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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

MINUTES BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1902.

The Board met in pursuance of a resolution adopted January 6, 1902.

Present—Seth Low, the Mayor; Edward M. Grout, the Comptroller; Charles V. Fornes, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Jacob A. Cantor, the President of the Borough of Manhattan; J. Edward Swannstrom, the President of the Borough of Brooklyn; Louis F. Haffen, the President of the Borough of The Bronx; Cassidy, the President of the Borough of Queens; George Cromwell, the President of the Borough of Richmond.

The reading of the minutes of the meetings held December 19 and 26, 1901, and January 6, 14, 21 and 28, 1902, was dispensed with.

The matter of the proposed acquisition of property of the New York Steam Company, situated on the East river, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, for bridge purposes was taken up for consideration.

Gustav Lindenthal, Commissioner of Bridges, and James W. Hawes, representing the New York Steam Company, appeared before the Board and made statements in relation thereto, and the representative of the Steam Company presented affidavits, plans and a brief.

Whereupon the Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the affidavits, etc., be submitted to the Bridge Commissioner for such reply as he may wish to make, and when such reply is received, that it be referred to the Engineer of this Board, when appointed, and that he advise this Board in the matter.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller moved that the President of the Board of Aldermen act as Chairman during the temporary absence of the Mayor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the Presidents of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens, and Richmond—13.

The Comptroller presented the following:

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Requisition is hereby made upon you, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, entitled "An Act to provide for Rapid Transit in cities of over one million inhabitants," as amended by section 7 of chapter 752 of the Laws of 1894, by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, organized under the aforesaid act as amended, for the sum of five hundred and seventy-six thousand dollars (\$576,000), which is requisite and necessary to enable the said Board properly to do and perform or to cause to be done and performed the duties prescribed by the said statute as amended.

Appended hereto is a statement, marked "Schedule A," and authenticated by the signatures of the President and Secretary of the said Board, showing the purposes to which it is intended to apply the appropriation for which requisition is now made.

This requisition is made pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners by the concurrent vote of four members thereof at a regular meeting held on Thursday, January 9, 1902.

In witness whereof, the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners has caused this requisition to be subscribed by its President and Secretary, and its official seal to be affixed, this 9th of January, 1902.

(Seal.)

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

A. E. ORR, President.

SCHEDULE "A."

Purposes to which appropriation will be applied for which requisition is now made:

Rapid Transit Board, Chief Engineer's Office.

Engineering instruments and supplies.....	\$7,500 00
Office and telephone rental.....	14,000 00
Salaries.....	450,000 00
Disbursements of employees.....	7,000 00
Furniture for offices.....	3,000 00
Printing, stationery, supplies, etc.....	6,000 00
Plans, prints, photographic supplies.....	2,500 00
Contingencies and Brooklyn borings.....	25,000 00
	\$515,000 00

Rapid Transit Board, General Offices.

Office rental.....	2,000 00
Salaries employees.....	7,220 00
Furniture.....	500 00
Printing, stationery and supplies.....	1,280 00
Disbursements employees and Counsel.....	5,000 00
Counsel.....	20,000 00
Advertising.....	15,000 00
Contingencies.....	5,000 00
Stenographers' fees and Clerkships.....	5,000 00
	61,000 00

Total..... \$576,000 00

(Seal.)

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

A. E. ORR, President.

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE, No. 320 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, January 18, 1902.

Major E. E. McLEAN, Engineer, Finance Department, Stewart Building, City:

DEAR SIR—With this I send you a copy of the Monthly Statement of Salaries in the Engineering Force of the Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for the year 1902, in which is included the proposed increase of force for the Brooklyn extension, which will probably be started during the last half of the year.

The amounts of the other items from the Engineer's Department include the natural increase of the work and also the probable expenses relating to the proposed Brooklyn extension, except that the item of advertising the Brooklyn contract and the condemnation proceedings along the line of the Rapid Transit work have been included in the items submitted by the main office.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE S. RICE, Deputy Chief Engineer.

STATEMENT OF SALARIES.

Force, January, 1902.

OFFICE.	Per Annum.	Per Month.
1 Chief Engineer.....	15,000 00	\$1,250 00
1 Deputy Chief Engineer.....	7,000 00	583 33
1 General Inspector.....	4,000 00	333 33
1 Private Secretary.....	1,800 00	150 00
3 Assistant Engineers.....	2,200 00	549 99
3 Assistant Engineers.....	1,800 00	450 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	1,500 00	125 00
3 Assistant Engineers.....	1,200 00	300 00
1 Draughtsman.....	1,800 00	150 00
6 Draughtsmen.....	1,500 00	750 00
3 Architectural Draughtsmen, each.....	960 00	240 00
3 Inspectors of Steel, each.....	1,800 00	450 00
1 Rodman.....	960 00	80 00
1 Stenographer.....	1,500 00	125 00
2 Stenographers, each.....	1,200 00	200 00
1 Photographer.....	1,200 00	100 00
2 Office Boys, each.....	300 00	50 00
Additional Assistant Engineers, Draughtsmen and promotions.....		996 39
		\$6,883 04

FIRST DIVISION.

1 Division Engineer.....	\$4,500 00	\$375 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	2,200 00	183 33
5 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,800 00	750 00
7 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,500 00	875 00
3 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,200 00	300 00
1 Topographical Draughtsman.....	1,500 00	125 00
1 Stenographer.....	1,000 00	83 33
16 Rodmen, each.....	960 00	1,280 00
7 Axemen, each.....	720 00	420 00
1 Office Boy.....	300 00	25 00
26 Inspectors of Masonry, each.....	1,296 00	2,808 00
2 Axemen (additional), each.....	720 00	120 00
Additional Assistant Engineer and promotions.....		250 00
4 Inspectors of Masonry (additional), each.....	1,296 00	332 00
		\$8,026 66

SECOND DIVISION.

1 Division Engineer.....	\$4,000 00	\$333 33
1 Assistant Engineer.....	2,200 00	183 33
4 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,800 00	600 00
5 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,500 00	625 00
4 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,200 00	400 00
1 Transitman.....	1,500 00	125 00
1 Topographical Draughtsman.....	1,200 00	100 00
1 Inspector of Steel.....	1,800 00	150 00
14 Rodmen, each.....	960 00	1,120 00
6 Axemen, each.....	720 00	360 00
17 Inspectors of Masonry, each.....	1,296 00	1,836 00
1 Assistant Engineer (additional).....	1,500 00	125 00
2 Axemen (additional), each.....	720 00	120 00
Assistant Engineer and other promotions.....		250 00
4 Inspectors of Masonry (additional).....	1,296 00	432 00
		\$6,759 66

THIRD DIVISION.

1 Division Engineer.....	\$4,000 00	\$333 33
2 Assistant Engineers, each.....	2,200 00	366 66
3 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,800 00	450 00
6 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,500 00	750 00
5 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,200 00	500 00
1 Transitman.....	1,200 00	100 00
1 Cement Tester.....	1,200 00	100 00
1 Stenographer.....	1,000 00	83 33
12 Rodmen, each.....	960 00	960 00
3 Axemen, each.....	720 00	180 00
15 Inspectors of Masonry, each.....	1,296 00	1,620 00
2 Axemen (additional), each.....	720 00	120 00
Assistant Engineer and other promotions.....		450 00
8 Inspectors of Masonry (additional), each.....	1,296 00	864 00
		\$6,877 32

FOURTH DIVISION.

1 Division Engineer.....	\$4,000 00	\$333 33
2 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,800 00	300 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	1,500 00	125 00
2 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,200 00	200 00
9 Rodmen, each.....	960 00	720 00
3 Inspectors of Masonry, each.....	1,296 00	324 00
1 Assistant Engineer (additional).....	1,200 00	100 00
2 Rodmen (additional), each.....	960 00	160 00
Assistant Engineer and other promotions.....		188 00
2 Axemen (additional), each.....	720 00	120 00
7 Inspectors of Masonry (additional), each.....	1,296 00	756 00
		\$3,326 33

SEWER DIVISION.

1 Division Engineer.....	\$4,000 00	\$333 33
1 Assistant Engineer.....	2,200 00	183 33
2 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,800 00	300 00
2 Assistant Engineers, each.....	1,500 00	250 00
1 Transitman.....	1,500 00	125 00
1 Stenographer.....	1,000 00	83 33
12 Rodmen, each.....	960 00	640 00
12 Inspectors of Masonry, each.....	1,296 00	1,296 00
Assistant Engineer and other promotions.....		110 00
		\$3,320 99

DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTION OF MATERIAL.

1 General Inspector of Material.....	\$3,600 00	\$300 00
1 Inspector of Steel.....	1,620 00	135 00
4 Inspectors of Steel, each.....	1,320 00	440 00
6 Inspectors of Steel, each.....	1,212 00	606 00

1 Inspector of Steel.....	1,200 00	700 00
1 Inspector of Steel.....	950 00	80 00
1 Steel Chemist.....	1,500 00	125 00
1 Cement Tester.....	1,800 00	150 00
3 Cement Testers, each.....	1,200 00	300 00
Inspectors and other promotions.....		70 00
		<u>\$2,306 00</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Main Office.....	\$6,883 04
First Division.....	8,026 66
Second Division.....	6,759 66
Third Division.....	6,877 32
Fourth Division.....	3,326 33
Sewer Division.....	3,320 99
Department of Inspection of Material.....	2,306 00
	<u>\$37,500 00</u>

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 20, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—In regard to the attached requisition of the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners, dated January 9, 1902, for the sum of \$576,000 for its expenses for the year 1902, I beg to report that the requisition of last year was for the sum of \$379,500, and the increase asked for is in part for the natural growth of the work on the present contract, and also the estimated amount necessary for the Brooklyn extension.

The Deputy Chief Engineer has furnished me with a detailed statement of the salary account, which is inclosed.

The pay-roll of the entire Commission at present is about \$32,000 per month, and the balance to the credit of this fund will be exhausted by February 1.

I would, therefore, recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approve of the requisition as made, and authorize the Comptroller to issue the necessary bonds.

Respectfully,
EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 23, 1902.

To the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners, New York City, N. Y.:

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has referred to the Comptroller for examination and report your estimate of the sum of \$576,000 as requisite and necessary to enable you to properly do and perform your duties during the year 1902.

As such sum as may be appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this purpose is to be raised by the issue of revenue bonds to be redeemed out of the tax levy of next year, and as the power to make the appropriation is a continuing power, or, in the language of the statute, it is to be exercised "from time to time," I hesitate to recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the issue of revenue bonds at present for such part of your requisition as, in the language of Deputy Chief Engineer Rice in his communication to Engineer McLean, of this department, of January 18, 1902, "includes the proposed increase of force for the Brooklyn extension, which will probably be started during the last half of the year." I would prefer to recommend to the Board for the present appropriation only the sum which is now necessary and to have the increase which the Brooklyn extension will cost dealt with in a separate appropriation later on in the year.

I will be obliged if you will separate the requisition into two parts, one showing the present requirements for the work which is now in hand, and the other showing what part of the \$576,000 is asked for in anticipation for the building of the Brooklyn extension. Meanwhile, so that there may be no delay in the payment of the January salaries, I will recommend at the next meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, which is to be held next week, an appropriation which will cover present needs.

Yours very truly,
EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
No. 320 BROADWAY, NEW YORK,
January 28, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway, City:

DEAR SIR—Referring to your letter of the 23d instant, as to the desirability of curtailing the issue of revenue bonds at present, and to the suggestion made at the meeting of the Contract Committee on last Thursday, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment only appropriate a sum sufficient to cover the estimated expenses of the Rapid Transit Board for the first six months of the year 1902, President Orr directs me to submit herewith an estimate of the amount to be expended in the period beginning the 1st of January and ending the 1st of July, 1902, as follows:

General Office.

