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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Municipal Civil Service Commission,
No. 61 Elm Street,
New York City, December 6, 1905.

A meeting of the Civil Service Commission of The City of New York was held at the Commission's offices, No. 61 Elm street, on Wednesday, December 6, 1905, at 10 o'clock.

All the Commissioners were present.

A public hearing was held on the request of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, that the classification of positions in the exempt class in his Department be amended by substituting for the title "Chief Engineer of Surface Construction," the title "Chief Engineer of Light and Power."

Elliot H. Goodwin, Esq., Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, addressed the Commission. There was no opposition to the proposed amendment, and the hearing then closed.

A public hearing was held on the matter of amending Clauses 2, 3, 4 and 10 of Rule XIX, of the Civil Service Rules, as adopted December 4, 1903.

Mr. F. A. Spencer, Labor Clerk of the Commission, set forth his reasons for suggesting the proposed amendments.

Mr. Elliot H. Goodwin, Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, also addressed the Commission.

There was no opposition to the proposed amendments and the hearing closed.

The Commission then went into regular session, and the minutes of the meeting held December 5 were approved.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the classification of positions in the exempt class in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be amended by substituting for the title "Chief Engineer of Surface Construction" the title "Chief Engineer of Light and Power."

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Clause 2 of Rule XIX, of the Civil Service rules be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto after the word "borough" in the fifth line, the following: "And for the counties of Westchester, Putnam, Dutchess, Ulster and Nassau," and by adding after the word "borough" in the sixth line, "or county"; and by adding after the word "borough" in the seventh line, the following, "or county," so that the clause shall read:

"The Commission shall establish, and so far as practicable shall maintain continuously, registration lists of persons eligible for employment under each title in the labor class, and, where the character of the position requires, may establish separate lists under such titles for each borough (and for the counties of Westchester, Putnam, Dutchess, Ulster and Nassau); but a person certified and employed from a borough (or county) list shall not be eligible for transfer or assignment to work in any other borough (or county) within six months from the date of such employment."

And be it further

Resolved, That Clause 3 of Rule XIX, of the Civil Service rules be amended by adding after the word "borough," in the fifth line, the following: "Or county," so that the clause shall read:

"For the purposes of such registration and of the qualifying examinations required, the labor class shall be subdivided as follows:

"Part 1—Laborers and others registered for employment in a designated borough (or county).

"Part 2—Mechanics and others registered for employment in any borough.

"Part 3—Mechanics registered for employment in any borough, subject to trade examination."

And be it further

Resolved, That Clause 4 of Rule XIX, of the Civil Service rules be amended by adding after the words "City of New York," in the eighth line, the following: "Or within the county in which he resides," so that the clause shall read:

"Applications for registration for positions in the labor class shall be addressed to the Commission on a prescribed form, signed by the applicant with his name or

mark, indicating the position sought, stating, under oath, such facts as to his age, residence, citizenship, physical condition, previous occupation and experience as the Commission may require, and accompanied by the certificate of three reputable citizens, whose residences or places of business are within The City of New York (or within the county in which he resides), to the effect that they have known him personally for not less than one year, that they believe his character and habits of industry and sobriety to be good, and that they have read his statements and believe them to be correct. If the applicant has been employed, at least one of such persons shall be an employer of former employer, who shall certify as to his capacity for the kind of work for which he applies, or an explanation satisfactory to the Commission shall be given as to why such a certificate can not be obtained. If the application is not in the handwriting of the applicant he shall state by whom it was written, giving the name, occupation and address of such person."

And be it further

Resolved, That clause 10 of Rule XIX of the Civil Service rules be amended by adding thereto the following:

"The name of any person certified as eligible for employment from a county list in connection with the water supply who shall decline such employment shall be stricken from the list from which such certification is made, unless such declination be for the reason of residence in a township other than that in which the duties are to be performed."

So that the clause shall read:

"When the services of Laborers are required in any Department, office or institution, the appointing officer thereof shall notify the Commission, stating the character of the work to be performed, the place of employment, the number of persons required, the wages to be paid and the probable duration of such employment. The Commission shall thereupon certify from the appropriate list the names of those standing highest thereon, and, except as herein provided, such certification, and appointments or selections for employment therefrom, shall be made in the manner prescribed by Rule XI, for positions in the competitive class. (The name of any person certified as eligible for employment from a county list in connection with the water supply who shall decline such employment shall be stricken from the list from which such certification is made, unless such declination be for the reason of residence in a township other than that in which the duties are to be performed.)"

The Commission then considered the case of James W. Ledwith, of No. 227 East Eighty-first street, candidate for Patrolman, whose application had been under investigation for some time owing to a question which had arisen regarding the candidate's age. Mr. Ledwith appeared before the Commission, in accordance with its request, and stated that the date of birth set forth in his application (February 24, 1876), was correct, but that he was unable to produce either a birth or a baptismal certificate to that effect, as requested by the Commission. Mr. Jeremiah Toomey, Grand Knight of Lacordaire Council of the Knights of Columbus, also addressed the Commission and stated that the records of his council showed that the candidate had been born on February 24, 1876. Messrs. Ledwith and Toomey then retired. After consideration of the matter, it appearing that the proof submitted by the candidate as to the date of his birth was not satisfactory to the Commission, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of Thomas W. Ledwith, of No. 227 East Eighty-first street, be and the same is hereby stricken from the eligible list for Patrolman under the provisions of Rule VII, paragraph 14; and be it further

Resolved, That the certification of the name of Thomas W. Ledwith for appointment to the position of Patrolman under date of September 9, 1905, be and the same is hereby canceled and withdrawn.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated December 4, with reference to the request of the Fire Commissioner that Firemen of the second grade be allowed to compete in the examination for Engineer of Steamer, stating that the request seemed to him to be entirely proper. The same was granted, and the Secretary was instructed to notify all such persons to enter the said examination.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 28, stating that the appeal of John T. Gibney, candidate for Inspector of Incumbrances, indicated no error or mistake of marking, and was simply a general protest against the marks awarded him. The appeal was denied.

A communication was presented from the Labor Clerk, dated December 4, recommending that the eligible list for Machinist, containing sixteen names, and which would terminate on January 1, 1906, be extended for one year from that date under the provisions of paragraph 9 of Rule XIX. The recommendation was adopted.

A communication was presented from the President of the Borough of Richmond, dated December 8, requesting authority to appoint the following-named persons, provisionally, to the position of Axeman, under the provisions of Civil Service Rule XIII, paragraph 3:

John Ford, Port Richmond, N. Y.

Michael Collins, Roslyn, N. Y.

Terence J. Lynch, West New Brighton, N. Y.

The Secretary was instructed to request the Chief Examiner to arrange a non-competitive examination to qualify the candidates for employment in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond until such time as permanent appointment might be made from the new eligible list.

A communication was presented from Deputy Comptroller Stevenson, dated December 8, requesting the certification of a list for promotion from fifth to sixth grade Clerk in the Bureau of General Administration, Main Division, of the Finance Department. The Secretary was instructed to certify the list of Clerks eligible for promotion in said Bureau of the Finance Department in accordance with the request of the Deputy Comptroller.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Rapid Transit Railroad Commission, dated October 31, requesting that an open competitive examination be held for the position of Assistant Engineer in that Department, with compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum. The request was granted and the Secretary was instructed to request the Chief Examiner to fix a date for the said examination.

A communication was presented from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, dated December 2, requesting approval of the leave of absence, without pay, for three months, from December 1, granted Mr. Gerald A. Rooney, Inspector of Sewers. It appearing from the certificate furnished that the leave of absence was granted on account of illness, the same was approved.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, dated December 2, requesting approval of an extension of the leave of absence, without pay, for thirty days, granted William H. Reilly, Stoker, and Hans B. Ingersoll, Park Laborer, for an additional thirty days in order that they might continue to serve in the New York Botanical Garden for that length of time, their services being urgently needed there. In view of the unusual circumstances of the case, the request was granted.

A communication was presented from the Secretary to the President of the Borough of Queens, dated November 29, requesting that an examination be held for promotion from the position of Section Foreman to District Superintendent in the Street Cleaning Bureau of his Department. The request was granted and the Secretary was instructed to request the Chief Examiner to proceed with the examination at the earliest possible date.

A communication was presented from the Secretary to the President of the Borough of Queens, dated December 4, requesting that an examination for promotion from third to fifth grade Clerk in the Bureau of Sewers of his Department, be held for Miss Florence A. Walters. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with Mr. Jervis and state that an examination for promotion to fifth grade Clerk in the Bureau of Sewers would be held, but that all persons now serving in the third and fourth grades of clerkship in said Bureau would be eligible to compete.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries, dated December 1, requesting that an examination be held for promotion from Junior Clerk in that Department to second grade Clerk; and requesting that two Junior Clerks who have not served six months in the Department be given permission to compete. It appearing that there were no first grade Clerks in the employ of

the Department, the Secretary was instructed to request the Chief Examiner to conduct an examination for promotion from the grade of Junior Clerk to that of second grade Clerk; but to communicate with the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries and state that the Commission could not permit the two Junior Clerks mentioned by him to enter the examination for the reason that they were not appointed until September 18, 1905, and have not served the six months in his Department required by Rule XV.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Park Board, dated November 29, requesting approval of the reassignment to duty of Sarah M. Walsh, Attendant, whose name had been off the payroll since July 31, 1905. It appearing from the doctor's certificate furnished that Miss Walsh's absence was due to illness, her reassignment to duty was approved.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Park Board, dated November 28, requesting on behalf of the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, that he be permitted to employ an expert accountant "in connection with a proposed thorough revision of the accounting and bookkeeping system" in his Department. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with Secretary Holly and request him to inform the Commission of the amount of compensation Commissioner Parsons intended to allow the expert whom he proposed to employ.

A communication was presented from Hon. Willard H. Olmstead, Justice of the Court of Special Sessions, dated November 27, requesting an amendment of the classification of positions in the exempt class of the Court of Special Sessions by adding thereto the title "Male Probation Officer for the First Division"; and requesting further that an examination for promotion of Hugh S. Doyle from Junior Clerk to second grade Clerk be held. It appearing that Mr. Doyle is the only Junior Clerk employed in that Department, the Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Chief Examiner and request him to hold the examination; and he was further instructed to arrange a public hearing on the proposed amendment, in accordance with Rule III., to be held on Wednesday morning, December 13, 1905, at 10 o'clock.

A communication was presented from Deputy Comptroller Phillips, dated November 29, asking for a certification from which to appoint two persons to the position of Bookbinder, with salary at the rate of \$1,080 per annum. The Secretary stated that there was no eligible list in existence for the position of Bookbinder. He was instructed to proceed with an open competitive examination for that position at once, and upon the establishment of the eligible list to certify from same to the Department of Finance.

The report of the Board of Examiners for positions in the non-competitive class of the Department of Correction, dated November 29, was approved upon the recommendation of the Chief Examiner.

Communications were presented from the Secretary of the Department of Health, dated December 5, with reference to the designation by the Board of Health of Mr. James McC. Miller as Chief Clerk of that Department, and the increase in salary of Mr. George A. Roberts, Clerk, to \$2,550 per annum, which actions of the Board of Health the Civil Service Commission had been unable to approve until the candidates had qualified for such promotion by examination. After a consideration of Mr. Scheffer's communications the Secretary was instructed to request the Chief Examiner to proceed with an examination for promotion to the position of Chief Clerk in the Department of Health, to be open to all Assistant Chief Clerks in that Department. Also an examination for promotion from fifth to eighth grade Clerk in the Secretary's Bureau of that Department (Borough of Manhattan), to be limited to the Clerks now serving in that Bureau.

The request of Miss Lillian C. Goldstein, No. 149 Manhattan avenue, under date of December 5, that she be restored to eligibility for appointment to the position of Stenographer and Typewriter at a compensation of \$600 per annum was granted. It appeared that the candidate once declined appointment at that rate in the Department of Health, but at the present time would be willing to accept same.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to hold a special examination for the position of Probation Officer in the City Magistrate's Court, under the provisions of Rule VI., paragraph 6, it appearing that the duties required in such position are of a peculiar and unusual character, to which no classified title is applicable.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Friday, December 8, 1905, at 10 o'clock.

Attest:

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Municipal Civil Service Commission, }
No. 61 Elm Street,
New York, December 8, 1905.

A meeting of the Civil Service Commission of The City of New York was held at the Commission's office, No. 61 Elm street, on Friday morning, December 8, 1905, at 10 o'clock.

All the Commissioners were present.

The minutes of the meeting held December 6 were approved.

The Committee on Transfers recommended that the following transfers be approved: Julia A. Black, from the position of Typewriting Copyist in the Tenement House Department to that of Stenographer and Typewriter, she having originally been appointed from the list for the latter position.

John F. Dolan, from the position of Inspector of Plumbing in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, to a similar position in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

Daniel Campbell, Jr., from the position of Inspector of Masonry and Carpentry in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, to a similar position in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

Arthur C. Kerwin, from the position of Inspector of Masonry and Carpentry in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, to a similar position in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan.

The recommendation of the Committee on Transfers was adopted.

The President presented the following report on transfers, reinstatements, etc., in the labor class acted upon by him:

Transfers Approved.

Edward Ranftle, Bridge Tender, from office of the President of the Borough of Queens to Department of Bridges.

William Lee, Bridge Tender, from office of the President of the Borough of Queens to Department of Bridges.

Thomas J. Larkin, Bridge Tender, from office of the President of the Borough of Queens to Department of Bridges.

Frank Coughlin, Foreman, from Department of Docks and Ferries to Department of Bridges.

John J. Keefe, from Laborer to Foreman Laborer, Department of Docks and Ferries.

John J. Moore, Laborer, from office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx to Fire Department.

Edward Dooley, from Flagger to Foreman, office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Charles Javaux, from Assistant Foreman to Stoker, office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

William F. Ronan, Mason, from Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, to the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

John Juniewicz, from Sweeper to Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Michael A. Kenny, from Driver to Hostler, Department of Street Cleaning.

Daniel J. Callaghan, from Sweeper to Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Thomas J. Campbell, from Driver to Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Angelo Solotto, from Driver to Hostler, Department of Street Cleaning.

Reinstatements Approved.

John J. Travers, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

John J. White, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

Joseph Nocolosi, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Michele Varratumolo, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Charles Cunard, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

William F. Sullivan, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Angelo Cestaro, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Vincenzo Del Vecchio, Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning.

Michael McGahan, Laborer, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Reassignments Approved.

John Lieberman, Dock Builder, Department of Docks and Ferries.

William Barr, Rammer, office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Application Granted.

Request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for approval of his action in rescinding the dismissal of Harry F. Brown, a Park Laborer, on November 13, 1905.

Emergency Appointments Approved.

Daniel Hempson and eight others in the Department of Bridges, for employment on bridges over Newtown creek, Borough of Queens.

Nils Johnson, Scowman, Department of Street Cleaning, from November 3 to November 25, 1905, in periods of five days.

Michael McNamara, Scowman, Department of Street Cleaning; five days from November 21, and five days from November 25.

Andrew Barkland, Scowman, Department of Street Cleaning, five days from November 21, and five days from November 25.

John A. Johnson, Scowman, Department of Street Cleaning, five days from November 23.

The report of the President was adopted.

The Assistant Secretary presented the following list of candidates for promotion to the rank of Captain in the Police Department, who were rejected in their medical examination for defective vision and other causes:

126. Thomas E. O'Brien, No. 682 East One Hundred and Forty-third street.

127. Robert Robinson, No. 14 Sylvan terrace.

128. John Yost, No. 1004 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn.

129. William Butler, No. 327 East Fifty-first street.

130. John Collins, No. 452 East Eighty-fourth street.

131. Patrick H. Marron, Nelson avenue and One Hundred and Seventieth street.

132. William S. Barlow, No. 889 Cauldwell avenue, The Bronx.

133. Edward Burns, No. 442 St. Nicholas avenue.

134. Daniel Daly, No. 338 West Forty-fifth street.

135. Patrick McGinley, No. 645 Ninth avenue.

136. William J. Deevy, No. 703 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

137. Thomas F. Levis, No. 465 Fifty-eighth street, Brooklyn.

138. Samuel Hammond, Eighteenth avenue and Sixty-fifth street, Brooklyn.

139. Frank Farrell, No. 212 North Henry street, Brooklyn.

140. Charles G. Lutz, Avenue T, near East Twelfth street, Sheepshead Bay.

141. John Strachan, No. 2833 West First street, Coney Island.

142. William C. Egan, No. 1080 Elsmere place, The Bronx.

143. John Carroll, No. 146 Twelfth street, Long Island City.

144. Thomas McCauley, No. 448 Forty-fifth street, Brooklyn.

145. Charles Stripp, No. 541 Forty-eighth street, Brooklyn.

135. James J. McDonald, No. 95 Utica avenue, Brooklyn.

136. Thomas H. Mangin, No. 94 Hamilton place.

137. William B. Porter, No. 310 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

138. Thomas J. Murphy, No. 535 Fifty-eighth street, Brooklyn.

139. William J. McClosky, Home Crest avenue, near Avenue U, Brooklyn.

140. Arthur Jesser, No. 28 Washington avenue, Richmond.

141. Charles F. Manning, No. 251 East Thirty-second street.

142. George T. Lesson, No. 60 Third avenue.

It appearing that twenty-two of the aforesaid persons had been rejected on account of defective vision and, it being the opinion of the Commission that there should be no objection to a Captain of Police wearing eye glasses, in view of the average age of the applicants for that position and the fact that the same would not militate against the proper performance of their duties as Captain, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is directed to summon the twenty-two candidates for promotion to Captain of Police, who were rejected in their medical examination for defective vision, for a medical re-examination in which they will be permitted to wear eye glasses to correct the defects of sight for which they were rejected.

The Secretary was instructed to set a date for the physical examination of all candidates for promotion to the rank of Captain in the Police Department, who were prevented from competing in the original physical examination by various causes over which they had no control.

In connection with the examination for promotion to Captain, the Commission considered the appeal of Daniel Daly, candidate in said examination, for a physical re-examination, he having been rejected for heart irregularities and defective circulation. The candidate furnished the certificates of two physicians to the effect that they had examined him and found his heart to be in sound normal condition and his circulation good. After a consideration of the matter, it appearing to the Commission from the doctors' certificates furnished that an error must have been made by the examining physician in rejecting the candidate on the aforesaid grounds, the Secretary was instructed to summon him for a re-examination.

The Secretary called the attention of the Commission to a peremptory writ of mandamus issued by Mr. Justice Maddox of the Supreme Court, on November 20, 1905, directing the Commission to rerate the record of James Edwards, candidate in the examination for promotion to Roundsman, held December 22, 1903, by eliminating the deduction made in his percentage for a penalty imposed during his probationary period. It appeared that Mr. Edwards had appealed directly after receiving the notice of his percentage in the said examination for a rerating of his record by eliminating the said fine which was imposed while he was serving his period of probation, but that the Commission had declined to grant his request, and that he had then appealed to the Courts for a decision in the matter. The Secretary was instructed to direct the Chief Examiner to rerate the candidate's record, in accordance with the instructions of the Court, and to forward to him a corrected notice of his percentage.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 27, with reference to the appeal of Edmund O. Mathews, candidate in the examination for promotion to Roundsman, held on December 22, 1903, for a rerating of his record by eliminating the deductions made for penalties imposed during his probationary period, such request being based upon the decision of Mr. Justice Maddox in the Edwards case. The appeal was denied for the reason that it was not made within fifteen days after the candidate received his notice of percentage, as required by the rules under which the said examination was conducted.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated December 1, with reference to the appeal of William F. Sullivan, candidate in the examination for promotion to Roundsman, held December 22, 1903, for a rerating of his record by eliminating the deduction made in his percentage for penalties imposed during his probationary period, such request being based on the decision of Mr. Justice Maddox in the Edwards case. The appeal was denied for the reason that it was not made within fifteen days after the candidate received his notice of percentage, as prescribed by the rules under which the said examination was held.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 25, forwarding a report from Examiner Murray, who prepared the questions in the examination referred to in a communication from the Corporation Counsel under date of November 23. It appeared from the letter of the Corporation Counsel that Michael J. Curley, Clerk in the Bureau of Street Openings, Law Department, entered the examination for promotion to fifth grade Clerk in company with four other Clerks in the main office of the Law Department, and that he failed to pass the examination for the reason that the questions asked were not pertinent to the duties which he had been performing for some years past, and he requested that the inappropriate questions be eliminated from the candidate's examination papers, and that the same be rerated on that basis. Examiner Murray stated in his report that the questions used in the examination had reference to no particular bureau, but were, in his opinion, questions that applied generally to the work of the Law Department, and recommended that either the questions which were complained of as inappropriate by the Corporation Counsel be eliminated, or that a separate examination for promotion be held, open only to those Clerks employed in the Bureau of Street Openings. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Corporation Counsel and state that the Commission deemed it inadvisable to rerate the candidate's papers, as suggested by him, but

that a new examination would be held for promotion to fifth grade Clerk in the Bureau of Street Openings of his department, the same to be limited to the Clerks serving in the fourth grade in that bureau; and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the provisions of Civil Service Rule VII., paragraph 12, providing that "no person who has entered any examination for appointment to a competitive position and failed therein, or who has withdrawn therefrom, shall be admitted within nine months from the date of such examination to a new examination for the same position," be waived so far as the same applies to the coming examination for promotion to fifth grade Clerk in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 29, stating that the examination for Stationary Engineman, held September 29, 1905, had been completed.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list for the position of Stationary Engineman be and the same is hereby established by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, and the Secretary is instructed to certify from the same to fill all vacancies in that position.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 28, asking whether the appeal of William Mandrey, a candidate for promotion to Assistant Foreman in the Fire Department, should be considered at this date. It appeared that the candidate had a fine of five days' pay reduced to three days by the head of his department, and requested that his percentage on record in the said examination be corrected accordingly. The appeal was denied.

A communication was presented from the Chief Examiner, dated November 28, with reference to the letter from John H. Welsh, candidate for promotion to Roundsman in the Police Department, who stated that he signed his name instead of his examination number to the city information paper, and asked if it might be corrected at this time. The Chief Examiner stated that there was no indication that the candidate had done so, as his name was not signed to the said paper, and it had been rated as a part of the examination. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the candidate and inform him that he was in error regarding the matter.

A communication was presented from the President of the Borough of Queens, dated November 29, requesting that an examination be held for promotion from Transitman to Assistant Engineer in the Bureau of Sewers of his Department. The request was granted, and the Secretary was instructed to request the Chief Examiner to fix a date for the said examination.

A communication was presented from the President of the Borough of Richmond, dated November 27, requesting the Commission to examine for promotion from the position of Cashier in the Bureau of Highways of his department to that of fifth grade Clerk Mr. Spire Pitou, Jr. The request was denied for the reason that the position of Cashier in the Bureau of Highways of the Department of the President of the Borough of Richmond is included in the exempt class.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Correction, dated December 8, requesting authority to employ Mr. Francis A. Mack, provisionally, in the position of Keeper, pending the establishment of the eligible list for that position. The request was granted, and the Secretary was instructed to request the Chief Examiner to conduct a non-competitive examination of the candidate to qualify him for provisional appointment, in accordance with Civil Service Rule XII., paragraph 3.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, dated December 6, requesting approval of the reassignment to duty of Richard Morris, Gardener, who was dropped from the pay-roll on July 24, 1905. It appearing from the doctor's certificate furnished that the candidate's absence was due to illness, the reassignment was approved.

A communication was presented from the Commissioner of Bridges, dated December 6, requesting that an open competitive examination be held for Inspector of Steel Construction, from which he might make several appointments at an annual compensation of \$1,650, and stating the requirements of the positions now vacant in his Department. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Chief Examiner and request him to conduct an examination at the earliest possible date in accordance with the request of the Commissioner of Bridges.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Park Board, dated December 7, in answer to the request of the Commission for information as to the amount of compensation to be paid the expert whom it was desired to employ to revise the bookkeeping system in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, stating that the amount of compensation to be paid the expert was \$250.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond be and he is hereby authorized to employ an Expert Accountant, without examination, to revise the bookkeeping system in his Department, under the provisions of Civil Service Rule XII., paragraph 6, it appearing that the services to be rendered are technical and expert and of an occasional and exceptional character; provided, however, that the amount of his compensation shall not exceed the sum of \$250.

A communication was presented from the President of the Borough of Richmond, dated November 28, stating that Mr. Lee Curtis, who was certified to his Department for appointment to the position of Axeman on August 22, and whom he reported as having "failed to report," had called at his office on November 27 and stated that, owing to a change of address, he had never received the notice sent him, notwithstanding the fact that he notified the Post Office authorities of same; and that he consequently had not been able to respond to same. The Secretary was instructed to restore Mr. Curtis' name to the list for Axeman.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Fire Department, dated November 21, requesting on behalf of the Commissioner that the Commission forward to him the original "preliminary sheets" of candidates for Fireman at the time of their certification for appointment, in order that the candidates might be properly identified, and stating that as soon as they had been examined they would be returned to the office of the Commission. The Secretary stated that the practice in the office had been to submit the sheets for examination to a duly authorized representative of the Fire Commissioner, who, if he found necessary to do so, took abstracts from same. The request was denied, and the Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Fire Department and state that the papers may be examined at the office of the Commission at any time, and copies made of same if desired; but that the Commission could not allow the original papers to be taken from the office.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Fire Department, dated November 17, requesting approval of a leave of absence, without pay, from October 1 to December 1, 1905, granted Robert P. Hess, Stenographer and Typewriter, on account of illness. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Fire Department and state that the leave of absence would be approved upon the production of a doctor's certificate.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Board of Education, dated December 4, requesting the Commission to "certify the name of Carmine R. Pughliese and all others on the eligible list of Attendance Officer who speak the Italian language," in order that an appointment might be made to fill a vacancy existing in Districts 1 and 9, Borough of Manhattan, caused by the resignation of Mr. Edoardo San Giovanni, Attendance Officer. The Secretary stated that Mr. Pughliese was No. 12 on the list of Attendance Officer, and that there were no language qualifications in that examination, and requested instructions regarding the matter of certification. The Secretary was instructed to certify the first three names upon the list for Attendance Officer, and to inform the Secretary of the Board of Education that under the Civil Service rules a selection must be made from same.

A communication was presented from the Comptroller, dated December 6, requesting authority to appoint Mr. John W. McAvoy of No. 390 Tenth avenue, Manhattan, and one other person not named, provisionally, to the position of Bookbinder, pending the establishment of the new eligible list under Rule XII., paragraph 3. The request was granted and the Secretary was instructed to request the Chief Examiner to conduct a non-competitive examination of the said persons to qualify them for employment until such time as permanent appointments might be made from the eligible list.

A communication was presented from the Secretary of the Rapid Transit Railroad Commission, dated December 6, requesting authority to appoint the following-named persons, provisionally, to the position of Axeman, pending the establishment of the new eligible list for that position:

John Horn, No. 5 Gouverneur place, The Bronx.

Walter Miller, No. 246 Warren street, Brooklyn.

Joseph O'Donnell, No. 986 Jefferson avenue, Brooklyn.

John P. Hannan, No. 46 Beekman avenue, Tarrytown, N. Y.

The request was granted and the Secretary was instructed to direct the Chief Examiner to conduct a non-competitive examination of the candidates to qualify them for temporary employment under the provisions of Rule XII., paragraph 3.

The request of Churchill Hayden of No. 659 Fifty-eighth street, Brooklyn, under date of November 27, that his name be restored to the eligible list for Office Boy, was granted, upon his statement that he was out of the city when his name was certified to the Tenement House Department, and that, therefore, he was unable to respond to the notice sent him.

The requests of the following-named persons to be restored to eligibility for temporary employment from the list of Senior Clerk were granted:

Samuel Weinberger, No. 456 Pearl street.

Peter J. O'Reilly, No. 27 Richmond street, West New Brighton.

John A. Hannon, No. 324 Dean street, Brooklyn.

The request of Mortimer C. Dixon, No. 203 West One Hundred and Second street, that his name be restored to the list for Senior Clerk was granted. It appeared that the candidate was certified from that list on October 20, 1905, for appointment as a Gateman in the Department of Docks and Ferries, and as he had not qualified for that position he did not desire to accept same and, therefore, failed to respond to the notice sent him.

The request of John F. Drake, an employee in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, that he be permitted to withdraw his declination of appointment to the position of Transitman and Computer in the Finance Department at the rate of \$1,500 per annum so that he would be eligible for appointment at that salary, was allowed.

The request of Edwin F. Acker, No. 253 West Fourteenth street, under date of November 28, that he be permitted to withdraw his declination of appointment to the position of Transitman in the Borough of Richmond at \$1,200 per annum, in order that he might be eligible for appointment in that borough, was granted.

The request of James A. Brennan, No. 1491 Lexington avenue, under date of November 24, that he be permitted to withdraw his declination of appointment to the position of Rodman at a salary of \$960 per annum, was granted.

The request of Isaac L. Dunn, No. 1687 Bathgate avenue, that his name be restored to the list of Senior Clerk, was granted. It appeared that the candidate was certified to the Department of Docks and Ferries on October 20, 1905, for appointment as a Gateman, but that he did not desire to accept appointment to that position, having qualified for the position of Clerk, and he having presented an affidavit that he communicated with the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries to that effect.

A communication was presented from F. K. Winslow, No. 16 Court street, Brooklyn, stating that he did not care to accept appointment to the position of Deputy Tax Commissioner at the present time, and desiring to be informed by the Commission whether his name could remain on the eligible list. The Secretary was instructed to communicate with Mr. Winslow and quote the provisions of Civil Service Rule XI.

A communication was presented from Abraham U. Whitson, No. 153 East Thirty-fourth street, dated December 1, requesting that his name be restored to the eligible list for Assistant Engineer, and making affidavit to the fact that he was out of town (employed) when notified by the Aqueduct Commission to call in reference to an appointment, and that he therefore could not do so within the four days prescribed by the rules, but that he did communicate with the Aqueduct Commission declining the position on the score of "location." The request was granted.

The request of Samuel D. Riley, No. 779 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn, dated November 23, that he be permitted to withdraw his declination of appointment to the position of Stationary Engineman in the Borough of Manhattan was denied.

An affidavit was presented from Barney J. Walsh, Stapleton, Staten Island, dated December 5, stating that he was rejected in his medical examination for the position of Fireman on the ground of short height, the records showing that he was but 5 feet 6 1/4 inches, and presenting a certificate from his physician to the effect that he had measured the candidate and found him to be 5 feet 7 inches in height, and requesting that he be granted a re-examination to correct the error made by the examining physician. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate for remeasurement.

An affidavit was presented from Anthony Mayo, Rockaway Beach, New York, stating that he was rejected in his medical examination for the position of Fireman on the ground of short height, the records showing that he was but 5 feet 6 1/4 inches, and presenting a certificate from his physician to the effect that he had measured the candidate and found him to be 5 feet 7 inches in height, and requesting a re-examination to correct the error made by the examining physician. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate for remeasurement.

An affidavit was presented from Frank McMorrow, No. 326 West Thirty-sixth street, to the effect that he had declined appointment to the position of Janitor-Engineer in the Board of Education in November last, on the score of "insufficient compensation," and did not "fail to report," as that Department informed the Commission, and requesting that his name be restored to the eligible list. The request was granted.

