Dorsey street (Carroll place) to MacLay avenue (Fifth street), in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, by including therein certain additional lands required, and also by excluding therefrom certain lands not required, and the petition and order appointing Commissioners of Estimate and a Commissioner of Assessment, heretofore duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the 16th day of December, 1907, by including therein all additional lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and appurtenances belonging, required for the opening of Hubbell street (Washington avenue), from Dorsey street (Carroll place) to MacLay avenue (Fifth street), in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and also by excluding therefrom certain lands and premises not required for said proceeding, said lands, both those to be included and those to be excluded, being bounded and described as follows.

#### Additional Land Required.

Beginning at a point in the western line of Dorsey street distant 145.39 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Seddon street;

1. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Dorsey street for 0.95 feet;
2. Thence northwesterly deflecting 88 degrees 34 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 170.33 feet;
3. Thence northeasterly deflecting 91 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 0.19 feet;
4. Thence southeasterly for 170.35 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Land Not Required.

Beginning at a point in the western line of Dorsey street distant 195.41 feet southwesterly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of Seddon street;

1. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Dorsey street for 0.95 feet;
2. Thence northwesterly deflecting 88 degrees 34 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 170.33 feet;
3. Thence northwesterly deflecting 91 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 0.19 feet;
4. Thence southeasterly for 170.35 feet to the point of beginning.

Hubbell street is shown on a map or plan entitled "Map or plan showing change of lines of Hubbell street (Washington avenue), between MacLay avenue and Dorsey street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York. Prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on June 1, 1909; in the office of the Register of the County of New York on May 28, 1909, as Map No. 1340, and in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the same date. Land to be taken for Hubbell street is located east of Bronx River.

Dated New York, January 14, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ZEREKA AVENUE, from Castle Hill avenue, near Harris street, to Castle Hill avenue, at or near West Farms road, being the whole length of Zerega avenue (including Avenue A and Green lane), in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, up to and including January 6, 1910, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 26th day of January, 1910, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 13, 1910.

JOSEPH J. MARRIN,  
MAURICE S. COHEN,  
MAX BENDIT,  
Commissioners of Estimate.

j13,44

#### COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

In the matter of the application of William R. Wilcox, William McCarrall, Edward M. Bassett, Milo R. Maltbie and John E. Rustia, constituting the Public Service Commission in and for the First District of the State of New York, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, for and on behalf of The City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, pursuant to chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891 and the several statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, relative to acquiring the fee of certain premises on the westerly side of Centre street, between Canal and Howard streets, and on the northeast corner of Canal and Centre streets, and on the northwest corner of Centre and Lafayette streets, for the construction, maintenance and operation of a rapid transit railroad, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made by the undersigned at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III, thereof, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan,

on the 25th day of January, 1910, at the call of the calendar on that day, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Nathaniel A. Elsborg, resigned.

Dated New York, January 11, 1910.  
GILBERT H. MONTAGUE,  
SUMNER GERARD,  
Commissioners of Appraisal.

j13,24

#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of AN UNNAMED STREET, located about 1,500 feet north of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, extending from Fort Washington avenue to Northern avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections, in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 28th day of January, 1910, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 31st day of January, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the undersigned Commissioner of Assessment has completed his estimate of benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections, in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 28th day of January, 1910, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 31st day of January, 1910, at 12 o'clock m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 22d day of November, 1907, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the west by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Northern avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Northern avenue; on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of the unnamed street to be opened, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of the said street, and by the prolongation of the said line; on the east by a line always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Fort Washington avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Fort Washington avenue, and on the south by a line 100 feet distant southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of the new street to be opened, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of the said street, and by the prolongation of the said line.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 31st day of January, 1910.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 30, 1909.

JOSEPH W. KELLER, Chairman;  
HENRY MURRAY,  
SAMUEL PRINCE,  
Commissioners of Estimate.

HENRY MURRAY,  
Commissioner of Assessment.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, in and to the lands and premises required for an easement for sewer purposes at the foot of MAPLE AVENUE, in the Fourth Ward, more particularly shown on a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 20, 1908, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said ob-