Salaries, rent, and all other expenses, one-half the amount of the requisition already made.....

\$30,500 00

Office of Chief Engineer.

Engineering instruments and supplies.....	\$3,750 00
Office and telephone rental.....	7,000 00
Salaries.....	208,905 66
Disbursements by employees.....	3,500 00
Furniture for offices.....	1,500 00
Printing, stationery, supplies, etc.....	3,000 00
Plans, prints, and photographic supplies.....	1,250 00
Contingencies and Brooklyn borings.....	12,500 00
	<u>\$241,405 66</u>

Grand total.....

\$271,905 66

Yours respectfully,
BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

No. 102 PRODUCE EXCHANGE,
NEW YORK, January 30, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway, City:

DEAR SIR—I beg to enclose you herewith a letter just received from H. A. D. Holman, Auditor of the Rapid Transit Commission, which explains the situation of the Rapid Transit Commission respecting finances, and the immediate need of a further appropriation to meet existing and prospective indebtedness.

Referring to the requisition which the Board has lately made for \$271,905.66, if there is any item therein which you would wish to have further explained and will so advise me, I will have rendered you a statement in detail of such item with as little delay as possible.

Yours respectfully,
A. E. ORR, President.

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
No. 230 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, January 30, 1902.

Hon. A. E. ORR, President, Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—I beg to advise you that audit of the pay-roll of Inspectors for the week ending February 1, 1902 (the current week), will about exhaust the funds to the credit of the Rapid Transit Board, upon the books in the Comptroller's office, and in addition thereto I am withholding vouchers in payment of bills for services, rental and supplies to the Board, to an amount of \$18,000, it being quite impossible to facilitate the

said bills and any further pay-rolls until the Board of Estimate and Apportionment provides an apportionment to cover the expenses of this Board.

A requisition for an amount of \$576,000 was made by resolution of the Board at its meeting January 9, 1902, and handed to Comptroller GROUT on January 10, 1902.

Meetings of the Board of Estimate have been held respectively:

On January 14, 1902, at which said requisition was not made an order of business.

On January 21, 1902, the same was introduced and referred to Mr. GROUT for examination and report as per a letter addressed to this Board by the Comptroller dated January 23, 1902, in which request was made to separate the requisition into two parts—showing the present requirements for the work which is now in hand, and the other showing what part of the \$576,000 was asked for in anticipation of the building of the Brooklyn extension.

In response thereto the following is a copy of a letter addressed to the Comptroller by Secretary Burrows:

January 28, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller, No. 280 Broadway, City:

DEAR SIR—Replying to your letter of the 23d instant, as to the desirability of curtailing the issue of revenue bonds at present and to the suggestion made at the meeting of the Contract Committee on last Thursday that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment only appropriate a sum sufficient to cover the estimated expenses of the Rapid Transit Board for the first six months of the year 1902, President Orr directs me to submit herewith an estimate of the amount to be expended in the period beginning January 1 and ending July 1 1902, as follows:

General Office.

Salaries, rent and all other expenses, ½ the amount of the requisition already made.....

\$30,500 00

Office of Chief Engineer.

Engineering instruments and supplies.....	\$3,750 00
Office and telephone rental.....	7,000 00
Salaries.....	208,905 66
Disbursements by employees.....	3,500 00
Furniture for offices.....	1,500 00
Printing, stationery, supplies, etc.....	3,000 00
Plans, prints and photographic supplies.....	1,250 00
Contingencies and Brooklyn borings.....	12,500 00
	<u>\$271,905 66</u>

Total.....

\$271,905 66

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) B. L. BURROWS, Secretary.

On January 28, 1902, at a meeting of the Board of Estimate, the matter was again deferred.

You are respectfully advised of these particulars for such action as may be necessary for the Board to consider, to facilitate the matter referred to.

I am, very truly yours,
JAS. H. COLLMANN, Auditor.

N. B.—The next meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will be held Tuesday, February 4, 1902, at 2 o'clock.

And offered the following:

Whereas, The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners has made requisition for the sum of five hundred and seventy-six thousand dollars (\$576,000), which is requisite and necessary to enable said Board properly to do and perform, or to cause to be done and performed, the duties prescribed by section 10 of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, as amended by section 7 of chapter 752 of the Laws of 1894, as follows:

Rapid Transit Board, Chief Engineer's Office.

Engineering instruments and supplies.....	\$7,500 00
Office and telephone rental.....	14,000 00
Salaries.....	450,000 00
Disbursements of employees.....	7,000 00
Furniture for offices.....	3,000 00
Printing, stationery, supplies, etc.....	6,000 00
Plans, prints, photographic supplies.....	2,500 00
Contingencies and Brooklyn borings.....	25,000 00
	<u>\$515,000 00</u>

Rapid Transit Board, General Offices.

Office rental.....	\$2,000 00
Salaries, employees.....	7,220 00
Furniture.....	500 00
Printing, stationery and supplies.....	1,280 00
Disbursements, employees and Counsel.....	5,000 00
Counsel.....	20,000 00
Advertising.....	15,000 00
Contingencies.....	5,000 00
Stenographers' fees and Clerkships.....	5,000 00
	<u>61,000 00</u>

Total.....

\$576,000 00

And, Whereas, The President of said Board, through his Secretary, in reply to a communication of the Comptroller of The City of New York, has submitted an estimate of the amount to be expended on account of said requisition during the period beginning the first day of January and ending the first day of July, 1902, amounting to the sum of two hundred and seventy-one thousand, nine hundred and five dollars and sixty-six cents (\$271,905.66):

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, as amended by section 7 of chapter 752 of the Laws of 1894, the sum of two hundred and seventy-one thousand nine hundred and five dollars and sixty six cents (\$271,905.66) be and hereby is provided for the purpose of paying the following items of expense of the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners incurred or to be incurred during the period from January 1, 1902, to July 1, 1902, viz:

General Office.

Salaries, rent and all other expenses, ½ the amount of the requisition already made.....

\$30,500 00

Office of Chief Engineer.

Engineering instruments and supplies.....	\$3,750 00
Office and telephone rental.....	7,000 00
Salaries.....	208,905 66
Disbursements by employees.....	3,500 00
Furniture for offices.....	1,500 00
Printing, stationery, supplies, etc.....	3,000 00
Plans, prints and photographic supplies.....	1,250 00
Contingencies and Brooklyn borings.....	12,500 00
	<u>\$271,905 66</u>

Grand total.....

\$271,905 66

And, Resolved, That for the purpose of providing for the payment thereof, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized and directed to issue and sell special rev-

eneue bonds of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding two hundred and seventy-one thousand nine hundred and five dollars and sixty-six cents (\$271,905.66), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, redeemable from the tax levy of the year following their issue.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the Presidents of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—13.

The Secretary presented the following:

MITCHELL & MITCHELL, ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
NOS. 44 AND 46 WALL STREET,
January 20, 1902.

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

GENTLEMEN—We hand you with this a petition to rescind the resolution of the late Board of Public Improvements adopted May 15, 1901, to acquire title to lands for opening and extending East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street in the Borough of The Bronx, and to request the Corporation Counsel to discontinue legal proceedings taken under such resolution.

Two of the copies of the petition are signed in the handwriting of all the petitioners and are delivered for filing with the Clerk and Secretary of your honorable Board.

Eight of the copies are signed in the handwriting of five of the petitioners, the other signatures being copies of the original signatures affixed to the two copies above referred to, and are delivered for the use of each of the members of your Board.

We have the honor to request your respectful consideration of this petition and of the statement of facts and reasons why the same should be granted and to ask that a time may be fixed for a hearing in case your honorable Board should deem it necessary to have an oral hearing in the matter.

Yours respectfully,

MITCHELL & MITCHELL, Attorneys for Petitioners.

EDWD. MITCHELL, of Counsel.

And the following was offered:

Resolved, That the matter be referred to the Local Board, Borough of The Bronx, for a public hearing and that that Board be requested to report after such hearing, and that the Law Department be requested not to progress the proceedings.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond.—13.

The Comptroller presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK,
February 5, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Under the provisions of section 242 of the amended Greater New York Charter, this Board has the power to appropriate, from time to time, for the maintenance, improvement and extension of the water supply system in the Borough of Brooklyn, moneys received from water rents in said borough. There has been already appropriated from these revenues the sum of \$120,000. This appropriation was made for the purpose of paying the expenses to be incurred during the month of January.

A contract has been entered into for the supply of coal to be furnished to the various pumping stations connected with said system during the year 1902, and it is now presented to this office for certification. The estimated cost of this contract is the sum of \$298,636.80, and in order that the contract may be properly certified and the expenses of maintenances to be incurred for the next few months properly provided for, I recommend that an additional appropriation of \$500,000 be made, which will provide sufficient funds to enable me to certify this contract and maintain said system until the 1st of May.

Very respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS REQUIRED FROM WATER REVENUE FOR SALARIES AND SUPPLIES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1902.

Salaries—Maintenance and Repairs.

Engineer's Office Force.

1 Chief Engineer of water supply	\$7,500 00
2 Assistant Engineers, at \$2,700 each	5,400 00
1 Assistant Engineer	2,500 00
1 Assistant Engineer	2,000 00
2 Transitmen (1 at \$1,000 and 1 at \$1,600)	3,400 00
1 Leveler	1,200 00
2 Rodmen, at \$1,000 each	2,000 00
2 Chainmen at \$1,000 each	2,000 00
1 Coal Inspector	1,200 00
1 Stenographer	1,500 00
1 Clerk	1,500 00
1 Laborer	720 00
	<u>\$30,920 00</u>

Repairs to Buildings.

1 Inspector	\$1,252 00
4 Carpenters, at \$4 per day each	3,008 00
1 Painter, at \$4 per day	1,252 00
2 Painters, at \$3.50 per day each	2,191 00
3 Masons, at 60c. per hour	4,507 20
3 Laborers and Masons' Helpers, at \$2.75 per day each	2,582 25
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day for 365 days	730 00
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day for 313 days	626 00
1 Driver, at \$2.50 per day	912 50
	<u>\$19,060 95</u>

Repairs To, Cleaning Of and Re-Driving Wells at Driven Well Stations.

1 Inspector	\$1,252 00
3 Well Drivers, at \$2 per day each	1,878 00
8 Assistant Well Drivers, at \$2 per day each	5,008 00
11 Laborers, at \$2 per day each	6,886 00
	<u>\$15,024 00</u>

Ridgewood Engine House.

1 Engineman, in charge	\$2,800 00
1 First Engineman	2,100 00
1 First Engineman	2,000 00
22 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	28,105 00
19 Oilers, at \$912 each	17,328 00
42 Stokers, at \$912 each	38,304 00
1 Clerk, at \$1,500	1,500 00
1 Clerk, at \$1,000	1,000 00
1 Clerk (new), at \$1,000	1,000 00
1 Machinist, at \$1,000	1,000 00
2 Machinists, at \$3 per day each	2,190 00
2 Machinist's Helpers, at \$2.50 per day each	1,565 00
1 Carpenter, at \$1,200	1,200 00

1 Blacksmith, at \$1,100	1,100 00
1 Blacksmith's Helper, at \$2.50 per day	782 50
2 Carpenters, at \$4 per day each	2,504 00
2 Masons, at 60 cents per hour each	3,004 80
1 Steam Fitter, at \$1,050	1,050 00
3 Telephone Operators, at \$2.50 per day each	2,737 50
1 Painter, at \$3.50 per day	1,095 50
1 Hostler, at \$800	800 00
2 Night Watchmen, at \$2.50 per day each	1,825 00
1 Foreman of Laborers, at \$4 per day	1,252 00
1 Laborer, at \$2.25 per day	704 25
24 Laborers, at \$2 per day each	17,520 00
13 Laborers, at \$2 per day each	8,138 00
2 Special Laborers, at \$2.75 per day each	1,721 50
2 Cleaners, at \$2 per day each	1,400 00
	<u>\$145,787 05</u>

New Lots Pumping Station.