An affidavit was presented from Alexander Rothenberg, No. 129 Rivington street, dated December 4, stating that he declined an appointment as Financial Clerk in the Department of Docks and Ferries, and did not "fail to report," as stated by that Department, and requesting that his name be restored to the eligible list of Senior Clerk. The request was granted.

An affidavit was presented from William M. Wing, No. 600 East Seventh street, Brooklyn, to the effect that he did not receive the notice of appointment sent him by the Department of Docks and Ferries until a week after the same was mailed, and that he therefore could not respond within the four days prescribed by the rules, and requesting that his name be restored to the eligible list for Marine Engineer. The request was granted.

A communication was presented from Michael Reilly, dated December 8, requesting permission to change the date of birth set forth on his application for Inspector of Masonry, filed on May 1, 1900, on the ground that the said date was incorrect. It appeared that the candidate stated in his application that he was born in County Cavan, Ireland, on June 17, 1850, but that when he was asked to fill out a declaration sheet in connection with his appointment to the position of Inspector of Masonry he gave a different date of birth, which discrepancy he explained by the statement that he did not know the precise date of his birth, but believed that he was sixty-four or sixty-five years of age; that in giving the first mentioned date he had no intention whatsoever of deceiving the Commission, and did not believe the question of age was material in the examination, and because of the fact, as already stated, that he did not know exactly when he was born and had no records available to determine the same, he would respectfully request that he be allowed to change the date of birth given in his application from 1850 to 1840, which was the most nearly correct date that he could give, and that the Commission accept his explanation. The request was granted, and the Secretary was instructed to summon the candidate to correct his application.

The Commission then adjourned to meet Wednesday, December 13, 1905, at 10 a.m.

Attest:

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

Council Chamber, City Hall,
New York City, Thursday, 11 a. m., July 27, 1905.

The Hons. George B. McClellan, Mayor; John J. Delany, Corporation Counsel, and James W. Stevenson, acting for the Comptroller, the officers designated by section 1526, chapter 466, Laws of 1901, met this day.

The minutes of the meeting held June 22, 1905, were approved as printed, and the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That there be included in the minutes of the meeting held this day the special resolutions adopted by this body under dates of June 23, 23 and 27, 1905, viz.:

Resolved, That the Supervisor be authorized to insert for the departments the following advertising:

June 23, 1905—President, Borough of Manhattan—For regulating and repaving the roadway of Chambers street, from Broadway to West street, etc., in the following newspaper:

"Daily Jewish Herald."

July 23, 1905—Department of Finance—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he hereby is authorized to advertise the sale at public auction of real estate situated in the Borough of Manhattan, on which

taxes for any of the years 1886 to 1901 inclusive, or water rents for any of the years 1885 to 1900, inclusive, are unpaid, in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, June 14, 1905, at 10 a. m. (adjourned sale, June 28, 1905, at 10 a. m.), in the following-named newspapers, the dates of publication of said advertisements in the case of each newspaper being specified below:

"Herald," June 25, 27.
 "Sun," June 25, 27.
 "Times," June 25, 27.
 "World," June 25, 27.
 "Press," June 25, 27.
 "American," June 25, 27.
 "Morning Telegraph," June 25, 27.
 "Staats Zeitung," June 25, 27.
 "Morgen Journal," June 25, 27.
 "New Yorker Zeitung," June 26, 27.
 "Jewish Daily News," June 26, 27.
 "Abend-Blatt," June 26, 27.
 "Evening Telegram," June 26, 27.
 "Evening Sun," June 26, 27.
 "New Yorker Herald," June 26, 27.
 "Evening World," June 26, 27.
 New York Daily "News," June 25, 27.
 "Evening Journal," June 26, 27.
 "Globe," June 26, 27.
 "Evening Post," June 26, 27.
 "Mail," June 26, 27.
 New York "Commercial," June 26, 27.
 "Journal of Commerce," June 26, 27.
 New York "Tribune," June 25, 27.
 "Daily Jewish Herald," June 26, 27.

June 27, 1905—Law Department—Report of Commissioners to acquire real estate at Wantagh for water supply, in the following newspapers:

The "Sun," Brooklyn Daily "Times."
 New York Daily "News," Brooklyn "Freie Presse."
 Nassau "Recorder," Brooklyn "Citizen."
 Hempstead "Sentinel," Brooklyn "Standard Union."
 Brooklyn Daily "Eagle."

The following resolutions were then adopted by concurrent vote:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the authority conferred upon this Board by resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 11, 1905, the Supervisor of the City Record be and hereby is authorized to enter into a contract for the year 1905, with John Haney, of No. 223 East Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan, for the transportation of supplies from the office of the Supervisor of the City Record to the different City departments and branches thereof, situated in the boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn and Queens, at the stipulated sum of \$300 per month, beginning March 15, 1905, and that the amount of bond for faithful performance of said contract be the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000); and

Resolved, That the said John Haney shall deliver said supplies of printing, stationery and blank books, with such force and in such manner and order and at such times and seasons as may be required and directed by the Supervisor; and be it further

Resolved, That this Board shall have the right at any time to stop the delivery of said supplies and to terminate and annul this contract whenever in the opinion of the Board the said John Haney shall in any respect fail to fulfil this contract to the satisfaction of this Board.

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be directed to prepare and print, with the approval of the Corporation Counsel, forms of proposal or estimate and contract and specifications for supplying stationery for the use of the courts, departments and bureaus of the government of The City of New York during the remainder of the year 1905; bids for the same to be opened after due advertisement, as required by law.

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he hereby is directed to forward to the Department of Finance for payment the following claim:

Martin B. Brown Company, for emergency printing ordered by Law Department June 30, 1905, \$375.25.

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be directed to make requisition upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible 1st from which to appoint an Office Boy to fill the position made vacant by resignation on June 30, 1905, of William E. Wickes.

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he hereby is authorized to issue to the various departments, bureaus, courts and offices of the government of The City of New York circular letters calling for requisitions for supplies of printed, lithographed or stamped forms, and blank books, dockets, libers, etc., for use during the year 1906; and the Supervisor is hereby directed in the event of the failure of any department, bureau, court or office to make return of such requisitions on or before September 1, 1905, to consider that such department has sufficient supplies for its needs during the ensuing year, and to disregard the same in the preparation of the annual contracts for the year 1906; and

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he hereby is directed to award to James H. English & Son, by direct order, the books required by the various courts, departments, bureaus, etc., for use on January 1, 1906, at prices satisfactory to the Supervisor and subject to the approval of the Department of Finance, the Board deeming this course to be for the best interest of the City.

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and he hereby is authorized to procure by direct order, that is, without contract let after advertisement, the articles called for by the following requisitions allowed at this meeting, not exceeding the estimates this day submitted by the Supervisor, as shown by schedules this day signed by members of the Board of City Record, that course being deemed to be for the best interest of the City.

Armory Commissioners, Board of—Requisitions Nos. 1384, 1459.

Assessors, Board of—Requisitions Nos. 1504, 1511, 1515, 1518.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals—Requisitions Nos. 1109, 1130, 1199, 1374, 1401, 1423, 1474, 1480, 1557.

Borough of Manhattan—President's Office: Requisitions Nos. 1110, 1295, 1334, 1444, 1479, 1513, 1539, 1586. Bureau of Buildings: Requisitions Nos. 1261, 1343, 1472, 1473, 1536. Bureau of Highways: Requisition No. 1321. Bureau of Public Works: Requisitions Nos. 1621, 1655, 1656.

Borough of The Bronx—President's Office: Requisitions Nos. 1132, 1172, 1225, 1286, 1312, 1346, 1500, 1514. Bureau of Buildings: Requisitions Nos. 1182, 1315. Bureau of Public Works: Requisition No. 1289.

Borough of Brooklyn—President's Office: Requisitions Nos. 1107, 1119, 1148, 1155, 118c, 1220, 1234, 1268, 1484. Bureau of Buildings: Requisitions Nos. 1237, 1244. Bureau of Highways: Requisition No. 1527. Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices: Requisitions Nos. 1373, 1410, 1505, 1512. Bureau of Public Works: Requisition No. 1417. Bureau of Sewers: Requisitions Nos. 1269, 1421, 1531, 1617. Topographical Bureau: Requisitions Nos. 1115, 1205, 1395, 1397, 1416.

Borough of Queens—President's Office: Requisitions Nos. 1262, 1362, 1605. Bureau of Highways: Requisitions Nos. 1294, 1370, 1470, 1602. Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices: Requisitions Nos. 1292, 1525. Bureau of Sewers: Requisition No. 1619.

Borough of Richmond—President's Office: Requisitions Nos. 1113, 1307, 1326, 1361, 1380, 1403, 1443, 1453, 1485, 1488. Bureau of Buildings: Requisitions Nos. 1414, 1609. Bureau of Highways: Requisition No. 1358. Bureau of Public Works: Requisitions Nos. 1103, 1593, 1618.

Bridges, Department of—Requisitions Nos. 1133, 1163, 1168, 1177, 1231, 1349, 1438, 1519, 1574, 1592, 1598, 1660.

City Clerk—Requisitions Nos. 1587, 1624.

City Record, Board of—Requisitions Nos. 1101, 1127, 1271, 1298, 1496, 1517, 1558, 1561, 1585.

Commissioners of Accounts—Requisitions Nos. 1350, 1348, 1608, 1402.

Commissioner of Licenses—Requisitions Nos. 1263, 1299, 1303, 1311, 1372, 1382, 1462, 1492, 1545, 1562, 1563.

Coroners—Manhattan: Requisitions Nos. 1141, 1149. The Bronx: Requisition No. 1285. Richmond: Requisition No. 1653.

Correction, Department of—Requisitions Nos. 1153, 1392, 1419, 1476. Estimate and Apportionment, Board of—Requisitions Nos. 1336, 1368, 1533, 1537, 1564.

Examiners, Board of—Requisition No. 1276.

Executive Department—Bureau of Licenses: Requisition No. 1208. Finance, Department of—Comptroller's Office: Requisitions Nos. 1108, 1112, 1140, 1145, 1150, 1151, 1152, 1167, 1191, 1195, 1210, 1211, 1213, 1222, 1224, 1226, 1300, 1304, 1305, 1308, 1309, 1327, 1360, 1366, 1375, 1381, 1383, 1393, 1424, 1427, 1437, 1440, 1471, 1475, 1477, 1486, 1521, 1542, 1546, 1583, 1596, 1614, 1625, 1645. Bureau of Audit: Requisition No. 1125. Bureau of Bookkeeping and Awards: Requisition No. 1283. Bureau of City Chamberlain: Requisitions Nos. 1549, 1631. Bureau of City Paymaster: Requisition No. 1495.

Fire, Department of—Manhattan and The Bronx: Requisitions Nos. 1104, 1142, 1164, 1214, 1250, 1270, 1275, 1287, 1330, 1385, 1432, 1468, 1503, 1544, 1579, 1650, 1116, 1310.

Health, Department of—Requisitions Nos. 1100, 1129, 1147, 1166, 1187, 1188, 1189, 1190, 1192, 1202, 1215, 1260, 1265, 1282, 1313, 1329, 1352, 1356, 1367, 1371, 1398, 1407, 1408, 1409, 1411, 1428, 1429, 1430, 1431, 1446, 1449, 1463, 1467, 1491, 1557a, 1557b, 1565, 1566, 1567, 1568, 1570, 1577, 1578, 1610, 1611, 1612, 1646, 1659, 1580, 1581, 1582.

Law, Department of—Corporation Counsel—Manhattan: Requisitions Nos. 1131, 1143, 1170, 1176, 1186, 1221, 1264, 1273, 1290, 1316, 1364, 1404, 1447, 1497, 1556, 1559, 1616, 1620, 1623, 1636, 1637. Brooklyn: Requisitions Nos. 1357, 1365. The Bronx: Requisitions Nos. 1249, 1280. Queens: Requisitions Nos. 1461, 1494.

Municipal Civil Service Commission—Requisitions Nos. 1123, 1183, 1200, 1332, 1415, 1478, 1523, 1607, 1639, 1640, 1641, 1642.

Parks, Department of—Manhattan and Richmond: Requisitions Nos. 1124, 1325, 1328, 1482, 1490, 1572. Brooklyn and Queens: Requisitions Nos. 1277, 1341, 1422, 1436. The Bronx: Requisitions Nos. 1197, 1206, 1506, 1540, 1543, 1575, 1632.

Public Charities, Department of—Manhattan: Requisitions Nos. 1171, 1175, 1207, 1216, 1233, 1246, 1302, 1345, 1351, 1413, 1435, 1451, 1501a, 1501b, 1508, 1569, 1595, 1633, 1634, 1643, 1649. Brooklyn and Queens: Requisitions Nos. 1185, 1259, 1279, 1400.

Queens Borough Library—Requisition No. 1128.

Street Cleaning, Department of—Requisitions Nos. 1105, 1134, 1157, 1159, 1169, 1173, 1272, 1281, 1347, 1389, 1450, 1456, 1460, 1481, 1507, 1510, 1520, 1524, 1553, 1560, 1571, 1584, 1600, 1601, 1603, 1606, 1635, 1651, 1652.

Taxes and Assessments, Department of—Requisitions Nos. 1359, 1526, 1588.

Tenement House Department—Requisitions Nos. 1114, 1137, 1204, 1227, 1228, 1236, 1324, 1331, 1333, 1377, 1390, 1434, 1489, 1498, 1547, 1589, 1613, 1615.

Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Department of—Manhattan: Requisitions Nos. 1121, 1126, 1136, 1139, 1146, 1154, 1161, 1162, 1165, 1181, 1201, 1219, 1235, 1248, 1253, 1254, 1255, 1256, 1257, 1258, 1266, 1267, 1376, 1379, 1386, 1394, 1418, 1426, 1433, 1439, 1454, 1487, 1522, 1552, 1576, 1638. Brooklyn: Requisitions Nos. 1184, 1218, 1240, 1241, 1245, 1293, 1339, 1342, 1399, 1420, 1442, 1445, 1452, 1455, 1464, 1466, 1516, 1594, 1644. The Bronx: Requisitions Nos. 1156, 1243, 1291, 1318, 1499. Queens: Requisitions Nos. 1230, 1278, 1465, 1469.

Children's Court, First Division—Requisitions Nos. 1138, 1344.

Children's Court, Second Division—Requisitions Nos. 1232, 1529.

City Court—Requisitions Nos. 1179, 1406.

City Magistrates, First Division—Requisitions Nos. 1118, 1340, 1354, 1388.

City Magistrates, Second Division—Requisitions Nos. 1198, 1355.

Municipal Courts—Manhattan: First: Requisitions Nos. 1194, 1378. Fourth: Requisition No. 1441. Eighth: Requisitions Nos. 1502, 1528, 1554, 1591. Ninth: Requisitions Nos. 1363, 1626. Tenth: Requisition No. 1193. Twelfth: Requisition No. 1252. Thirteenth: Requisition No. 1266. Brooklyn: Third: Requisition No. 1555. Fourth: Requisition No. 1338. Fifth: Requisition No. 1604. Queens: Requisitions Nos. 1320, 1658.

Special Sessions, First Division—Requisitions Nos. 1288, 1323, 1387, 1458, 1597, 1654.

NEW YORK COUNTY—County Clerk—Requisitions Nos. 1310, 1317, 1647, 1648. District Attorney—Requisitions Nos. 1122, 1178, 1203. General Sessions—Requisitions Nos. 1111, 1229, 1335, 1530, 1532. Public Administrator—Requisition No. 1306. Register—Requisitions Nos. 1120, 1209, 1217, 1405, 1425, 1538, 1541, 1550, 1627, 1628, 1629, 1630. Sheriff—Requisitions Nos. 1158, 1174, 1247, 1251, 1493, 1509, 1551, 1573. Surrogates—Requisitions Nos. 1144, 1284, 1297, 1590.

KINGS COUNTY—Commissioner of Jurors—Requisitions Nos. 1238, 1301, 1322. Commissioner of Records—Requisitions Nos. 1314, 1448. County Clerk—Requisition No. 1306. County Court—Requisition No. 1117. Register—Requisitions Nos. 1242, 1283, 1599, 1622. Sheriff—Requisition No. 1457. Surrogate—Requisition No. 1274.

QUEENS COUNTY—Commissioner of Jurors—Requisition No. 1548. County Clerk—Requisition No. 1412. Surrogate—Requisition No. 1337.

RICHMOND COUNTY—Commissioner of Jurors—Requisition No. 1239. County Clerk—Requisitions Nos. 1135, 1160, 1223. County Judge and Surrogate—Requisition No. 1391. District Attorney—Requisition No. 1102. Sheriff—Requisition No. 1196.

Total Amount of Estimates Approved.

City Departments	.....	\$54,549 96
New York County	.....	3,157 92
Kings County	.....	702 07
Queens County	.....	87 10
Richmond County	.....	405 13

directed to notify the said J. W. Pratt Company of the award of this contract; and be it further

Resolved, That the party to whom this contract has been awarded be required to furnish securities acceptable to the Comptroller in time for the final execution of this contract within the specified time from the receipt of the notice of this award.

The Secretary presented the following:

To the Honorable the Board of City Record:

Gentlemen—I submit the following estimate of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the business of the office of the City Record for the year 1906:

In accordance with instructions contained in the circular letter of the Comptroller, dated July 15, 1905, I submit below full explanation, stating in detail the reasons for any increase or decrease in the amounts as compared with the appropriations made in the Budget for 1905. Annexed hereto are (1) a statement as to salaries, (2) a comparative statement of appropriations, both made out in accordance with the forms accompanying the circular.

The estimate of appropriations for printing, stationery and blank books is based on the understanding that the application of the Board of City Record to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment under date of September 21, 1905,

for the additional sum of \$250,000 will be favorably considered. The necessity for this additional sum to meet the liabilities of 1905 is caused, first, by the reduction made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in the amounts asked for 1905; and secondly, by legislation establishing the new Board of Water Supply and affecting the Register's Office, the Tenement House Department and Bureaus of Buildings. If this additional sum be not granted the appropriation must of necessity be added to the Budget for Arrearages.

The increase in the appropriation for printing, stationery and blank books for City Departments, \$275,000, is due to the natural growth and improvements in the departments, notably the Health and Tenement House Departments; in the Fire Department to the change from volunteer to paid service in the boroughs of Queens and Richmond, to the establishment of four new Municipal Courts and the Board of Water Supply.

The increase in the appropriation for salaries, \$150, is to provide for merited promotion.

City Record—Salaries.

Allowed for 1905.....	\$24,120 00
Estimate for 1906.....	24,270 00
Increase	\$150 00

No.	Salary Paid July 1, 1905.	No.	Proposed Salary for 1906.	Increase.	Decrease.
1 Supervisor	\$5,000 00	1 Supervisor	\$5,000 00	.....	.....
1 Deputy and Expert.....	2,500 00	1 Deputy and Expert.....	2,500 00	.....	.....
1 Private Secretary	1,800 00	1 Private Secretary	1,800 00	.....	.....
1 Bookkeeper	1,800 00	1 Bookkeeper	2,100 00	\$300 00	.....
1 Examiner	1,500 00	2 Examiners, at \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00	1,500 00	.....
1 Examiner	1,200 00	1 Examiner	1,200 00	.....	.....
1 Examiner	900 00	.....	.....	.....	\$900 00
1 Clerk	1,200 00	1 Clerk	1,200 00	.....	.....
1 Clerk	1,050 00	1 Clerk	1,050 00	.....	.....
1 Storekeeper	1,650 00	1 Storekeeper	1,800 00	150 00	.....
1 Advertising Expert	1,800 00	1 Advertising Expert	1,800 00	.....	.....
1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,050 00	1 Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00	150 00	.....
1 Junior Clerk	480 00	1 Junior Clerk	600 00	120 00	.....
1 Office Boy	300 00	1 Office Boy	300 00	.....	.....
1 Laborer	720 00	1 Laborer	720 00	.....	.....
Total.....	\$22,950 00	Total.....	\$24,270 00	\$2,220 00	\$900 00

Summary of Appropriations for the Board of City Record.

Titles of Appropriations.	Appropriation for 1905 Allowed by Board of Esti- mate and Apportionment, October 31, 1904.	Transfers by Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	Total Appropriation for 1905.	Amount Asked for the Year 1906.	Increase.	Decrease.
					Dr.	Cr.
Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	\$226,400 00	.....	\$226,400 00	\$226,400 00	.....	.....
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for City Departments and Offices.....	366,580 00	.....	366,580 00	641,580 00	\$275,000 00	.....
Special Revenue Bonds.....	.....	.....	250,000 00	.....	.....	\$250,000 00
City Record—Salaries.....	24,120 00	.....	24,120 00	24,270 00	150 00	.....
City Record—Supplies, Rents and Contingencies.....	5,205 75	.....	5,205 75	5,205 75	.....	.....
Arrearages of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	110,000 00	.....	110,000 00	.....	.....	110,000 00
Board of City Record, New York County—Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for County Offices and Courts other than Supreme Court.....	30,000 00	.....	30,000 00	30,000 00	.....	.....
Board of City Record, Kings County—Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for County Offices and Courts other than Supreme Court.....	25,000 00	.....	25,000 00	25,000 00	.....	.....
For Supreme Court, Second Department, and Arrearages.....	4,500 00	.....	4,500 00	3,500 00	.....	1,000 00
Board of City Record, Queens County—Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for County Offices and Courts.....	3,000 00	.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....	.....
Board of City Record, Richmond County—Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for County Offices and Courts.....	3,000 00	.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	.....	.....
	\$797,805 75	.....	\$1,047,805 75	\$961,955 75	\$275,150 00	\$361,000 00

Note—This estimate is based on the understanding that the application of the Board of City Record for an additional \$250,000 for "Printing, Stationery and Blank Books for City Departments and Offices, 1905," to be provided for by issue of Special Revenue Bonds, will be favorably considered. If not, the said amount must of necessity be added to the Budget of 1906 as "Arrearages."

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK J. TRACY, Supervisor of the City Record.

By concurrent action of the Board, the following was adopted:

Resolved, That the Departmental Estimate of the amounts required to pay the expenses of the Board of City Record for the year 1906, as submitted by the Supervisor, be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and a copy to the Board of Aldermen and to the Comptroller.

The meeting then adjourned, subject to the call of the Mayor.

PATRICK J. TRACY, Secretary.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

Mayor's Office, City Hall,
New York City, Monday, 11:30 a. m., December 11, 1905.

The Honorable George B. McClellan, Mayor; Edward M. Grout, Comptroller, and Theodore Connolly, Acting Corporation Counsel, the officers designated by section 1526 of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, met this day for the purpose of opening bids for the publication of the CITY RECORD during the year 1906.

Before opening the bids the following resolution was adopted by concurrent action of the Board:

Resolved, That as a basis of computation in awarding the contract for publication of the CITY RECORD during the year 1906 the Supervisor shall take the pages and composition of the CITY RECORD from December 1, 1904, to and including November 29, 1905, and the Registry and Enrollment and Assessed Valuation of Real Estate, the same being approximately as follows:

Ordinary composition, 57,906,187 ems.

Tabular matter, 181,335,736 ems.

Standing matter, 85,105,740 ems.

Paper, 5,372 reams.

Press work, 22,451 tokens.

Alterations, 7,342 hours.

Registry, 11,958,172 ems.

Enrollment, 28,245,612 ems.

Bids for publication of the CITY RECORD during the year 1906 were received and opened from the following:

Martin B. Brown Company.

Mail and Express Company.

By concurrent action of the Board the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the bids or estimates received and opened this day "For furnishing all the materials and plant and doing all the work necessary and proper to print, furnish, fold, bind and distribute the CITY RECORD for and during the year 1906," be referred to the Supervisor of the City Record for tabulation and report to this Board.

The meeting then adjourned subject to the call of the Mayor.

PATRICK J. TRACY, Secretary.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

Mayor's Office, City Hall, New York City,
Thursday, 11:30 a. m., December 14, 1905.

The Hon. George B. McClellan, Mayor; John J. Delany, Corporation Counsel, and Edward M. Grout, Comptroller, the officers designated by section 1526 of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, met this day for the purpose of opening bids for supplying printed blanks, stationery, etc., for the use of the departments and bureaus of The City of New York for the year 1906.

Bids were received and opened from the following:

John Cassidy, Martin B. Brown Company, J. W. Pratt Company, and W. P. Mitchell.

The following resolution was then adopted by concurrent vote:

Resolved, That the bids or estimates received and opened this day "For supplying printed, lithographed or stamped forms, pamphlets, printed blanks, etc., for the use of the Courts and the Departments and Bureaus of the Government of The City of New York during the year 1906," be referred to the Supervisor of the City Record for tabulation and report to this Board.

The Supervisor then presented the tabulation of bids for printing the CITY RECORD, opened at the meeting of the Board of City Record, held December 11, 1905.

The following resolutions were then adopted by concurrent vote:

Resolved, That the contract for "Furnishing all the materials, and plant, and doing all the work necessary and proper to print, furnish, fold, bind and distribute the CITY RECORD for and during the year 1906," be and is hereby awarded under the terms of the specifications on which bids were submitted at a meeting of the Board of City Record held December 11, 1905, to the lowest bidder, the Martin B. Brown Company, at the prices given in its estimate as submitted to and accepted by this Board; and be it further

Resolved, That the Supervisor of the City Record be and hereby is directed to notify the said contractor of the award of this contract; and be it further

Resolved, That the party to whom this contract has been awarded be required to furnish securities acceptable to the Comptroller in time for the final execution of this contract within the specified time from the receipt of the notice of this award.

The meeting then adjourned, subject to the call of the Mayor.

PATRICK J. TRACY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

TRANSACTIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES DURING THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 31, 1905.

The following permits were revoked:

August 25. W. A. Winne (64328)—

For the maintenance of ice bridge on pier foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-third street, North river, the privilege having been sub-let by him without the consent of the Department, as per report of the Dock Superintendent.

August 30. W. A. Winne (64364)—

For the maintenance of ice bridge on the westerly side of Pier, new 36, East river, to take effect as of August 26, 1905, the date upon which he vacated the premises and resumed possession of the 88 feet of bulkhead north of Pier, old 48, East river, as per report of Auditor.

August 30. John F. Murphy (64371)—

For the landing of motor boat at the foot of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, East river, Port Morris, Bronx Borough, to take effect as of the date of issuance, he having failed to avail himself of the privilege, as per report of Dock Superintendent.

August 30. Grace Dougherty (64370)—

For the maintenance of boathouse at the foot of Ocean avenue, Pennyfield, Bronx Borough, to take effect as of May 1, 1905, the premises not having been occupied under renewal permit granted on that day.

The following privileges were granted, to continue until April 30, 1906, unless sooner revoked:

August 25. I. Rheinstrom (64318)—

To place steps and small box office on the south side of the pier foot of West Eightieth street, North river; rent to be at the rate of 50 cents per day, payable at the end of each week to the Dock Master, the steps and box office to be located thereat from the arrival to the departure of the visiting British warships.

August 29. Henry Fudge (64249)—

To maintain toolhouse at the bulkhead between Piers, new 6 and new 7, East river; rent to be at the rate of \$2 per month, payable monthly in advance to the Dock Master.

August 29. Nelson Brothers (64169)—

To maintain hoisting derrick at the foot of Creamer street, Gowanus canal, Brooklyn; rent to be at the rate of \$25 per month, payable monthly in advance to the Cashier; regular rate of wharfage to be paid for vessels berthed at the bulkhead.

August 29. Catskill and New York Steamboat Company (64281)—

To berth the steamer "Kaaterskill" on the south side of the pier foot of West Eightieth street, North river; rent to be at the rate of \$4 per day, payable at the end of each week to the Dock Master.

August 30. Ryan & Lever (64354)—

To occupy space 50 by 100 feet in dimensions for the storage of sand and building material foot of Seventh avenue, Harlem river; rent to be at the rate of \$25 per month, payable monthly in advance to the Cashier.

August 30. American Ice Company (64378)—

To use and occupy berth 125 feet in length at outer end of south side of pier foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-third street, North river, and to maintain ice bridge, scales and tallyhouse thereat (premises formerly occupied by Willis A. Winne); rent to be at the rate of \$900 per annum, payable quarterly in advance to the Cashier, the privilege to begin as of August 25, 1905, the date on which the company entered into possession.

The following permits were granted:

August 25. Curtis-Blaisdell Company (64317)—

To dredge in the half slip adjoining the south side of Pier, old 28, East river.

August 25. Southern Pacific Company (64322)—

To repair Pier 34, North river.

August 28. Empire City Subway Company, Limited (64327)—

To lay subsidiary connection to Pier 16, North river.

August 28. New York Edison Company (64342)—

To erect a City lamp-post at the foot of Manhattan street, North river.

August 31. Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Brooklyn (64377)—

To lay electric light service connections to the berth occupied by the American Ice Company at Pier 4, Wallabout Basin, Brooklyn.

August 31. William T. Hookey (64344)—

To dredge south of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Harlem river.

August 31. T. A. S. Sheridan (64367)—

To repair dumping board on pier foot of Ninety-seventh street, North river, when necessary, within existing lines, the permit to continue until December 31, 1905, unless sooner revoked.

The following claims were ordered collected, as reported by the Engineer-in-Chief on Bureau orders:

No. 3289, August 28. \$26.24, cost of repairing pier foot of One Hundred and Twelfth street, Harlem river, where damaged by Scow No. 20-A, to be collected from the Atlantic Dredging Company.

No. 3353, August 28. \$5.50, cost of supervising relaying of asphalt pavement at approach to West Twenty-fourth street pier, No. 64, North river, to be collected from Consolidated Telegraph and Electric Subway Company.

No. 2981, August 30. \$9.63, cost of supervising the relaying of pavement taken up to permit repairs to gas pipes at Pier, new 19, North river, between Piers, new 28 and new 29, North river; foot of West Fifty-first street, North river; foot of East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Harlem river; between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, East river, and at the foot of Twenty-third street, East river, to be collected from the Consolidated Gas Company.

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

From the Corporation Counsel (64361)—

Stating that before granting extension of time on Contracts Nos. 872 and 874 the contractors should be required to furnish a new surety in each case for the amount of work unfinished, as a substitute for the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, which has gone into the hands of a receiver. Contractors notified, August 26, that it will be necessary to furnish new sureties before any extension of time can be granted.

From the President of the Borough of Richmond—

1. (64307) In relation to the maps prepared, showing street layout systems in the vicinity of the ferry terminals at Stapleton, St. George and Port Richmond, in the Borough of Richmond. Notified, August 30, that the maps were prepared from surveys made by this Department showing street lines as heretofore established.

2. (63574) Requesting that a portion of the property recently acquired by this Department along the lines of Jay and South streets, at St. George, in the Borough of Richmond, be surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund so that same may be turned over to him for improvement. Borough President notified August 30 that it is necessary for this Department to retain a portion of the property along the lines of South street as an approach for teams to the water-front. Property surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund August 30 for assignment to the Richmond Borough President as follows:

Beginning at a point in the centre line of South street where the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Jay street intersects the same, and running thence northerly and along said easterly line of Jay street 634.57 feet to the easterly prolongation of the northerly line of DeKalb street;

Thence easterly and at right angles with the easterly line of Jay street 50 feet to a line drawn parallel with and distant 50 feet easterly from the easterly line of Jay street;

Thence southerly and along said parallel line 581.65 feet to a point in the line drawn parallel with and distant 67 feet northerly from the centre line of South street;

Thence easterly and along said parallel line 183.88 feet;

Thence deflecting to the left through an angle of 43 degrees 48 minutes and 10 seconds, and running northeasterly 398.22 feet to the bulkhead-line approved by the Secretary of War in 1889;

Thence southerly and along said bulkhead-line 61.78 feet to a point in a line drawn parallel with and 50 feet southeasterly from the last-mentioned course;

Thence southwesterly and along said parallel line 406.60 feet to the centre line of South street.