jections, in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 28th day of January, 1910, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 31st day of January, 1910, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned Commissioner of Assessment has completed his estimate of benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections, in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 28th day of January, 1910, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 31st day of January, 1910, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 18th day of December, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Bay street where it is intersected by the prolongation of the northerly line of Willow avenue, as in use immediately east of New York avenue, and running thence southwardly along the westerly line of Bay street to a point distant 75 feet northerly from the northerly line of Sylvaton terrace, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Sylvaton terrace; thence westwardly and parallel with Sylvaton terrace to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of New York avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of New York avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with New York avenue to the northerly line of Pennsylvania avenue; thence westwardly along the northerly line of Pennsylvania avenue to a point distant 120 feet westerly from the westerly line of New York avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of New York avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with New York avenue to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Pennsylvania avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Pennsylvania avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Pennsylvania avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 1,400 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly property line of the Staten Island Railway, as said property line exists immediately east of Steuben street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the said property line; thence westwardly along the said parallel line and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with the prolongation of the westerly line of Steuben street; thence northwardly along the said prolongation of the westerly line of Steuben street to the northerly property line of the Staten Island Railway; thence eastwardly along the said property line a distance of 750 feet; thence northwardly at right angles to the said property line a distance of 250 feet; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Beachwood avenue distant 350 feet northerly from its intersection with the northerly property line of the Staten Island Railway; thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the southerly line of Simmonson avenue distant 970 feet westerly from its intersection with the westerly line of Centre street; thence northwardly at right angles to the said property line to a point distant 200 feet northerly from its northerly line; thence eastwardly and parallel with Simmonson avenue to the westerly line of Centre street; thence southwardly along the westerly line of Centre street and the prolongation thereof to the southerly property line of the Staten Island Railway; thence eastwardly along the said property line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Willow avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Willow avenue; thence eastwardly along the said parallel line to the westerly line of New York avenue; thence eastwardly in a straight line to the point or place of beginning. (None of the streets named has yet been incorporated upon the City map, and the lines referred to are intended to apply to those determined by usage and as commonly recognized.)

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 31st day of January, 1910.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of February, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 29, 1909.

EUGENE LAMB RICHARDS, JR.,  
Chairman;

WM. H. JACKSON,  
WM. J. KENNEY,  
Commissioners of Estimate.

EUGENE LAMB RICHARDS, JR.,  
Commissioner of Assessment.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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#### SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of HARRIS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to Vernon avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.



**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of February, 1910, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of February, 1910, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 252 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of February, 1910.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Vernon avenue and the southerly line of the Queensboro Bridge approach; running thence southeasterly along the southerly line of the Queensboro Bridge approach and its southeasterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Jackson avenue; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 490 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Harris avenue; thence northwesterly along said southeasterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Vernon avenue; thence northwesterly along said last mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

As such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of April, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to any of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 20, 1910.

JAMES T. OLWELL,  
W. H. BRALEY,  
JAMES W. TREADWELL,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. j24,f11

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to ALTON PLACE, from Flatbush avenue to East Fortieth street, in the Thirty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** MICHAEL E. BYRNE, William McLaughlin and John E. Coffin were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 30th day of December, 1909, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, from Narrows avenue to Third avenue, and NINETY-FIRST STREET, from First avenue to Shore road, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** ADOLPH PETTENKOFER, George S. Billings and John C. Fawcett were appointed, by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 10th day of January, 1910, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Fourteenth avenue, and THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Thirteenth avenue to West street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** BERTRAM MANNE, Frank V. Kelly and Frank J. Heffernan were appointed, by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 30th day of December, 1909, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to FORTY-SIXTH STREET, from the former City line to Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** JAMES B. SHELTON, J. Herbert Watson and Melville J. France were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 30th day of December, 1909, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to LINCOLN AVENUE, from Jamaica avenue to Ridgewood avenue, and WOOD STREET, from Railroad avenue to Nichols avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** ABRAHAM SILVERSTONE, William R. Blake and Edmund Hennessy were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 30th day of December, 1909, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to AVENUE P, from Ocean avenue to Coney Island avenue and from Coney Island avenue to Gravesend avenue, in the Thirty-first Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** GEORGE E. BURR, Thomas J. McHale and James M. Doremus were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 30th day of December, 1909, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to LOMBARDY STREET, from Kingsland avenue to the bulkhead line of Newtown Creek, in the Eighteenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** HAROLD N. WHITEHOUSE, F. Matthew Sessum and Robert W. Connor were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 21st day of December, 1909, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to FORTY-SECOND STREET, from a point 430 feet east of Twelfth avenue to Sixteenth avenue, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** JOHN B. LORD, Francis E. J. Reid and Henry Keale were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 30th day of December, 1909, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to ELEVENTH AVENUE, from Coney Island lane to Fifty-ninth street; TWELFTH AVENUE, from Sixty-fifth street to Seventy-third street, and TWELFTH AVENUE, from Third street to Sixtieth street, excluding the land in Twelfth avenue occupied by the tracks of the Prospect Park and Coney Island Railroad and the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** HARRY E. MECHLING, Charles F. Shaughnessy and Arthur C. Salmon were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 30th day of December, 1909, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to EAST NINTH STREET, between Foster avenue and Avenue T, and EAST TENTH STREET, between Foster avenue and Avenue Q, in the Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** J. EVERETT GREENE, Harry Farrell and David J. Hogan were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 30th day of December, 1909, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to CHURCH AVENUE, from Stratford road to Ocean parkway, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** JOSEPH A. GUIDER, Edward J. McGrath and George B. Young were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 30th day of December, 1909, Commissioners of