1 Engineman, in charge	\$1,500 00
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	2,555 00
1 Oiler, at \$912	912 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each	2,736 00
2 Laborers, at \$2 per day each	1,400 00
	<u>\$9,163 00</u>

Spring Creek Pumping Station.

1 Engineman, in charge, at \$1,277.50	\$1,277 50
5 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	6,387 50
6 Stokers, at \$912 each	5,472 00
	<u>\$13,137 00</u>

Shetucket Pumping Station.

1 Engineman, in charge, at \$1,277.50	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	2,555 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each	2,736 00
	<u>\$6,568 50</u>

Oconee Pumping Station.

1 Engineman, in charge	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	2,555 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each	2,736 00
	<u>\$6,568 50</u>

Baiseley's Pumping Station.

1 Engineman, in charge	\$1,277 50
1 Engineman	1,277 50
2 Stokers, at \$912 each	1,824 00
	<u>\$4,379 00</u>

Jameco Pumping Station.

1 Engineman, in charge	\$1,277 50
3 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	3,832 50
1 Oiler, at \$912	2,736 00
	<u>\$8,758 00</u>

Jameco Filter Plant.

1 Machinist, in charge	\$1,200 00
1 Oiler	912 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each	2,736 00
2 Laborers, at \$2 per day	1,400 00
	<u>\$6,308 00</u>

Springfield Pumping Station.

1 Engineman, in charge	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	2,555 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each	2,736 00
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day	730 00
	<u>\$7,298 50</u>

Springfield Filter Plant.

1 Machinist, in charge	\$1,200 00
2 Oilers, at \$912 each	1,824 00
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day	730 00
	<u>\$3,754 00</u>

Forest Stream Pumping Station.

1 Engineman, in charge	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	2,555 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each	2,736 00
	<u>\$6,568 50</u>

Clear Stream Pumping Station.

1 Engineman, in charge	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	2,555 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each	2,736 00
	<u>\$6,568 50</u>

Watt's Pond Pumping Station.

1 Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	2,555 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each	2,736 00
	<u>\$6,568 50</u>

Smith's Pond Pumping Station.

1 Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	2,555 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each	2,736 00
	<u>\$6,568 50</u>

Millburn Pumping Station.

1 Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,800 00
3 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	3,832 50
3 Oilers, at \$912 each	2,736 00
6 Stokers, at \$912 each	5,472 00
5 Laborers, at \$2 per day each	3,650 00
	<u>\$17,490 50</u>

Agawam Pumping Station.

1 Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each	2,555 00

3 Stokers, at \$912 each.....	2,736 00
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day.....	730 00
	<u>\$7,298 50</u>
Merrick Pumping Station.	
1 Engineman-in-Charge.....	\$1,277 50
1 Stoker.....	912 00
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day.....	730 00
	<u>\$2,219 50</u>
Matowa Pumping Station.	
1 Engineman-in-Charge.....	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each.....	2,555 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each.....	2,736 00
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day.....	730 00
	<u>\$7,298 50</u>
Wantagh Pumping Station.	
1 Engineman-in-Charge.....	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each.....	2,555 00
3 Stokers, at \$912 each.....	2,736 00
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day.....	730 00
	<u>\$7,298 50</u>
Massapequa Pumping Station.	
1 Engineman-in-Charge.....	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each.....	2,555 00
1 Stoker.....	912 00
3 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	2,190 00
	<u>\$6,934 50</u>
Mt. Prospect Pumping Station.	
1 Engineman-in-Charge.....	\$1,800 00
6 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each.....	7,665 00
20 Stokers, at \$912 each.....	9,120 00
4 Oilers, at \$912 each.....	3,648 00
1 Telephone Operator.....	900 00
1 Carpenter.....	1,252 00
1 Laborer, at \$2.25 per day.....	821 25
4 Laborers, at \$2 per day.....	2,920 00
	<u>\$28,126 25</u>
Gravesend Pumping Station.	
1 Engineman-in-Charge.....	\$1,277 50
3 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each.....	3,832 50
1 Oiler.....	912 00
4 Stokers, at \$912 each.....	3,648 00
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day.....	730 00
	<u>\$10,400 00</u>
New Utrecht Pumping Station.	
1 Engineman-in-Charge.....	\$1,277 50
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each.....	2,555 00
4 Stokers, at \$912 each.....	3,648 00
1 Laborer, at \$2 per day.....	730 00
	<u>\$8,210 50</u>
Mt. Prospect Reservoir.	
1 Keeper.....	\$1,000 00
2 Watchmen, at \$2.50 per day each.....	1,825 00
5 Laborers, at \$2 per day each.....	3,650 00
	<u>\$6,475 00</u>
Conduits and Reservoirs.	
1 Superintendent of Conduits and Reservoirs.....	\$2,000 00
1 Assistant Engineer.....	1,200 00
1 Keeper of Ridgewood Reservoir.....	1,000 00
3 Pond Keepers, at \$600 each.....	1,800 00
1 Assistant Pond Keeper, at \$2 per day.....	730 00
1 Watchman, at \$2.50 per day.....	912 50
1 Cleaner, at \$2.50 per day.....	912 50
4 Cleaners, at \$2 per day each.....	2,920 00
1 Stableman, at \$2.50 per day.....	912 50
1 Mason's Helper, at \$2.75 per day.....	1,003 75
1 Foreman, at \$4 per day.....	1,252 00
1 Foreman, at \$2.50 per day.....	912 50
3 Assistant Foremen, at \$3 per day.....	2,817 00
61 Laborers, 365 days, at \$2 per day each.....	44,530 00
5 Laborers, 313 days, at \$2 per day each.....	3,130 00
3 Teams, at \$4 per day each.....	3,756 00
	<u>\$69,788 25</u>
Salaries—Distribution and Repairs.	
Superintendent of General Repairs.	
1 Superintendent of Repairs.....	\$3,000 00
1 Permit Clerk, at \$1,200.....	1,200 00
5 General Clerks at \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00
1 Stenographer.....	1,000 00
1 Messenger.....	900 00
1 Oiler.....	912 00
1 Stoker.....	912 00
1 Factory Inspector.....	1,250 00
3 Tap and Connection Inspectors at \$1,000 each.....	3,000 00
1 Tap and Connection Inspector.....	900 00
6 Meter and Water Consumption Inspectors, at \$900 each.....	5,400 00
1 Meter and Water Consumption Inspector at \$3 per day.....	930 00
2 Water for Shipping Inspectors, at \$3 per day.....	1,878 00
1 Extra Water Inspector, at \$1,000.....	1,000 00
1 Plumbing Inspector, at \$1,200.....	1,200 00
3 Tappers, at \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00
2 Enginemen, at \$1,277.50 each.....	2,555 00
1 Fireman, at \$912.....	912 00
1 Hostler.....	1,200 00
1 Blacksmith, \$3.50 per day.....	1,095 50
1 Blacksmith.....	1,200 00
1 Blacksmith's Helper, \$2.50 per day.....	782 50
1 Machinist.....	1,100 00
4 Machinist's Helpers, at \$2.50 per day.....	3,130 00
3 Machinists, at \$3 per day.....	3,285 00
1 Machinist's Apprentice, at \$2 per day.....	626 00
2 Plumber's Apprentices, at \$2 per day.....	1,460 00
1 Plumber, at \$3.50 per day.....	1,277 50
1 Foreman.....	1,500 00
3 Foremen, at \$4 per day.....	4,380 00
2 Assistant Foremen, at \$4 per day.....	2,920 00

2 Assistant Foremen of Laborers at \$3 per day each.....	2,190 00
1 Assistant Foreman of Laborers, at \$4 per day.....	1,460 00
1 Keeper of pipe yard.....	1,500 00
3 Cleaners, at \$360 each.....	1,080 00
2 Pavers, at \$4 each per day.....	2,504 00
2 Rammers, at \$3 each per day.....	1,878 00
1 Carpenter, at \$4 per day.....	1,252 00
1 Carpenter's Helper, at \$3 per day.....	782 50
6 Valvemen, at \$3 each per day.....	6,570 00
15 Pipe Calkers, at \$3 each per day.....	16,425 00
2 Calkers at \$3 each per day.....	2,190 00
1 Measurer, at \$2.50 per day.....	782 50
4 Watchmen, at \$2.50 each per day.....	3,650 00
6 Stablemen, at \$2.50 each per day.....	5,475 00
17 Drivers, at \$2.50 each per day.....	15,512 50
62 Laborers, at \$2 each per day.....	45,200 00
5 Laborers, at \$2.25 each per day.....	4,106 25
5 Laborers, at \$2.50 each per day.....	4,562 50
1 Laundress.....	300 00
	<u>\$178,054 75</u>

Materials and Supplies—Maintenance and Repairs.	
Engineer's Office.	
Supplies and contingencies.....	\$1,000 00
Repairs to Buildings.	
Materials and supplies.....	\$7,500 00
Repairs to, Cleaning of and Re-driving Wells at Driven Well Stations.	
Tools and materials.....	\$6,000 00
Pumping Stations.	
Ridgewood Engine House—Materials and supplies.....	\$41,675 00
New Lots Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	3,250 00
Spring Creek Old Plant—Materials and supplies.....	1,910 00
Spring Creek Temporary Plant—Materials and supplies.....	1,835 00
Shetucket Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	3,575 00
Oconee Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	3,360 00
Baiseley's Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	1,385 00
Jameco Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	2,200 00
Jameco Filter Plant—Materials and supplies.....	10,000 00
Springfield Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	1,385 00
Springfield Filter Plant—Materials and supplies.....	7,000 00
Forest Stream Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	2,185 00
Clear Stream Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	2,185 00
Watts' Pond Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	1,160 00
Smith's Pond Pumping Station—Material sand supplies.....	1,900 00
Millburn Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	6,590 00
Agawam Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	6,175 00
Merrick Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	2,675 00
Matowa Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	2,675 00
Wantagh Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	2,675 00
Massapequa Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	2,675 00
Mount Prospect Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	10,500 00
Gravesend Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	2,200 00
New Utrecht Pumping Station—Materials and supplies.....	3,300 00

Mount Prospect Reservoir.	
Materials and supplies.....	\$4,000 00
Conduits and Reservoirs.	
Cleaning ponds and streams.....	5,000 00
Material and supplies.....	23,000 00
	<u>\$28,000 00</u>
Coal, Taxes and Telephones.	
Coal.....	\$324,000 00
Taxes.....	50,000 00
Telephones.....	5,000 00
	<u>\$379,000 00</u>

Electric Lighting.	
Engines and generators at Ridgewood and Millburn Pumping Stations, and wiring at Ridgewood and Jameco Pumping Stations.....	\$9,000 00

Materials and Supplies—Distribution and Repairs.	
Superintendence and General Repairs.	
Materials and supplies.....	\$69,520 00

Salaries.	
Maintenance and Repairs.	
Engineer's Office.....	\$30,920 00
Repairs to buildings.....	19,060 95
Repairs to driven well stations.....	15,024 00
Pumping stations.....	333,972 30
Conduits and reservoirs.....	76,263 25
Distribution and Repairs.	
Superintendence and general repairs.....	178,054 75
Total salaries.....	<u>\$653,295 25</u>

Supplies and Repairs.	
Maintenance and Repairs.	
Engineer's Office.....	\$1,000 00
Repairs to buildings.....	7,500 00
Repairs to driven well stations.....	6,000 00
Pumping stations.....	124,590 00
Conduits and reservoirs.....	32,000 00
Coal.....	324,000 00
Taxes.....	50,000 00
Telephone.....	5,000 00
Electric lighting.....	9,000 00
	<u>\$559,090 00</u>

Distribution and Repairs.	
Superintendence and general repairs.....	\$69,520 00
Total supplies and repairs.....	<u>\$628,610 00</u>

GRAND TOTAL.	
Salaries.....	\$653,295 25
Supplies and repairs.....	628,610 00
Total.....	<u>\$1,281,905 25</u>

(Copy.)
 BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, JANUARY 31, 1898.
 Hon. BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller:
 Sir—I am in receipt of your communication bearing date January 10, in reference to certain questions which arise in connection with the water system of the former City of Brooklyn.