Thence deflecting to the right through an angle of 43 degrees 48 minutes and 10 seconds, and running westerly along the centre line of South street 214.73 feet to the point or place of beginning.

From the President of the Borough of Manhattan (64386)—

Stating that a resolution has been forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment calling for the paving of West Fifty-seventh street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues. Filed August 31.

From G. B. Spearin (64094)—

Requesting an extension of time within which to complete the repairs to pier foot of West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, North river, under Contract No. 903. Extension granted August 25 to and including September 1, 1905.

From James Biggart & Co. (64105)—

Requesting permission to remain in occupation of the dock at the foot of Depot place, High Bridge. Denied August 25. Rent for the occupation of the premises from May 1, 1905, to September 1, 1905, to be at the rate formerly paid to the Department, namely, at the rate of \$50 per annum, payable to the Dock Master.

From the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company (64329)—

Transmitting diploma of award conferred by the Superior Jury of Awards connected with the Exposition, for the exhibits submitted by the Department. Filed August 25.

From John La Spina (64232)—

Requesting permission to occupy portion of marginal street, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets, Harlem river. Denied August 25.

From New York State Construction Company (64299)—

Requesting extension of time within which to complete the construction of pier foot of One Hundred and Ninth street, Harlem river, under Contract No. 981. Extension granted August 26 to and including August 22, 1905.

From the Interborough Rapid Transit Company (64349)—

Submitting plans of proposed improvements to be made over land under water north of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, on the Manhattan side of the Harlem river. Plans approved August 28 as amended.

From the Snare & Triest Company (64295)—

Requesting an extension of time within which to complete the construction of Pier 15, East river, under Contract No. 897. Extension granted August 30 for the completion of the outer portion of the pier, to and including September 1, 1905.

From Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company (64429)—

Stating that the bill of sale of the New York and St. George terminals to the City does not include movable property, such as ticket-chopping boxes, etc. Filed August 30.

From J. H. Burton & Co. (64352)—

Requesting extension of time for the completion of deliveries of piles under Contract No. 912. Extension granted August 31 to and including September 25, 1905.

From the Rapid Transit Ferry Company (63575, 63621)—

In relation to the changes necessary to be made at the terminals of the Staten Island Ferry in order to fit the premises for the operation of the new boats. Filed August 31.

From Henry J. Hemmens (64323)—

Requesting a lease of land under water between Two Hundred and Two Hundred and First streets, Harlem river. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund requested August 31 to authorize the granting of a lease for a term of ten years, at a rental of 5 cents per square foot per annum, the lease to permit the improvement of the property under plans to be hereafter approved by the Commissioner of Docks, and to provide for two renewal terms of ten years each, the first renewal term to be at an advance of 10 per cent. and the second renewal to be at a further advance of 15 per cent. per annum in the rental.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1. (64336) Recommending that arrangements be made for the placing of filling in rear of the bulkhead-wall at the Cedar street section on the North river, extending from about the northerly side of Pier, old 14, southerly a distance of 320 feet. Terms and conditions ordered printed August 25, and Secretary directed to advertise for sealed bids.

2. (64324) Reporting that Contract No. 875 for building Pier, new 58, North river, was completed August 23, 1905. Filed August 25.

3. (64334) Submitting plans, specifications and form of contract for the construction of new ferry terminal buildings at St. George, in the Borough of Richmond. Approved August 25 and ordered printed as Contract No. 942.

4. (64353) Report for the quarter ending June 30, 1905, regarding progress and completion of work under his supervision. Filed August 29.

5. (64375, 64372, 64373, 64374) Reporting that Contract No. 895, Class I., for cobble, was completed August 2, 1905; that Contract No. 920, Class I., for sand, was commenced August 5, 1905; that Contract No. 883 for sand was completed August 4, 1905, and that Contract No. 934 for rope was commenced August 26, 1905. Filed August 30.

6. (64383) Report for the week ending August 19, 1905, regarding progress and completion of work under his supervision. Filed August 31.

7. (Bureau Order No. 3361) Stating that the marginal street, between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Ninth streets, Harlem river, has been properly graded by William J. Fitzgerald under Department Order 22591, and that the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity has removed all fences and other obstructions from the premises. Filed August 31.

8. (64381) Reporting repairs required to the wooden pavement laid by the United States Wood Preserving Company at the approach to Pier, new 25, North river. Company notified August 31 to have the necessary repairs made or to remove the wooden pavement and replace granite blocks thereat.

9. (64392) Reporting that he assigned two Dock Builders with necessary implements to assist the Police Department in recovering body of man found wedged in timbers at Coney Island. Action approved August 31.

From the Engineer-in-Chief and Superintendent of Docks (64316)—

Reporting the dumping of cellar dirt from scows by the Brown & Fleming Contracting Company between West Fifty-fourth and West Fifty-fifth streets, North river. Company notified August 31 that unless the material dumped is removed within ten days the work will be done by the force of this Department and the expense charged, and that unless the dumping is immediately discontinued legal action will be taken.

From Superintendent of Ferries (64347)—

Submitting specifications and form of contract for repairs to Municipal ferryboats. Approved August 28 and ordered printed as Contract No. 943.

The following orders were issued to the Engineer-in-Chief, in accordance with his recommendations:

August 30 (64363) To reconstruct pier foot of Eighteenth street, East river, in accordance with new plan lines.

August 30 (64363, 64362). To remove pier at the foot of Nineteenth street, East river, and to build a new pier under the new plan thereat; order of June 3, 1905, for the removal and the construction of a new pier by contract rescinded; the work not to be commenced until after the completion of the repairs to the pier at the foot of East Eighteenth street.

August 31 (64393). To repair the pier foot of Canal street, North river, when necessary, at a cost not to exceed \$1,000 in the aggregate.

The Engineer-in-Chief reported the following work superintended under Bureau orders:

No. 3456. Dredging under Contract No. 880 at dumping board foot of Canal street, North river.

No. 3431. Painting of shed on Bethune Street, Pier 50, North river, by Thomas Wilson Sons & Co., Limited, and Frederick Leland & Co., Limited.

No. 3534. Setting post and stringing wires at Berth No. 12, Oyster basin, foot of Bloomfield street, North river, by New York Edison Company.

No. 3035. Construction of shed on West Forty-first Street Pier, North river, by E. E. Olcott.

No. 1312. Erection of boathouse at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, North river, by John Dalton.

No. 3545. Erection of fence along inner westerly end of Pier, new 7, East river, by Erie Railroad Company.

No. 3477. Dredging at bulkhead between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, Harlem river, under Contract No. 908.

No. 3478. Dredging at bulkhead foot of One Hundred and Fourth street, Harlem river, under Contract No. 908.

No. 3242. Erection of coal handling tower, mast and engine house at Fifth street, Gowanus canal, Brooklyn, by Brooklyn Union Gas Company.

No. 3389. Repairs to bulkhead along southerly side of slip between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets, Brooklyn, by Alexander M. White.

No. 3069. Erection of foundation, coal tower and coal handling apparatus in the vicinity of Third street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, by Long Island Railroad Company.

No. 3473. Driving of piles at bulkhead extending from about the centre line of Washington avenue, East river, Ravenswood, Borough of Queens, to a point about 100 feet northerly thereof, by Wotherspoon Plaster Mills, Incorporated.

The following Department orders were issued during the week:

Date.	Order No.	To—	For—	Amount.
1905.				
Aug. 25	22616	Gerry & Murray.....	Pay roll book, etc.....	\$46 25
Aug. 25	22617	James Reilly Repair and Supply Company.....	Condenser.....	72 00
Aug. 28	22618	Krystaloid Cooler Supply Company.....	Distilled water, per 5-gallon demijohn.....	50
Aug. 28	22619	Mutual Towel Supply Company.....	Towel supply for September.....	40 00
Aug. 30	22620	Gerry & Murray.....	Voucher schedules.....	21 50
Aug. 30	22621	Independent Supply Company.....	Stoves.....	98 50
Aug. 31	22622	Gerry & Murray.....	Inkstands (cancelled).....	18 00
Aug. 31	22623	J. Edward Ogden Company.....	Gunny bags, etc.....	672 00
Aug. 31	22624	Sherman-Brown-Clements Company.....	Steel T's, per pound.....	.05
Aug. 31	22625	Sherman-Brown-Clements Company.....	Pipe.....	254 00
Aug. 31	22626	Sherman-Brown-Clements Company.....	Iron bars— 5/8-inch, per 100 pounds.....	3 92
			5/8-inch, per 100 pounds.....	3 77
			3/4-inch, per 100 pounds.....	3 82
			1-inch, per 100 pounds.....	3 62
Aug. 31	22627	Bouker Contracting Company.....	Removal of ashes, etc.....	200 00

The Auditor reported that the following claims were audited and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment:

Audit No.	Name.	Amount.
23593	Wm. H. Jenks, Estimate No. 9 and final, Contract No. 875.....	\$65,465 00
23594	Maryland Steel Company, Estimate No. 12, Contract No. 846.....	46,088 70
23595	George B. Spearin, Estimate No. 2, Contract No. 900.....	11,095 24
23596	J. P. Hansen, Estimate No. 1 and final, Contract No. 913, Classes I. and IV.....	2,116 00
23597	James Jones, Estimate No. 1 and final, Contract No. 913, Classes III. and VI.....	1,424 00
23598	Standard Material Company, Estimate No. 2, Contract No. 867.....	1,260 32
23599	F. W. Devoe & C. T. Raynolds Company, blue print paper.....	110 20
23600	Sherman, Brown, Clements Company, supplies.....	49 83
23601	Frank McCauley, castings, etc.....	24 14
23602	Joseph Rahl, Estimate No. 3, Contract No. 910.....	1,110 37
23603	Joseph D. Duffy, laying water pipe, etc.....	573 00
23604	Thomas P. Ward, music.....	882 00
23605	J. Lebowitz, music.....	672 00
23606	J. H. Peterman, music.....	672 00
23607	Felix S. McAuliffe, music.....	672 00
23608	Chas. Boswald, music.....	672 00
23609	George Graham, music.....	441 00
23610	Chas. P. Eller, music.....	441 00
23611	Adolph Schubert, music.....	441 00
23612	Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band, music.....	438 00
23613	Chas. Feth, music.....	336 00
23614	Wm. F. Kielgast, music.....	336 00
23615	J. Behlert & Co., installing electric lights, etc.....	65 00
23616	New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, telephone service.....	8 65
	Weekly pay-roll for week ending August 25, 1905.....	24,788 34
	Total	\$160,190 79

The Cashier reported the following moneys received and deposited during the eight days ending August 31, 1905:

Date.	From Whom.	For What.	Amount.	Total.
1905.				
Aug. 28	Manhattan Refrigerating Company	Three months' rent pipe through bulkhead and under Pier 56, foot of Gansevoort street, North river.....	\$75 00	
Aug. 28	S. Stewart.....	Three months' rent coal-hoist and berth outer end north side of pier at Twenty-eighth street, East river.....	150 00	

Date.	From Whom.	For What.	Amount.	Total.
1905.				
Aug. 28	Rafferty Brothers.....	One month's rent space in rear of bulkhead south of Fifty-fourth street, North river.....	25 00	
Aug. 28	B. Campbell & Co.....	One month's rent space in rear of bulkhead north of Tenth street, North river.....	25 00	
Aug. 28	B. Campbell & Co.....	One month's rent space in rear of bulkhead south of Thirty-fourth street, North river.....	25 00	
Aug. 28	Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company	Three months' rent land under water platform east and west of Pier 27, East river.....	268 75	
Aug. 28	Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company	Three months' rent land under water extension to platform between Piers 26 and 27, East river	111 50	
Aug. 28	Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company	Three months' rent car tracks on Marginal street, between Piers, new 55 and 56, North river	12 50	
Aug. 28	Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company	Three months' rent float bridge between Piers, new 55 and 56, North river.....	388 47	
Aug. 28	John McDermott & Son.....	Three months' rent berth and steam hoist at pier foot of East Twenty-eighth street, south side.....	150 00	
Aug. 28	John McDermott & Son.....	Three months' rent south half of Pier, old 54, foot of Jackson street, East river.....	300 00	
Aug. 28	Central Railroad of New Jersey	Four months' rent fog bells outer end of Pier 62, North river.	33 34	
Aug. 28	Etzel & Son.....	Three months' rent 4-inch pipe across Marginal street to Pier 61, East river.....	75 00	
Aug. 28	Etzel & Son.....	Three months' rent 125 feet bulkhead north side of Pier, old 61, East river	250 00	
Aug. 29	Aetna Fishing Club.....	One year's rent plot at Broad Channel, Jamaica Bay.....	50 00	
Aug. 26	Herman Winkelseth.....	One year's rent Lots Nos. 7 and 14, Block 14, Jamaica Bay.	32 00	
Aug. 26	C. A. Manly.....	Refund of telephone charges.....	15	
Aug. 26	J. J. Cauldwell.....	Refund of telephone charges.....	2 20	
Aug. 29	Brown & Fleming.....	Cost of repairs to pier foot of East Ninety-fifth street, damaged by tug "John Fleming" Wharfage, Manhattan, August, 1905	62 79	
Aug. 29	Dockmasters	Wharfage, Brooklyn, August, 1905	1,347 31	
Aug. 29	Dockmasters	Wharfage, Brooklyn, August, 1905	152 04	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Queens, August, 1905	1 75	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Manhattan, March, 1905	2 00	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Manhattan, April, 1905	10 00	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Brooklyn, April, 1905.	1 00	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Manhattan, May, 1905	452 96	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Brooklyn, May, 1905	130 85	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Queens, May, 1905	3 00	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Manhattan, June, 1905	1,248 03	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Brooklyn, June, 1905	219 25	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Queens, June, 1905	3 39	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Manhattan, July, 1905	591 15	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Brooklyn, July, 1905	113 85	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Queens, July, 1905	2 00	
Aug. 30	Collectors	Wharfage, Manhattan, August, 1905	17 32	

Aug. 30	United States Government (War Department)	Deposited August 30, 1905.....	\$6,332 60
		One month's rent Pier, new 12, East river.....	\$1,108 33
		Three months' rent berth at Battery Landing.....	125 00
		One month's rent building No. 20, Tenth avenue.....	100 00
		One month's rent space in rear of bulkhead north of Ninety-first street, East river.....	25 00
Aug. 31	Citizens' Steamboat Company	Three months' rent Pier, new 46, as extended, North river	9,946 13
Aug. 31	Figge & Hutwelker	Three months' rent suction pipe through bulkhead foot of Forty-first street, North river	75 00
Aug. 31	M. J. Kane	Three months' rent 135 feet crib bulkhead, east side of Lexington avenue produced, North river	225 00
Aug. 30	Consolidated Ice Company	Cost of removing building at south side of East Ninety-third street, formerly used as a stable	150 84
Aug. 30	American Ice Company	Cost of repairs to stair tread on Recreation Pier at Pier 43, North river	50 80
		Deposited August 31, 1905.....	11,806 10
		Total	\$18,138 70

The following actions were taken concerning employees:

Charles E. Trout, Assistant Engineer (64335)—Salary fixed August 25 at the rate of \$2,100 per annum, to take effect September 1, 1905, as per recommendation of the Engineer-in-Chief.

Timothy S. Hanley, Attendant (64330)—Name dropped from list of employees August 25, he having been transferred to the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Dock Laborers (64331)—William Streets, Rubin Darby, Daniel McNichol, John Kent, John W. Connors, Lawrence Moran, Joseph Edelson, Peter J. Fisher, Dominic C. Keiser, Henry Schwenk, James Moriarty, William H. Green, Joseph Peloso, Martin Brown, Frank Byrnes, Edward J. Moffatt, John J

Martin F. Hayes, Foreman Laborer—Salary fixed August 31 at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, to take effect September 1, 1905, and designated as Assistant General Foreman.

Frank S. Lawlor (64388)—Appointed August 31 as Deckhand, with compensation at the regular rate of 37½ cents per hour while employed.

Anthony E. Hoffman and Joseph A. Connelly, Rodmen—Salary fixed August 31 at the rate of \$1,080 per annum, to take effect September 1, 1905.

CHARLES J. COLLINS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

An abstract of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York for the week ending November 26, 1905 (section 1546, Greater New York Charter).

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Removal of Incumbrances (Section 545, Greater New York Charter).

Unredeemed incumbrances on hand November 18, 1905.....	1,779
Incumbrances seized during the week.....	141
	1,920
Incumbrances redeemed and released.....	114
Incumbrances sold at auction.....	414
	528

Unredeemed incumbrances on hand November 25, 1905.....

Moneys transmitted to City Chamberlain as follows:	
For privilege of trimming scows week ending November 19, 1905.....	\$689 00
For redemption of incumbrances week ending November 18, 1905.....	554 00
For sale of ashes period of November 13, 1905.....	249 25

Bills and pay-rolls transmitted to Comptroller as follows:

Schedule No. 280—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Deckhands, etc., week ending November 19, 1905.....	\$170 20

Schedule No. 281—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Commissioner, etc., for month of November, 1905.....	\$3,145 81

Schedule No. 282—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of clerical force for month of November, 1905.....	\$4,687 50

Schedule No. 283—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of uniformed force for month of November, 1905.....	\$14,660 04

Schedule No. 285—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Auto-Enginemen for month of November, 1905.....	\$550 00

Schedule No. 286—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Masters for month of November, 1905.....	\$653 73

Schedule No. 287—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, etc., week ending November 23, 1905.....	\$29,951 08

Schedule No. 288—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Department Cart Drivers, etc., week ending November 23, 1905.....	\$15,963 33

Schedule No. 284—	
Sundry items amounting to.....	\$11,335 99

Number of loads of material collected during the week ending November 26, 1905 (November 20 to 26, inclusive):

	Cart Loads, Ashes.	Cart Loads, Rubbish.	Cart Loads, Garbage.	Total
Department carts	27,709 1/2	3,497 1/4	3,965 1/4	35,172
Permit carts	9,164	789 1/2	401	10,354 1/2
	36,873 1/2	4,286 3/4	4,366 1/4	45,526 1/2

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Moneys transmitted to City Chamberlain as follows:

For redemption of incumbrances, week ending November 18, 1905.....	\$30 00
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Bills and pay-rolls transmitted to Comptroller as follows:

Schedule No. 204—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of clerical force for month of November, 1905.....	\$1,916 66

Schedule No. 205—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of uniformed force for month of November, 1905.....	\$6,827 85

Schedule No. 207—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, etc., week ending November 23, 1905.....	\$12,473 29

Schedule No. 208—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Department Cart Drivers, etc., week ending November 23, 1905.....	\$9,468 88

Schedule No. 206—	
Sundry items amounting to.....	\$29,476 93

Number of loads of material collected during the week ending November 26, 1905 (November 20 to 26, inclusive):

Ashes	9,991
Paper and rubbish	1,882
Permit material	959

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

An abstract of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning of The City of New York for the week ending December 3, 1905 (section 1546, Greater New York Charter).

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.	
Removal of Incumbrances (Section 545, Greater New York Charter).	
Unredeemed incumbrances on hand November 25, 1905.....	1,392
Incumbrances seized during the week.....	148
Incumbrances redeemed	1,540
	31
Unredeemed incumbrances on hand December 2, 1905.....	1,509

Payrolls transmitted to Comptroller as follows:	
Schedule No. 289—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Deckhands, week ending November 26, 1905.....	\$172 05

Schedule No. 290—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, etc., week ending November 30, 1905.....	\$29,697 69
Schedule No. 291—	

J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Department Cart Drivers, etc., week ending November 30, 1905.....	\$16,014 78
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Contract Executed.

November 27, 1905—With the New York Sanitary Utilization Company, No. 30 Burling slip, Manhattan, for final disposition of garbage, Manhattan, for five (5) years from August 1, 1905, \$148,000 per annum for each of the five years.

Number of loads of material collected during the week ending December 3, 1905 (November 27 to December 3, inclusive):

	Cart Loads, Ashes.	Cart Loads, Rubbish.	Cart Loads, Garbage.	Total
Department carts	26,283 1/2	3,137 1/4	4,099	33,519 3/4
Permit carts	8,822	773	431 3/4	10,026 3/4
	35,105 1/2	3,910 1/4	4,530 3/4	43,546 1/2

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.	

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September, 1905	425 87	
October, 1905	117 34	
November, 1905	368 54	
December, 1905	474 90	
	<u>2,047 19</u>	<u>\$368,154 24</u>

To Expense, Chamberlain's Bond— United States Fidelity and Casualty Company.....	\$75 00	
To balance	<u>368,079 24</u>	<u>\$368,154 24</u>
Deposited	<u>\$75,000 00</u>	
Deposited	<u>293,079 24</u>	<u>\$368,079 24</u>
State Comptroller	<u>\$184,039 62</u>	
City Chamberlain	<u>184,039 62</u>	<u>\$368,079 24</u>



CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

January 16—Owing to lack of work Lawrence C. Manuell, No. 237 East Nineteenth street, Manhattan, is discharged from the position of Inspector of Masonry, at 61½ cents per hour, to date from the close of business on January 13, 1906.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

January 11—Rescinded the notices of suspension of Charles P. Worrell, No. 51 Patchen avenue, Brooklyn, and of T. J. Harrington, No. 283 Pacific street, Brooklyn, Inspectors of Regulating, Grading and Paving in the Bureau of Highways, which were mailed to the Municipal Civil Service Commission on the 9th inst.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

January 12—Discharged for lack of work (as per attached list):

Discharged under Civil Service Rules for absence:

Richard Duggett, Cleaner, No. 123 East Eighty-eighth street.

John Fahle, Cleaner, No. 484 Amsterdam avenue.

Employed under emergency clause, Civil Service Rule XIX., for climbing and pruning trees, at \$2.50 per day, January 11, 1906:

William Nolan, No. 201 West Sixtieth street.

George F. Burns, No. 1880 Second avenue.

John Scully, No. 244 East Thirty-third street.

John Galvin, No. 336 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

Emil T. Delaney, No. 249 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

James Feehan, No. 313 East Eighty-ninth street.

William Miles, No. 236 East Eighty-ninth street.

John McDonald, No. 313 East Eighty-ninth street.

Fred. Thompson, No. 226 East One Hundredth street.

Patrick Buckley, No. 112 East Eighty-eighth street.

Edward Galvin, No. 233 East Ninety-sixth street.

Discharged for lack of work:

Double Teams.

Lawrence Nugent, No. 524 West Fifteenth street.

John Sulm, No. 205 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

Michael Ellard, Fifth avenue and Ninety-ninth street.

Hugh Goodman, No. 500 West Forty-seventh street.

Charles A. Brady, No. 113 West Sixty-second street.

Daniel J. Campbell, No. 50 Sutton place.

Horses and Carts.

John J. Callahan, No. 451 West Seventeenth street.

Michael O'Brien, No. 722 East Ninth street.

Thomas Birmingham, No. 218 East Forty-seventh street.

Daniel F. Powers, No. 84 Barrow street.

Owen Gallagher, No. 120 Morningside avenue.

Joseph Farrell, No. 331 West Houston street.
Jere J. Callaghan, No. 75 Ninth avenue.
Lawrence Cioffi, No. 248 East Eleventh street.
John McTiernan, No. 513 West Fifty-sixth street.
Martin Walsh, No. 221 East Thirty-fifth street.
Michael Meehan, No. 122 East Ninety-eighth street.
Peter Fischer, No. 209 West Sixty-seventh street.
George Adams, No. 2253 Second avenue.
Edward Morris, No. 543 Hudson street.
John J. Hagan, No. 551 West Forty-fourth street.
Peter E. McDonough, Fifty-fifth street and Tenth avenue.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

January 11—At a meeting of the Board of Education held on the 10th inst., action relative to appointments, salaries, etc., was taken as follows:

The salaries of the following named employees in the Bureau of Buildings were increased as follows, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission:

Frank C. Cheney, Chief of Furniture Division, from \$40 per week to \$42.50 per week.

B. F. Connolly, Special Laborer, from \$27 per week to \$30 per week.

Patrick McEntee, Plumber, from \$30 per week to \$33 per week.

Theodore A. Seidel, Cleaner, from \$12 per week to \$15 per week.

Louis G. Buisson, Plumber's Apprentice, from \$10 per week to \$2 per day.

The salaries of the following named persons were fixed at the amounts indicated:

Frank G. McCann, Engineer Assistant to the Superintendent of School Buildings, \$4,000 per annum.

Stephen A. Thomas, Electrical Inspector, \$2,500 per annum.

Richard Horstmann, Sanitary Inspector, \$40 per week.

William H. Dewar, Sanitary Assistant, \$3,000 per annum.

C. B. J. Snyder, Superintendent of School Buildings, \$10,000 per annum.

Frank A. Collins, Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings, Borough of Queens, \$4,000 per annum.

The salary of the Secretary of the Board of Education was fixed at the rate of \$5,500 per annum, taking effect January 1, 1906.

The salary of the Auditor of the Board of Education was fixed at the rate of \$5,500 per annum.

The salary of the Superintendent of School Supplies was fixed at the rate of \$5,500 per annum.

The action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in appointing Albert E. Pechette to the position of Stoker in Public School 81, Queens, at a salary of \$912.50 per annum, taking effect January 8, 1906, was approved and ratified.

The action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in accepting the resignations of the following named persons was approved and ratified:

Frederick J. Buderns, Janitor, Public School 37, Brooklyn, January 10, 1906.

Joseph Gottlieb, Cleaner, Public School 188, Manhattan, December 23, 1905.

The action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in assigning the following named Janitors to the care of public schools, temporarily, they to receive the salary of the position, less the rent allowance in each case, was approved and ratified:

William Zimmer, to Public School 126, Manhattan, January 1, 1906.

William H. Blauvelt, to Bridge No. 2, Manhattan, January 2, 1906.

Jeremiah Murray, to Public School 5, Brooklyn, January 1, 1906.

Thomas H. Dibbins, to Public School 5, Brooklyn, January 4, 1906.

William J. Elliott, to Public School 91, Brooklyn, December 26, 1905.

Emil Lagerstrom, to Public School 91, Brooklyn, January 1, 1906.
John A. Quinn, to Public School 86, Brooklyn, January 1, 1906.

The action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in transferring the following named Janitors to the schools indicated was approved and ratified:

Charles T. Mellen, from Commercial High School (old), Brooklyn, to Public School 91, Brooklyn, \$1,650, January 16, 1906.

Robert A. Hawkes, from Public School 4, Manhattan, to Public School 72, Manhattan, \$2,574, January 10, 1906.

John Boyle, from Public School 12, Brooklyn, to Public School 5, Brooklyn, \$1,737.60, January 16, 1906.

The action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in increasing the salaries of the following named Janitors as indicated, taking effect January 16, 1906, was approved and ratified:

William H. Blauvelt, Bridge No. 3, Manhattan, from \$720 to \$900.

Jan C. Velders, Bridge No. 4, Manhattan, from \$720 to \$900.

John Dietz, Bridge No. 6, Manhattan, from \$720 to \$900.

William Fraser, Public School 29, annex, Manhattan, from \$650 to \$720.

The action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in increasing the salary of Michael D. Scannell, Janitor of Public School 11, The Bronx, from \$2,574.87 to \$2,706 per annum, taking effect September 1, 1905, was approved and ratified.

The action of the President in suspending, without pay, on January 6, 1906, Charles Flohr, Janitor-Engineer of the Depository for School Supplies, Nos. 418 to 424 East Sixty-eighth street, Manhattan, pending trial of charges preferred against him, was approved and ratified.

The action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in fixing the compensation of Alexander Mills, Janitor of Public School 4, Annex No. 1, Queens, for service in caring for the boiler and heating apparatus in Annex No. 3 to said school, at the rate of \$20 per month for eight months from September 1, 1900, to April 30, 1901, was approved and ratified.

The action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in fixing the compensation to be paid to the Janitor-Engineer of the new DeWitt Clinton High School, Manhattan, at the rate of \$325 per month, temporarily, from January 10, 1906, was approved and ratified.

At a meeting of the Board of Education held on the 10th inst., the action of the Committee on Supplies in appointing the following named office boys in the Bureau of Accounts at a salary of \$300 per annum each, taking effect on the dates indicated, was approved and ratified:

Frank L. Vock, No. 305 East Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan, December 15, 1905.

Arthur G. Hock, No. 225 Nassau avenue, Brooklyn, December 16, 1905.

William E. Uram, No. 678 East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, The Bronx, December 18, 1905.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Buildings respectfully reports that during the past year the Bureau of Buildings has lost fully twenty per cent. of its force of Draughtsmen through resignations to take positions either with private employers or in other City departments. In every case the motive was the increased salary obtainable, which was oftentimes not less than twenty-five per cent. more than that paid by the Department. The endeavor to fill these vacancies has been unsuccessful, the last communication from the President of the Municipal Civil Service Commission being to the effect that said Commission had called to its service one of the best known architects in this City, who stated that he did not think it possible to get men possessing the necessary qualifications to compete in an examination unless the compensation was increased or the qualifications modified.

The matter was referred to a sub-committee which has considered the same very carefully, and has submitted a report thereon, which was unanimously approved by your Committee at a meeting held on the 8th inst.

The sub-committee reported that it is of the opinion that, inasmuch as the qualifications above referred to are the same as those in previous examinations, through which the present force of Draughtsmen was organized, and are essential to obtain the grade of men required, a modification thereof is impracticable and impossible.

The result of the conditions above mentioned has been that your Committee has been obliged to ask the Board of Education from time to time to approve reasonable requests for increases of salaries for certain employees, whose services it was deemed advisable to retain.

It now appears that a definite system in reference to this matter should be adopted, and that for this purpose a plan has been formulated whereby indiscriminate increases of salaries may be avoided and the employees know precisely upon what they may depend. This plan contemplates the establishment of six grades into which the Draughtsmen may be divided, with a maximum and a minimum salary for each grade, and an increase of \$2.50 per week in the first of each year until they shall reach the maximum salary of their grade, where they shall remain stationary, unless promoted to fill vacancies in the next higher grade.

This plan, it is believed, will definitely fix the wage scale, establish a harmonious feeling, resulting in more efficient work, retain the competent men, and prove of advantage to the Department in that a trained force will be maintained and the necessity of drilling new and possibly incompetent men eliminated.

In order to initiate this scheme and to adjust the salaries on a fair basis as regards the present force and the men whom it will be necessary to appoint in the future, your Committee submits the following resolution:

Resolved, That the salaries of the following named Draughtsmen in the Bureau of Buildings be and they are hereby fixed at the amounts set opposite their names respectively:

Borough of Manhattan.

Name.	Present Salary Per Week.	Salary Recommended Per Week.
Isaac E. A. Rose....	\$40 00	\$45 00
A. H. Hallock.....	37 50	40 00
J. D. McAuliffe.....	35 00	37 50
Eugene Dietrich.....	37 50	40 00
Robert B. Field.....	35 00	37 50
Clarence E. Dobbin.....	35 00	40 00
William U. Light....	37 50	42 50
Philo B. Ruggles....	37 50	42 50
Clendinen A. Thompson.....	35 00	37 50
Emil Sulzer	30 00	35 00
Fred. W. Sherwin...	30 00	32 50
Fred. P. Thayer.....	30 00	

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Charles S. Devoy, Chief Clerk.