Estimate, and Joseph A. Guider Commissioner of Assessments in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to EAST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from Clarkson avenue to Foster avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** JOSEPH P. JOYCE, M. V. DORNEY and Robert H. Clarke were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 30th day of December, 1909, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 7th day of February, 1910, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or person interested in this proceeding, as provided by section 973 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York.

Dated New York, Borough of Brooklyn, January 24, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel. j24,f3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of DEKALB AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brooklyn Borough Line to Woodward avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of January, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 18, 1910.

F. H. VAN VECHTEN,  
WILLIAM HALEY,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. j18,28

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment to ascertain and determine the compensation which should be justly made for the closing and discontinuance of COWENHOVEN LANE, between Twelfth avenue and Fifty-fifth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 17th day of June, 1909, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in any lands, tenements, hereditaments, premises, rights, easements or interests therein, taken, affected, damaged, extinguished or destroyed by or in consequence of the discontinuance or closing of Cowenhoven lane so to be closed.

All parties or persons interested in the lands and premises, rights, easements or interests therein, taken, affected, damaged, extinguished or destroyed by and in consequence of the discontinuance or closing of said Cowenhoven lane, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, with such affidavits or any other proofs as said parties or persons or claimants may desire, within ten days after the date of the first publication of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of January, 1910, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto, and at such time and place, or such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners and claimants in relation thereto and examine the proofs in support of such claim or claims and such additional proofs or allegations as may then be offered by such owners or claimants or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, January 13, 1910.

EDWARD LAZANSKY,  
FORTESCUE C. METCALF,  
ADOLPH PETTENKOFER,  
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY, Clerk. j13,24



## Water Supply of The City of New York, to.

Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of The City of New York, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, in the Town of Hurley, Ulster County, New York, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the second separate report of George E. Vetter, George W. Batten and Frederick H. Vetter, who are appointed Commissioners of the Land Office, for the purpose of appraising the above entitled matter, made at this term of this Court, made at a Special Term thereof, held at the City Hall in the City of Albany, upon the 22d day of May, 1909, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Albany on the 17th day of January, 1910, and affects Parcels Nos. seven hundred and seventeen (717); seven hundred and twenty (720); seven hundred and twenty-two (722); seven hundred and twenty-three (723); seven hundred and twenty-five (725); seven hundred and twenty-six A (727-A); seven hundred and twenty-nine (729); seven hundred and thirty-one (731); seven hundred and thirty-two (732); seven hundred and thirty-four (734); seven hundred and thirty-five (735); seven hundred and forty-five (745); seven hundred and forty-six (746); seven hundred and forty-seven (747); seven hundred and fifty (750); seven hundred and fifty-one (751); seven hundred and fifty-two (752); seven hundred and fifty-four (754) and seven hundred and sixty-four (764) and seven hundred and sixty-eight (768), shown on the map of this proceeding and the supplemental maps filed in this proceeding.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York to be held in and for the Third Judicial District, at the City Hall, in the City of Albany, N. Y., on the 12th day of February, 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, but the 12th day of February, 1910, being a legal holiday, under Rule 13 of the Rules adopted by the Appellate Division of the Third Department, the same will be heard on the next succeeding secular day, to wit, February 14, 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard for and under confirming said report and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Reserving to The City of New York the right to oppose the confirmation of any or all parcels contained in said report.

Dated January 19, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Office and Post Office address, Hall of Records,  
borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES  
FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for the City of New York, or for any of its departments or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which a bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Supervisors, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer or employee of the City of New York, shall be interested directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by consent, in writing, of two householders or coholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by it to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned above.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bid required, as provided in section 420 of the Water New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally on the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any contract with the City.

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The right is reserved in each case to reject bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the rest of the City so to do.  
Bidders will write out the amount of their bids estimates in addition to inserting the same in res.

bidders are requested to make their bids or mates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the outer envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Cordeon Council, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.