Sections 5 and 6 of title XV. of the Brooklyn Consolidation Act (chapter 583 of the Laws of 1888) provide in reference to the water system as follows:

"Section 5. The price of rents to be fixed for the use of water to be supplied by the said works shall, as far as may be reasonable and practicable, be regulated and adjusted so as to pay from the net income the interest upon, and ultimately the principal of the bonds. After the payment or deduction of all expenses and charges of maintenance and distribution, the net surplus income from said works shall be set apart as a special sinking fund, to be denominated 'the water sinking fund,' and shall be appropriated and applied for and toward the payment of the principal and interest of the said bonds, and shall be under the management and control of the Mayor, Comptroller and Treasurer of the said City, or the major part of them, for the time being, who shall be the Commissioners of the said fund, and shall apply the same solely to the use and purpose aforesaid, until the principal and interest of the said bonds shall be fully paid and discharged.

"Section 6. The said Commissioner of City Works shall, in every year, by resolution, fix the price which shall be assessed (over and above the regular rent and the special rent hereinbefore provided for) upon every vacant lot situated upon any street, lane, alley or court through or into which the distributing pipes shall have been laid, until the bonds issued for the construction of the said works, with the interest thereon, shall have been paid, and thereafter they shall be adjusted so as to, with the other provisions of this act respecting income from said works, meet the expense of repairs, maintenance and extension of said works. The net proceeds or income of said works shall be paid into the said special sinking fund, as herein provided. Such sums so assessed, together with percentages for defaults, as provided by section 4 of title 7 of this act, shall be a lien upon the said premises respectively, and the same may be collected and enforced in the same manner as the annual county taxes are collected and enforced in said city."

Section 204 of the Charter provides for the creation of a Board of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund "with all the powers and duties now assigned, designated and reposed by law or ordinances in the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund * * * of the City of Brooklyn * * * . The said Board shall administer each of the said several sinking funds and perform, carry out and exercise the several trust powers, obligations and duties relating thereto in the same manner as the same would have been administered, performed and carried out and exercised if this act had not been passed, except as otherwise provided in this act. The assets and accounts of each of said sinking funds shall, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, be kept separate and distinct, and the same shall in all respects be administered as independent trusts, subject to and governed by the several provisions of law or ordinance heretofore relating thereto, with the intent and purpose of preserving inviolate the rights of holders of bonds and stocks heretofore issued by any of the municipal and public corporations or parts thereof hereby made a part of The City of New York."

From section 226 of the Charter it would seem to be the duty of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to provide for all the expenses of conducting the city government by making appropriations therefor, to be included in each year's tax levy.

You request my opinion in your communication in regard to the following points:

1. "Should the Board of Estimate and Apportionment make provision for the cost of distribution of water and maintenance of the water works of the Borough of Brooklyn by including an appropriation therefor in each year's budget, or should such expenses be provided for out of a special or trust fund created out of the water rates collected in the Borough of Brooklyn?"

2. "If such expenses should, in my opinion, be provided for from moneys raised by taxation, what disposition should be made of the water rates collected in the Borough of Brooklyn? In this connection my attention is called to the provisions of section 15 of title XV. of the Brooklyn Consolidation Act, as amended."

In addition to the foregoing matters, you call my attention to the several provisions of law in the Brooklyn Consolidation Act which limit investments on behalf of the Brooklyn Sinking Funds to bonds of the United States, the State of New York, the County of Kings and the City of Brooklyn (section 18, title IV.; section 8, title XV.), and request to be advised whether, in my opinion, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund could lawfully invest cash accruing to the Brooklyn Sinking Fund in bonds of the present City of New York.

You state that this question becomes one of importance, since the City of Brooklyn no longer has a corporate existence, the County of Kings is deprived of the power to issue additional bonds (section 8, chapter 378, Laws of 1897), the issues of the State of New York are extremely infrequent, and United States bonds can only be purchased at such premiums as would in themselves largely defeat the purposes of the Sinking Fund by making it necessary each succeeding year to account for depreciation of capital invested.

The answer to your first question must be that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment need not make provision for the cost of the distribution of water and maintenance of the water works of the Borough of Brooklyn so far as the said cost is really "expenses and charges of maintenance and distribution" of the said works as specified in section 5 of title XV. of the Brooklyn Consolidation Act.

This cost is simply, however, the cost of the work; that is, the extension of the system of pipes, etc., to supply the public with water, and the keeping of the system in repair.

This cost would not include the salaries of persons employed to collect the water rents or to perform, in fact, any work in connection with this water supply other than the work already mentioned of maintenance and distribution.

The expenses, therefore, of maintenance and distribution as above defined can be provided for out of the special or trust fund created out of the water rates collected in the Borough of Brooklyn, but the expenses of the collection of water rates, office expenses, etc., must be provided for by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in the tax levy.

I am not unaware that my answer to this question imposes upon the citizens in the tax levy a somewhat serious burden, but I have given to the matter very mature consideration and I can return to this question no other answer.

It is true that the practice in Brooklyn has heretofore been otherwise, namely, of providing for the expense of the clerical force and the expense of the collection of water rates out of the proceeds of the water rents received.

This practice has obtained for many years, but I can find for it no warrant of law, and it certainly appears that the result has been to divert from the Sinking Fund mentioned in section 15, a large amount of money which should have gone into it.

In reply to your second question, in relation to the disposition of the water rates collected in the Borough of Brooklyn, I have to say that the answer to the first question practically covers the second, and that the water rates collected in the Borough of Brooklyn, except the amounts payable for maintenance and distribution, as above defined, should be paid into the Sinking Fund referred to in section 5, title XV. of the Brooklyn Consolidation Act.

The provisions of section 15, as amended by chapter 453 of the Laws of 1890, of the Brooklyn Consolidation Act, referred to in your second question, are apparently those hereinbelow quoted:

"The net surplus income from the public water works of the city, after paying the interest on all outstanding bonds issued for the construction and extension of said works, and after discharging any other claims by law chargeable against the water revenue, shall be paid over to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the end of each year, and such surplus, together with the interest thereon, shall be appropriated solely for and toward the payment and redemption of the water bonds of said city. * * * If such surplus income, after paying the charges for maintenance and distribution and interest, as aforesaid, shall in any one year before the year nineteen hundred amount to the sum of five hundred thousand dollars, the Sinking Fund Commissioners aforesaid may, in their discretion, apply any proportionate part of said surplus, not exceeding one-half thereof, to the reduction of the amount which must be inserted in the annual estimate and raised by taxation to meet the interest of any of the bonds or obligations of the City of Brooklyn."

It is sufficient to cite these provisions of the section, as they distinctly point out the course to be followed in regard to the surplus income from the public water works of Brooklyn.

I would, however, remind you that the possible surplus applicable under this section is only to be used "to meet the interest of any bonds or obligations of the City of Brooklyn." If, in the course of time, all of the now existing bonds of the City of

Brooklyn should be paid, then another situation would be presented, but it is too remote in point of time to be worthy of any discussion.

As to your last question, which has reference to the method of investment of net surplus accruing under the statutory provisions hereinbefore mentioned to the special sinking fund therein provided for, while I am not prepared to say that an investment of the water fund proceeds in bonds of the present City of New York, which is the successor of the former City of Brooklyn, might not be legal, yet I think it more advisable for the present, and in the absence of legislation, which should be obtained, clearly defining the investments which may be made by any of the sinking funds, to invest the net surplus arising from the water rates in question in the bonds specified in section 18 of title IV. of the Brooklyn Consolidation Act, and which are those mentioned in the latter part of your communication.

I may state in closing this subject, that I think there would be no doubt of the validity of legislation which would provide a uniform system of investment of the funds of the various sinking funds of the present city, and authorizing such changes of the character of the investments as are made necessary by the new conditions arising from consolidation of the various municipal and public corporations into the new city.

Yours,

JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel.

And offered the following:

Whereas, By subdivision 1 of section 242 of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 (the amended Greater New York Charter), the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has the power to appropriate, from time to time, for the maintenance, improvement and extension of the system of water supply of the Borough of Brooklyn the moneys received from water rents in the said borough, subject, however, to the charges now imposed by law upon said revenues; and

Whereas, The Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity has submitted an estimate of one million two hundred and eighty-one thousand nine hundred and five dollars and twenty-five cents (\$1,281,905.25) as the amount required for the proper maintenance and distribution of the water supply of said borough; and

Whereas, The sum of five hundred and fifty-three thousand and twenty-one dollars and twenty-four cents (\$553,021.24) will be required for the year 1902 to meet the interest on outstanding bonds issued for the construction and extension of the water works of said borough; and the revenues to be received during the year 1902, based upon the revenues actually received during prior years, can safely be estimated at an amount in excess of two million dollars (\$2,000,000); therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby determines that the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), in addition to the sum of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000) heretofore appropriated, be and the same is hereby set aside and appropriated from the water revenues received during the year 1902, if such revenues be sufficient, and, if not, from the balance remaining in the Water Revenue Account on December 31, 1901, for the maintenance and distribution of said water supply in the Borough of Brooklyn during the year 1902.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the Presidents of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens, and Richmond—13.

The Mayor appeared, and took his seat in the Board.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Corporation Counsel, dated January 28, 1902, transmitting a copy of an order of the Supreme Court, taxing costs of the Commissioners of Estimate, in the matter of acquiring title to lands for a park in the Twelfth Ward in The City of New York.

And offered the following:

Whereas, a bill of costs amounting to fifteen thousand one hundred and twenty dollars (\$15,120) has been taxed before a Justice of the Supreme Court, First Judicial Department, in the proceeding to acquire title to certain lands for a public park in the Twelfth Ward, between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, First avenue and East river, being for services of the following-named persons, viz:

Edmund Luis Mooney, Commissioner.....	\$5.04 00
Abram King, Commissioner.....	5.04 00
Richard V. Harnett, Commissioner.....	5.04 00
	<u>\$15,120 00</u>

Resolved, That for the purposes of providing means for the payment thereof, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the application of the sum of fifteen thousand one hundred and twenty dollars (\$15,120) from the proceeds of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, heretofore issued by the Comptroller pursuant to chapter 746 of the Laws of 1894.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The matter of the petition for relief of taxpayers, assessed for the widening and extension of Elm street in the Borough of Manhattan, was taken up for consideration.

Various representatives of the taxpayers and the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment appeared before the Board and made statements relative thereto.