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn.

Hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

John F. Clarke, District Attorney.

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Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue Clerk's Office open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens 9 a. m. daily, and remains open to close of business.

George F. Roesch, Justice. Andrew Lang, Clerk.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirteenth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street and northwest of Clinton street to Rivington street, and on the centre line of Rivington street south to Norfolk street. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.

Benjamin Hoffman, Justice. Thomas Fitzpatrick, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 a. m. daily (except legal holidays), and continues open until close of business.

Daniel F. Martin, Justice. Abram Bernard, Clerk.

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

Herman Joseph, Justice. Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. and on Saturdays until 12 m.

Trial days and Return days, each Court day.

James W. McLaughlin, Justice. Henry Merzbach, Clerk.

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

Joseph P. Fallon, Justice. William J. Kennedy, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventeenth street. Court-room, No. 374 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Thomas E. Murray, Justice. Michael Skelly, Clerk.

Eleventh District—The Eleventh District embraces that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street, between Lenox avenue and Seventh avenue, north of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river, and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court convenes daily at 9 a. m.

Francis J. Worcester, Justice. Heman B. Wilson, Clerk.

Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventeenth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Eighty-sixth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Court-room, No. 2630 Broadway.

Alfred P. W. Seaman, Justice. James V. Gilloon, Clerk.

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catharine street, east side of Catharine street to East river. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Leon Sanders, Justice. James J. Devlin, Clerk.

Court-room, No. 264 Madison street.

Fourteenth District—The Fourteenth District embraces that portion of the Borough of Manhattan bounded as follows: Beginning at West Fortieth street and Eighth avenue, north on Eighth avenue to West Fifty-third street; east on West Fifty-third street to Seventh avenue; north on Seventh avenue to West Fifty-ninth street to Eighth avenue; north on Eighth avenue and west on Central Park West to the Transverse road at Central Park West and West Ninety-seventh street; east on Transverse road to Fifth avenue and East Ninety-seventh street; south on Fifth avenue to East Ninety-sixth street; east on Ninety-sixth street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Sixty-fifth street; west on East Sixty-fifth street to Park avenue; south on Park avenue to East Sixty-first street; east on East Sixty-first street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Fortieth street; west on East and West Fortieth streets to the point of beginning at West Fortieth street and Eighth avenue.

Edgar J. Lauer, Justice. William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.

Court-house, southwest corner Madison avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.

William W. Penfield, Justice. Thomas F. Delahanty, Clerk.

Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, closing at 12 m.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m.

John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.

John J. Walsh, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second District—Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 495 Gates avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 9 o'clock a. m.

Gerard B. Van Wart, Justice. William H. Allen, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

William J. Lynch, Justice. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court opens at 9 o'clock.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 12 Howard avenue.

Thomas H. Williams, Justice. G. J. Wiederhold, Clerk.

R. M. Bennett, Assistant Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Fifth District—Eighth, Twenty-second, Twenty-third, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue.

Cornelius Ferguson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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 the Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic 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 to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.

Justice, Lucien S. Baylies. Charles P. Bible, Clerk.

Court-house, No. 585 Fulton street.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 m.

Trial days and Return days, each Court day.

James W. McLaughlin, Justice. Henry Merzbach, Clerk.

Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street.

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Trial days and Return days, each Court day.

James W. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Telephone, 189 Jamaica.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 o'clock a. m.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Anning S. Prall, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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

William Rasquin, Jr., Justice. Henry Walter, Jr., Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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

James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Telephone, 189 Jamaica.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Anning S. Prall, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.

George W. Stake, Justice. Peter Tiernan, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called to a. m.

Court continued until close of business. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

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Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called to a. m

INTO A DORMITORY BUILDING THE PRESENT RESEARCH LABORATORY BUILDING, ON THE GROUNDS OF THE WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL, AT THE FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 60 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 and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

THOMAS DARLINGTON, M. D., President;

ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D., THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Board of Health.

Dated JANUARY 5, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF 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, JANUARY 16, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 10,615 TONS OF WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, AS REQUIRED, TO THE DEPARTMENT BUILDING, SIXTH AVENUE AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET; THE WILLARD PARKER AND RECEPTION HOSPITALS, AT THE FOOT OF EAST SIXTEENTH STREET; THE HOSPITAL FOR CONTAGIOUS EYE DISEASES, AT ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH STREET AND PLEASANT AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN; THE DEPARTMENT BUILDING, AT THIRD AVENUE AND ST. PAUL'S PLACE; THE DISINFECTION STATION, AT THE FOOT OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET; AND THE RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL, AT NORTH BROTHER ISLAND, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX; THE DEPARTMENT BUILDING, AT NOS. 38 AND 40 CILTON STREET, AND THE KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, AT KINGSTON AVENUE AND FENIMORE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, DURING THE YEAR 1906.

Delivery will be made at the respective hospitals, at the hours, in such quantities and in such manner as may be required by the Board of Health during the year 1906; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made in writing by the Board of Health.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is during the year 1906.

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.

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THOMAS DARLINGTON, M. D., President;

ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D., THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Board of Health.

Dated JANUARY 3, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS. PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES IN THE VICINITY OF NEW YORK BAY TO FILL IN CAN PROCURE MATERIAL FOR THAT PURPOSE—ASHES, STREET SWEEPS, ETC., COLLECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—FREE OF CHARGE BY APPLYING TO THE COMMISSIONER OF STREET CLEANING, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

JOHN McGAW WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

BOARD MEETINGS.

THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT WILL MEET IN THE OLD COUNCIL CHAMBER (ROOM 16), CITY HALL, FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1906, AT 10.30 O'CLOCK A. M., PURSUANT TO A CALL OF THE MAYOR.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND MEET IN THE OLD COUNCIL CHAMBER (ROOM 16), CITY HALL, AT CALL OF THE MAYOR.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

THE BOARD OF CITY RECORD MEET IN THE OLD COUNCIL CHAMBER (ROOM 16), CITY HALL, AT CALL OF THE MAYOR.

PATRICK J. TRACY, Supervisor, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the above office until 10 o'clock a. m. on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED IN MAKING AND COMPLETING GENERAL REPAIRS, ALTERATIONS, PAINTING, ETC., AT SEVENTY-NINTH SUB-PRECINCT STATION, BOULEVARD, NEAR HOLLAND AVENUE, ROCKAWAY BEACH, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, AS PER SPECIFICATIONS, FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest bidder.

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 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 Inspector of Repairs and Supplies of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, City of New York.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

Dated JANUARY 6, 1906.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the above office until 10 o'clock a. m.,

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1906,

NO. 1, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

NO. 2, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN THE BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

NO. 3, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1906.

The amount of security required will be as follows:

No. 1 \$10,000 00
No. 2 7,500 00
No. 3 2,000 00

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. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded to 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 Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

Dated JANUARY 5, 1906.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York, at the above office, until 10 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1906,

NO. 1, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL FOR USE IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX AND RICHMOND.

NO. 2, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL FOR USE IN THE BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

NO. 3, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO THOUSAND TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL FOR THE USE OF THE STEAM-BOAT "PATROL" AND OF STEAM LAUNCHES OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1906.

The amount of security required will be as follows:

No. 1 \$10,000 00
No. 2 10,000 00
No. 3 4,000 00

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. 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 Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

Dated JANUARY 4, 1906.

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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.

THOMAS F. O'CONNOR, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY CLERK OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK—OFFICE, NO. 200 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.

JOSEPH J. CAREY, Deputy Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE OF SALE AT AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1906, AT 11 o'clock a. m., the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity will sell at public auction to the highest bidder by William H. Smith, Auctioneer, at the Long Island Railroad yard, corner of Vesta and Blake avenues, Brooklyn, City of New York.

150 TONS, MORE OR LESS, OF BROKEN CAST IRON PIPE.

TERMS OF SALE.

The upset price at which this material will be sold is Eight Dollars per ton. No bid below this price will be considered or accepted.

The successful bidder must make cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale.

The purchaser must remove all the material from the place of sale within thirty (30) days after the sale, otherwise he will forfeit the money paid at the time of sale and the ownership to the material, which will thereafter be sold for the benefit of the City. The purchaser must remove the material as directed by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity and will not be allowed to select material for removal at will.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON, Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the above office until 10 o'clock a. m.,

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1906,

NO. 1, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

NO. 2, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN THE BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

NO. 3, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1906.

The amount of security will be as follows:

No. 1 \$10,000 00
No. 2 7,500 00
No. 3 2,000 00

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. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded to 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 Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

Dated JANUARY 5, 1906.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1906,

Borough of Brooklyn.

NO. 1, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CORPORATION COCKS.

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.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated JANUARY 11, 1906.

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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

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1906,

Borough of Richmond.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, BRAN AND OIL MEAL FOR COMPANIES IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is one hundred and eighty (180) days.

The amount of security required is Sixteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,600).

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.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated JANUARY 11, 1906.

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AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, ROOM 207, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, January 3, 1906.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the Aqueduct Commissioners at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1906,

at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened and read, and the award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Aqueduct Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

FOR FURNISHING, ERECTING AND PAINTING RAILINGS ON THE NEW CROTON DAM, IN THE TOWN OF CORTLANDT, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

The security required will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The contract will be required to be completed within five consecutive calendar months following the month in which the contract is signed by the Aqueduct Commissioners.

The following is a statement, based upon the estimate of the Engineer, of the quantities, as near as practicable, of the work required:

Linear
Feet.

Item 1. Railings furnished and erected, complete, except painting... 2,300
Item 2. Painting railings, including materials 2,300

The work is authorized by chapter 490, Laws of 1883, of the State of New York, and the amendments thereto.

No bid will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon a National or State bank in The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, for \$500.

Copies of a pamphlet containing further information for bidders, form of proposals, forms of contract and bond approved by the Corporation Counsel, and the specifications can be obtained at the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application in person or by mail.

JOHN F. COWAN,
President.

HARRY W. WALKER,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the office of the Department of Bridges, Room 1203, Park Row Building, at 2 p. m. on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1906,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,800 NET TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL AND 25 TONS OF BLACKSMITHS' COAL TO BRIDGES OVER THE HARLEM RIVER.

The coal will be delivered from time to time during the year 1906 in quantities of from 1 to 20 tons, as required.

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

Bidders will state the price per net ton. The contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

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

JAMES W. STEVENSON,
Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated JANUARY 9, 1906.

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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to strike

therefrom Twenty-sixth avenue, from Centre place southwesterly to the bulkhead line of Gravesend Bay, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on January 26, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on December 29, 1905, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by striking therefrom Twenty-sixth avenue, from Centre place southwesterly to the bulkhead line of Gravesend Bay, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the northwestern line of Twenty-sixth avenue, as the same is laid down on the map of the City, with the southern line of an old road known as Centre place;

1. Thence extending southwesterly along the northwestern line of Twenty-sixth avenue aforesaid for about 928 feet to the bulkhead line, as laid down by the Kings County Town Survey Commission;

The southeastern line of Twenty-sixth avenue is 80 feet easterly from and parallel to the aforesaid northwestern line of Twenty-sixth avenue, and extends from the southern line of Centre place aforesaid for a distance of about 933 feet to the bulkhead line aforesaid.

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 26th day of January, 1906, 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 26th day of January, 1906.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Assistant Secretary,

No. 277 Broadway, Room 805.

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terrace and Exterior street, laid out on plan approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 14, 1905, and Bailey avenue; the widening of Sedgwick avenue, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue; the widening of Bailey avenue, between Sedgwick avenue and Albany road; the widening of Albany road, between Bailey avenue and Van Cortlandt Park South; the widening of the first street west of the intersection of Albany road and Van Cortlandt Park South, and connecting these two streets, and by the laying out of a public place between Harlem River terrace, as changed, and Bailey avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, in accordance with a map or plan submitted by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, dated March 25, 1905, as amended.

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 26th day of January, 1906, 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 26th day of January, 1906.

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plan of The City of New York so as to lay out a public park in the Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on January 26, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on December 29, 1905, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out a public park, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Miller avenue with the northerly side of Highland Boulevard, and running thence northerly in a straight line through private property to Vermont street or the Conduit; thence easterly along said Vermont street or the Conduit to the land of the Long Island Water Supply Company or the land of The City of New York; thence southerly and along the line of said last-mentioned land to the northerly side of Highland Boulevard; thence westerly and along the northerly side of Highland Boulevard to the point or place of beginning, the same being situated in the Second Ward of the Borough of Queens.

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 26th day of January, 1906, 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 26th day of January, 1906.

JOHN H. MOONEY,

Assistant Secretary,

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS FOR THE SECRETARY of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment should be delivered to Room 79, No. 280 Broadway.

(Signed) JOSEPH HAAG,

Secretary.

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CITY OF NEW YORK.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

A T A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, held December 15, 1905, in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, the following proceedings were had:

Whereas, New York and Port Chester Railroad Company has made application to this Board for a grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate its railroad across certain streets in the Borough of The Bronx; and

Whereas, Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, The Mayor has, in pursuance of such laws, designated "New York Times" and "New York Daily News" as the two daily newspapers published in said City in which the publications hereinafter provided for are to be made, other than those required to be made in the CITY RECORD; and,

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for and proposed to be granted to New York and Port Chester Railroad Company and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and the results of such inquiry and notice of a public hearing to be had thereon before this Board have been published at least ten days in the CITY RECORD and at least twice in "The New York Times" and "The New York Daily News," two daily newspapers published in The City of New York, and a public hearing has been had thereon by this Board;

Now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of the resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by New York and Port Chester Railroad Company, containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board as follows, to wit:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby grants to New York and Port Chester Railroad Company the franchise or right fully set out and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying all of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges, upon and subject to the terms and conditions in said proposed form of contract contained, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York as follows, to wit:

PROPOSED FORM OF CONTRACT.

This contract, made this day of 1906, by and between The City of New York, party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, and New York and Port Chester Railroad Company, a domestic railroad corporation of the State of New York, hereinafter called the Railroad Company, party of the second part, witnesseth:

In consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree as follows:

Section 1. The City of New York hereby grants to the Railroad Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right to cross certain streets and highways hereinafter described, and the right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate a railroad, with all connections, turnouts, switches and cross-overs necessary for the accommodation and operation of said railroad, by means of electricity, or by any other mechanical motive power which may be lawfully employed upon the same, except steam locomotive power, in, upon and across the following-named streets, avenues, parkways, highways and public places, and upon the following route, all situate in the Borough of The Bronx, City, County and State of New York, namely:

Main Line—Beginning at a point at or near the intersection of Southern Boulevard and Willis avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, and running thence easterly between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Southern Boulevard, crossing Brown place to Brook avenue; thence crossing Brook avenue and thence crossing the

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the lines of Harlem River terrace, widen Sedgwick avenue, Bailey avenue, Albany road and the first street west of the intersection of Albany road and Van Cortlandt Park South and connect these two streets, and lay out a public place between Harlem River terrace, as changed, and Bailey avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, in accordance with a map or plan submitted by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, dated March 25, 1905, as amended, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on January 26, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on December 29, 1905, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the lines of Harlem River terrace, widen Sedgwick avenue, Bailey avenue, Albany road and the first street west of the intersection of Albany road and Van Cortlandt Park South and connect these two streets, and lay out a public place between Harlem River terrace, as changed, and Bailey avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, in accordance with a map or plan submitted by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, dated March 25, 1905, as amended, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on January 26, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on December 29, 1905, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Southern Boulevard, between St. Ann's avenue and Brown place; thence crossing St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Southern Boulevard; thence easterly and northeasterly, between Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-second street to Cypress avenue; thence crossing Cypress avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Southern Boulevard; thence between Cypress avenue and Willow avenue to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence crossing One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; thence between Willow avenue and Southern Boulevard, crossing One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street to Willow avenue; thence crossing Willow avenue and crossing One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, at or near its intersection with Willow avenue, to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; thence crossing One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Southern Boulevard and the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence crossing One Hundred and Forty-first street, and thence crossing and along Southern Boulevard and Whitlock avenue, at or near their junction between One Hundred and Forty-first street and One Hundred and Forty-second street; thence crossing St. Joseph's street, between Whitlock avenue and Austin place; thence crossing One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Austin place and Whitlock avenue to Austin place; thence crossing Austin place, between Whitlock avenue and Timpson place to Timpson place; thence between Whitlock avenue and Southern Boulevard, and crossing Timpson place, Leggett avenue, East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, Craven street, Longwood avenue, Lafayette avenue, Tiffany street, Barreto street, Hunt's Point road, Hoe street, Faile street, Bryant street, Longfellow street, Aldus street, Whittier street, to Guttenberg street; thence between Whitlock avenue and Longfellow street, crossing Guttenberg street and Westchester avenue to and crossing Home street; thence crossing Freeman street, Boone street, Edgewater road, West Farms road and Jennings street; thence crossing East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, between West Farms road and Boone street; thence along and across Boone street to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; thence between West Farms road and Longfellow street, crossing One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Rodman place, to West Farms road; thence along and across West Farms road to and across East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Tremont avenue; thence to and across Bronx street to the Bronx river; thence crossing East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and Lebanon street, between Bronx Park avenue and Bronx river; thence along and across East One Hundred and Eightieth street and Bronx Park avenue at or near their intersection; thence to and across the northerly branch of West Farms road or Adams street, between Morris Park avenue and the easterly line of Bronx Park; thence to and across Unionport road, an unnamed street, or another branch of Unionport road, Victor street, Washington street, or White Plains road, Louise street, Lincoln street, Jefferson street, Madison street and Bear Swamp road or Bronxdale avenue to Williamsbridge road; thence crossing Williamsbridge road approximately 2,400 feet southeast of Bronx and Pelham parkway to Bronx and Pelham parkway; thence crossing Bronx and Pelham parkway, approximately 2,100 feet east of its intersection with Williamsbridge road, and running thence northerly between Williamsbridge road and Eastchester road to Saw Mill lane; thence crossing Saw Mill lane near its intersection with Eastchester road; thence crossing Eastchester road or Corsa lane, between Boston Post road and Saw Mill lane to Boston Post road; thence crossing Boston Post road near its intersection with Schieffelin's lane to Schieffelin's lane; thence crossing Schieffelin's lane near its easterly intersection with Boston Post road; thence northerly to the City line, being the route shown on maps entitled "Survey Maps and Profiles of the line or route of the railroad of the New York and Port Chester Railroad Company, in the County of New York, State of New York," adopted by the Board of Directors of said Company on the 8th day of February, 1904, and signed by W. C. Gotshall, President; W. C. Gotshall, Chief Engineer, and Francis Blanchard, Secretary, under seal and which maps and profiles were filed in the office of the County Clerk of the City and County of New York on the 6th day of May, 1904, or any lawful amendment thereof, which may be consented to by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority.

Branch Line—Beginning at a point at or near the southeast corner of Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx; thence across or along Bronx Park avenue, East One Hundred and Eightieth street, East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, Lebanon street, Morris Park avenue, at or near its intersection with West Farms road; thence across or along West Farms road, at or near its intersection with Morris Park avenue; thence across the Southern turnpike, or Westchester avenue, being the route shown on a map entitled "Map and profile of branch line extending from main line (Bronx Park) to Clason's Point, New York City," forming part of the maps filed with the County Clerk of the City and County of New York, referred to in the preceding paragraph, or any lawful amendment thereof, which may be consented to by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or their successors in authority. The "Survey Map and Profiles" are hereinbefore referred to solely for the purpose of indicating the route of the railroad and not the profile thereof.

General—And such other streets, avenues, highways, public places, etc. (named and unnamed), as may be hereafter opened or encountered, in such routes or amended routes; and also such other streets, avenues, highways, public places, etc. (named and unnamed), now open or in use, or as may be hereafter opened or put in use, which it may be necessary for said railroad to cross, in order to make connections with any other railway within two thousand (2,000) feet of said routes; provided that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall first have given permission for such connection or connections; and provided, further, that such connections shall be limited to two (2) in number.

Section 2. The grant of this privilege is subject to the following conditions:

1. The provisions of section 6 of the Railroad Law shall be fully complied with, and in addition to the maps required to be filed with the Railroad Commissioners, it shall be incumbent upon the Railroad Company to file with the Comptroller of the City of New York a map or maps showing the number of tracks and length of same, including crossovers, switches, turnouts, sidings and stands within the present limits of the City of New York, such lengths to be accurately determined by measurements to be taken after the commencement of the operation of any portion of the railroad within the present limits of the City of New York.

2. The said right to cross the streets and the privilege to construct and operate said railroad shall be held and enjoyed by said Railroad Company, its lessee or successors, for the term of twenty-five years from the date when this con-

tract is signed by the parties hereto, with the privilege of renewal of said grant for a further period of twenty-five years upon a fair revaluation of said right and privilege. In the determination of the said revaluation may be considered and included the extension of the provisions of this agreement contained in the paragraphs numbered 7 and 8 herein, and the payment of the costs and expenses therein provided for by the Railroad Company, or otherwise.

If the Railroad Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal, it shall make application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, or any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the said Board. Such application shall be made at any time not earlier than two years and not later than one year before the expiration of the original term of this grant. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient, if agreed to in writing by the Railroad Company and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment or such other authority in its place. If the Railroad Company and the Board, or such other authority in its place for the City, shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one year before the expiration of the original term of this grant, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding twenty-five years shall be reasonable; and either the City (by the Board, or such other authority in its place) or the Railroad Company shall be bound upon request of the other to enter into a written agreement with such other authority fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable; and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate at such amount as shall be determined by three disinterested freeholders selected in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment or its successors in authority; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Railroad Company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder; and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluation aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six months prior to the expiration of the contract, and their report shall be filed with the Comptroller or his successor in authority, within three months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience, and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigations without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine the books of the Railroad Company and its officers under oath. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but shall not in any event be less than the minimum amount fixed as the sum to be paid annually for the last year of this original grant. If, in any case, the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the termination of the original term of this grant, then the Railroad Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined, and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate.

3. Upon the termination of this grant, if it be not renewed, or, in case of a renewal thereof, upon the termination of such renewal, all rights and privileges hereby granted to cross the said streets shall cease and determine, unless the said Railroad Company, its successors or assigns, shall have previously procured a new grant for the same from the City of New York.

4. The Railroad Company, its successors or assigns, shall pay to The City of New York, for the rights and privileges hereby granted, the following sums of money:

During the first five years commencing from the day when this contract is signed, an annual sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000), and during the next succeeding five years an annual sum of thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,000), and during the next succeeding fifteen years an annual sum of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000).

From the date of the commencement of the operation of any portion of the railroad until the end of the first five years of this grant, an additional sum of five and four-tenths cents per linear foot per annum of single track, including all crossovers, switches, turnouts, sidings and stands, within the present boundaries of The City of New York, and for the next succeeding five years an additional sum of seven and seven-tenths cents per linear foot per annum of single track, as aforesaid, in lieu of said sum of five and four-tenths cents, and for the next succeeding fifteen years an additional sum of twenty cents per linear foot per annum, as aforesaid, in lieu of said sum of seven and seven-tenths cents.

All such payments shall be made to the Comptroller of the City, in equal payments at the end of each quarter year, on the first day of January, April, July and October of each year.

Any and all payments to be made by the terms of this contract to The City of New York by the Railroad Company shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description, now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of The City of New York or by any law of the State of New York.

5. The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of the privilege hereby granted, whether original or renewal, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other railroad company providing for payments for railroad rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sub-lease of the rights or privileges hereby granted, whether original or renewal, or of any part thereof, or of any of the routes mentioned herein, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sub-lease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this grant; and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said condition as to payments, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise, exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this grant. Nothing herein contained shall apply to any mortgagor or mere lienor, but shall apply to any purchaser upon foreclosure or under or by virtue of any provision of a mortgage or lien.

6. The rights and privileges granted hereby shall not be assigned either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall title thereto, or right, interest or property therein pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the New York and Port Chester Railroad Company, its successor or assigns, or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations, or otherwise, without the consent of The City of New York, acting by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successor in authority, evi-

denced by an instrument under seal, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents. This provision, however, shall not apply to the making of a mortgage nor to a sale under foreclosure, provided that no sale under foreclosure shall be made to any person or corporation owning, operating or controlling any other railroad in The City of New York.

7. The grade of the railroad has not yet been established. Profile maps definitely showing such grade within the present limits of The City of New York shall be filed with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by the Railroad Company before beginning the construction of its railroad within the present limits of The City of New York. A duplicate thereof shall at the same time be filed with the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners of The City of New York. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, after a public hearing, of which ten days' notice shall be given by publication, shall then approve or disapprove the said profile map and grades, and upon the Board approving the same the Railroad Company may thereupon proceed with the construction of its railroad within the present limits of The City of New York.

If said Board disapproves the same it shall within 30 days after said hearing prescribe such changes in said map as it may deem necessary.

Within the present limits of The City of New York no street or railroad shall be crossed by the railroad at grade, and no existing park or parkway shall be crossed by the railroad at or above the grade of said park or parkway. All streets now open or in use and streets hereafter opened within the present limits of The City of New York, crossing the line of the railroad, shall be carried over or under the said railroad by the Railroad Company, at the sole cost and expense of the Railroad Company. The cost of all changes in grades of all approaches to such crossings within the present limits of The City of New York shall likewise be borne and paid by the Railroad Company, and The City of New York assumes no liability for any damages to property injured thereby, or by said railroad crossings, or any damages to property along the line of said railroad or contiguous thereto, caused by reason of the construction or operation of the said railroad, and the Railroad Company hereby agrees to indemnify and save harmless The City of New York of and from all such liability.

The City shall have the right at any time it so desires to open across the route of the Railroad Company within the present limits of The City of New York any new streets other than those now open or in use, and the Railroad Company hereby gives its consent to said opening.

8. Within the present limits of The City of New York all viaducts over streets and all tunnels under streets and all bridges necessary to carry the streets over an open cut, shall be constructed and maintained at the expense of the Railroad Company. All viaducts over streets within the present limits of The City of New York shall have a height of at least sixteen feet in the clear throughout, and in the case of arch construction not less than sixteen feet in the clear at the centre and ten feet in the clear on the building or side line of said street, and in the case of tunnel construction under a street there shall be at least four feet between the grade of the street and the exterior surface of the arch of said tunnel.

9. Within the present limits of The City of New York any superstructure of the railroad crossing a street and having a length of seventy-five (75) feet or less, shall be constructed in a single span. If more than seventy-five (75) feet in length, intermediate columns to support the structure may be placed in the street in such manner as may be approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. The width of such superstructure of the railroad shall not exceed sixty (60) feet when measured over all.

10. The plans for all structures over or under any street within the present limits of The City of New York must first be submitted to and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and all such structures shall be constructed of steel, concrete or masonry, or a combination of these materials. Such structures over streets shall be floored and shall be water-tight.

11. The railroad shall be constructed in the most modern and approved manner of railroad construction. Unless otherwise authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the roadbed shall be ballasted throughout its entire length within the present limits of The City of New York, with a sufficient quantity of either blast furnace slag or broken trap rock of a hard and durable quality, and no dirt, sand, gravel or cinders shall be used in such ballast. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment may, however, at any time require a portion of the road not theretofore ballasted to be ballasted.

12. The roadbed within the limits of The City of New York as now fixed or hereafter extended shall be watered daily whenever the thermometer is above 35 degrees Fahrenheit. Should, however, watering the roadbed in any way injure electric line equipment which has been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, then other means of preventing dust shall be used, which shall be first approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. For any failures to comply with the foregoing, the Railroad Company shall be liable to a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) per day.

13. The entire right of way of the company within the present limits of The City of New York, except at stations, shall be fenced throughout.

14. Within the present limits of The City of New York, all abutments or foundations for bridges, viaducts and stations and the stations proper, except intermediate supports for viaducts, as hereinbefore provided, shall be placed on the land of the company.

15. There shall be constructed along the line of the route of the main line of the railroad as proposed, for the accommodation of local passenger traffic, at least six stations between the Harlem river and the Bronx river, at least six stations between the Bronx river and the northerly line of The City of New York, as now fixed. On the branch line there shall be constructed at least three stations east of Morris Park avenue, unless otherwise authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

16. Said railroad may be operated by electric power or by any other mechanical motive power, which may be lawfully employed upon the same, except locomotive steam power. If electrical power is used, the Railroad Company shall, before the commencement of any of the construction of the electrical line equipment, within the present limits of The City of New York, file with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment plans showing such proposed construction within the present limits of The City of New York, including all methods of insulation, position of contact conductor and all feed wires, conductors or cables, with method of carrying the same, and said plans must be approved by the said Board before construction thereof shall begin. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby retains the right to make such conditions relative to construction of such line equipment within the present limits of The City of New York as it may see fit at the time of the approval of such plan.

17. No wires for the transmission of power shall be permitted within the present limits of The City of New York unless they be placed in

conduits or carried in a manner which shall have been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. The City may use the structure of the Railroad Company for carrying wires or cables for the use of the City within the present limits of The City of New York not exceeding such a quantity as might be carried in two conduits each of not more than three inches in diameter, without charge to the City. If the Railroad Company shall place its wires for the transmission of power in conduits, then the Railroad Company shall construct and permit the City to use without charge two conduits each of not more than three inches in diameter for carrying wires or cables for the use of the City.

18. The Railroad Company shall not carry wires or conduct power on its structures or along its right of way within the present limits of The City of New York for any purpose except for the operation of its railroad and except, as provided above, for the use of the City.

19. The Railroad Company shall maintain throughout the term of this grant or any renewal thereof a train schedule on the main line within the limits of The City of New York of at least sixty (60) trains in either direction daily, stopping at all of the stations within the City limits, and at no time, either day or night, shall there be greater headway within the City limits between such trains than thirty (30) minutes; provided, however, that said Railroad Company shall not be required to operate its trains within the City limits between the hours of 1 o'clock and 5 o'clock a. m., each day, unless the Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall determine, after a hearing had thereon, that public convenience requires the operation of its cars during such hours.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment may require, from time to time, as it may see fit, such number of trains to be run on the branch line—not exceeding 60 trains a day.

20. All cars on said railroad shall be heated during the cold weather in conformity to such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, and any failure to keep the temperature of any of the cars of the company above 50 degrees Fahrenheit, shall make the company liable for a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) per day for each offense.

21. All cars operated by the company shall be vestibuled and the system of lighting same shall be adequate and be made satisfactory to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. For any failure to comply herewith the Railroad Company shall be liable to a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) per day for each violation.

22. The Railroad Company shall light the space beneath any superstructure which it shall erect across streets and the approaches to stations, within the limits of The City of New York, in a manner which shall be satisfactory to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

23. During the term of this grant the rate of fare upon said railroad within the limits of The City of New York, as now fixed, shall not exceed five cents for any passenger. The said company shall not charge any passenger more than such sum for one continuous ride from any point on said railroad, or a line or branch operated by it, to any point thereof or of any such connecting line, or branch thereof, within the present limits of The City of New York during such term. The New York and Port Chester Railroad Company shall operate cars over the route hereby authorized, and shall not operate cars over the route of any other railroad company within the present limits of The City of New York until it shall have received authority for such operation from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and it shall not, without like authority, permit any other company within the present limits of The City of New York to run cars over the railroad hereby authorized. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment reserves the right to fix the compensation to be paid for such privilege to The City of New York by such other company as shall be authorized to run cars over the route hereby authorized, and said Board further reserves the right to fix the compensation to be paid to The City of New York by the New York and Port Chester Railroad Company for the privilege of operating cars over the route of any other railroad company within the present limits of The City of New York.