The President of the Board of Aldermen offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salaries for the office of the President of the Board of Aldermen be fixed as follows:

Secretary, per annum.....	\$2,000 00
Stenographer, per annum.....	1,000 00
Messenger, per annum.....	800 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Corporation Counsel dated January 14, 1902, transmitting an order taxing the costs of the Commissioners of Estimate in the matter of the approaches to the bridge over the Harlem river at West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, and offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 086 of the Laws of 1895, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to the amount of eight hundred and fifty-six dollars (\$856), for the purpose of paying the extra allowances made to the Commissioners of Estimate in the matter of acquiring title to the lands and premises required for the approaches to the bridge over the Harlem river at West One Hun-

dred and Forty-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, and the approaches to the bridge over the Harlem river at East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, as taxed and allowed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated January 6, 1902.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK,
NEW YORK, January 31, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan:

DEAR SIR—I inclose you a map or plan showing the extension of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Malcolm place to Cayuga avenue, and showing the discontinuance and closing of Cayuga avenue, from Waldo avenue to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and of Tibbett avenue, from West Two Hundred and Forty-second street to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, dated New York, January 27, 1902. It is proposed by this map to discontinue, on the request of the President of Manhattan College, Cayuga avenue, between Waldo avenue and Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and that Tibbett avenue, between Two Hundred and Forty-second street and Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, be discontinued from the final maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York.

I have received the reports of the Principal Topographical Engineer and of the Chief Engineer of the Borough in this request of Manhattan College, and the Chief Engineer reports that "he sees no reasonable objections to discontinuing the two avenues referred to, as their discontinuance will not materially affect any other property," these avenues having been placed upon the map for the better sub-division of this large plot, rather than for general use.

In connection with this matter I desire to inform the Board that it is the intention of Manhattan College to erect a large Collegiate Institution on the plot, and to build at as early a date as practicable; and for the purpose of properly utilizing the property purchased, the college requests that the avenues referred to be discontinued from the final maps. I see no reason to object to their request.

In consequence of the discontinuing of Cayuga avenue and Tibbett avenue, it becomes necessary to extend West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Malcolm place to Cayuga avenue, in order to close up the block bounded now by West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Cayuga avenue, West Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Malcolm place, which extension is shown on the accompanying map or plan, and said map also shows the necessary changes of grade.

I recommend that a public hearing be given in this matter, as required by section 442 of the Greater New York Charter.

Yours truly,

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

The following was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of chapter 466, Laws of 1901, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the closing and discontinuing of Cayuga avenue, between Waldo avenue and West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and of Tibbett avenue, between West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Forty-second street, and the laying out and extending of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Malcolm place and Cayuga avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed closing and extending of the above named streets at a meeting of this Board to be held in the "Council Chamber," City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 28th day of February, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed closing and extending of the above named streets will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 28th day of February, 1902.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Corporation Counsel dated December 26, 1901, transmitting a copy of an order of the Supreme Court, taxing the costs of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the Matter of the Opening of a Public Park at Worth and Baxter streets in the Sixth Ward, in the Borough of Manhattan.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 10, chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to the amount of eight thousand and sixty-six dollars and fourteen cents (\$8,066.14) for the purpose of providing funds for the payment of the bill of costs taxed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated December 20, 1901, in the matter of acquiring title to lands, etc., for a public park at Worth street and Baxter street, in the Sixth Ward, Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
NEW YORK, January 30, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—I have to request that the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) be transferred from the account of "Carting" appropriation of the Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for the year 1902, to the appropriation account of "Snow and Ice," Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1902, for the reason that the balance remaining in the last named account is not sufficient to meet the emergency of the present fall of snow.

I also have to request that, in accordance with the provisions of section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized and directed to issue bonds of The City of New York to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the proceeds thereof to be used for the restoration to the account of "Carting" of the amount temporarily transferred therefrom, as requested above.

Respectfully,

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

The following was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Street Cleaning for the year 1902, entitled "Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx: Carting," to the appropriation made to said Department for 1902, entitled "Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx: Removal of Snow and Ice;" and

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Revenue Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), redeemable from the Tax Levy of the next ensuing year, the proceeds of which shall be applied to refunding said appropriation the amount hereby transferred therefrom.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
NEW YORK, January 28, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—I have to request that the following named transfers be made in the appropriation of the Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1901:

From new stock plant to final disposition	\$3,400 00
From administration to rents and contingencies	1,000 00
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	\$4,400 00

The reason for the above mentioned transfers is that the amounts remaining in the accounts of final disposition and rents and contingencies are not sufficient to cover the expenses of the year.

Respectfully,
JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

The following was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Street Cleaning for the year 1901, entitled: "Borough of Brooklyn; Administration," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1901, entitled: "Borough of Brooklyn; Rents and Contingencies," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand four hundred dollars (\$3,400) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Street Cleaning for 1901, entitled "Borough of Brooklyn: New Stock, Plant," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1901, entitled "Borough of Brooklyn: Final Disposition of Material, Including Cremation or Utilization," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following:

CHAMBERS OF THE SURROGATES' COURT,
COUNTY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, January 29, 1902.

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

GENTLEMEN—The appropriation made by your Board to this Court and Office for "Contingencies" for 1901 was insufficient. There is, however, an unused balance of \$57.50 remaining of the \$400 appropriated for "Lifers and Stationery" for the use of the Department for the Preservation of Mutilated Records of this office, and we respectfully ask your Board to transfer the balance of \$57.50 from said appropriation to that made to this court for "Contingencies" for 1901.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK T. FITZGERALD, ABNER C. THOMAS, Surrogates.

The following was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of fifty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$57.50) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the County of New York for the year 1901, entitled "Preservation of Public Records, The Surrogates' Office; Lifers and Stationery," the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said County for 1901, entitled "Surrogates' Court, New York County; Contingencies," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following:

BOARD OF EDUCATION, PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,
NEW YORK, January 29, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—I beg to advise you that at the meeting of the Board of Education, held on January 22, 1902, action relative to salaries was taken as follows:

The salary of W. F. Wickes, M. D., Surgeon and Instructor in the New York Nautical School, was increased, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen (as required by section 56 of the revised Charter), from \$1,000 to \$1,500 per annum.

Lieutenant William A. Moffett, U. S. N., Senior Instructor on the Schoolship "St. Mary's," was promoted to the position of Executive Officer, and his salary was increased, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen (as required by section 56 of the revised Charter), from \$1,200 to \$1,500 per annum, to take effect January 25, 1902.

Respectfully,

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The following was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the following named person in the Department of Education be increased as follows:

W. F. Wickes, M. D., Surgeon and Instructor in the New York Nautical School, from \$1,000 to \$1,500 per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller presented the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 4, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Edward Oppenheimer petitioned the Board of Public Improvements on De-

ember 30, 1901 (the last meeting of the Board before going out of existence), for a reduction of the assessment for opening West One Hundred and Seventieth street from Kingsbridge road to Haven avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan.

The petition was granted by the said Board and a resolution was passed placing one-half of the said assessment on the city.

The grounds set forth by the petitioner were:

- 1st. That awards had been made in the proceeding amounting to \$39,069.22.
2d. That West One Hundred and Seventieth street between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue was originally laid out by owners of the present southerly one-half of said street at a width of 40 feet, and that the said awards are made necessary by the increase of width from 40 to 80 feet.
3d. That West One Hundred and Seventieth street, west of Fort Washington avenue, 60 feet wide, has been dedicated to the public use.
4th. That a 60-foot street, instead of an 80-foot street, could have been acquired at an expense of \$20,000, and would have been ample for the use of the abutting property owners.
5th. That an 80-foot street was necessary in order (a) to conform to the width of the same street east of Kingsbridge road, which was 80 feet; (b) as an approach to High Bridge Park, for the convenience of the general traveling public.
6th. That this street is the only street west of Kingsbridge road, between West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, which has been acquired by the City.

7th. That title was acquired by the City May 31, 1899.

The facts in the case, as affecting these specific-points appear to be as follows:

1st. Awards were made in the sum of \$39,085.22; the sum of \$39,069.22 to one owner for the northerly 40 feet between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue, and one dollar each to the ten owners of the southerly 40 feet, and one dollar each to the six owners of the 60-foot street between Fort Washington and Haven avenues. In other words, the only award made was for the northerly 40 feet of the street between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue, and the assessment levied is to practically pay this single award and costs.

2d. West One hundred and Seventieth street, between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue, was laid out by the Department of Public Parks as an 80-foot street on a map filed in the Register's Office April 7, 1873 (Map No. 741).

This street was subsequently shown on a map filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvements on February 26, 1897, as a street having been previously laid out.

I can find no evidence that this street was ever laid out by the owners of the southerly one-half as a forty-foot street; the street, presumably the same as laid out by the Department of Parks, is shown on a "Map of property belonging to the heirs of Susan B. Ward, deceased," made by Mr. John G. Van Horn, on file in the office of the County Clerk, in connection with an action entitled Geo. B. Ward and another vs. Beverly Ward and others, Partition Case, and the map is indorsed: "This plan of sale of lots herein is hereby approved pursuant to judgment herein entered May 13, 1895.

May 23, 1895.

"G. H. INGRAHAM, J. S. C."

This map shows the property on both the north and south sides of West One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue, subdivided into lots, and the following words are written in the 80-foot street: "West One Hundred and Seventieth street, as adopted by the city, but not yet opened."

In the same action a second map is filed, and this is indorsed:

"Approved by the Court as the plan of sale herein pursuant to interlocutory judgment of partition and sale in this action.

Dated November 16, 1896.

"FRED'K SMYTH, J. S. C."

This map shows no subdivisions of the property on the north side of the street, and it would appear that the referee had sold this property on the north side of West One Hundred and Seventieth street between the dates above given, and as would also appear from a deed of George B. Ward and others to John O. Baker, dated July 10, 1895, section 8, liber 6, page 135.

3d. That the southerly one-half (40 feet) of West One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue, was dedicated in the same manner as the whole of the 60-foot street between Fort Washington avenue and Haven avenue.

4th. The layout on Manhattan Island shows the advisability of opening cross streets wider than 60 feet at intervals—for instance, Fourteenth, Twenty-third, Thirty-fourth, Forty-second streets, etc., and of which West One Hundred and Seventieth street was one, and experience has shown that the property fronting on such wide streets has been greatly enhanced in value.

5th. The argument used as to the necessity for an 80-foot street, between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue, might also be applied to that part of West One Hundred and Seventieth street, west of Fort Washington avenue, but, in this case, it would fail, as the width is but 60 feet.

6th. Proceedings were also initiated by the Board of Street Opening and Improvements on October 15, 1897, to acquire title to West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, between Eleventh and Fort Washington avenues, and West One Hundred and Seventy-first street, between Kingsbridge road and Haven avenue; and title was to vest on the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners, which in each case was May 31, 1899, the same as in the case in point.

7th. The date of vesting, as given, is correct.

Francis A. Thayer, in a communication dated January 25, 1902, calls attention to the reduction of this assessment, and states:

"It may be that this is a type of a lot of the matters passed by the late Board of Public Improvements, and I know that you made effort to stop them. It is for that reason I call your attention to one which seems so flagrant. May I suggest that with those papers you should confer with the Corporation Counsel to the end that all street openings should be suspended until examination can be made. If you deem the matter of such importance as to submit to him, it will save me making the matter over for him."

Mr. Thayer's points appear to me to be more particularly in reference to the award made for parcel No. 1 by the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the proceeding, which he tends to show should have been nominal, instead of \$39,069.22. This matter, I find from testimony offered in the proceeding, was passed upon by the Commissioners.

Indirectly, Mr. Thayer intimates that the attorneys securing the reduction in assessment are those mostly benefitted by the reduction as made.

All of which is respectfully submitted. HARRY P. NICHOLS, Assistant Engineer.

Meeting of December 30, 1901.

City Record, January 8, 1902.

REDUCTION OF ASSESSMENT ON EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET, BRONX.

The following petition was read:

IN THE BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

In the Matter

of

The assessment for acquiring title to West One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Kingsbridge road to Haven avenue.

To the Honorable Board of Public Improvements:

The undersigned, owners of property fronting on West One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Kingsbridge road and Haven avenue, respectfully show:

That said West One Hundred and Seventieth street is 80 feet wide between

Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue, and 60 feet wide between Fort Washington avenue and Haven avenue.

That in proceedings taken pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided, title to said West One Hundred and Seventieth street was acquired by The City of New York on May 31, 1899. That Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment appointed by the Supreme Court have made awards aggregating \$39,069.22 in said proceeding.

That said West One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Kingsbridge road and Fort Washington avenue, was originally laid out by the owners of the present southerly one-half of said street at a width of 40 feet, and that the said awards are made necessary by an increase of the width of said street from 40 to 80 feet; that the said street west of Fort Washington avenue, 60 feet wide, has been dedicated to the public use.

Your petitioners further show that a street 60 feet wide, which could have been acquired at an expense of \$20,000, would have been ample for all of the purposes of abutting lot-owners; that it was necessary, however, to conform the width of said street west of Kingsbridge road to the width of the same street east of Kingsbridge road, which was 80 feet, and that the said width of 80 feet was made necessary for the purposes and convenience of the general traveling public, and especially in view of the fact that West One Hundred and Seventieth street affords an outlet for Edgecombe road at the intersection thereof with Amsterdam avenue, and forms also a direct approach to the Highbridge Park, thus affording the only approach to said park from points west of Amsterdam avenue except that afforded by West One Hundred and Seventy-third street.

That said West One Hundred and Seventieth street is the only street which has been acquired by The City of New York west of Kingsbridge road, between West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street on the south and One Hundred and Eighty-first street on the north, and this affords the only avenue of access to a large territory on Washington Heights west of said Kingsbridge road, and especially west of Fort Washington avenue.

Your petitioners further show that at least one-half of the expense of acquiring title in the proceedings above named should be borne and paid by The City of New York, whereas the Board of Street Opening and Improvement did by resolution adopted on the 15th day of October, 1897, direct that the entire expense should be borne by property deemed to be benefited.

Wherefore your petitioners pray that said resolution adopted by your Honorable Board on October 15, 1897, may be rescinded and modified so as to provide that at least one-half of the expense of acquiring title to said West One Hundred and Seventieth street as aforesaid be borne and paid by The City of New York.

Dated New York, November 19, 1901.

EDWARD OPPENHEIMER.

After hearing Mr. Flannery in support of the petition, the Comptroller moved that the matter be laid over, which motion was lost.

The Commissioner of Bridges moved that the city assume 50 per cent. of the cost.

The President of the Borough of Brooklyn moved as an amendment that the city assume 25 per cent. of the cost.

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Affirmative—Comptroller, Commissioner of Water Supply and President of the Board—3.

Negative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers and Commissioner of Bridges—4.

Action was then taken on the original resolution, which was carried, and the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That so much of the resolution relating to the opening and extending of East One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Kingsbridge road and Haven avenue, adopted by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement on the 15th day of October, 1897, as provides "that the entire cost and expense of said proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby," is hereby amended so as to read "that one-half (1/2) of the entire cost and expense of said proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and one-half (1/2) shall be borne and paid by The City of New York."

Affirmative—Commissioner of Highways, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Commissioner of Sewers, Commissioner of Bridges and President of the Board—5.

Negative—Comptroller, Commissioner of Water Supply, Commissioner of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies—3.

"East One Hundred and Seventieth street, Bronx," is incorrect. The title should be West One Hundred and Seventieth street, Manhattan.

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

February 5, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I submit herewith for your consideration a communication received from Francis A. Thayer, in regard to the action by the late Board of Public Improvements at its meeting of December 30, 1901, in reducing the assessment for the opening of West One Hundred and Seventieth street between Kingsbridge road and Haven avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, by placing one-half of the said assessment on the City at large; also a report made to me by one of the Assistant Engineers of the Department of Finance, in regard thereto.

I believe that it will be in the best interest of all concerned that a public hearing be held by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on this matter, to decide whether or no the resolution adopted by the late Board of Public Improvements, placing one-half of the assessment upon the City at large, should be rescinded, and I submit the attached resolution for adoption.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Matter of Opening West One Hundred and Seventieth Street.

No. 38 PARK ROW, January 25, 1902.

DEAR SIR—Following our conversation this morning I send you copy of Damage and Benefit Map, Matter of Opening West One Hundred and Seventieth street from Kingsbridge road, now Broadway, to Haven avenue. The benefit includes only land immediately abutting the street.

One Hundred and Seventieth street was laid down on the public map of The City of New York by the Department of Public Parks, and the map duly filed March 31, 1873.

At that time one Montaignie Ward owned the land west side of Kingsbridge road, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventy-second streets, to the Hudson river, and he and his heirs continued to own and possess the same until by conveyance as follows:

"George B. Ward and others, etc., to John O. Baker.

Deed Dated July 10, 1895. Recorded Sec. 8, Liber 6, Page 135. Conveys.

"All that certain piece or parcel or tract of land bounded by the Kingsbridge road on the east, the Isaac P. Martin, or J. Hood Wright estates on the north, Fort Washington avenue or Ridge road, as now or hereafter established by chapter 114 of the Laws of 1892 of the State of New York on the west, and the central line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street, adopted by The City, but not yet opened, on the south including all the right, title and interest of the parties of the first part in the streets or proposed streets adjoining said premises, being a portion of the premises conveyed to said Barclay, Parsons and others."

All the other parcels abutting said street were conveyed to various purchasers in pursuance of a partition sale by descriptions in all cases similar to the following:

"Abraham Van Santfoord,
to
Geo. W. Allen and others.

Referee,

Deed
Dated December 22, 1896.
Recorded Office of Register,
Sec. 8, Liber 9, Page 31.

"Beginning at a point in the southerly side of West One Hundred and Seventieth street, distant west from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of West One Hundred and Seventieth street with the westerly side of the Kingsbridge road, 90, 96 feet, and running south along the rear of Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3 and the westerly side of Lot No. 52, and at right angles to West One Hundred and Seventieth street 90 feet to the rear of Lot No. 51; thence west along the rear of Lots Nos. 51, 50, 49, 48 and 47 and parallel to West One Hundred and Seventieth street 125 feet to the easterly side of Lot No. 10; thence north along the easterly side of said Lot No. 10 and at right angles to West One Hundred and Seventieth street 90 feet to the southerly side of West One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence east along the southerly side of West One Hundred and Seventieth street 125 feet to the place of beginning. And also the land lying between the front of said lots and the side lines of said lots extended and said centre line of said West One Hundred and Seventieth street, as shown on said map."

It would seem that all the conveyances establish clearly dedication. I submit extract from Gerard on Titles.

The Commissioners, in the proceedings now pending to acquire the fee of this street, have been led upon some clearly erroneous principle to make a grossly excessive substantial award for the north half of said street, while making only nominal awards in all other cases. The result is a huge injustice, not only to those owners abutting One Hundred and Seventieth street, but the assessment is extended south of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and north of One Hundred and Seventy-second street. The amounts of awards and assessments are shown on the map.

The gross amount of awards is.....	\$39,085 22
The gross amount of assessments is.....	51,428 64
Surplus.....	\$12,343 42

One attorney claims to represent all the parties in interest to uphold the awards, and nearly all to get down the assessments. In pursuance of his benevolent purpose, he claims to have procured the passage by the late Board of Public Improvements, at its last session, an order that one-half the cost of this opening should be a charge on the city.

A little ciphering will show a handsome result to somebody.

Award No. 1.....	\$39,069 22
Owner assessed.....	\$18,932 40
One-half to city.....	9,466 20
	\$9,466 20
Less one-fourth surplus (\$12,343.42).....	3,085 85
	\$6,380 35
	\$32,688 87

If Gerard is right, it would seem this sum should be one dollar. To the attorneys the ciphering would be this way on the assessments:

Reduced by surplus.....	\$12,343 42
Put on the city, say.....	20,000 00
	\$32,343 42

Twenty-five per cent.....	\$8,085 85
Add ten per cent on award.....	3,268 88
	\$11,354 73

It may be that this is a type of a lot of the matters passed by the late Board of Public Improvements, and I know that you made effort to stop them. It is for that reason I call your attention to one which seems so flagrant. May I suggest that, with those papers, you should confer with the Corporation Counsel, to the end that all street openings should be suspended until examination can be made? If you deem the matter of such importance as to submit to him it will save me making the matter over for him.

Respectfully,
FRANCIS P. THAYER.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Gerard on Titles to Real Estate, page 753. Fourth Edition.
Effect of Boundaries by Streets and Dedication Under a Public Law and Map.—The general tenor of the decisions as to lots so sold is that if the lots are sold by descriptions, bounding them by public streets and avenues laid down on a public map, or if the owners of lots have by deed adopted or recognized such map, the land in the street or avenue laid over the land of such owners is considered dedicated to the public use. If the grant runs up to the centre line, the grantee takes subject and with reference to the map line, but takes the legal title to the street-bed, subject to a perpetual public easement, with a right only to nominal damages on the street opening; and with a further right to have the street permanently kept open. The damage, however nominal, should be paid to vest the title in the public under the proceedings subsequently to be taken to open the street. If the grantor had not conveyed so as to transfer land to the centre to the grantee, then he, and not the grantee, would be entitled to the damages as owner of the fee taken. Prior to the actual proceedings opening the street, therefore, any dedication transfers immediately the easement or right of way to the surrounding lot-owners and the public—the mere naked fee remaining in the owner of the soil, or his grantees, which subsequently becomes transferred to the public, on compensation being made under the acts opening the street and taking the street-bed, if that is done. The following cases sustain the above views and establish other points of interest bearing upon them:

Where one bounds by a space called a street laid down on a public way, he dedicates his land in the site of the street to the public use, of the width as specified, so that he would be entitled only to nominal damages therefor on the street being opened. Matter of Thirty-ninth Street, 1 Hill, 191; Wyman v. Mayor, 11 Wend., 486; matter of Lewis Street, 2 Wend., 472; matter of Furman Street, 17 Wend., 649.

And moved that a hearing be held in the above matter at a meeting of this Board to be held on Friday, February 14, 1902.

Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following:
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK, February 5, 1902.

J. W. STEVENSON, ESQ., Secretary Board of Estimate and Apportionment:
DEAR SIR—Will you kindly present to the Board for its approval, the request that Charles H. Hatton, Map Clerk, and Mary G. Conaghan, Stenographer and Typewriter, now in the service of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under resolution of transfer dated January 14, 1902, be transferred to the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Very truly yours,
GEORGE W. BLAKE, President, Borough of Manhattan.

The following was offered:
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the transfer of Clarence H. Hatton, Map Clerk, and Mary C. Conaghan, Stenographer and Typewriter, now in the service of this Board, to the office of the Borough Presi-

dent of the Borough of Manhattan, and requests the Municipal Civil Service Commissioners to give their consent to said transfer.

Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Board of Education, dated February 1, 1902, informing this Board that Chas. Lansing, Carpenter, in the Workshop, was promoted to the position of Inspector of Repairs and his salary fixed at \$27 per week, and that the salaries of the Janitors of Public Schools 65 and 102, Borough of Brooklyn, were fixed at \$1,000 and \$1,300, respectively, subject to the approval of this Board and the Board of Aldermen.