Whenever the New York and Port Chester Railroad Company shall have entered into a contract with another railroad company within the limits of The City of New York permitting the cars of such other company to run over the route hereby authorized, in pursuance of authority from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may prescribe the maximum fare which may be charged by either company within the limits of The City of New York during the continuance of such contract to a passenger desiring to make a continuous trip in either direction between any point on the railroad of the New York and Port Chester Railroad Company and any point on the railroad of such other railroad company within the present limits of The City of New York. For their refusal to comply with the requirements of this section, the corporation so refusing shall forfeit fifty dollars (\$50) to the aggrieved party. Two or more penalties may be recovered in one action.

The rates for carrying of property upon the routes of the Railroad Company within the present limits of The City of New York shall, in all cases, be reasonable in amount, and shall be subject to the control of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, and may be fixed by such Board after notice and hearing to the Railroad Company, and when so fixed such rate shall be binding upon the Railroad Company, its successors or assigns, and no greater sums shall be charged for such service than provided for by said Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

24. The said Railroad Company shall carry free within the present limits of The City of New York during the existence of this grant members of the Police and Fire Departments of The City of New York, when such employees are in full uniform.

25. The said railway shall be constructed, maintained and operated subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of The City of New York who have jurisdiction in such matters, under the Charter of the City.

26. In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained this grant may be forfeited and avoided by The City of New York by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, provided that in case of any such violation, breach or failure to comply with any of said provisions the said City shall cause notice in writing thereof to be served upon said company, and said company shall remedy such violation, breach or failure within ten (10) days thereafter, and in default thereof, then, and not otherwise, said right of forfeiture shall accrue and may be enforced by the said City; provided, further, that if the said Railroad Company, grantee hereunder, shall within said ten (10) days commence to remedy said violation, breach or failure, and shall prosecute the work of completing such remedy with diligence and with the utmost practicable dispatch until the same shall be completed, then no right of

forfeiture shall accrue. The right of action as herein provided shall not affect or limit any other rights of the City.

27. The grant of this privilege shall not affect in any way the right of The City of New York to grant a similar privilege upon the same or other terms and conditions to any other person or corporation.

28. The Railroad Company shall commence actual construction within one year from the date of the signing of this contract, and shall complete and have in operation a four-track railroad upon the main line, from the northerly line of the City to a point at or near the intersection of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street with the Bronx river, and a railroad of at least two tracks from a point at or near the intersection of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street with the Bronx river to the southerly terminus as aforesaid at or near the intersection of Southern Boulevard with Willis avenue, and a railroad on the branch line of at least two tracks, all within five years from the date of the signing of this contract, otherwise this grant shall cease and determine.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment may require the construction of two additional tracks on that portion of the route between One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and the southerly terminus, as aforesaid, at or near the intersection of Southern Boulevard and Willis avenue so as to make a railroad of four tracks on such portion of the route, whenever public convenience and necessity shall require the construction thereof; and in case the construction of such two additional tracks is so required by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Railroad Company shall complete the construction thereof within five (5) years after such requirement, otherwise this grant may be forfeited; and the Railroad Company is hereby authorized to construct a railroad of four tracks on the entire route authorized by this contract, if, in its judgment, public convenience and necessity shall require the construction thereof.

The Railroad Company shall actually expend or cause to be so expended the sum of at least eight hundred thousand dollars (\$800,000) within two years after the date of the signing of this contract, upon the actual construction of said railroad between the northerly line of The City of New York and Westchester avenue, at or near One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, and shall also actually expend or cause to be so expended an additional sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) within three years after the date of the signing of this contract, upon the actual construction of the railroad between Westchester avenue as above and Willis avenue at or near the Southern Boulevard, which sum shall be exclusive of any moneys expended for land acquired for the right of way. The reason why The City of New York assents to the difference in the times and amounts for the portions of the railroad north and south of Westchester avenue is that the Railroad Company represents that it is or will be able to procure by private purchase most of its right of way north of such avenue, and will have to resort to condemnation proceedings for its right of way south thereof.

Verified statements of moneys so expended for construction shall be submitted, on demand, to the Comptroller of The City of New York, who shall, after investigation, report to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment his opinion as to whether such sums have been actually expended, and if in the opinion of the said Board an expenditure of the said sum within the time given is not proven, then said Board may declare that this grant has ceased and determined, and the said action of said Board shall be prima facie evidence of said forfeiture.

Any portion of the route covered by this grant which shall not be completed and in full operation within said five years from the date of the signing of this contract shall be deemed to have been abandoned, and all rights hereby granted in and to such portions of said railroad shall cease and determine, and, in such case, all structures erected by the Railroad Company, its successors or assigns, upon any portion of the route so forfeited within the lines of any street within said City, shall become the property of The City of New York.

A majority vote of the members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall be prima facie evidence in regard to the forfeiture of any or all the rights under this grant, as provided for in this section. Before action is taken by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under the provisions of this section, the Railroad Company shall have at least thirty (30) days' notice of the intention of said Board to take action, and at such time as is appointed shall be allowed a hearing.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall extend the time provided for in this section for the completion of the railroad and for the work to be performed and expenditures to be made, as above, for a period or periods not exceeding in the aggregate two years if the reasons given by the Railroad Company for non-fulfilment are for causes over which the Railroad Company had no control and was in nowise responsible.

29. The Railroad Company shall assume all liability by reason of the construction and operation of the railroad, and the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property by reason of said construction, maintenance or operation, and the Railroad Company hereby agrees to indemnify and save harmless the said City from all liability whatsoever by reason of the construction, maintenance and operation of said railroad.

As a condition of this grant, the Railroad Company, its successor or assigns, hereby agrees to repay to the City any damages which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or defaults of the Railroad Company, its successor or assigns.

30. Any portion of the right of way of the said Railroad Company falling within the lines of a street now shown on the map of The City of New York, which it may be necessary for the City to subsequently acquire, shall be ceded to the City, without cost to it, subject to the company's easement therein.

31. The Railroad Company shall not operate cars over any extension of any length whatsoever within the present limits of The City of New York not specifically hereby authorized, and shall not make any connection within the present limits of The City of New York with any other railroad, either by means of extensions or branches or by means of a platform building, unless it shall have received authority therefor from said Board of Estimate and Apportionment or its successors in authority, and upon such terms as shall be fixed by the Board. In the event that the provisions of this section cause a conflict because of the lawful right of any other railroad to compel a connection with the Railroad Company, the City agrees that it may be made a party to any legal proceedings between the said companies and its rights and duties therein determined.

32. In case any of the streets as now shown on the map of The City of New York and crossed by the said railroad above grade are altered or widened after the Railroad Company has completed its railroad, and such widening requires the alteration of the superstructure of the railroad, the Railroad Company and The City of New York shall each pay one-half of the cost of such alteration as may be necessary.

33. In case the route as laid out shall make it necessary, in the opinion of the Board of Esti-

mate and Apportionment, to change the map of The City of New York in order to avoid impracticable, unnecessary or undesirable crossings, purely on account of the location of the railroad, and by reason of such change additional or substitute streets crossing the railroad are determined upon, then the Railroad Company shall pay to the City the additional cost thus made necessary, or may, at its own expense, acquire the lands necessary and cede them to the City without cost, provided, however, that the lands so to be acquired or paid for shall not extend more than 400 feet upon each side of said railroad.

34. Any alterations which may be required to the sewerage or drainage system, or to any subsurface structures, pipes, etc., laid in the streets, on account of the construction or operation of the railroad, shall be made at the sole cost of the Railroad Company and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

35. In case the Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall, in order to avoid impracticable, unnecessary and undesirable crossings purely on account of the location of the railroad, within one year from the date of the signing of this contract, adopt a map or a change in the map laying out a street or streets bounding or adjoining the right of way of the Railroad Company, on either or both sides thereof, from the easterly line of the White Plains road to the northerly line of the City, or any part thereof, then the Railroad Company shall acquire the lands necessary for such streets and cede them to the City without cost, or will pay to the City the cost of acquiring such lands, provided that it shall not be required to acquire and cede or pay for an amount of land which in the aggregate will exceed a strip fifty feet in width and in length the distance between the easterly side of White Plains road and the northerly line of the City. The Railroad Company, at its own expense, shall regulate and grade said strips of land to such grade as shall be hereafter fixed by the City authorities, such regulating and grading to be done, from time to time, as directed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. On notice to the City by the Railroad Company that said Railroad Company cannot acquire such lands, the City covenants to use all possible diligence in acquiring the actual possession of the lands necessary for such streets to the end that the Railroad Company may regulate and grade the same while it is grading its railroad within the present limits of The City of New York.

36. All construction of railroad crossings shall be done in such manner as shall not substantially interfere with the ordinary use of any street as a public highway, and all streets in any way disturbed by such construction shall be restored to their original condition. In case of failure on the part of the Railroad Company to restore such streets within a reasonable length of time, The City of New York shall have the right, under resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to cause the work to be done and the materials to be furnished after due notice and shall collect the reasonable cost thereof from the fund hereinafter provided.

37. The company's property and structures within the present limits of The City of New York shall not be used for advertising purposes in any way, under a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) per day for each offense. Such restriction shall not apply to stations or cars nor to the interior of fences or walls.

38. The City, the Board and all duly authorized representatives of the City shall have the right at all reasonable times, as well during construction as afterwards, to inspect the railroad and any part thereof, and to enter thereon when necessary for the examination, supervision or care of any property of the City or of abutting property owners or for any proper purpose. Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to diminish or affect the sanitary or police jurisdiction which the public authorities shall lawfully have over property in the City.

39. The Railroad Company shall deposit with the Comptroller, within six months after the date of signing this contract, the sum of \$100,000, either in money or in securities to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the construction of the road authorized hereby, and which the Railroad Company is under obligation to construct, and said fund shall be repaid to the Railroad Company only as hereby specified. If the City exercises its option to require the construction of the additional two tracks south of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, the Railroad Company shall, within three months after notification thereof, make a like deposit of \$25,000 as security for such construction. Whenever and as often as the Railroad Company shall have actually constructed one mile of single track, a certificate showing the construction of such track shall be prepared by the engineer of the Railroad Company, and such certificate shall be delivered to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. The said Board shall, as soon as practicable thereafter, verify the correctness of such certificate and either accept such certificate as correct, or if it finds it to be incorrect, return said certificate to the Railroad Company, specifying in writing the respects in which it finds such certificate to be incorrect. Upon the verification of the correctness of any such certificate, or if any such certificate shall be found to be incorrect, upon its being corrected, and subsequently verified, the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall thereupon prepare and certify a voucher in due form for payment to said company of the sum of \$2,500, and the amount so certified by said Board shall be forthwith paid by said Comptroller from said fund to the Railroad Company, upon the construction of the said mile of single track. This procedure shall be followed by the Railroad Company and by said Comptroller as often as the Railroad Company shall construct an additional mile of single track.

Upon the completion of the construction of the entire track authorized hereby, which the Railroad Company shall remain under obligation to construct, a final certificate shall be prepared by the engineer of said company and approved by the president thereof, showing the fact of such completion and the fact that the road is ready for operation. Such final certificate shall be delivered to the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, and shall be subject to a like verification as the certificate hereinbefore mentioned. Upon the verification of the correctness of such final certificate, or if such final certificate shall be found to be incorrect, upon being corrected the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall thereupon prepare and certify a voucher in due form for the payment by the Comptroller to the said company of the balance of said funds remaining in his hands.

If such final certificate, certifying to the completion of the entire construction of the road, which the Railroad Company shall be under obligation to construct, shall not be delivered to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on or before the expiration of the time at which the Railroad Company shall be under obligation to complete the road, under and in pursuance of the terms and conditions of this contract, and if the construction of the entire road authorized hereby, which the Railroad Company shall be under obligation to construct, shall not have been completed by said time, the balance of said fund shall be forthwith delivered by the Comptroller of The City of New York and thereafter said company shall have no claim or cause of action therefor.

The word construction as used herein shall include the grading of the bed of the railroad,

laying of tracks thereon, ballasting of the same and the construction of all bridges or viaducts necessary for the support of the railroad.

The word completion, as used herein, shall include the laying of tracks, electrical conductors and all structures necessary to the operation of trains over the route authorized hereby, and which the Railroad Company shall be under obligation to construct, and shall include also such street bridges or other structures as the company is required hereby to make, and such final certificate shall include proof that all of the antecedent acts required by this contract have been performed by said company, in so far as their completion is required hereby.

40. This grant is upon the express condition that within thirty days after the date of the signing of this contract and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred thereby, the Railroad Company shall deposit with the Comptroller of The City of New York the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), either in money or in securities, to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Railroad Company of all the terms and conditions of this contract, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charge for the franchise granted, in default of which payment of the annual charge, the Comptroller, acting in behalf of the City, shall collect same with interest from such fund after five days' notice in writing to the president of said company. In case of failure of the said company to comply with any of the terms of this contract, or its neglect or refusal to comply with any demand or direction of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or other municipal officials, made pursuant to the terms of the contract, or under the authority of any laws or ordinances now or hereafter in force, in such case and in any of these events, if no other money penalty is provided therefor, the said company shall pay to the Comptroller of The City of New York a penalty of \$50 for each violation; and in case of any violation of the provisions of this contract for which money penalties are provided, the said company shall pay to the Comptroller of said City the penalties so provided.

The procedure for the imposition and collection of penalties provided in this contract shall be as follows:

The Comptroller of The City of New York, on complaint made, shall, in writing, notify said company through its president to appear before him on a certain day not less than ten days after the date of such notice, to show cause why it should not be penalized in accordance with the foregoing provisions. If said company fail to make an appearance or, after a hearing, appear in the judgment of the Comptroller to be in fault, said Comptroller shall forthwith impose the prescribed penalty, and without legal procedure withdraw the amount of such penalty from the security fund deposited with him. In case of any drafts made upon the security fund, the said company shall, upon ten days' notice in writing, pay to the Comptroller of The City of New York a sum sufficient to restore said security fund to the original amount of \$25,000 and in default thereof the said company shall pay to the Comptroller of The City of New York the sum of one hundred dollars for each day of such default in addition to the amount necessary to restore said fund to the original amount of \$25,000. No action or proceeding or rights under the provisions of this contract shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to The City of New York.

The right of the City to collect any penalties imposed for non-compliance with the terms of this contract, or with any law or ordinance now in force or hereafter adopted, shall not be limited to the said sum of \$25,000, and the enumeration or reservation of any rights by the City herein shall not operate to the exclusion of any other rights belonging to the City, either in law or at equity. Nor shall the imposition of any penalty by the terms of this contract interfere with or diminish the right of the City specifically to enforce any of the terms or conditions of this contract.

41. If the Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, shall fail to give efficient public service at the rates herein fixed, or fail to maintain its structures and all street crossings within the present limits of The City of New York in good condition throughout the full term of its occupancy of said streets, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City may give written notice to said Company specifying any default on the part of said Company, and requiring the said Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time, and upon the failure of the said Company to remedy its said fault within a reasonable time said Company shall for each day thereafter during which said fault or defect remains pay to The City of New York the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) as fixed and liquidated damages, or the said City in case said structures over or under streets shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid, shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the said Company shall pay to The City the amount of the cost of such repairs, with legal interest thereon; all of which sums may be deducted from the fund hereinbefore provided.

42. The Railroad Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

In witness whereof the party of the first part, by its Mayor, thereunto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed, and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed, and the party of the second part, by its officers, thereunto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

[SEAL] By.....

NEW YORK AND PORT CHESTER RAILROAD COMPANY,

By.....

President.

Attest:

[SEAL]

Secretary.

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of such franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor are that the money value of such franchise or right proposed to be granted is the total amount of money which it is proposed, as provided in and by the form of Proposed Contract for the grant of such franchise or right, as hereinbefore fully set forth, shall be paid for such franchise or right, and that such compensation is adequate therefor.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by New York and Port Chester Railroad Company and the said form of Proposed Contract for the grant of such franchise or right and said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered

in the minutes of this Board, shall be published at the expense of New York and Port Chester Railroad Company, for at least twenty days immediately prior to January 26, 1906, in THE CITY RECORD, and at least twice, during the ten days immediately prior to January 26, 1906, in "The New York Times" and "The New York Daily News," two daily newspapers designated by the Mayor therefor, and published in The City of New York, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by New York and Port Chester Railroad Company, and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of Proposed Contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing any such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board to be held in the old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on January 26, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock a.m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

J. W. STEVENSON,
Secretary.

NEW YORK, December 15, 1905.

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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 No. 16, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 1906,

FOR REPAIRING SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, TOGETHER WITH THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

100 square yards of stone block foundation relaid.
200,000 cubic feet of binder, delivered and laid.
500 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete, delivered and laid.
400,000 cubic feet of asphalt wearing surface mixture, delivered and laid, in place of old wearing surface destroyed or removed.
10,000 cubic feet of asphalt wearing surface mixture, delivered and laid, in repairing surface defects by the Burner method.
1,000 square yards of asphalt pavement, including foundation, whether same is stone blocks or concrete, restored over cuts.

The period during which the repairs are to be made and the termination of this contract shall be from January 1, 1906, to December 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Forty Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Bureau of Highways, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, January 10, 1906.

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BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CORNER THIRD AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, CROTONA PARK, NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1906,

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE TO THE BUREAU OF SEWERS.

1,000 bushels of No. 1 white clipped oats.
40,000 pounds of timothy hay.
4,000 pounds of rye straw.
2,000 pounds of bran.
100 pounds of oil meal.
100 pounds of corn on the cob.
200 pounds of lump rock salt.
50 pounds of condition powder.
100 pounds of table salt.

All of the above to be of the best quality. To be furnished and delivered at such times and in such quantities as directed to the yard of the Bureau of Sewers, Park avenue, 180 feet north of Tremont avenue, during the year 1906.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER TO THE BUREAU OF SEWERS.

800 plank, 3 inches by 12 inches by 23 feet spruce.
800 plank, 3 inches by 9 inches by 23 feet spruce.
2,000 plank, 2 inches by 9 inches by 13 feet spruce.
50 pieces of 4 inches by 4 inches by 16 feet spruce.
10 pieces of white wood, $\frac{3}{8}$ inch by 18 inches by 16 feet D. 2 S.
5 pieces of clear pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ inches by 12 inches by 16 feet D. 2 S.
5 pieces of clear pine, $\frac{3}{8}$ inch by 24 inches by 16 feet D. 2 S.
10 pieces of clear pine, $\frac{3}{8}$ inch by 12 inches by 16 feet D. 2 S.
20 pieces of clear pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch by 12 inches by 16 feet D. 2 S.
5 pieces of quartered oak, $\frac{3}{8}$ inch by 12 inches by 13 feet D. 2 S.
5 pieces of quartered oak, $\frac{1}{2}$ inches by 12 inches by 13 feet D. 2 S.
20 pieces of quartered oak, $\frac{1}{2}$ inches by 3 inches by 16 feet D. 4 S.
10 pieces of quartered oak, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch by 12 inches by 13 feet D. 2 S.

To be furnished and delivered at such times and in such quantities as directed, to the yard of the Bureau of Sewers, Park avenue, 180 feet north of Tremont avenue, during the year 1906.

The amount of security required will be Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

NO. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WEST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SECOND STREET, BETWEEN EXTERIOR STREET AND BAILEY AVENUE; IN BAILEY AVENUE, BETWEEN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD AND SEDGWICK AVENUE; AND IN SEDGWICK AVENUE, BETWEEN BAILEY AVENUE AND KINGSBRIDGE ROAD; AND IN HEATH AVENUE, BETWEEN BAILEY AVENUE AND KINGSBRIDGE ROAD; AND IN EMERICH PLACE, BETWEEN HEATH AVENUE AND KINGSBRIDGE ROAD; AND IN HARLEM RIVER TERRACE, BETWEEN FORDHAM ROAD AND BAILEY AVENUE.

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

176 linear feet of 30-inch cast-iron pipe.
3,345 linear feet of concrete sewer, 2 feet 6 inches in diameter.
42 linear feet of pipe sewer, 30-inch.
1,541 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.
1,914 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.
2,760 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.
1,082 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

86 manholes, complete.
21 receiving basins, complete.

7,300 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

75 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

10 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar for foundations, in place.

300 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations, in place.

60,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

3,500 linear feet of piles below sills, furnished, driven and cut off and shod, when required.
50 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will 350 working days.
The amount of security required will be Forty-five Thousand Dollars.

NO. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, BETWEEN MORRIS AVENUE AND FINDLAY AVENUE; AND IN COLLEGE AND FINDLAY AVENUES, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN STREET.

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

497 linear feet of brick sewer, 2 feet 6 inches in diameter.
670 linear feet of pipe sewer, 24-inch.
307 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.
584 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.
1,697 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.

483 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

35 manholes, complete.
9 receiving basins, complete.

3,900 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

10 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

25 linear feet of 12-inch drain-pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 300 working days.

The amount of security required will be Fourteen Thousand Dollars.

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN LAWRENCE AVENUE, FROM LIND AVENUE TO WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET.

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

5,000 cubic yards of earth excavation.
7,500 cubic yards of rock excavation.
7,000 cubic yards of filling.

2,800 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

150 linear feet of old curbstone, rejoined and reset.

11,050 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

500 square feet of old flagging, rejoined and relaid.

1,150 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

600 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry, in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

50 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 175 working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN FINDLAY AVENUE, FROM EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET TO EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET.

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

19,300 cubic yards of earth excavation.
13,500 cubic yards of rock excavation.
20,000 cubic yards of filling.

4,400 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

17,400 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

1,000 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

200 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry, in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

100 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 250 working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

NO. 7. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A SAND FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET, FROM BROOK AVENUE TO THE PORT MORRIS BRANCH RAILROAD.

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

1,650 square yards of new granite block pavement, on a sand foundation, laid with sand joints.

363 square yards of old trap block pavement, to be purchased by the contractor and removed. The amount bid for this item shall be deducted from the final estimate.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 20 working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, and the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

LOUIS F. HAFFEN,
President.

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 5, 1906.

LOUIS F. HAFFEN,
President of the 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.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 1. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Depot square, South, from Webster avenue to Depot square, East; Depot square, East, from Depot square, South, to Depot square, North; Depot square, North, from Depot square, East, to Webster avenue.

No. 2. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Edgewater road, from Garrison avenue (or Mohawk avenue) to Seneca avenue.

No. 3. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Edgewater road, from Garrison avenue (or Mohawk avenue) to Seneca avenue.

No. 4. Paving with asphalt blocks on concrete East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Beck street to the Southern Boulevard, and setting curb where necessary.

No. 5. Paving with asphalt blocks on concrete Fox street, from Prospect avenue to Avenue St. John, and setting curb where necessary.

No. 6. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Kelly street, from Longwood avenue to Intervale avenue.

No. 7. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Ogden avenue to Woodycrest avenue.

No. 8. Constructing a receiving basin and appurtenances on the northwest corner of Kingsbridge road and Creston avenue.

No. 9. Laying out on the map of The City of New York West One Hundred and Ninety-second street, from exterior street to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river.

No. 10. For constructing sewers and appurtenances in Crotona avenue, between East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and the Southern Boulevard.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof, on January 18, 1906, at 3:30 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 5, 1906.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NO. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK CITY, January 11, 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF the proposed amendment of the classification of positions in the Competitive Class, Part I, Group 11, by including therein the following position:

Process Server.

A public hearing will be held on the proposed amendment, in accordance with the provisions of Civil Service Rule III, at the Commission's offices, No. 61 Elm street, on Wednesday, January 17, 1906, at 10 a. m.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NO. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, January 8, 1906.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the following position:

BOOKBINDER (MEN ONLY)—MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 1906, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on January 22, 1906, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical 6

Experience 3

Arithmetic 1

The percentage required is 75 on the technical paper and 70 on all.

Candidates will be expected to be familiar with bookbinding in all its stages and varieties.

At present there is one vacancy in the Department of Finance at \$1,080 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER, President;

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES, AT THE ABOVE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON ON

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1906.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES FOR USE IN THE TRUANT SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1906.

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 item, pound, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item whose sample is equal to those submitted for inspection or referred to in the specifications.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Department of Education, the Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

PATRICK JONES,
Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated JANUARY 8, 1906.

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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 11 O'CLOCK A.M. ON

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1905,

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. INSTALLING ELECTRIC ELEVATORS IN MANUAL TRAINING HIGH SCHOOL ON SEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FOURTH AND FIFTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

On contract No. 1 the bids will be compared and the contract 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, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan; also at Branch Office, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated JANUARY 3, 1906.

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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 11 O'CLOCK A.M. ON

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1906,

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR FORMING BATHROOM, ETC., ON FIRST STORY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 120, NO. 187 BROOME STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is Fourteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,400).

No. 3. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 121, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, ABOUT 105 FEET WEST OF SECOND AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 200 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000).

No. 4. FOR ITEM 2, HEATING WORK, OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN HALL OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 90 working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

Borough of Queens.

No. 5. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 66, ON THE EAST SIDE OF UNION PLACE, BETWEEN TULIP AND WALNUT STREETS, BROOKLYN HILLS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 200 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Thirty-eight Thousand Dollars (\$38,000).

Various Boroughs.

No. 6. FOR REPAIRS TO TEMPERATURE REGULATING SYSTEMS IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX AND BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 20 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1 \$800 00

Item 2 200 00

A separate proposal shall be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

On contracts Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On contract No. 6 bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

and No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective borough.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated JANUARY 4, 1906.

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

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 BROOKLYN.

List 8675, No. 1. PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE BASE FIFTIETH STREET, BETWEEN SIXTH AND EIGHTH AVENUES.

List 8678, No. 2. LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF BERGEN STREET, BETWEEN SARATOGA AND HOPKINSON AVENUES; NORTH AND SOUTH SIDES OF BERGEN STREET, BETWEEN RALPH AND HOWARD AVENUES; NORTH SIDE OF BERGEN STREET, BETWEEN BUFFALO AND RALPH AVENUES; EAST AND WEST SIDES OF SARATOGA AVENUE, BETWEEN ST. MARK'S AVENUE AND DEAN STREET, AND EAST SIDE OF SARATOGA AVENUE, BETWEEN PACIFIC AND DEAN STREETS.

List 8679, No. 3. LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON EAST AND WEST SIDES OF STONE AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST NEW YORK AND LIBERTY AVENUES; WEST SIDE OF STONE AVENUE, BETWEEN GLENMORE AND PITKIN AVENUES; EAST SIDE OF STONE AVENUE, BETWEEN PITKIN AND BELMONT AVENUES.

List 8680, No. 4. LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON EAST SIDE OF THIRD AVENUE, BETWEEN EIGHTY-FOUR AND EIGHTY-SIXTH STREETS; EAST SIDE OF THIRD AVENUE, BETWEEN EIGHTY-EIGHT AND NINETY-FIRST STREETS, AND EAST SIDE OF THIRD AVENUE, BETWEEN NINETY-SECOND AND NINETY-NINTH STREETS.

List 8690, No. 5. LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE AND SOUTH SIDE OF AVENUE U, BETWEEN GRAVESEND AVENUE AND VAN SICLEN AVENUE; NORTH SIDE OF AVENUE U, BETWEEN VAN SICLEN AVENUE AND WEST FIFTH STREET.

List 8707, No. 6. LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF SECOND AVENUE, BETWEEN SIXTY-SIXTH STREET AND SHORE ROAD.

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 FIFTIETH STREET, FROM SIXTH TO EIGHTH AVENUE AND TO THE EXTENT OF HALF THE BLOCK AT THE INTERSECTING AND TERMINATING AVENUES.

NO. 2. EAST SIDE OF SARATOGA AVENUE, FROM BERGEN TO PACIFIC STREET; NORTH SIDE OF BERGEN STREET, FROM HOPKINSON AVENUE TO SARATOGA AVENUE; WEST SIDE OF SARATOGA AVENUE, EXTENDING ABOUT 68 FEET SOUTH OF DEAN STREET AND ABOUT 107 FEET NORTH OF BERGEN STREET; BOTH SIDES OF BERGEN STREET, BETWEEN RALPH AND HOWARD AVENUES, ON BLOCK 1445, LOTS NOS. 1, 4, 46 AND 48, ON BLOCK 1451, LOTS NOS. 12, 20, 21, 23, 24, 29 AND 34 TO 38 INCLUSIVE; NORTH SIDE OF BERGEN STREET, BETWEEN RALPH AND BUFFALO AVENUES, ON BLOCK 1351, LOTS NOS. 53, 73, 76 AND 77; WEST SIDE OF SARATOGA AVENUE, EXTENDING ABOUT 165 FEET NORTH OF ST. MARK'S AVENUE; EAST SIDE OF SARATOGA AVENUE, EXTENDING ABOUT 180 FEET SOUTH OF BERGEN STREET.

NO. 3. BOTH SIDES OF STONE AVENUE, FROM BERGEN STREET TO EASTERNA PARKWAY, ON BLOCK 1443, LOTS NOS. 1, 4, 5, 6, 8, AND BLOCK 1450, LOTS NOS. 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8 AND 9, BLOCK 1449, LOTS NOS. 62, 66, 68, BLOCK 1442, LOT NO. 66; BOTH SIDES OF STONE AVENUE, FROM LIBERTY AVENUE TO EAST NEW YORK AVENUE, ON BLOCK 3675, LOTS NOS. 3, 4, 5, 7, 9 AND 10, BLOCK 3491, LOT NO. 1; WEST SIDE OF STONE AVENUE, BETWEEN PITKIN AND GLENMORE AVENUES, ON BLOCK 3507, LOT NO. 30; SOUTHEAST CORNER OF PITKIN AND STONE AVENUES, BLOCK 3726, LOT NO. 16.

NO. 4. EAST SIDE OF THIRD AVENUE, FROM EIGHTY-FOURTH TO EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, AND FROM EIGHTY-EIGHT TO NINETY-FIRST STREET; EAST SIDE OF THIRD AVENUE, EXTENDING ABOUT 114 FEET NORTH OF NINETY-THIRD STREET; EAST SIDE OF THIRD AVENUE, FROM NINETY-THIRD TO NINETY-FIFTH STREET; EAST SIDE OF THIRD AVENUE, EXTENDING ABOUT 104 FEET NORTH OF NINETY-SIXTH STREET; EAST SIDE OF THIRD AVENUE, FROM NINETY-SEVENTH TO NINETY-NINTH STREET, ON BLOCK 6126, LOTS NOS. 1 AND 12, BLOCK 6130, LOTS NOS. 1 AND 9; NORTHEAST CORNER OF NINETY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE, BLOCK 6122, LOT NO. 1.

NO. 5. BOTH SIDES OF AVENUE U, FROM GRAVESEND AVENUE TO VAN SICLEN AVENUE, AND NORTH SIDE OF AVENUE U, EXTENDING ABOUT 165 FEET WEST OF VAN SICLEN AVENUE.