Whereupon the Comptroller moved that it be referred back to the Department of Education.

Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following:
DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 13-21 PARK ROW,
CITY OF NEW YORK, February 6, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:
DEAR SIR—From report made to me I find that the expenditures under the appropriation for "Lighting Public Buildings, etc., Borough of Queens, for 1901" are in excess in the amount of \$292.10, and that there is an unexpended balance of \$640.80 in the appropriation for "Supplies and Repairs, Borough of Queens, for 1901." I therefore respectfully request that your Board will authorize the transfer of the sum of \$292.10 from "Supplies and Repairs, Borough of Queens, for 1901" to the appropriation for "Lighting Public Buildings, etc., Borough of Queens, for 1901."

Very respectfully,
J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY,
Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The following was offered:
Resolved, That the sum of two hundred and ninety-two dollars and ten cents (\$292.10) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies for the year 1901, entitled "Borough of Queens: Supplies and Repairs (including County Officers)," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1901, entitled "Borough of Queens: Lamps and Lighting," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The President of the Board of Aldermen presented a communication from the Board of Aldermen dated February 6, 1902, requesting this Board to set aside an appropriation of \$1,000 for salary of John McGuire as Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms of the Board of Aldermen.

Whereupon the Comptroller moved that the matter be laid over for consideration in the Budget.

Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented a communication from Edgar Ketchum, Chairman of the Court House Committee of the Taxpayers' Alliance of the Borough of The Bronx, requesting a hearing in the matter of the erection of a Court House at the corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

Which was laid over.
The Secretary presented the following:
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 30, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:
GENTLEMEN—In the tentative budget for the year 1901 an appropriation was made to the Municipal Courts of The City of New York in the sum of \$2,550 for "contingencies to be certified to the Comptroller by the President of the Board of Justices."

Inclosed herewith please find a communication from Joseph P. Fallon, President of the Board of Municipal Justices, requesting that he be relieved from the responsibility of certifying to the correctness of disbursements made from this fund.

The question is respectfully presented for such action as the judgment of the Board may dictate.

Respectfully,
N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Deputy Comptroller.
MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NINTH DISTRICT,
No. 170 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET,
January 18, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller of The City of New York:
DEAR SIR—In the budget for 1901, at pages 75-76, under the head of the Municipal Court of The City of New York, is contained the following item: "Contingencies to be certified to the Comptroller by the President of the Board of Justices, \$2,550." That sum, as I understand, is made up as follows: At the rate of \$100 for each Municipal Court, and as there are twenty-three Municipal Courts, that would consume of the fund \$2,300, \$250 of the \$2,550 was appropriated for the contingent expenses of the Board of Municipal Court Justices.

I called to see you with reference to this item, because I objected to certifying to the disbursements of any Clerk excepting my own Clerk. I cannot tell, as you can perceive, what the disbursements of a Clerk in Jamaica would be or in Staten Island, and the person that ought to certify to those disbursements is the Justice of the Court in which the disbursements are made and who is or can become familiar therewith, and I suggested that the certificate be required from each Justice for his own district, and not require the President of the Board to certify to the correctness of that which he can know nothing of. Deputy Comptroller Phillips suggested that I get the Board to agree to a distribution of the same among the various courts, and I succeeded in doing so, so that each Court has agreed to receive the sum of \$100 for the year 1902, to be appropriated to any contingent expenses that may arise. Will you therefore have the item of appropriation divided into twenty-three parts and each such part appropriated to one of the Courts, and \$250 appropriated as a contingent fund for the Board of Municipal Court Justices, and so as to require a certificate of the Justice of each Court instead of the President of the Board of Justices, who may be required to certify to the expenses for the Board of Justices, as I requested, and make the appropriation accordingly, which I understand may be done at any time before the first of May. You will relieve me a great deal if you can see your way to comply with my request.

Yours respectfully,
JOSEPH P. FALLON, President of the Board of Municipal Justices.

The following was offered:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby alters and modifies so much of the Budget for the year 1902 as relates to the appropriation for Municipal Courts, City of New York, entitled "Contingencies to be certified to the Comptroller by the President of the Board of Justices," by striking out the item of two thousand five hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,550) by creating and appropriating in place thereof the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) to each of said Municipal Courts for contingent expenses, and also the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) for the contingent expenses of the Board of Municipal Court Justices.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK,
SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
January 16, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller of The City of New York:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, held January 15, 1902, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Department of Health of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 651 of the Laws of 1899, is authorized to hear, audit and determine all claims arising out of the destruction of cattle affected with tuberculosis, or any other disease, in The City of New York, when such destruction is duly authorized by the owner or owners thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Health of the Department of Health does hereby audit and allow the following claims arising out of the destruction of cattle affected with tuberculosis in The City of New York:

Henry Moskowitz, 1 cow.....	\$22 50
Matt Taylor, 1 cow.....	22 50
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A true copy.

(Signed) C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary.

The following was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 651 of the Laws of 1899, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the audit of claims of Henry Moskowitz and Matt Taylor arising out of the destruction of cattle affected with tuberculosis in The City of New York, as shown by the resolution of the Department of Health adopted January 15, 1902; and

Resolved, That for the purpose of providing means for the payment thereof the Comptroller be authorized to issue revenue bonds of The City of New York to the amount of forty-five dollars (\$45), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, and redeemable from the tax levy of the year 1903.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—CITY OF NEW YORK,
SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE,
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, January 30, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller of The City of New York:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, held January 29, 1902, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

The Secretary presented the following:

Whereas, The Department of Health of The City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 651 of the Laws of 1899, is authorized to hear, audit and determine all claims arising out of the destruction of cattle affected with tuberculosis, or any other disease, in The City of New York, when such destruction is duly authorized by the owner or owners thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Health of the Department of Health does hereby audit and allow the following claim arising out of the destruction of cattle affected with tuberculosis in The City of New York.

Name.	Borough.	Number of Cows.	Amount of Claim.
John Missic,	Richmond.....	1	\$22.50

A true copy.

(Signed) C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary.

The following was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 651 of the Laws of 1899, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the audit of claims arising out of the destruction of cattle affected with tuberculosis or other diseases in The City of New York, as shown by the resolution of the Department of Health, adopted January 29, 1902; and

Resolved, That, for the purpose of providing means for the payment thereof, the Comptroller be authorized, to issue Revenue Bonds of The City of New York, to the amount of twenty-two dollars and fifty cents (\$22.50) bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. per annum, and redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented a communication from the Fire Commissioner dated January 27, 1902, requesting an appropriation for the construction of new fire boats and repairs to an old boat, and the Comptroller moved that it be referred back to the Comptroller for consideration and such action as he deems proper.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following:

THE BROOKLYN PUBLIC LIBRARY,
No. 26 BREVOORT PLACE,
February 6, 1902.

MR. CHARLES ADEE:

DEAR SIR—I enclose a communication intended for the Board of Estimate which I would request to have presented at the meeting to-morrow.

I have had a conversation with the Comptroller, also his Honor the Mayor, regarding same, and yesterday Mr. Low suggested my presenting this application to the Board.

As it is a matter of urgency, I sincerely trust you will give the matter your attention.

Very respectfully yours,
JOHN W. DEVOY, Treasurer.

THE BROOKLYN PUBLIC LIBRARY,
No. 26 BREVOORT PLACE,
BROOKLYN, February 6, 1902.

Hon. Board of Estimate and Apportionment;

GENTLEMEN—We herewith make application for the immediate apportionment of the sum of \$6,700 to be charged against whatever appropriation your Board may subsequently allow to the Brooklyn Public Library whenever its budget for 1902 comes before you for consideration.

This sum is made necessary by reason of a recent decision of the Hon. G. L. Rives, Corporation Counsel, dated January 14, who states in his opinion that "it will be proper for the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to make a transfer of such sum as may be necessary for the purposes of heating, lighting, furniture, equipment and supplies from the sum of \$140,000, etc.," which sum was appropriated by the late Board of Estimate to the Bureau of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies under whose care and maintenance (so far as heating, lighting and repairs) the seventeen branch libraries have heretofore been dependent.

Our expenditures through the Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies last year amounted to approximately \$20,000. We have a large number of requisitions for necessary supplies, including coal, which is absolutely necessary at the present time. There are certain repairs left unfinished by the Department, and in order to defray the immediate and urgent expenditures during the next three months or until your Honorable Board adjusts the yearly budget, we respectfully request that you will authorize the Comptroller to set aside the above sum to the credit of the Brooklyn Public Library.

Appended is a copy of Corporation Counsel's opinion, also Librarian's estimate of immediate expenses.

Respectfully,
JOHN W. DEVOY, Treasurer.
(Copy.)

THE BROOKLYN PUBLIC LIBRARY,
No. 26 BREVOORT PLACE.

JOHN W. DEVOY, ESQ., Treasurer, Brooklyn Public Library;

DEAR SIR—I have received your communication dated January 16, 1902, of which the following is a copy:

"Under date of January 14, I received notice from William C. Redfield, Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, that in accordance with an opinion received from you, under date of January 14, and addressed to him as Commissioner, he was constrained to refuse all further requisition for supplies coming from our Department—viz., the Brooklyn Public Library.

"During the early part of the administration of your honored predecessor he delivered an opinion in which he stated in effect that under the legislative act of 1892 which enacted this institution the Board of Directors were clothed with special powers and privileges which gave them the sole control and management of library affairs, including the construction of buildings, maintenance, etc.

"Less than three years ago he reversed this opinion, and under a notification to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies he instructed the Commissioner that under the provisions of the Charter then in force all our supplies should be furnished by such Department, and our Board had to transfer to said Department \$12,000 from our appropriation to cover such expenditures. Under the same ruling of your predecessor the moneys appropriated by the Board of Estimate for the Brooklyn Public Library for the present year, amounting to \$150,000, is (unlike other library accounts which are paid on drafts to the Libraries) paid by the Finance Department to our various creditors on presentation of the proper voucher. In addition to this appropriation of \$150,000, the Board of Estimate, acting under the rule established by your predecessor, apportioned a certain sum to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies to cover the expenses of the Public Library.

"If your opinion of January 14 transfers the control of expenditures for supplies to the Chief of our Department it will be necessary that the sum allotted to the Public Works Department for Library purposes by the previous Board of Estimate be transferred to the Public Library Account in order that the latter Board can maintain its several branches.

"Our budget for 1902 as presented to the last Board of Estimate, and which was embodied in the sum asked by Commissioner Kearney of the Department of Public Buildings, etc., for library purposes, was as follows:

For All Branches.	
Heating	\$3,750 00
Lighting	3,600 00
Furniture, equipment and supplies.....	15,600 00
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Total	\$22,950 00

"If we are to make our own disbursements for supplies the above amounts should be transferred from the Public Works Department to the Library Board, as it was certainly intended by the Board of Estimate for the use of the Public Library.

"From your long and valued experience in library affairs I feel certain of your kind interest, and trust you will suggest some way out of our present difficulty.

"Hoping you will give this matter your early attention, as many requisitions are awaiting action, I remain,"

The Hon. David A. Boody, President of the Brooklyn Public Library, in a departmental estimate submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment under date of August 28, 1901, uses the following language:

"Permit me to remind you that the Brooklyn Public Library is a department of the city government wholly directed and sustained by municipal authority."

Section 3 of the Charter provides as follows:
"Each head of a Department and each President of a borough shall have cognizance and control of the purchase of fuel, furniture, utensils, books, and other articles needed for the public offices within this Department or jurisdiction."