NO. 6. BOTH SIDES OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM SIXTY-SIXTH TO SEVENTY-FIRST STREET; WEST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM SEVENTY-FIRST TO SEVENTY-SECOND STREET; EAST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, EXTENDING ABOUT 100 FEET NORTH OF SEVENTY-SECOND STREET; COMMENCING ABOUT 40 FEET NORTH OF SEVENTY-THIRD STREET AND EXTENDING NORTHERLY ABOUT 60 FEET; BOTH SIDES OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM SEVENTY-THIRD TO SEVENTY-EIGHT STREET; WEST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM SEVENTY-EIGHT TO SEVENTY-NINTH STREET; EAST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, EXTENDING ABOUT 100 FEET SOUTH OF EIGHTY-SECOND STREET AND EXTENDING NORTHERLY TO SEVENTY-NINTH STREET; EAST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, EXTENDING ABOUT 135 FEET SOUTH OF SEVENTY-NINTH STREET; EAST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM EIGHTIETH TO EIGHTY-THIRD STREET; EAST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM EIGHTY-THIRD TO EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET; WEST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM EIGHTY-FIFTH TO EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET; BOTH SIDES OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM EIGHTY-SIXTH TO EIGHTY-EIGHT STREET; EAST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM EIGHTY-EIGHT TO EIGHTY-NINTH STREET; WEST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM EIGHTY-NINTH TO NINETY-FIRST STREET; EAST SIDE OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM NINETY-FIRST TO NINETY-FIFTH STREET; BOTH SIDES OF SECOND AVENUE, FROM NINETY-FIFTH TO NINETY-FIRST STREET.

NO. 7. NORTH SIDE OF DEGRAD STREET, EXTENDING ABOUT 447 FEET WEST OF ROCHESTER AVENUE; WEST SIDE OF ROCHESTER AVENUE, FROM ST. JOHN'S PLACE TO DEGRAD STREET.

NO. 8. BOTH SIDES OF WESTMINSTER ROAD, FROM CATION AVENUE TO CHURCH AVENUE.

NO. 9. WEST SIDE OF LINCOLN AVENUE, FROM RIDGEWOOD AVENUE TO A POINT EXTENDING ABOUT 272 FEET SOUTH OF FULTON STREET; BOTH SIDES OF FULTON STREET, FROM RAILROAD AVENUE TO LINCOLN AVENUE; EAST SIDE OF RAILROAD AVENUE, EXTENDING ABOUT 285 FEET SOUTH OF FULTON STREET; BOTH SIDES OF FULTON STREET, FROM NICHOLS AVENUE TO ELDERS LANE; SOUTH SIDE OF RIDGEWOOD AVENUE, FROM NICHOLS AVENUE TO ELDERS LANE; BOTH SIDES OF GRANT AVENUE, FROM RIDGEWOOD AVENUE TO A POINT ABOUT 325 FEET SOUTH OF FULTON STREET; EAST SIDE OF NICHOLS AVENUE, FROM RIDGEWOOD AVENUE TO A POINT DISTANT 258 FEET SOUTH OF FULTON STREET; NORTH SIDE OF ATLANTIC AVENUE, FROM GRANT AVENUE TO ELDERS LANE; WEST SIDE OF RIDGEWOOD AVENUE.

NO. 10. BOTH SIDES OF EAST ELEVENTH STREET, FROM CORTELYOU ROAD TO BEVERLY ROAD; NORTH SIDE OF CORTELYOU ROAD, FROM EAST ELEVENTH TO EAST TWELFTH STREET; WEST SIDE OF TWELFTH STREET, COMMENCING ABOUT 224 FEET SOUTH OF BEVERLY ROAD AND EXTENDING TO CORTELYOU ROAD.

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 6, 1906, AT 11 A.M., AT WHICH TIME AND PLACE THE SAID OBJECTIONS WILL BE HEARD AND TESTIMONY RECEIVED IN REFERENCE THERETO.

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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 4, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER, THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK HEREBY GIVES PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE CONFIRMATION BY THE SUPREME COURT, AND THE ENTERING IN THE BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS, OF THE ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO THE FOLLOWING-NAMED ROAD IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

OPENING AND EXTENDING OF THE TRIANGULAR STRIP OF LAND AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF WESTCHESTER AVENUE AND TRINITY AVENUE. CONFIRMED DECEMBER 8, 1905; ENTERED JANUARY 10, 1906. AREA OF ASSESSMENT INCLUDES ALL THOSE LANDS, TENEMENTS AND HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES SITUATE, LYING AND BEING IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, WHICH, TAKEN TOGETHER, ARE BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS, VIZ.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the middle line of the blocks between Westchester Avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street with the easterly line of St. Ann's Avenue, running thence northerly along the said easterly line of St. Ann's Avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Westchester Avenue and East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks to the easterly line of Jackson Avenue, running thence northerly along the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street; thence easterly along the said southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street to the westerly line of Tinton Avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Tinton Avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street and East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth Street; thence easterly along the said middle line of the block, to the westerly line of Wales Avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Wales Avenue to the easterly line of Forest Avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Forest Avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street and East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth Street; thence easterly along the said middle line of the block to the w

thence southerly along the westerly line of Wales avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Fifty-first street and East One Hundred and Fifty-second street; thence westerly along the said middle line of the block to the westerly line of Concord avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Concord avenue to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence westerly along the northerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-first street to the westerly line of Robbins avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Robbins avenue to the northerly line of Pontiac place; thence westerly along the northerly line of Pontiac place to the easterly line of Trinity avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Trinity avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Westchester avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence westerly along said middle line of the blocks to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.
EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET—OPENING, from Prospect avenue to Crotona avenue. Confirmed December 8, 1905; entered January 10, 1906. Area of assessment includes:

All those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Prospect avenue with the southeasterly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southeasterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; running thence northwesterly along said prolongation and parallel line and its northwesterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Crotona avenue; thence northeasterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; thence southeasterly along said last-mentioned prolongation and parallel line and its southeasterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Prospect avenue; thence southwesterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET—OPENING, from Prospect avenue to Southern Boulevard. Confirmed December 12, 1905; entered January 10, 1906. Area of assessment includes:

All those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Grote street with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Prospect avenue and Crotona avenue, lying northerly of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; running thence northerly along said last-mentioned prolongation and middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence easterly along said parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Grote street; thence westerly along said prolongation and middle line to the point or place of beginning.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.
WALTON STREET (EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINTH STREET)—OPENING, from Webster avenue to Marion avenue. Confirmed July 10, 1905; entered January 10, 1906. Area of assessment includes:

All those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Marion avenue, and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom, with the westerly side of East Two Hundredth street; thence southerly and southwesterly along said westerly and southwesterly sides of East Two Hundredth street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Webster avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the prolongation southeasterly of the northeasterly side of Oliver place; thence northwesterly along said prolongation and northeasterly side of Oliver place said side produced northwesterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Marion avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above 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, 1906, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 10, 1906.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

SEVENTH AVENUE—REPAIRING SIDEWALKS, east side, from West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street to West One Hundred and Forty-ninth street. Area of assessment: East side of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-ninth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

PLACING CROSSWALKS ACROSS BROADWAY, at the south side of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and the north and south sides of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Broadway, extending southerly from One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street about 100 feet; south side of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, extending easterly from Broadway about 388 feet, and westerly from Broadway about 105 feet; both sides of Broadway, extending northerly and southerly from One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street about 100 feet; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, extending about 388 feet easterly and westerly from Broadway, including Block 2136, Lots Nos. 5, 7 and 10.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on January 9, 1906, and entered on January 9, 1906, 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.

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."

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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, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 10, 1906, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 9, 1906.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO OF CITY REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1906,

at 11 a. m., on the premises, the buildings and appurtenances thereto belonging erected upon real estate acquired for the purpose of constructing thereon a pumping station for the high pressure fire system, under the supervision of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to the buildings thereto belonging acquired for the high pressure fire system, situated in the Borough of Manhattan and described as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly side of Oliver street with the southerly side of Water street, and running thence westerly along the southerly side of Water street 90.83 feet; thence southerly 39.3 feet; thence again westerly 0.8 feet; thence again southerly 121.81 feet to the northerly side of South street; thence easterly along the northerly side of South street 92.04 feet to the northwesterly corner of Oliver and South streets; thence northerly along the westerly side of Oliver street 160.61 feet to the southwesterly corner of Water and Oliver streets, the point or place of beginning.

By direction of the Comptroller the sale of the above-described buildings will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue on Tuesday, January 23, 1906, at 11 a. m., on the premises.

The buildings on the premises above described shall be sold for the highest marketable price at public auction upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must give either a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of one-half of the purchase price as security for the proper performance of the work of removal, which must be completed within thirty working days thereafter.

All the buildings, structures or parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations, of every class and description within the described area, are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb; and any structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler settings, etc., and all stoops and area walls, shall also be torn down to the same level. All tin from roofs, cornices, sides of buildings or partitions, sheds and fences, shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studding, flooring, ceiling roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible material, such as tar and felt roofing, broken lath and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away.

Failure to remove the said buildings and appurtenances or any portion thereof, within said period, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be im-

piled by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against and from all suits and actions, claims and demands, of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliance used in the removal of said buildings by the said successful bidder, and the bidder's assent and agreement to the above conditions is understood to be implied by the act of bidding.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down, but all furlings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings included in the foregoing parcel.

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 5, 1906.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

FIFTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER, between Sixth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-second street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3; TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5; AND TWENTY-NINTH WARD.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on north side of DEGRAW STREET, between Albany and Troy avenues; on east side of EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, between Dorchester and Cortelyou roads; on north side of DORCHESTER ROAD, between East Seventeenth and East Eighteenth streets; on east side of EAST FOURTEENTH STREET, between Cortelyou and Dorchester roads; on north side of ST. MARK'S AVENUE, between Utica and Schenectady avenues; on north side of FORTIETH STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; on south side of FORTY-NINTH STREET, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; and on north side of FIFTIETH STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Degrav street, between Albany and Troy avenues, Block 1382, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 35, 53 and 62; north side of Dorchester road, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street; east side of Seventeenth street, extending about 125 feet north of Dorchester road, on Block 241, Lots Nos. 83 and 85; east side of Fourteenth street, between Cortelyou and Dorchester roads, on Block 257, Lots Nos. 49 and 50; north side of St. Mark's avenue, between Schenectady and Utica avenues, on Block 1354, Lots Nos. 59, 69 to 71, and 73 to 80, inclusive, and 83; north side of Forty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Block 913, Lots Nos. 37 and 61; south side of Forty-ninth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, on Block 786, Lots Nos. 9, 31, 35 and 38; south side of Forty-second street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, Block 724, Lots Nos. 6, 27, 28, 32 and 36; north side of Fiftieth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Block 784, Lots Nos. 49 and 58%.

SEVENTEENTH WARD, SECTION 9.

EAGLE STREET—SEWER, from end of existing sewer east of Oakland street to Provost street, and OUTLET SEWER IN PROVOST STREET, between Eagle and Huron streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Provost street, from Pequod avenue to Huron street; both sides of Dupont street, Eagle street, Freeman street and Greene street, extending about 400 feet west of Provost street; both sides of Eagle street, extending about 292 feet east of Provost street; both sides of Pequod avenue, from Pequod to Setauket street.

EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10.

MORGAN AVENUE AND STAGG STREET—SEWER BASIN at the southeast corner. Area of assessment: East side of Morgan avenue, from Stagg street to Scholes street.

EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10; TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13; AND TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on the east and west sides of SHEPHERD AVENUE, between Ridgewood and Arlington avenues; on the northwest side of COVERT STREET, between Evergreen and Central avenues; on the southeast side of POWERS STREET, between Catherine and Olive streets; on the east side of VAN SICKLEN AVENUE, between Belmont and DuMont avenues. Area of assessment: East side of Shepherd avenue, extending about 120 feet north of Arlington avenue; west side of Shepherd avenue, extending about 100 feet north of Arlington avenue; northwest side of Covert street, between Evergreen and Central avenues, on Block 2416, Lot No. 53; south side of Powers street, between Olive street and Catherine street, on Block 2923, Lots Nos. 6 and 15; east side of Van Sicklen avenue, from Belmont to Dumont avenue.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTIONS 3 AND 4; TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11; AND EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10.

LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON WEST SIDE OF SEVENTH AVENUE, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets; on north side of SEVENTH STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues; on southeast side of PALMETTO STREET, between Irving and Ridgewood avenues; on southwest side of MORGAN AVENUE, between Johnson and Montrose avenues; on southwest side of MORGAN AVENUE, between

Meserole and Scholes streets; on northeast and southwest sides of MORGAN AVENUE, between Scholes and Stagg streets. Area of assessment: West side of Seventh avenue, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, Block 892, Lots Nos. 41 and 42; north side of Seventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues, on Block 992, Lots Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11; west side of Morgan avenue, between Meserole and Scholes streets, on Block 3048, Lot No. 14; both sides of Morgan avenue, between Stagg and Stagg streets, on Block 3039, Lots Nos. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, and Block 2961, Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD, SECTION 6.

OCEAN PLACE—GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING, from 50 feet north of Atlantic avenue to Atlantic avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ocean place, extending half-way from Atlantic avenue to Herkimer street; north side of Atlantic avenue, extending about 100 feet east and west from Ocean place.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12.

FLAGGING SIDEWALKS on north side of PITKIN AVENUE, between Powell street and Snediker avenue; on west side of SMEDIKE AVENUE, between Glenmore and Pitkin avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Pitkin avenue, extending about 100 feet east of Powell street, and north side of Pitkin avenue, from Snediker avenue to Junius street. LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on west and east sides of STONE AVENUE, between Belmont and Sutter avenues; on west side of STONE AVENUE, between Sutter and Blake avenues; on west and east sides of STONE AVENUE, between Blake and Riverdale avenues. Area of assessment: East side of Stone avenue, between Sutter and Belmont avenues, Block 3743, Lots Nos. 7 and 8; west side of Stone avenue

EIGHTEENTH AND TWENTY-FIRST WARDS, SECTION 3.

OUTLET SEWER AND OVERFLOW at the foot of TWENTY-FIRST STREET, EAST RIVER, and SEWERS in MARGINAL STREET, west side, between Eighteenth and Twenty-third streets, with alterations and improvements to SEWER in TWENTY-SECOND STREET, between marginal street and Avenue A. Area of assessment: West side of marginal street, from Eighteenth to Twenty-third street; both sides of Avenue B, from Twentieth to Twenty-first street; both sides of Avenue A, from Nineteenth to Twenty-second street; east side of First avenue, from Nineteenth to Twenty-third street; west side of First avenue, from Twenty-first to Twenty-third street; both sides of Second avenue, Third avenue and Lexington avenue, from Twenty-first to Twenty-third street; both sides of Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, from marginal street to Avenue B; both sides of Twentieth street, from Avenue A to First avenue; both sides of Twenty-first street, from marginal street to First avenue; both sides of Twenty-second street, from marginal street to Broadway; south side of Twenty-third street, from Second avenue to Broadway; north side of Twenty-third street, from Lexington avenue to Broadway; north side of Twenty-first street, from Lexington avenue to Fifth avenue, and south side of Twenty-first street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue; both sides of Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, from Fourth avenue to Broadway; west side of Fourth avenue, from Seventeenth to Thirty-first street; east side of Fourth avenue, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street; east side of Broadway, from Seventeenth to Thirty-second street; west side of Broadway, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street; both sides of Fifth avenue, from Twenty-fifth to Thirty-fourth street; both sides of Madison avenue, from Twenty-third to Thirty-first street; both sides of Twenty-fourth street and Twenty-fifth street, from Fourth to Madison avenue; north side of Twenty-fifth street, extending from Fifth avenue to about 175 feet west of Broadway; both sides of Twenty-sixth street, from Fourth to Sixth avenue; both sides of Twenty-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to a point distant about 177 feet west of Broadway; both sides of Twenty-ninth street and Thirtieth street, from Fourth avenue to Broadway; south side of Thirty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Broadway; north side of Thirty-first street, from Madison avenue to Broadway, and south side of Thirty-second street, extending 460 feet west of Fifth avenue.

that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on January 2, 1906, and entered on January 2, 1906, 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.

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 on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record." * * *

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before March 3, 1906, 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.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, |
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 2, 1905. |

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CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 1906,

at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in the following-described property, which it has by virtue of a lease from Cornelius Ferguson, Supervisor of the Town of New Utrecht, to the City of Brooklyn, which lease is recorded in the Register's Office of Kings County, in Liber 1715, page 143:

All that certain lot on the assessment maps of the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, known as Lot No. 6, Block 1144, which property lies in section 18, in Block 6141, part of Lot No. 11, on the land map of the County of Kings, and also designated on the assessment map for the opening of Ninety-second street to the Shore road, in the Town of New Utrecht, known by the assessment number 228, which was sold September 6, 1884, for one hundred years to the Town of New Utrecht for the sum of \$80.21.

The minimum or upset price at which the same shall be sold be and is hereby appraised and fixed at the sum of \$183.12, the purchaser, in addition thereto, to pay the auctioneer's fees and the further sum of \$100 for the expenses of examination, advertising, etc. The sale of said premises is to be made on the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of his bid or purchase money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale, together with the further sum of \$100 for expenses of examination, advertising, conveyance, etc. The quit-claim deed for the above-described premises to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board, held December 27, 1905.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, |
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 30, 1905. |

CORPORATION SALE OF TAX CERTIFICATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 1906,

at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to a certain tax sale certificate registered in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Borough of Brooklyn, in Liber 83, by the certificate number 5640, on the 21st day of July, 1886, the date of the sale, being the sale for the non-payment of taxes on Lot No. 24, in Block 155, of the Twenty-fourth Ward, and located on the south side of Dean street, between Troy and Schenectady avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

The minimum or upset price at which the said certificate is to be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at \$370. The sale of the said certificate will be made on the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount due on said certificate as purchase money at the time of the sale, which sum shall not be less than \$370, together with the further sum of \$25 to cover the cost and expense of advertising. The assignment of the certificate of sales for taxes duly executed by the proper officer will be delivered to the purchaser at the time of sale, and shall be taken by the said purchaser without recourse.

The Comptroller may at his option resell the certificate if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for the costs and expenses of resale. The right to reject any bid is reserved.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held December 27, 1905.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, |
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 30, 1905. |

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greatest 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 QUEENS:

Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 644 of the Laws of 1893, for improvements in Long Island City, to wit:

No. 1. SEWERS ON THE CRESCENT, BETWEEN NOTT AVENUE AND JANE STREET; PROSPECT STREET, BETWEEN HARRIS AVENUE AND JANE STREET; JANE STREET, BETWEEN THE CRESCENT AND HUNTER AVENUE; HUNTER AVENUE, BETWEEN THIRTEENTH STREET AND SKILLMAN AVENUE.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of the Crescent, from Jane street to Nott avenue; both sides of Prospect street, from Jane street to Harris avenue; both sides of Hunter avenue, from Skillman avenue to Thirteenth street; both sides of Jane street, from the Crescent to Hunter avenue.

No. 2. PIPE SEWER AND APPURTENANCES ON STEINWAY AVENUE, BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND POTTER AVENUE, AND ON BROADWAY, BETWEEN VERNON AVENUE AND NEWTON ROAD.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Steinway avenue, from Washington avenue to Potter avenue; both sides of Broadway, from Vernon avenue to Newtown road.

No. 3. SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES ON HARRIS AVENUE, FROM BULKHEAD LINE OF THE EAST RIVER TO HUNTER AVENUE, THROUGH HUNTER AVENUE TO HENRY STREET, THROUGH THE CRESCENT TO JANE STREET.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Harris avenue, from the bulkhead line of the East river to Hunter avenue; both sides of the Crescent, from a point about two hundred and fifty feet east of Wilbur avenue to Nott avenue; both sides of Hunter avenue, from Harris avenue to Skillman avenue; both sides of Vernon avenue, from Charles street to Harris avenue; both sides of Hamilton street, from Harris avenue to a point about two hundred and fifty-three feet south of Bodine street; both sides of Hancock street, from a point about two hundred and forty feet north of Harris avenue to a point about one hundred and thirty feet south of Bodine street; both sides of Boulevard, from a point about two hundred and forty feet north of Harris avenue to Fourteenth street; both sides of Sherman place, from a point about one hundred and forty feet north of Harris avenue to Fourteenth street; both sides of Hancock street, from a point about one hundred and forty feet north of Harris avenue to Fourteenth street; both sides of Marion street, from Harris avenue to a point about one hundred and thirty feet south of Bodine street; 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Nott avenue; north side of Jackson avenue, from Van Alst avenue to Nott avenue.

No. 12. REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN BROADWAY, FROM EAST RIVER TO NEWTOWN ROAD.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Broadway, from the East river to Newtown road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 13. GRADING HUNTER AVENUE, FROM NOTT TO SKILLMAN AVENUE; GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN PROSPECT STREET, FROM HUNTER AVENUE TO JANE STREET; GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN CRESCENT, FROM HUNTER AVENUE TO JANE STREET; GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND FLAGGING JANE STREET, FROM HUNTER AVENUE TO CRESCENT; GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN HARRIS AVENUE, FROM HUNTER AVENUE TO CRESCENT.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Hunter avenue, from Nott avenue to Skillman avenue; both sides of Prospect street, from Hunter avenue to Jane street; both sides of Crescent, from Hunter avenue to Jane street; both sides of Harris avenue, from Hunter avenue to Crescent, and to the extent of half the block at all intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 14. REGULATING, GRADING, ASPHALTING PAVEMENT, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN NINTH STREET, BETWEEN JACKSON AVENUE AND VAN ALST AVENUE; TWELFTH STREET, FROM JACKSON TO VAN ALST AVENUE; ELY AVENUE, BETWEEN JACKSON AND NOTT AVENUES.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Ninth, Eleventh and Twelfth streets, from Jackson avenue to Van Alst avenue; both sides of Ely avenue, from Jackson avenue to Nott avenue, and to the extent of half the block at all intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 15. REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN VERNON AVENUE, FROM TENTH STREET TO ONE HUNDRED FEET NORTH OF NOTT AVENUE, KNOWN AS THE BOUNDARY LINE OF THE FIRST WARD IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Vernon avenue, from Tenth street to one hundred feet north of Nott avenue; both sides of Hancock street, from Twelfth street to Nott avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 16. COMPLETING THE REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND PAVING OF THE UNFINISHED PART OF JACKSON AVENUE, FROM ANABLE AVENUE TO ONE HUNDRED FEET NORTH OF NOTT AVENUE, KNOWN AS THE NORTHERLY BOUNDARY LINE OF THE FIRST WARD IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Jackson avenue, from Anable avenue to one hundred feet north of Nott avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 17. REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS IN HOPKINS AVENUE, FROM BROADWAY TO ELM STREET; JAMAICA AVENUE, FROM BOULEVARD TO STEINWAY AVENUE; VAN ALST AVENUE, FROM BROADWAY TO JAMAICA AVENUE; LINCOLN STREET, FROM HOPKINS AVENUE TO CRESCENT; KOUWENHOVEN STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO GRAND AVENUE; CAMELIA STREET AND SHERMAN STREET, BETWEEN BOULEVARD AND HOPKINS AVENUE, AND BETWEEN BROADWAY AND CAMELIA STREET.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Hopkins avenue, from Broadway to Elm street; both sides of Jamaica avenue, from Boulevard to Steinway avenue; both sides of Van Alst avenue, from Broadway to Jamaica avenue; both sides of Lincoln street, from Hopkins avenue to Crescent; both sides of Kouwenhoven street, from Broadway to Grand avenue; both sides of Camelia street, from Boulevard to Hopkins avenue; both sides of Sherman street, from Camelia street to Broadway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 18. EXTRA WORK IN CONNECTION WITH THE REGULATING, GRADING, ETC., OF VERNON AVENUE, FROM TENTH STREET TO ONE HUNDRED FEET NORTH OF NOTT AVENUE, IN THE CONSTRUCTION, RAISING AND RESETTING OF MANHOLES AND RECEIVING-BASINS AND APPURTENANCES.

Area of assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

Both sides of Vernon avenue, from a point about one hundred feet south of Eleventh street to Nott avenue; both sides of Hancock street, from Twelfth street to a point about one hundred and thirty-six feet north of Twelfth street; both sides of Eleventh and Twelfth streets, extending about four hundred and twenty-five feet east of Vernon avenue; both sides of Division street, extending about one hundred and eight feet west of Vernon avenue; east side of Vernon avenue, from Nott avenue to Thirteenth street; south side of Thirteenth street, extending about one hundred and forty-six feet east of Hamilton street.

The Board of Assessors has levied and assessed the foregoing assessments in twenty equal annual installments:

The "Third Installment" in each case is now due and payable, and hereafter for seventeen years an amount equal to one of the aforesaid annual installments with interest shall be assessed upon the lots or parcels of land benefited by said improvements. These assessments were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on December 29, 1903, and the "Third Installment" entered on December 29, 1905, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

Unless the amount of the third installment in each case shall be paid within sixty days after said date of entry, interest shall be charged, collected and received thereon as provided in 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 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 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 February 27, 1906, will be exempt from interest, above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,]
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 29, 1905.]
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK,
March 26, 1903.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case, one surety company will be accepted as sufficient upon all contracts for supplies for furniture, and for gas and electric lighting to any amount, and upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

For supplies and furniture, with patented articles.....	\$5,000
Regulating, grading, paving (other than asphalt).....	15,000
Over 2 years.....	5,000
School building repairs.....	10,000
Heating and lighting apparatus.....	5,000
New buildings—New docks.....	25,000
Sewers—Dredging and water-mains—	
Not over 2 years.....	10,000
Over 2 years.....	5,000

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

SUPREME COURT.—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of STEUBEN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Moshulu parkway to Gun Hill road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 24th day of November, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block Nos. 3326, 3327, 3336, 3337 and 3339, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 4th day of December, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 9th day of February, 1906, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, January 11, 1906.

EDWARD D. DOWLING,
GEORGE J. CLARKE,
JOHN J. MACKIN,
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 widening of CANAL STREET WEST, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and a point 251.77 feet southerly (although not yet named

by proper authority), in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as shown on the map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 29, 1905.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, FIRST DEPARTMENT, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD AT PART III. THEREOF, IN THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON FRIDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1906, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE USE OF THE PUBLIC, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE WIDENING OF A CERTAIN STREET OR AVENUE KNOWN AS CANAL STREET WEST, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET AND A POINT 251.77 FEET SOUTHERLY, IN THE TWENTY-THIRD WARD, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, ON FRIDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1906, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER. 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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Haven avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 24th day of November, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block Nos. 2176 and 2177, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 4th day of December, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue or affected thereby and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 6th day of February, 1906, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, January 10, 1906.

ARTHUR D. TRUAX,
JAMES P. O'CONNOR,
JOSEPH T. RYAN.
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the northwesterly side of BAINBRIDGE AVENUE and the northeasterly side of BRIGGS AVENUE, one hundred (100) feet north of Two Hundred and First street, in the Borough of The Bronx, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS the intention of the Corporation Counsel to make application to the Supreme Court at a Special Term, Part III., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan on the 23d day of January, 1906, at the call of the calendar on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard for the appointment of three disinterested persons, being citizens of the United States and residents of the Borough of The Bronx, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in certain property situated in the Borough of The Bronx, bounded and described as follows:

"All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land known as Lots Nos. 53, 55, 59, 98 and part of Lot No. 48, in Block 3209, section 12, of the Tax Maps of the Borough of The Bronx, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Briggs avenue with the southwesterly line of the lands of Public School 8, which point is distant two hundred and thirty-nine and ninety-three one-hundredths (239.93) feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Moshulu parkway, and running thence southwesterly along the southeasterly line of Briggs avenue fifty-five and twenty-eight one-hundredths (55.28) feet; thence southerly along the westerly line of Lots Nos. 55 and 53 sixty-five and thirty one-hundredths (65.30) feet to the southerly line of Lot No. 53; thence easterly along the southerly line of Lot No. 53 eighty-two and sixty-seven one-hundredths (82.67) feet to its intersection with the westerly line of Lot No. 98; thence southwesterly and parallel with Briggs avenue to a point distant one hundred (100) feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of East Two Hundred and First street; thence southeasterly and parallel with East Two Hundred and First street to the northwesterly line of Bainbridge avenue; thence northeasterly along the northwesterly line of Bainbridge avenue one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet to the southwesterly line of the lands of Public School 8; thence northwesterly along the southwesterly line of the lands of Public School 8 two hundred and thirty-one and twelve one-hundredths (231.12) feet to the southeasterly line of Briggs avenue, the point or place of beginning."

Dated NEW YORK, January 8, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
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, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of POPHAM AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to Montgomery avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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, 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 23d day of January, 1906, 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 the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 10, 1906.

J. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN,
JOHN A. HAWKINS,
MARTIN F. HUBERT,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of the approach to the bridge over the Bronx river, opposite Wakefield avenue, City of Yonkers, lying within the lines of East Two Hundred and Forty-first street (Becker avenue), from the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Bronx river, as laid out by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 26, 1904, 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 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 24th day of January, 1906, 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 Kings, 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 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 10, 1906.

ARTHUR H. WADICK,
T. CHANNON PRESS,
FRANCIS SHACKELL,
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, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of a NEW STREET, north of Fairview avenue, and extending from Broadway to first new avenue west of Broadway, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 24th day of November, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 2180, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 4th day of December, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4, of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 6th day of February, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, January 3, 1906.

in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, January 10, 1906.

WILLIAM A. SWEETSER,
JAMES J. NUGENT,
VITO CONTESSA,
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, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BELMONT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Clay avenue to Morris avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

W E, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of January, 1906, 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 24th day of January, 1906, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 30th day of January, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, and running easterly along the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to the northerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Clay avenue and Webster avenue, lying between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street; thence southerly along said prolongation and middle line to its intersection with a line 500 feet southerly from the northerly line of Belmont street; thence westerly along said line parallel to Belmont street to its intersection with the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence northerly along the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the point of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, 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 27th day of March, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 6, 1905.

FRANCIS W. POLLOCK,
Chairman;
LOUIS G. CASSIDY,
JAMES T. LANE,
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, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of KOSUTH PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Moshulu parkway to DeKalb avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 24th day of November, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of December, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Blocks 3326 and 3327, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 4th day of December, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4, of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of January, 1906, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, January 3, 1906.

FRANCIS X. KELLY,
ROBERT I. COURTEENAY,
JOHN A. HAWKINS,
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, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BELMONT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Clay avenue to Morris avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

W E, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of January, 1906, 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 24th day of January, 1906, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our

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 CRESTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tremont avenue to Minerva place, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street, or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

In re applications for damages to new Lot No. 32 in new Block 3170 (old Lot No. 33 in old Block 1096); new lot No. 34 in new Block 3170 (old Lot No. 24 in old Block 1096); new Lot No. 46 in new Block 3170 (old Lot No. 13 in old Block 1096); new Lot No. 50 in new Block 3170 (old Lot No. 7 in old Block 1096); new Lot No. 4 in old Block 1096); new Lots Nos. 56 and 58 in new Block 3170, by reason of the discontinuance, abandonment and closing in front thereof of former Monroe avenue or Avenue A, or Morris avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re applications for damages to new Lot No. 7 in new Block 3162 (old Lot No. 67 in old Block 1096); new Lot No. 9 in new Block 3162 (old Lot No. 13 in old Block 1096); new Lot No. 40 in new Block 3170 and new Lot No. 15 in new Block 3162 (old Lot No. 55 in old Block 1096); new Lot No. 45 in new Block 3162 (old Lot No. 4 in old Block 1095); new Lot No. 43 in new Block 3162 (old Lot No. 10 in old Block 1095); new Lot No. 41 in new Block 3162 (old Lot No. 13 in old Block 1095); new Lot No. 39 in new Block 3162 (old Lot No. 17 in old Block 1095); new Lot No. 35 in new Block 3162 (old Lot No. 18 in old Block 1095); new Lot No. 24 in new Block 3162 (old Lot No. 30 in old Block 1095); new Lots Nos. 20 and 22 in new Block 3162, by reason of the discontinuance, abandonment and closing in front thereof, of former Creston avenue, or Avenue B, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re applications for damages to new Lot No. 12 in new Block 3170 and new Lot No. 45 in new Block 3181 (old Lot No. 48 in old Block 1097); new lot No. 9 in new Block 3180, new Lot No. 1 in new Block 3170 and new Lot No. 32 in new Block 3178 (old Lots Nos. 37, 51, 77 and 83 in old Block 1100); new Lot No. 17 in new Block 3170 and new Lot No. 42 in new Block 3181 (old Lot No. 42 in old Block 1097); new Lot No. 37 in new Block 3181 (old Lot No. 37 in old Block 1097), by reason of the discontinuance, abandonment and closing in front thereof, of former Morris or Monroe avenue or Avenue A, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re applications for damages to new Lot No. 75 in new Block 2808 (old Lot No. 46 in old Block 1127); new Lot No. 66 in new Block 2808 and new Lots Nos. 70, 72 and 73 in new Block 2807 (old Lot No. 36 in old Block 1127); new Lots Nos. 37 and 62 in new Block 2808, and new Lots Nos. 20 and 79 in new Block 2807 (old Lot No. 90 in old Block 1127), by reason of the discontinuance, abandonment and closing in front thereof, of former Morris or Monroe avenue or Avenue B, from East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to Burnside avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re applications for damages to new Lots Nos. 1 and 18 in new Block 3160, and new Lot No. 1 in new Block 3161 (old Lot No. 26 in old Block 1102); old Lot No. 1 in old Block 1100, and old Lot No. 1 in old Block 1101); new Lot No. 20 in new Block 3169, and new Lot No. 39 in new Block 3178 (old Lot No. 29 in old Block 1100), by reason of the discontinuance, abandonment and closing in front thereof, of former Morris or Monroe avenue, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

In re applications for damages to new Lots Nos. 5 and 29 in new Block 2824 (old Lots Nos. 1 and 46 in old Block 1192), by reason of the discontinuance, abandonment and closing in front thereof, of Walnut street, from Eden avenue to Morris avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

WE, THE COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding, having been directed as follows:

First—By orders bearing date the 6th day of August, 1903, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 6th day of August, 1903, to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any, which upon proofs of all the facts should justly be made and legally awarded to United Real Estate and Trust Company, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises bounded on the east by Monroe avenue; on the west by Jerome avenue and extending from Burnside avenue to the lines of one Jacka and one Lord, a portion of which premises is now known as new Lot No. 1 in new Block 3160, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, in front of and adjoining said premises;

And for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as New Lot No. 75 in New Block 2808, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, in front of and adjoining said premises;

And for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises bounded on the north by the lands formerly of George De Forrest Lord; on the south by a line drawn 130 feet north of Burnside avenue running parallel or nearly so with Burnside avenue; on the east by Valentine avenue, and on the west by Monroe avenue, a portion of which premises is now known as New Lot No. 18 in New Block 3160 and New Lot No. 1 in New Block 3161, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, in front of and adjoining said premises;

And for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises bounded on the north by the lands formerly of George De Forrest Lord; on the south by a line drawn 130 feet north of Burnside avenue running parallel or nearly so with Burnside avenue; on the east by Valentine avenue, and on the west by Monroe avenue, a portion of which premises is now known as New Lot No. 18 in New Block 3160 and New Lot No. 1 in New Block 3161, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, in front of and adjoining said premises;

Second—By order bearing date the 11th day of October, 1903, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 11th day of November, 1903, to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any, which upon proofs of all the facts should justly be made and legally awarded to Peter Quinn, individually, and as administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of Mary E. Quinn, deceased, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as New Lot No. 15 in New Block 3162 and as New Lot No. 40 in New Block 3170, on the tax maps of the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York, and as

Lot No. 163 on the map of Prospect Hill Estate, by reason of the discontinuance and closing of Creston avenue, otherwise known as Avenue B, in front of and adjoining said premises;

Third—By order bearing date the 16th day of November, 1903, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 16th day of November, 1903, to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any, which upon proofs of all the facts should justly be made and legally awarded to William B. Ewing, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Lots Nos. 177 and 178, on the map of "Prospect Hill Estate, a portion of said premises being also known as New Lot No. 45 in New Block 3162, in Section 11, on the tax maps of The City of New York, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Avenue B, or Creston avenue, in front of and adjoining said premises;

Fourth—By order bearing date the 12th day of December, 1903, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 12th day of December, 1903, to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any, which upon proofs of all the facts should justly be made and legally awarded to John Heffner, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as New Lots Nos. 9 and 46 in New Blocks 3162 and 3170 respectively, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Creston avenue, or Avenue B, and Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, in front of and adjoining said premises;

Fifth—By order bearing date the 30th day of December, 1903, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 30th day of December, 1903, to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any, which upon proofs of all the facts should justly be made and legally awarded

To John Reiner, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by reason of or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 10 in Block 3162, a portion of which premises is now known as New Lot No. 43 in New Block 3162, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Creston avenue, or Avenue B, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Henry A. V. Post, as trustee, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 24 in old Block 1096, a portion of which premises is now known as New Lot No. 34 in New Block 3170, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

To Martha A. Titherington, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Lot No. 32 in Block 3170, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, between One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Charles A. Dards, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lots Nos. 37, 51, 77 and 83 in old Block 1100; new Lot No. 17 in new Block 3170 and new Lot No. 42 in new Block 3181 (old Lot No. 42 in old Block 1097); new Lot No. 37 in new Block 3181 (old Lot No. 37 in old Block 1097), by reason of the discontinuance, abandonment and closing in front thereof, of former Morris or Monroe avenue or Avenue A, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

To Theodore Sattler and Lydia Sattler, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as old Lot No. 19 in Old Block 3170, and now known as New Lot No. 58 in New Block 3170 on the tax maps of The City of New York, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Morris avenue, or Avenue A, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Terence Quinn and Catharine Quinn, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 13 in Old Block 1095, now known in part as New Lot No. 41 in New Block 3162, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Creston avenue, or Avenue B, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Frederick Lange, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lots Nos. 17 and 18 in Old Block 1095, and now known in part as New Lots Nos. 35 and 39 in New Block 3162, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Creston avenue, or Avenue B, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Charles Creighton, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as New Lot No. 22 in New Block 3162, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Creston avenue, or Avenue B, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Charles Creighton, as executor, etc., for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 24 in Old Block 1095, and now known as New Lot No. 20 in New Block 3162, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Creston avenue, or Avenue B, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Mary L. Rothkirsch, as executrix, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as New Lot No. 22 in New Block 3162, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Creston avenue, or Avenue B, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Johanna Ronan, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 4 in Old Block 1096, and now known as New Lot No. 52 in New Block 3170, by reason of the discontinuance and closing of Monroe avenue, otherwise known as Avenue A, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Mary Ann McCarroll, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as New Lot No. 24 in New Block 3162, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Creston avenue, or Avenue B, between One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and Creston avenue, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Thomas Jacka, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 29 in Old Block 1100, and now known in part as New Lot No. 20, 29 and 39 in New Block 3169 and New Lot No. 39 in New Block 3178, by reason of the closing and discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, between Burnside avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

Sixth—By orders bearing date the 11th day of July, 1903, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 11th day of November, 1903, to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any, which upon proofs of all the facts should justly be made and legally awarded to Peter Quinn, individually, and as administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of Mary E. Quinn, deceased, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as New Lot No. 15 in New Block 3162 and as New Lot No. 40 in New Block 3170, on the tax maps of the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York, and as

Seventh—By orders, bearing date the 18th day of August, 1902, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 18th and 19th days of August, 1902, respectively, to ascertain and determine the compensation, if any, which should justly be made and legally awarded

To Ernest Wenigman, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 36 in Old Block 1127, and now known in part as New Lot No. 66 in New Block 2808, and New Lots Nos. 70, 72 and 73 in New Block 2807, by and in consequence of the discontinuance and closing of Monroe or Morris avenue, and Fleetwood avenue, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Charles Bernhard, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises formerly designated on the tax maps as Lot No. 90 in Block 1127, and now known in part as New Lots Nos. 37 and 62 in New Block 2808 and New Lots Nos. 20 and 79 in New Block 2807, by and in consequence of the discontinuance and closing of Monroe or Morris avenue, and Fleetwood avenue, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Catharine Daly, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Lot No. 53 in Block 3181, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Wilhelmina R. Finlay, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Lot No. 37 in Block 3181, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, between Cameron place and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Jacob Pritz, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 48 in Old Block 1097, and now known as New Lot No. 12 in New Block 3170, and New Lot No. 45 in New Block 3181, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, between Cameron place and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Martha A. Titherington, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Lot No. 32 in Block 3170, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, between One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Michael Murray, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 42 in Block 1097, and now known in part as New Lot No. 42 in New Block 3181 and New Lot No. 17 in New Block 3170, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, between One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Michael Murray, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 42 in Block 1097, and now known in part as New Lot No. 42 in New Block 3181 and New Lot No. 17 in New Block 3170, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Monroe avenue, or Avenue A, between One Hundred and Eighty-first and One Hundred and Eighty-second streets, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To James P. Dunn, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 29 in Block 2824, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Walnut street, from Second avenue to Third avenue, as laid out on map of village of Mount Eden, filed February 14, 1854, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To William E. Major, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Lot No. 5 in Block 2824, by reason of the discontinuance, closing and abandonment of Walnut street, from Eden avenue to Fleetwood avenue, as laid out on the map of Mount Eden, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Michael Murray, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 29 in Block 2824, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Walnut street, from Eden avenue to Fleetwood avenue, as laid out on the map of Mount Eden, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Michael Murray, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 29 in Block 2824, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Walnut street, from Eden avenue to Fleetwood avenue, as laid out on the map of Mount Eden, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Michael Murray, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 29 in Block 2824, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Walnut street, from Eden avenue to Fleetwood avenue, as laid out on the map of Mount Eden, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Michael Murray, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 29 in Block 2824, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Walnut street, from Eden avenue to Fleetwood avenue, as laid out on the map of Mount Eden, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Michael Murray, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 29 in Block 2824, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Walnut street, from Eden avenue to Fleetwood avenue, as laid out on the map of Mount Eden, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Michael Murray, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 29 in Block 2824, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Walnut street, from Eden avenue to Fleetwood avenue, as laid out on the map of Mount Eden, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Michael Murray, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 29 in Block 2824, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Walnut street, from Eden avenue to Fleetwood avenue, as laid out on the map of Mount Eden, in front of and adjoining said premises;

To Michael Murray, for the loss and damage, if any, sustained by or in connection with the premises known as Old Lot No. 29 in Block 2824, by reason of the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Walnut street, from Eden avenue to Fleetwood avenue, as laid out on the map of Mount Eden, in front of and adjoining said premises;

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of PALISADE PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Popham avenue to Sedgwick avenue, 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, 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 23d day of January, 1906, 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 the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 10, 1906.

WILLIAM G. FISHER,
F. DE R. WISSMANN,
T. CHANNON PRESS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SUPREME COURT.—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 BRIGGS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Bronx river to Pelham Bay Park, 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 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 26th day of January, 1906, 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 Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 13, 1906.

SAM'L McMILLAN,
JAMES F. SMITH,
FRANK GASS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of WEBSTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the East river to Jackson 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 supplemental and amended estimate of assessment, as directed by an order of the Supreme Court dated April 5, 1905, 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, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 5th day of February, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of February, 1906, at 12 o'clock m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate of assessment, together with our benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, in said city, there to remain until the 14th day of February, 1906.

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 the middle line of the block, between Webster avenue and Washington avenue, and the southeasterly line of the East River; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southerly line of Jackson avenue; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Webster avenue and Freeman avenue; thence northwesterly along said prolongation and middle line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of the East river; thence northeasterly along said southeasterly line of the East river to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our supplemental and amended 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 30th day of March, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 11, 1906.

GEO. H. SMITH,
Chairman;
P. J. HANNIGAN,
W. L. WOODILL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of PUTNAM AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brooklyn Borough line to Fresh Pond road, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 1st day of July, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 29th day of September, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 29th day of September, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereto.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 23, 1905.

STEPHEN H. VORIS,
MICHAEL P. HOLLAND,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 1st day of July, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 29th day of September, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 29th day of September, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereto.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 23, 1905.

STEPHEN H. VORIS,
MICHAEL P. HOLLAND,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of FREEMAN 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.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 23, 1905.

STEPHEN H. VORIS,
MICHAEL P. HOLLAND,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of FREEMAN 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 1st day of July, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 29th day of September, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 29th day of September, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereto.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 23, 1905.

STEPHEN H. VORIS,
MICHAEL P. HOLLAND,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of FREEMAN 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 1st day of July, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 29th day of September, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 29th day of September, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereto.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 23, 1905.

STEPHEN H. VORIS,
MICHAEL P. HOLLAND,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of January, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 23, 1905.

WILLIAM E. STEWART,
BENJAMIN J. MCDONALD,
P. J. HANNIGAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to PALMETTO STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brooklyn Borough line to Fresh Pond road, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 1st day of July, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 29th day of September, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or

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 HULL AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Montgomery avenue to Mueller street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court-house, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Hull avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Mueller street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Montgomery avenue with the southerly line of Hull avenue, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence northerly for sixty (60) feet along the easterly line of Montgomery avenue to the northerly line of Hull avenue;

2d. Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety degrees (90°) for two thousand eight hundred eleven and twenty-seven hundredths (2,811.27) feet along the northerly line of Hull avenue to the westerly line of Clark avenue;

3d. Thence easterly deflecting to the left twenty-eight degrees fifty-seven minutes and fifty seconds (28° 57' 50") for sixty-two and eighty-one hundredths (62.81) feet along the northerly line of Hull avenue to the easterly line of Clark avenue;

4th. Thence easterly deflecting to the right eighteen degrees twenty-seven minutes and five seconds (18° 27' 05") for three thousand five hundred forty-two and thirty-five hundredths (3,542.35) feet along the northerly line of Hull avenue to the westerly line of Willow avenue;

5th. Thence northerly deflecting to the left ninety-four degrees twenty-three minutes and fifty-five seconds (94° 23' 55") for sixty and eight-tenths (60.8) feet along the westerly line of Willow avenue to the northwesterly line of Hull avenue;

6th. Thence northeasterly deflecting to the right fifty-five degrees nineteen minutes and thirteen seconds (55° 19' 13") for one thousand seven hundred forty-one and thirty-six hundredths (1,741.36) feet along the northwesterly line of Hull avenue to the westerly line of Mueller street;

7th. Thence southerly deflecting to the right one hundred twenty-two degrees twenty-four minutes and forty-eight seconds (122° 24' 48") for fifty-nine and twenty-three hundredths (59.23) feet along the westerly line of Mueller street to the southeasterly line of Hull avenue;

8th. Thence southwesterly deflecting to the right fifty-seven degrees thirty-five minutes and twelve seconds (57° 35' 12") for one thousand six hundred eighty-seven and eight-hundredths (1,687.08) feet along the southeasterly line of Hull avenue to the easterly line of Willow avenue;

9th. Thence southerly deflecting to the left fifty-five degrees nineteen minutes and thirteen seconds (55° 19' 13") for eighty-four and ninety-two hundredths (84.92) feet along the easterly line of Willow avenue to the southerly line of Hull avenue;

10th. Thence westerly deflecting to the right ninety-four degrees twenty-three minutes and fifty-five seconds (94° 23' 55") for three thousand five hundred ninety-five and thirty-two hundredths (3,595.32) feet along the southerly line of Hull avenue to the easterly line of Clark avenue;

11th. Thence westerly deflecting to the left twenty-seven degrees thirty-seven minutes and two seconds (27° 37' 02") for sixty-seven and two-hundredths (67.02) feet along the southerly line of Hull avenue to the westerly line of Clark avenue;

12th. Thence westerly for two thousand eight hundred twenty-three and seventy-six hundredths (2,823.76) feet along the southerly line of Hull avenue to the easterly line of Montgomery avenue, the point of beginning.

Hull avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Mueller street, is shown on a certain map entitled "Topographical Map showing a street system and grades of that portion of the Second Ward (Town of Newtown), Borough of Queens, bounded by Jackson avenue, Fisk avenue, Grand street, Long Island Railroad, Dry Harbor road, Cooper avenue, Myrtle avenue, Manhattan Beach Railroad, Brooklyn Borough Line and First Ward boundary line," prepared under authority of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, on or about the 10th day of November, 1903.

Dated New York, January 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of LAWRENCE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Flushing avenue to Winthrop avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1905, and duly entered on the 18th day of December, 1905, John D. Peace, John B. Merrill and Leander B. Faber were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said John D. Peace will attend at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated JANUARY 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and widening of WEST FARMS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Bronx river to Westchester creek, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 16th day of December, 1905, and duly entered on the 28th day of December, 1905, William H. Birchall, George P. Baisley and Peter A. Sheil were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said William H. Birchall, George P. Baisley and Peter A. Sheil will attend at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated JANUARY 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SEA VIEW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Richmond avenue to Southfield Boulevard, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated JANUARY 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
j12,24

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 NICHOLAS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Richmond terrace to the pier head line in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1905, and duly entered on the 19th day of December, 1905, Sidney F. Rawson, John F. Dunn and William T. Croak were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said Sidney F. Rawson, John F. Dunn and William T. Croak will attend at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated JANUARY 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
j12,24

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 VAN DEVENTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from old Bowery Bay road to Second avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1905, and duly entered on the 18th day of December, 1905, John E. Van Nostrand, Joseph Fitch and John J. Trapp were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said John E. Van Nostrand, Joseph Fitch and John J. Trapp will attend at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated JANUARY 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
j12,24

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 the ADDITION TO BRONX PARK, on its easterly side as laid out on the map on July 7, 1905, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 29th day of December, 1905, and duly entered on the 3d day of January, 1906, Joseph J. Marrin, William G. Fisher and Michael Rauch were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said Joseph J. Marrin, William G. Fisher and Michael Rauch will attend at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated JANUARY 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
j12,24

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 PERRY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Clark avenue to Mueller street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Bleecker street, from Brooklyn Borough line to Forest avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said Joseph J. Marrin, William G. Fisher and Michael Rauch will attend at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated JANUARY 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
j12,24

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 the ADDITION TO BRONX PARK, on its easterly side as laid out on the map on July 7, 1905, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 16th day of December, 1905, and duly entered on the 28th day of December, 1905, William H. Birchall, George P. Baisley and Peter A. Sheil were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said William H. Birchall, George P. Baisley and Peter A. Sheil will attend at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Bleecker street, from Brooklyn Borough line to Forest avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said William H. Birchall, George P. Baisley and Peter A. Sheil will attend at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

Dated JANUARY 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
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j12,24

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 widening of WEST FARMS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Bronx river to Westchester creek, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 16th day of December, 1905, and duly entered on the 28th day of December, 1905, William H. Birchall, George P. Baisley and Peter A. Sheil were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said William H. Birchall, George P. Baisley and Peter A. Sheil will attend at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Perry avenue, from Clark avenue to Mueller street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said William H. Birchall, George P. Baisley and Peter A. Sheil will attend at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

Dated JANUARY 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SEA VIEW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Richmond avenue to Southfield Boulevard, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the

street to the line between the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, the point of beginning. Bleeker street, from Brooklyn Borough line to Forest avenue, is shown on a certain map entitled "Topographical Map showing a street system and grades of that portion of the Second Ward (Town of Newtown), Borough of Queens, bounded by Jackson avenue, Fisk avenue, Grand street, Long Island Railroad, Dry Harbor road, Cooper avenue, Myrtle avenue, Manhattan Beach Railroad, Brooklyn Borough line and First Ward boundary line," prepared under authority of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, on or about the 10th day of December, 1903.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to HILL STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Railroad avenue to Clermont avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, SECOND DEPARTMENT, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD FOR THE HEARING OF MOTIONS, IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE COUNTY OF KINGS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON WEDNESDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1906, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE USE OF THE PUBLIC, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE OPENING OF A CERTAIN STREET OR AVENUE KNOWN AS HILL STREET, FROM RAILROAD AVENUE TO CLERMONT AVENUE, IN THE SECOND WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING-DESCRIBED LOTS, PIECES OR PARCELS OF LAND, VIZ.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Clermont avenue with the southerly line of Hill street, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence northerly for fifty and sixteen hundredths (50.16) feet along the westerly line of Clermont avenue to the northerly line of Hill street;

2d. Thence westerly deflecting to the left eighty-five degrees, twenty-two minutes and forty seconds (85° 22' 40") for two thousand nineteen and nine-tenths (2,019.9) feet along the northerly line of Hill street to the easterly line of Mount Olivet avenue;

3d. Thence westerly deflecting to the right twenty-six degrees thirty-three minutes and fifty-seven seconds (26° 33' 57") for sixty-seven and eight hundredths (67.08) feet along the northerly line of Hill street to the westerly line of High street;

4th. Thence westerly deflecting to the left twenty-six degrees thirty-three minutes and fifty-seven seconds (26° 33' 57") for four hundred and fourteen and seventy-seven hundredths (414.77) feet along the northerly line of Hill street to the easterly line of the right of way of the Long Island Railroad;

5th. Thence southerly deflecting to the left one hundred and fifteen degrees fifty minutes and fifty-seven seconds (115° 50' 57") for sixty and sixty-one hundredths (60.61) feet along the easterly line of the right of way of the Long Island Railroad to the southerly line of Hill street;

6th. Thence easterly deflecting to the left sixty-five degrees nine minutes and three seconds (65° 9' 3") for three hundred eighty-nine and twenty-nine hundredths (389.29) feet along the southerly line of Hill street to the westerly line of High street;

7th. Thence easterly deflecting to the right twenty-two degrees thirty-seven minutes and fourteen seconds (22° 37' 14") for sixty-five (65) feet along the southerly line of Hill street to the easterly line of High street;

8th. Thence easterly for two thousand twenty-three and ninety-five hundredths (2,023.95) feet along the southerly line of Hill street to the westerly line of Clermont avenue, the point of beginning.

Hill street, from Railroad avenue to Clermont avenue, is shown on a certain map entitled "Topographical map showing a street system and grades of that portion of the Second Ward (Town of Newtown), Borough of Queens, bounded by Jackson avenue, Fisk avenue, Grand street, Long Island Railroad, Dry Harbor road, Copper avenue, Myrtle avenue, Manhattan Beach Railroad, Brooklyn Borough line and First Ward boundary line," prepared under authority of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 10th day of December, 1903.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BROAD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Pacific street to Borden avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, SECOND DEPARTMENT, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD FOR THE HEARING OF MOTIONS, IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE COUNTY OF KINGS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON WEDNESDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1906, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE USE OF THE PUBLIC, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE OPENING OF A CERTAIN STREET OR AVENUE KNOWN AS BROAD STREET, FROM PACIFIC STREET TO BORDEN AVENUE, IN THE SECOND WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING-DESCRIBED LOTS, PIECES OR PARCELS OF LAND, VIZ.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Vernon avenue with the southerly line of Harris avenue, as the same is laid down on the Commissioner's Map of Long Island City, pursuant to chapter 765, Laws of 1871, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at Jamaica, April 25, 1873;

Running thence northerly for eighty (80) feet along the easterly line of Vernon avenue to the northerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety degrees (90°) for two hundred (200) feet along the northerly line of Harris avenue to the westerly line of Hamilton street;

ing of a certain street or avenue known as Broad street, from Pacific street to Borden avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Borden avenue with the westerly line of Broad street, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence easterly for sixty-four and eighty-nine hundredths (64.89) feet along the northerly line of Borden avenue to the easterly line of Broad street;

2d. Thence southerly deflecting to the right sixty-seven degrees thirty-six minutes and eighteen seconds (67° 36' 18") for three thousand six hundred eighty-seven and forty-seven hundredths (3,687.47) feet along the easterly line of Broad street to the northerly line of James street;

3d. Thence southerly deflecting to the right four degrees thirty-six minutes and eight seconds (4° 36' 08") for fifty and eighteen hundredths (50.18) feet along the easterly line of Broad street to the southerly line of James street;

4th. Thence southerly deflecting to the right six degrees eight minutes and eighteen seconds (6° 08' 18") for five hundred and thirty and eighteen hundredths (530.18) feet along the easterly line of Broad street to the northerly line of Mount Olivet avenue;

5th. Thence southerly deflecting to the right twenty-nine degrees fifty-nine minutes and thirty seconds (29° 59' 30") for fifty-seven and seventy-two hundredths (57.72) feet along the easterly line of Broad street to the southerly line of Mount Olivet avenue;

6th. Thence southerly deflecting to the left forty-seven degrees forty-eight minutes and fifty-six seconds (47° 48' 56") for three hundred ninety-one and eighty-six hundredths (391.86) feet along the easterly line of Broad street;

7th. Thence southeasterly deflecting to the left twenty-four degrees forty-eight minutes and thirty-seven seconds (24° 48' 37") for one hundred and two and seventy-five hundredths (102.75) feet along the northeasterly line of Broad street to the southerly line of Pacific street;

8th. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one hundred and fourteen degrees forty-eight minutes and thirty-seven seconds (114° 48' 37") for five hundred and thirty-seven hundredths (508.37) feet along the northerly line of Harris avenue to the westerly line of Jackson avenue;

9th. Thence northwesterly deflecting to the right sixty-five degrees eleven minutes and twenty-three seconds (65° 11' 23") for ninety and sixty-three hundredths (90.63) feet along the northeasterly line of the right of way of the Long Island Railroad;

10th. Thence northerly deflecting to the right twenty-four degrees forty-eight minutes and thirty-seven seconds (24° 48' 37") for four hundred and eighteen and ninety-five hundredths (418.95) feet along the westerly line of Broad street to the southerly line of Mount Olivet avenue;

11th. Thence northerly deflecting to the right forty degrees fifty-eight minutes and forty-one seconds (40° 58' 41") for fifty-four and thirty-seven hundredths (54.37) feet along the westerly line of Broad street to the northerly line of Mount Olivet avenue;

12th. Thence northerly deflecting to the left twenty-three degrees nine minutes and fifteen seconds (23° 09' 15") for five hundred eighteen and fifty-eight hundredths (518.58) feet along the westerly line of Broad street to the southerly line of James street;

13th. Thence northerly deflecting to the left four degrees fifty-two minutes and forty-eight seconds (4° 52' 48") for fifty and twenty-eight hundredths (50.28) feet along the westerly line of Broad street to the northerly line of Borden avenue, the point of beginning.

Broad street, from Pacific street to Borden avenue, is shown on a certain map entitled "Topographical map showing a street system and grades of that portion of the Second Ward (Town of Newtown), Borough of Queens, bounded by Jackson avenue, Fisk avenue, Grand street, Long Island Railroad, Dry Harbor road, Copper avenue, Myrtle avenue, Manhattan Beach Railroad, Brooklyn Borough line and First Ward boundary line," prepared under authority of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 10th day of December, 1903.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to HARRIS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to Vernon avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, SECOND DEPARTMENT, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD FOR THE HEARING OF MOTIONS, IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE COUNTY OF KINGS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON WEDNESDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1906, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE USE OF THE PUBLIC, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE OPENING OF A CERTAIN STREET OR AVENUE KNOWN AS HARRIS AVENUE, FROM JACKSON AVENUE TO VERNON AVENUE, IN THE FIRST WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING-DESCRIBED LOTS, PIECES OR PARCELS OF LAND, VIZ.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Vernon avenue with the southerly line of Harris avenue, as the same is laid down on the Commissioner's Map of Long Island City, pursuant to chapter 765, Laws of 1871, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at Jamaica, April 25, 1873;

Running thence northerly for eighty (80) feet along the easterly line of Vernon avenue to the northerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety degrees (90°) for two hundred (200) feet along the northerly line of Harris avenue to the westerly line of Hamilton street;

Thence southerly deflecting to the right ninety degrees (90°) for two hundred (200) feet along the northerly line of Harris avenue to the point of beginning.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right ninety degrees (90°) for eighty (80) feet along the westerly line of Hamilton street to the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence westerly for two hundred (200) feet along the southerly line of Harris avenue to the easterly line of Vernon avenue, the point of beginning.

Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Hamilton street with the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Running thence northerly for eighty (80) feet along the easterly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety degrees (90°) for two thousand four hundred three and sixty-four hundredths (2,403.64) feet along the northerly line of Harris avenue to the westerly line of Crescent;

Thence southerly deflecting to the right ninety degrees forty-three minutes and forty seconds (91° 43' 40") for eighty and four hundredths (80.04) feet along the westerly line of Crescent to the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety degrees forty-three minutes and forty seconds (91° 43' 40") for eighty and four hundredths (80.04) feet along the westerly line of Crescent to the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence westerly for two thousand four hundred one and twenty-eight hundredths (2,401.28) feet along the southerly line of Harris avenue to the easterly line of Hamilton street, the point of beginning.

Parcel "C."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Crescent with the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Running thence northerly for ninety-two and fourteen hundredths (92.14) feet along the easterly line of Crescent to the northerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety-one degrees forty-three minutes and forty seconds (91° 43' 40") for eighty and four hundredths (80.04) feet along the westerly line of Crescent to the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence westerly for two thousand four hundred one and twenty-eight hundredths (2,401.28) feet along the southerly line of Harris avenue to the easterly line of Hamilton street, the point of beginning.

Parcel "D."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Hamilton street with the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Running thence northerly for ninety-two and fourteen hundredths (92.14) feet along the easterly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety-one degrees forty-three minutes and forty seconds (91° 43' 40") for eighty and four hundredths (80.04) feet along the westerly line of Hamilton street to the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence westerly for two thousand four hundred one and twenty-eight hundredths (2,401.28) feet along the southerly line of Harris avenue to the easterly line of Hamilton street, the point of beginning.

Parcel "E."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Hamilton street with the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Running thence northerly for ninety-two and fourteen hundredths (92.14) feet along the easterly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety-one degrees forty-three minutes and forty seconds (91° 43' 40") for eighty and four hundredths (80.04) feet along the westerly line of Hamilton street to the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence westerly for two thousand four hundred one and twenty-eight hundredths (2,401.28) feet along the southerly line of Harris avenue to the easterly line of Hamilton street, the point of beginning.

Parcel "F."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Hamilton street with the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Running thence northerly for ninety-two and fourteen hundredths (92.14) feet along the easterly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety-one degrees forty-three minutes and forty seconds (91° 43' 40") for eighty and four hundredths (80.04) feet along the westerly line of Hamilton street to the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Thence westerly for two thousand four hundred one and twenty-eight hundredths (2,401.28) feet along the southerly line of Harris avenue to the easterly line of Hamilton street, the point of beginning.

Parcel "G."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Hamilton street with the southerly line of Harris avenue;

Running thence northerly for ninety-two and fourteen hundredths (92.14) feet along the easterly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harris avenue;

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, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Furman avenue, from Maspeth avenue to Flushing avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Maspeth avenue with the western line of Furman avenue, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence easterly for sixty and two hundredths (60.02) feet along the southerly line of Maspeth avenue to the easterly line of Furman avenue;

2d. Thence southerly deflecting to the right ninety-one degrees thirty-three minutes and forty-nine seconds (91° 33' 49") for one thousand two hundred seventy-three and fifty-two hundredths (1,273.52) feet along the easterly line of Furman avenue to the northerly line of Grand street;

3d. Thence southerly deflecting to the left fifteen minutes and nine seconds (15° 09") for eighty (80) feet along the easterly line of Furman avenue to the southerly line of Grand street;

4th. Thence southerly deflecting to the left two degrees thirteen minutes and four seconds (2° 13' 04") for one thousand two hundred thirty-eight and eighty-eight hundredths (1,288.88) feet along the easterly line of Furman avenue to the southerly line of Flushing avenue;

5th. Thence westerly deflecting to the right sixty-two degrees fifteen minutes and fifty-three seconds (62° 15' 53") for sixty-seven and seventy-nine hundredths (67.79) feet along the southerly line of Flushing avenue to the westerly line of Furman avenue;

6th. Thence northerly deflecting to the right one hundred seventeen degrees forty-four minutes and seven seconds (117° 44' 07") for one thousand two hundred seventy-three and two hundredths (1,273.02) feet along the westerly line of Furman avenue to the southerly line of Grand street;

7th. Thence northerly deflecting to the right two degrees thirteen minutes and four seconds (2° 13' 04") for eighty (80) feet along the westerly line of Furman avenue to the northerly line of Grand street;

8th. Thence northerly for one thousand two hundred seventy-one and eighty-eight hundredths (1,271.88) feet along the westerly line of Furman avenue to the southerly line of Maspeth avenue, the point of beginning.

Furman avenue, from Maspeth avenue to Flushing avenue, is shown on a certain map entitled "Topographical Map showing a street system and grades of that portion of the Second Ward (Town of Newtown), Borough of Queens, bounded by Jackson avenue, Fisk avenue, Grand street, Long Island Railroad, Dry Harbor road, Copper avenue, Myrtle avenue, Manhattan Beach Railroad, Brooklyn Borough line and First Ward boundary line," prepared under authority of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 10th day of December, 1903.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to GATES AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Woodward avenue to Fresh Pond road, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House in the County of Kings, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Gates avenue, from Woodward avenue to Fresh Pond road, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Woodward avenue with the southerly line of Gates avenue, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence northerly for sixty and five hundredths (60.05) feet along the westerly line of Woodward avenue to the northerly line of Gates avenue;

2d. Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety degrees one minute and five seconds (90° 1' 5") for sixty and five hundredths (60.05) feet along the northerly line of Gates avenue to the easterly line of Woodward avenue;

3d. Thence easterly deflecting to the left one minute and five seconds (1' 5") for four hundred thirty-six and twenty-six hundredths (436.26) feet along the northerly line of Gates avenue to the westerly line of Fairview avenue;

4th. Thence easterly deflecting to the right one degree fourteen minutes and twenty-three seconds (1° 14' 23") for sixty and six hundredths (60.06) feet along the northerly line of Gates avenue to the easterly line of Fairview avenue;

5th. Thence easterly deflecting to the left one degree six minutes and fourteen seconds (1° 6' 14") for six hundred fifty-six and five hundredths (656.05) feet along the northerly line of Gates avenue to the easterly line of Forest avenue;

6th. Thence easterly deflecting to the right fifty degrees one minute and thirty-six seconds (50°

1' 36") for seventy-one and thirty-two hundredths (71.32) feet along the northerly line of Gates avenue to the easterly line of Forest avenue;

7th. Thence easterly deflecting to the left fifteen degrees fourteen minutes and twenty-six seconds (15° 14' 26") for one thousand four hundred twenty-nine and seventy-two hundredths (1,429.72) feet along the northerly line of Gates avenue to the westerly line of Fresh Pond road;

8th. Thence southerly deflecting to the right seventy-nine degrees four minutes and twenty-six seconds (79° 4' 26") for sixty-one and sixteen hundredths (61.16) feet along the westerly line of Fresh Pond road to the southerly line of Gates avenue;

9th. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one hundred degrees fifty-five minutes and thirty-four seconds (100° 55' 34") for one thousand four hundred thirty-three and ninety-three hundredths (1,433.93) feet along the southerly line of Gates avenue to the easterly line of Forest avenue;

10th. Thence westerly deflecting to the right nine degrees thirty-three minutes and fourteen seconds (9° 33' 14") for sixty-eight and eighty-seven hundredths (68.87) feet along the southerly line of Gates avenue to the westerly line of Forest avenue;

11th. Thence westerly deflecting to the left forty-four degrees twenty minutes and twenty-four seconds (44° 20' 24") for six hundred twenty-four and forty-one hundredths (624.41) feet along the southerly line of Gates avenue to the easterly line of Fairview avenue;

12th. Thence westerly deflecting to the left forty-four degrees twenty minutes and twenty-four seconds (44° 20' 24") for six hundred twenty-four and forty-one hundredths (624.41) feet along the southerly line of Gates avenue to the easterly line of Fairview avenue;

13th. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one degree six minutes and fourteen seconds (1° 6' 14") for sixty and six hundredths (60.06) feet along the southerly line of Gates avenue to the easterly line of Fairview avenue;

14th. Thence westerly deflecting to the left one degree fourteen minutes and twenty-three seconds (1° 14' 23") for four hundred thirty-six and twelve hundredths (436.12) feet along the southerly line of Gates avenue to the easterly line of Woodward avenue;

15th. Thence westerly for sixty and five hundredths (60.05) feet along the southerly line of Gates avenue to the westerly line of Woodward avenue, the point of beginning.

Gates avenue, from Woodward avenue to Fresh Pond road, is shown on a certain map entitled "Topographical map showing a street system and grades of that portion of the Second Ward (Town of Newtown), Borough of Queens, bounded by Jackson avenue, Fisk avenue, Grand street, Long Island Railroad, Dry Harbor road, Copper avenue, Myrtle avenue, Manhattan Beach Railroad, Brooklyn Borough line and First Ward boundary line," prepared under authority of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 10th day of December, 1903.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to HIGH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bielby street to Maspeth avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House in the County of Kings, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as High street, from Bielby street to Maspeth avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Maspeth avenue with the easterly line of High street, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence southerly for one thousand sixteen and forty-six hundredths (1,016.46) feet along the easterly line of High street to the northerly line of an unnamed street or avenue fifty (50) feet in width.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one hundred forty-eight degrees seventeen minutes and eleven seconds (148° 17' 11") for one hundred fourteen and fourteen hundredths (114.14) feet along the northerly line of said unnamed street or avenue to the westerly line of High street;

3d. Thence northerly deflecting to the right thirty-one degrees forty-two minutes and forty-nine seconds (31° 42' 49") for nine hundred thirty and thirty-eight hundredths (930.38) feet along the westerly line of High street to the southerly line of Maspeth avenue;

4th. Thence easterly for sixty-one (61) feet along the southerly line of Maspeth avenue to the easterly line of High street, the point of beginning.

High street, from Bielby street to Maspeth avenue, is shown on a certain map entitled "Topographical map showing a street system and grades of that portion of the Second Ward (Town of Newtown), Borough of Queens, bounded by Jackson avenue, Fisk avenue, Grand street, Long Island Railroad, Dry Harbor road, Cooper avenue, Myrtle avenue, Manhattan Beach Railroad, Brooklyn Borough line and First Ward boundary line," prepared under authority of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 10th day of December, 1903.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CHARLES STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Rail-

road avenue to Clermont avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House in the County of Kings, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Charles street, from Railroad avenue to Clermont avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Clermont avenue with the northerly line of Charles street, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence southerly for fifty-one (51.04) feet along the westerly line of Clermont avenue to the northerly line of Charles street.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one and four hundredths (1.04) feet along the westerly line of Clermont avenue to the northerly line of Charles street.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Forest avenue with the northerly line of Charles street, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence southerly for forty-eight (48.87) feet along the westerly line of Forest avenue to the northerly line of Charles street.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one and four hundredths (1.04) feet along the westerly line of Forest avenue to the northerly line of Charles street.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Charles street with the northerly line of Forest avenue, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence southerly for forty-eight (48.87) feet along the westerly line of Charles street to the northerly line of Forest avenue.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one and four hundredths (1.04) feet along the westerly line of Charles street to the northerly line of Forest avenue.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Forest avenue with the northerly line of Charles street, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence southerly for forty-eight (48.87) feet along the westerly line of Forest avenue to the northerly line of Charles street.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one and four hundredths (1.04) feet along the westerly line of Forest avenue to the northerly line of Charles street.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Charles street with the northerly line of Forest avenue, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence southerly for forty-eight (48.87) feet along the westerly line of Charles street to the northerly line of Forest avenue.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one and four hundredths (1.04) feet along the westerly line of Charles street to the northerly line of Forest avenue.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Forest avenue with the northerly line of Charles street, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence southerly for forty-eight (48.87) feet along the westerly line of Forest avenue to the northerly line of Charles street.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one and four hundredths (1.04) feet along the westerly line of Forest avenue to the northerly line of Charles street.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Charles street with the northerly line of Forest avenue, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence southerly for forty-eight (48.87) feet along the westerly line of Charles street to the northerly line of Forest avenue.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one and four hundredths (1.04) feet along the westerly line of Charles street to the northerly line of Forest avenue.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Forest avenue with the northerly line of Charles street, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence southerly for forty-eight (48.87) feet along the westerly line of Forest avenue to the northerly line of Charles street.

2d. Thence westerly deflecting to the right one and four hundredths (1.04) feet along the westerly line of Forest avenue to the northerly line of Charles street.

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Charles street with the northerly line of Forest avenue, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

of New York, on or about the 10th day of December, 1903.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to certain lands and premises required for an easement for the purpose of a sewer outlet over and in the private property at the foot of NAUTILUS STREET, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for an easement for the purpose of a sewer outlet over and in the private property at the foot of Nautilus street, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point at the northeasterly end of the northwesterly line of Nautilus street at a distance of about 727 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the northeasterly line of New York avenue with the northwesterly line of Nautilus street.

1. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 53 minutes 36 seconds to the right from said northwesterly line of Nautilus street, along the southeasterly line of the property of the New York State Quarantine Boarding Station and its extension, a distance of 775 feet, more or less, to the pierhead-line approved by the Secretary of War June 21, 1889.

2. Thence southeasterly along said pierhead-line to a point which is 10 feet distant from the southeasterly line of the property of the New York State Quarantine Boarding Station and its extension, measured perpendicularly thereto.

3. Thence southwesterly parallel to the southeasterly line of the property of the New York State Quarantine Boarding Station and its extension before mentioned, a distance of 775 feet more or less to the northeasterly line of Nautilus street.

4. Thence northwesterly along the northeasterly line of Nautilus street a distance of 10 feet to the point or place of beginning, and is shown on a certain map entitled "Plan showing location, size and grades of sewers in that part of the Arrochar Watershed, designated District No. 6A, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York," prepared by the President of the Borough of Richmond, under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Richmond; the Clerk of the County of Richmond and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 12th day of January, 1904, and also on a certain map entitled "Map or plan showing lands through or over which it is necessary to acquire an easement for the purpose of a sewer outlet at the foot of Nautilus street, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York," and filed in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, the Clerk of the County of Richmond and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 28th day of December, 1905.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of the PUBLIC PARK along the shore of the East river, between Barclay street and the bulkhead line of the East river, and from Hoyt avenue to Ditmars avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as laid out by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 17, 1904, and approved by the Mayor on August 2, 1904.

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, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of the public park along the shore of the East river, between Barclay street and the bulkhead line in the East river, and from Hoyt avenue to Ditmars avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as laid out by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 17, 1904, and approved by the Mayor on August 2, 1904, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Ditmars avenue with the westerly line of Barclay street as the same is laid down by the Long Island City Commissioners' map, and running thence southerly along the westerly line of Barclay street 2,873.89 feet to the northerly line of Hoyt avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Hoyt avenue 1,013.5 feet to the United States bulkhead or pierhead lines established February 15, 1902; thence northerly along the bulkhead line 3,012.16 feet to the southerly line of Ditmars avenue; thence easterly along the southerly line of Ditmars avenue 765.52 feet to the westerly line of Barclay street, the place of beginning.

The public park along the shore of the East river, between Barclay street and the bulkhead

line in the East river, and from Hoyt avenue to Ditmars avenue, is shown on a certain map entitled "Map showing proposed park, bounded by Hoyt avenue, Ditmars avenue, Barclay street and East river, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York," which map was filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, on or about October 18, 1904.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to STATE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Murray lane to Seventeenth street, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as State street, from Murray lane to Seventeenth street, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Murray street with the southerly line of State street, as the same is laid down on the map or plan of Ingleside and vicinity, Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, pursuant to chapter 466, Laws of 1901, approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 1, 1903.

1. Running thence northerly for seventy and seventy-five hundredths (75.75) feet along the westerly line of Murray street to the northerly line of State street;

2. Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety degrees twenty-one minutes and sixteen seconds (98° 21' 16") for seventy and seventy-five hundredths (70.75) feet along the northerly line of State street to the easterly line of Murray street;

3d. Thence easterly deflecting to the left thirty-four minutes and sixteen seconds (34° 16") for one thousand three hundred and ninety-five and ninety-eight hundredths (1,395.98) feet along the northerly line of State street to the easterly line of Seventeenth street;

4th. Thence southerly deflecting to the right ninety degrees (90°) for seventy (70) feet along the easterly line of Seventeenth street to the southerly line of State street;

5th. Thence westerly deflecting to the right ninety degrees (90°) for one thousand three hundred eighty-six and six-tenths (1,386.6) feet along the southerly line of State street to the easterly line of Murray street;

6th. Thence westerly for seventy and seventy-three hundredths (70.73) feet along the southerly line of State street to the westerly line of Murray street;

State street, from Murray lane to Seventeenth street, is shown on a map entitled "Map or Plan of Ingleside and Vicinity, Third Ward (formerly Town of Flushing), Borough of Queens, City of New York," showing the street system and grades prepared by the President of the Borough of Queens under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Corporation Counsel and the Clerk of the County of Queens on or about the 9th day of October, 1903.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to SIXTEENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Mitchell avenue, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Sixteenth street, from Broadway to Mitchell avenue, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Broadway with the easterly line of Sixteenth street, as the same is laid down on the map or plan of Ingleside and vicinity, Third Ward, Borough of Queens, pursuant to chapter 466, Laws of 1901, approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment November 13, 1903.

1st. Running thence westerly for sixty-three and six hundredths (63.06) feet along the northerly line of Broadway to the westerly line of Sixteenth street;

2d. Thence northerly deflecting to the right seventy-two degrees four minutes and twenty-eight seconds (72° 04' 22") for one thousand five hundred fifty-eight and sixty-four hundredths (1,558.64) feet along the westerly line of Sixteenth street to the northerly line of Mitchell avenue;

3d. Thence easterly deflecting to the right ninety degrees (90°) for sixty (60) feet along the northerly line of Mitchell avenue to the easterly line of Sixteenth street;

4th. Thence southerly for one thousand five hundred seventy-eight and five hundredths (1,578.05) feet along the easterly line of Sixteenth street to the northerly line of Broadway, the point of beginning.

Sixteenth street, from Broadway to Mitchell avenue, is shown on a map entitled "Map or Plan of Ingleside and Vicinity, Third Ward (formerly Town of Flushing), Borough of Queens, City of New York," showing the street system and grades prepared by the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, on or about October 18, 1904.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EIGHTEENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Cypress avenue to Broadway, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Eighteenth street, from Cypress avenue to Broadway, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Eighteenth street, from Cypress avenue to Broadway, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Eighteenth street, from Cypress avenue to Broadway, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Eighteenth street, from Cypress avenue to Broadway, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Eighteenth street, from Cypress avenue to Broadway, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Eighteenth street, from Cypress avenue to Broadway, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Eighteenth street, from Cypress avenue to Broadway, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

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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, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Eighteenth street, from Cypress avenue to Broadway, in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 24th day of January, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-ent

grades of that portion of the Second Ward (Town of Newtown), Borough of Queens, bounded by Jackson avenue, Fisk avenue, Grand street, Long Island Railroad, Dry Harbor road, Cooper avenue, Myrtle avenue, Manhattan Beach Railroad, Brooklyn Borough line and First Ward boundary line," prepared under authority of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, on or about the 10th day of December, 1903.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
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New York City.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to CLINTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Montgomery avenue to Mueller street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, SECOND DEPARTMENT, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD FOR THE HEARING OF MOTIONS IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE COUNTY OF KINGS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON WEDNESDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1906, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE USE OF THE PUBLIC, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE OPENING OF A CERTAIN STREET OR AVENUE KNOWN AS CLINTON AVENUE, FROM MONTGOMERY AVENUE TO MUELLER STREET, IN THE SECOND WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING-DESCRIBED LOTS, PIECES OR PARCELS OF LAND, VIZ.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Montgomery avenue with the southerly line of Clinton avenue, as the same is laid down on the map of that portion of the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, November 13, 1903.

1st. Running northwardly for fifty-one and seventy-one hundredths (51.71) feet along the easterly line of Montgomery avenue to the northerly line of Clinton avenue;

2d. Thence easterly deflecting to the right one hundred and four degrees forty-seven minutes and thirty seconds (104° 47' 30") for four hundred eighteen and six hundredths (418.06) feet along the northerly line of Clinton avenue;

3d. Thence easterly curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is one thousand eight hundred forty-three and seventy-five hundredths (1,843.75) feet for seven hundred forty-four and fourteen hundredths (744.14) feet along the northerly line of Clinton avenue;

4th. Thence easterly for three hundred ninety-nine and five hundredths (399.05) feet along the northerly line of Clinton avenue;

5th. Thence easterly curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is two thousand one hundred four and seventy-two hundredths (2,104.72) feet for seven hundred eighty-five and seven-tenths (785.7) feet along the northerly line of Clinton avenue;

6th. Thence easterly deflecting to the left from a tangent thirteen degrees three minutes and twenty seconds (13° 03' 20") for three hundred fifty-five and ninety-five hundredths (355.95) feet along the northerly line of Clinton avenue;

7th. Thence easterly deflecting to the left ten degrees thirty-six minutes and fifteen seconds (10° 36' 15") for three thousand eight hundred four and forty-five hundredths (3,804.45) feet along the northerly line of Clinton avenue to the westerly line of Willow avenue;

8th. Thence northeasterly deflecting to the left forty-one degrees forty-six minutes and thirty-five seconds (41° 46' 35") for sixty-two and ninety-two hundredths (62.92) feet along the northwesterly line of Clinton avenue to the easterly line of Willow avenue;

9th. Thence northeasterly deflecting to the right two degrees forty-one minutes and fifty-two seconds (2° 41' 52") for one thousand six hundred ninety-eight and forty-eight hundredths (1,698.48) feet along the northwesterly line of Clinton avenue to the westerly line of Mueller street;

10th. Thence southerly deflecting to the right one hundred and twenty-two degrees twenty-four minutes and forty-eight seconds (122° 24' 48") for fifty-nine and twenty-three hundredths (59.23) feet along the westerly line of Mueller street to the southerly line of Clinton avenue;

11th. Thence southwesterly deflecting to the right fifty-seven degrees thirty-five minutes and twelve seconds (57° 35' 12") for one thousand seven hundred one and thirty-three hundredths (1,701.33) feet along the southerly line of Clinton avenue to the easterly line of Willow avenue;

12th. Thence southwesterly deflecting to the right five degrees forty-nine minutes and fifty-two seconds (5° 49' 52") for fifty-seven and eight hundredths (58.08) feet along the southeasterly line of Clinton avenue to the westerly line of Willow avenue;

13th. Thence westerly deflecting to the right thirty-three degrees fourteen minutes and fifty-second (33° 14' 50") for three thousand eight hundred twelve and ninety-four hundredths (3,812.94) feet along the southerly line of Clinton avenue to the right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad;

14th. Thence westerly deflecting to the right ten degrees thirty-six minutes and fifteen seconds (10° 36' 15") for three hundred and sixty-six and thirty-five hundredths (366.35) feet along the southerly line of Clinton avenue to the right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad;

15th. Thence westerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle whose radius is two thousand fifty-four and seventy-two hundredths (2,054.72) feet deflecting to the right from a tangent thirteen degrees twelve minutes and fifty-one seconds (13° 12' 51") for seven hundred seventy-two and seventy-three hundredths (772.73) feet along the southerly line of Clinton avenue and the right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad;

16th. Thence westerly for three hundred ninety-nine and five hundredths (399.05) feet along the southerly line of Clinton avenue and the right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad;

17th. Thence westerly curving to the right on the arc of a circle whose radius is one thousand eight hundred ninety-three and seventy-five hundredths (1,893.75) feet for seven hundred sixty-four and thirty-two hundredths (764.32) feet along the southerly line of Clinton avenue and the right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad;

18th. Thence westerly for four hundred four and eighty-five hundredths (404.85) feet along

southerly line of Clinton avenue and the right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad to the easterly line of Montgomery avenue, the point of beginning.

Clinton avenue, from Montgomery avenue to Mueller street, is shown on a certain map entitled "Topographical Map showing a street system and grades of that portion of the Second Ward (Town of Newtown), Borough of Queens, bounded by Jackson avenue, Fisk avenue, Grand street, Long Island Railroad, Dry Harbor road, Cooper avenue, Myrtle avenue, Manhattan Beach Railroad, Brooklyn Borough Line and First Ward Boundary Line," prepared under authority of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Queens, the Clerk of the County of Queens and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, on or about the 10th day of December, 1903.

Dated NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.

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SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the westerly line of SIXTH AVENUE, between Fifty-first and Fifty-first streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER, APPOINTED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATUTES RELATING THERETO, HEREBY GIVE NOTICE TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS, LESSEE OR LESSEES, PARTIES OR PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED TO OR INTERESTED IN THE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES, TITLE TO WHICH IS SOUGHT TO BE ACQUIRED IN THIS PROCEEDING, AND TO ALL OTHERS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, TO WIT:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, January 12, 1906, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, Room 92, Franklin Trust Company Building, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 25th day of January, 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, January 12, 1906.

JAMES W. GLENDEENING,
EDWARD C. DOWLING,
EDWARD RIEGELMAN,
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,
Clerk.

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KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on REID AVENUE, between LAFAYETTE AVENUE and VAN BUREN STREET, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS THE INTENTION OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL TO MAKE APPLICATION AT A SPECIAL TERM FOR THE HEARING OF MOTIONS, TO BE HEARD AT THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ON THE 22D DAY OF JANUARY, 1906, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF THREE DISINTERESTED PERSONS AS COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND APPRAISAL TO ASCERTAIN AND APPRAISE THE COMPENSATION TO BE MADE TO THE OWNERS AND ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN CERTAIN PROPERTY SITUATED IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, BOUNDARIES AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Herkimer street with the easterly line of New York avenue, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of New York avenue two hundred and eight (208) feet eight (8) inches, thence easterly and parallel with Herkimer street two hundred (200) feet, thence northerly and parallel with New York avenue two hundred and eight (208) feet eight (8) inches to the southerly line of Herkimer street, thence westerly along the southerly line of Herkimer street two hundred (200) feet to the easterly line of New York avenue, the point or place of beginning.

DATED BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, January 8, 1906.

WILLIAM VOPAT,
Chairman;
FRANK HOLUB,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated at the southeasterly corner of Herkimer street and New York avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS THE INTENTION OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL TO MAKE APPLICATION AT A SPECIAL TERM FOR THE HEARING OF MOTIONS, TO BE HEARD AT THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ON THE 22D DAY OF JANUARY, 1906, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF THREE DISINTERESTED PERSONS AS COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND APPRAISAL TO ASCERTAIN AND APPRAISE THE COMPENSATION TO BE MADE TO THE OWNERS AND ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN CERTAIN PROPERTY SITUATED IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, BOUNDARIES AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Herkimer street with the easterly line of New York avenue, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of New York avenue two hundred and eight (208) feet eight (8) inches, thence easterly and parallel with Herkimer street two hundred (200) feet, thence northerly and parallel with New York avenue two hundred and eight (208) feet eight (8) inches to the southerly line of Herkimer street, thence westerly along the southerly line of Herkimer street two hundred (200) feet to the easterly line of New York avenue, the point or place of beginning.

DATED NEW YORK, December 28, 1905.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
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Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.

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COUNTY OF QUEENS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK TO ACQUIRE TITLE TO CERTAIN LANDS SITUATED ON THE WESTERLY LINE OF FRESH POND ROAD, BETWEEN ELM AVENUE AND HALSEY STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, DULY SELECTED AS A SITE FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES, ACCORDING TO LAW.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS THE INTENTION OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL TO MAKE APPLICATION AT A SPECIAL TERM FOR THE HEARING OF MOTIONS, TO BE HEARD AT THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ON THE 22D DAY OF JANUARY, 1906, ON THE CALL OF THE CALENDAR ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND APPRAISAL TO ASCERTAIN AND APPRAISE THE COMPENSATION TO BE MADE TO THE OWNERS AND ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN CERTAIN PROPERTY SITUATED IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOUNDARIES AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Fresh Pond road with the northerly line of Elm avenue, and running thence northerly along the westerly line of Fresh Pond road 180.85 feet; thence westerly and parallel with Elm avenue 300.25 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Fresh Pond road 180.85 feet to the northerly line of Elm avenue; thence easterly and along the northerly line of Elm avenue 200.25 feet to the point or place of beginning.

DATED NEW YORK, January 6, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, RELATIVE TO ACQUIRING TITLE TO FIFTY-FIRST STREET, BETWEEN NINTH AVENUE AND NEW Utrecht AVENUE, IN THE THIRTIETH WARD, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, WERE APPOINTED BY AN ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT MADE AND ENTERED HEREIN ON THE 13TH DAY OF JUNE, 1905, AND DULY FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF KINGS COUNTY, A COPY OF WHICH ORDER WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTER OF THE COUNTY OF KINGS ON THE 14TH DAY OF JUNE, 1905, AND INDEXED IN THE INDEX OF CONVEYANCES, SECTION 1, BLOCKS 52, 53, 64, 65, 67, 77, 78, 88 AND 98, COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING A JUST AND EQUITABLE ESTIMATE OF THE LOSS OR DAMAGE, IF ANY, TO THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS, LESSEES, PARTIES AND PERSONS ENTITLED TO OR INTERESTED IN THE LANDS AND PREMISES TO BE TAKEN FOR THE PURPOSE OF OPENING THE SAID STREET OR AVENUE, AS PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FILED WITH SAID ORDER IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF KINGS COUNTY, AND OF PERFORMING THE TRUSTS AND DUTIES REQUIRED OF US BY TITLE 4 OF CHAPTER 17 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND THE ACTS OR PARTS OF ACTS SUPPLEMENTARY THERETO OR AMENDATORY THEREOF.

ALL PARTIES AND PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE LANDS AND PREMISES TAKEN OR TO BE TAKEN FOR THE PURPOSE OF OPENING SAID STREET OR AVENUE, OR AFFECTED THEREBY, AND HAVING ANY CLAIM OR DEMAND ON ACCOUNT THEREOF, ARE HEREBY REQUIRED TO PRESENT THE SAME, DULY VERIFIED, TO US, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT, AT OUR OFFICE, IN THE BUREAU OF STREET OPENINGS OF THE LAW DEPARTMENT, NO. 166 MONTAGUE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, WITH SUCH AFFIDAVITS OR OTHER PROOFS AS THE SAID OWNER OR CLAIMANTS MAY DESIRE, WITHIN TWENTY DAYS AFTER DATE OF THIS NOTICE.

AND WE, THE SAID COMMISSIONERS, WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE AT OUR SAID OFFICE ON THE 25TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1906, AT 3 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON OF THAT DAY, TO HEAR THE SAID PARTIES AND PERSONS IN RELATION THERETO; AND AT SUCH TIME AND PLACE, AND AS SUCH FURTHER OR OTHER TIME AND PLACE, AS WE MAY APPOINT, WE WILL HEAR SUCH OWNERS IN RELATION THERETO, AND EXAMINE PROOFS OF SUCH CLAIMANT OR CLAIMANTS, OR SUCH ADDITIONAL PROOFS AND

DATED BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DECEMBER 30, 1905.

JOHN C. JUDGE,
CHARLES A. OGREN
PETER J. HICKLEY,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

IN THE MATTER OF ACQUIRING TITLE BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK TO CERTAIN LANDS AND PREMISES SITUATED ON THE NORTHWESTERLY CORNER OF NINETEEN-FIFTH STREET AND FOURTH AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DULY SELECTED AS A SITE FOR A PUBLIC LIBRARY ACCORDING TO LAW.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED MATTER, APPOINTED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATUTES RELATING THERETO, HEREBY GIVE NOTICE TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS, LESSEE OR LESSEES, PARTIES OR PERSONS RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED TO OR INTERESTED IN THE LANDS, TENEMENTS, HEREDITAMENTS AND PREMISES, TITLE TO WHICH IS SOUGHT TO BE ACQUIRED IN THIS PROCEEDING, AND TO ALL OTHERS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, TO WIT:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, at No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, January 4, 1906, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 92, Franklin Trust Company

amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of January, 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 21, 1905.

AUGUST REYMENT,
PETER HIRSCH,
HENRY A. VAN ALLEN,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of EIGHTEENTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to the East river, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 6th day of July, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 12th day of October, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 12th day of October, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of January, 1906, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 22, 1905.

JOHN J. TRAPP,
WILLIAM J. BURNETT,
THOMAS F. MULLIGAN,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of SEVENTEENTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Wilson avenue to Jackson avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 6th day of July, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 12th day of October, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 12th day of October, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and

formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 27, 1905.

WILLIAM WILLETT, JR.,
JAMES C. VAN SICLEN,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of PEARSALL STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Long Island Railroad to Hunter's Point avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 1st day of July, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 12th day of October, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 12th day of October, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of January, 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 23, 1905.

EDWARD T. ALLEN,
PATRICK J. WHITE,
ANDREW McTIGUE,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of TRAUTMAN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brooklyn borough line to Metropolitan avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 6th day of July, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 29th day of September, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 29th day of September, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and

formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of January, 1906, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 23, 1905.

JAMES T. OLWELL,
GEORGE GREEN,
R. W. KELLOGG,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of POTTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the East river to Chauncey street, and from Rapelje avenue to Flushing 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, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of January, 1906, 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 24th day of January, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of February, 1906.

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 the United States bulkhead or pierhead line of the East river and the middle line of the blocks between Potter avenue and Woolsey avenue; running thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with the northerly line of Flushing avenue; thence running again easterly along the northerly line of Flushing avenue to its intersection with the westerly line of Baldwin street; thence running northerly along the westerly line of Baldwin street to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Potter avenue and Ditmars avenue; thence running westerly along the middle line of the blocks between Potter avenue and Ditmars avenue to its intersection with the United States bulkhead or pierhead line of the East river; thence running southerly along the United States bulkhead or pierhead line of the East river to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 27th day of March, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 29, 1905.

W. J. FOSTER,
Chairman;
WILLIAM SMITH,
WILLIAM E. STEWART,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FRESH POND ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Flushing avenue to Myrtle avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 1st day of July, 1905, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 29th day of September, 1905, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and

and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 29th day of September, 1905; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, No. 252 Jackson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 29th day of January, 1906, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, December 23, 1905.

CLARENCE EDWARDS,
I. ROHMPACH,
CARMAN COMBES,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.