It is apparent that in the departmental estimate for 1902, and in the budget for 1902, the Brooklyn Public Library has been treated as though it were a department of the city government, although not specifically named as such. Chapter 441 of the Laws of 1892, entitled "An Act to authorize the City of Brooklyn to establish and maintain a Public Library and Reading Room in said city and to provide for the payment thereof and for the maintenance thereof" after providing for the appointment of a Board of Directors, consisting of nine Directors appointed by the Mayor and in addition thereto the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Board of Education and the Directors of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, by virtue of their respective offices, among other things provides:

"They (the said Board of Directors) shall have the exclusive control of the expenditure of all moneys paid to the credit of the Library Fund, of the purchase of any site, if necessary, and of the construction of any library building and of the supervision, care and custody of the grounds, rooms or buildings which may be constructed, leased or set apart for that purpose. All moneys received for such library and reading room from any source whatever shall be paid into the Treasury of said city to the credit of the Library Fund and shall be kept separate and apart from all other moneys of said city and drawn upon by the proper offices of said city upon the vouchers of the said Library Board, approved by the Mayor."

In the budget for 1902, page 64, under the head of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, occurs the following:

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.	
Supplies and Repairs.....	\$140,000 00

"This appropriation to be subject to draft by transfers to be made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to departmental appropriations for the purchase of supplies."

In my opinion it will be proper for the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to make a transfer from this sum of \$140,000 to the Brooklyn Public Library for supplies. The amounts appropriated for heating, lighting, furniture, equipment and supplies should also be transferred by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the use of the Brooklyn Public Library.

Respectfully yours,
G. L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.

BROOKLYN PUBLIC LIBRARY,
No. 26 BREVOORT PLACE,
February 5, 1902.

MR. JOHN W. DEVOY, Cotton Exchange Building, New York City:

DEAR MR. DEVOY—In sending you the list of supplies actually necessary for the next three months, I would call your attention to the fact that many requisitions sent in to the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies during November and December were never filled, and that in spite of the fact that the Librarians in charge were directed to make no requests for supplies of any kind not actually needed. As a consequence, we find that the burden of supply expenses will come in the first quarter of the year, and while it is impossible, perhaps, to estimate accurately the amount needed, still \$6,700, divided as follows, represents very closely what will be required between now and the 1st of May:

Furniture and fittings, branches still unfinished.....	\$3,000 00
Janitor's supplies	1,500 00
Lighting	1,200 00
Coal	500 00
Repairs	500 00

Very truly yours,

FRANK P. HILL, Librarian.

The following was offered:

Whereas, Section 111 of the amended Greater New York Charter provides that each head of the Department and each President of the borough, shall have cognizance and control of the purchase of fuel, furniture, utensils, books and other articles needed for public offices within his Department or jurisdiction, and

Whereas, In the appropriation made to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, there is an item entitled "Supplies and Repairs of \$140,000," which was appropriated subject to draft by transfer to be made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to departmental appropriations for the purchase of supplies, and

Whereas, The Brooklyn Public Library has heretofore received supplies from the former Department of Buildings, Lighting and Supplies of The City of New York, be it

Resolved, That the sum of six thousand seven hundred dollars (\$6,700) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, entitled "Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Supplies and Repairs," to an appropriation entitled "Public Library, Brooklyn."

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That each Borough President communicate with the Comptroller, in writing, the name of each employee now under his direction who was formerly in the Board of Public Improvements and all other information necessary to make a complete report of the status of all former employees of the Board of Public Improvements.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The President of the Borough of Brooklyn offered the following:

Whereas, Due notice has been given this Board by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, of the necessity of entering into contracts for furnishing the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, with

- 2,000 tons of Lehigh Anthracite Pea Coal, and
- 6,400 barrels of Quick Lime,

—for maintaining the several Sewage Disposal Works in the Twenty-sixth and Thirty-first Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1902, pursuant to chapter 91, Laws of 1880; chapter 72, Laws of 1891; chapter 516, Laws of 1896; also chapter 403, Laws of 1885; chapter 662, Laws of 1887; chapter 989, Laws of 1885; chapter 860, Laws of 1896, and the urgent necessity existing for said contracts, be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the making of a contract by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for furnishing and delivering to the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, two thousand (2,000) gross tons (2,240 pounds to the ton) of the best grade Lehigh hard coal, for use of the several Disposal Works in the Twenty-sixth and Thirty-first Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, be, and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the expense thereof to be charged to the appropriation accounts of "Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works," for the year 1902, and "Thirty-first Ward Sewerage Districts 1 and 3," for the year 1902. Also be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the making of a contract by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for furnishing and delivering to the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, sixty-four hundred (6,400) barrels of quick lime, for use of the several Disposal Works in the Twenty-sixth and Thirty-first Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, be, and the same is hereby authorized and approved, the expense thereof to be charged to the appropriation accounts of "Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works, for the year 1902, and "Thirty-first Ward Sewerage Districts 1 and 3," for the year 1902.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

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

The President of the Borough of Brooklyn offered the following:

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract at public letting for furnishing The City of New York with a sixty-five horse power boiler, to be put up, including foundations and appurtenances at Sewer Purification Works No. 2, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, the same to be charged to the appropriation account "Thirty-first Ward Sewerage Districts Nos. 1 and 3," Bureau of Sewers, President of the Borough, 1902.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn be requested to send to this Board, prior to the next meeting, a written statement of the facts stated verbally by him at this meeting, in reference to the following matters:

Resolution authorizing contract for 2,000 tons of Lehigh Anthracite Pea Coal, and 6,400 barrels of Quick Lime;

Resolution authorizing contract for sixty-five horse power boiler, and

Resolution authorizing dredging 15,500 cubic yards of material from the bottom of Gowanus canal and its basins.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to advise this Board whether or not this Board has any jurisdiction over the making of any contracts for supplies or repairs by the Borough Presidents.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The President of the Borough of Brooklyn moved that this Board do now adjourn, to meet on Friday, February 14, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

March 4, 1902.

I herewith submit a report of the operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, for the week ending March 1, 1902:

Plans filed for new buildings.....	12
Estimated cost	\$23,000 00
Plans filed for alterations.....	19
Estimated cost.....	\$8,875 00
Unsafe cases filed.....	6
Violation cases filed.....	18
Fire escape cases filed.....	6
Unsafe notices issued.....	9
Violation notices issued.....	21
Fire escape notices issued.....	7
Complaints lodged with the bureau.....	2
Number of pieces of iron and steel inspected.....	120

MICHAEL J. GARVIN,

Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx.

JOHN H. HANAN, Chief Clerk.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 20.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466, Laws of 1901, section 383, I transmit the following report of the transactions of this office for the week ending February 20, 1902, exclusive of Bureau of Buildings:

Permits Issued.	
Sewer connections and repairs.....	1
Water connections and repairs.....	11
Laying gas mains and repairs.....	5
Placing building material on public highway.....	3
Crossing sidewalk with team.....	3
Miscellaneous permits.....	9
Total.....	32

Money Received for Permits.	
Sewer connections.....	\$10 00
Restoring and repaving streets.....	82 00
Total deposited with the City Chamberlain.....	\$92 00
Bureau of Highways.	
Foremen, 29; Assistant Foremen, 12; teams, 19; carts, 3; Inspectors, 5; Mechanics, 29; Laborers, 219—Total, 316.	
Bureau of Sewers.	
Foremen, 10; Assistant Foremen, 2; carts, 14; Inspectors, 3; Mechanics, 3; Laborers, 85—Total, 117.	

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

March 5, 1902.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the Bureau of Highways for the week ending March 5, 1902:

JOSEPH BERMEL,

Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Queens.

Public Moneys Received During the Week.	
For restoring and repaving pavement—	
Water connections, openings.....	\$24 00
Sewer connections, openings	40 00
Total	\$64 00

Permits Issued.	
Permits to open streets, to tap water pipes.....	4
Permits to open streets, to repair water connections.....	10
Permits to open streets, to make sewer connections.....	4
Permits to open streets, to repair sewer connections.....	1
Permits to place building material on streets.....	2
Permits to construct street vaults.....	2
Permits, special	13
Permits to cross sidewalks	5
Permits to lay subways, steam mains and various connections.....	1
Permits to repair sidewalks.....	2
Total	42

Requisitions drawn on the Comptroller week ending March 1, 1902..... \$3,997 13

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Bureau of Highways during Week Ending March 1, 1902.

Roads, streets and avenues—	
Mechanics	49
Laborers	151
Teams	16
Carts	103

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK, No. 199 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, JANUARY 2, 1902.

The Public Administrator, pursuant to chapter 230 of the Laws of 1898, section 27 of said act, herewith exhibits to the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York a statement, on oath, of the total amount of his receipts and expenditures in each case in which he shall have taken charge of and collected any effects, or on which he shall have administered during the year 1901, with the name of the deceased, his or her addition, and the country or place from which he or she came, if the same be known.

Respectfully, WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator of the County of New York.

Cases Heretofore Reported.

Table with columns: NAME, OCCUPATION, Place of Residence at time of death, Country or Place from which he came, Total Amount of Receipts in 1901, Total Amount of Expenditures in 1901, including funeral expenses, claims of creditors and amount paid to next of kin, etc.

Table with columns: Name, Occupation, Country or Place from which he came, Total Amount of Receipts in 1901, Total Amount of Expenditures in 1901, including funeral expenses, claims of creditors and amount paid to next of kin, etc.

Cases Not Heretofore Reported.

NAME.	OCCUPATION.	Place of Residence at the time of death.	Country or Place from which he came.	Total Amount of Receipts in 1901.	Total Amount of Expenditures in 1901, including funeral expenses, claims of creditors, and amount paid to next of kin, etc.
Jennie Rogers.....	Domestic	New York	Scotland	\$114 22	\$114 22
Bessie Keane.....	Domestic	"	Ireland	4,809 45	468 21
Victor Collat.....	Waiter	"	France	5 93	5 93
Mary Cook.....	Domestic	"	Ireland	612 18	585 41
Clara Renault.....	Housekeeper	"	United States	22 29	18 30
Joseph Schwartz.....	Tailor	"	Roumania	529 95	107 96
Bridget Logue.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	1,153 81	663 30
Carl A. H. Lants.....	Carpenter	"	Sweden	449 94	103 75
Margaret Brown.....	Housekeeper	"	United States	13 16	3 85
Adolph Fietze.....	Waiter	"	Germany	11 78	10 40
Henry Hofbauer.....	Unknown	"	Austria	1,876 50	1,876 50
Isabella Attwood.....	Boarding-house	"	Ireland	138 71	138 71
Bridget Maxwell.....	Boarding-house	"	"	193 31	137 75
Philibert Cotte.....	Shoemaker	"	France	347 70	347 70
John Hughes.....	Bartender	"	New York	72	72
William Oppermann.....	Soldier	"	Prussia	1,237 06	29 31
Lucinda Smith.....	Domestic	"	Virginia	200 00	200 00
Alexander W. Turner.....	Butler	"	England	1,587 37	1,587 37
Michele Laviola.....	Bootblack	"	Italy	1,153 07	1,153 07
Robert Ely.....	Waiter	"	England	1,448 04	127 16
Henry Simons.....	Marble-cutter	"	France	196 20	196 20
Alfred J. Fridlund.....	Butler	"	Sweden	1,541 19	1,541 19
Lewis Doyle.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	53 86	53 86
John E. Schmitz.....	Storekeeper	"	Bavaria	892 26	338 28
Gaspere Rena.....	Machinist	"	Italy	711 04	711 04
Henry R. Gibbons.....	None	"	United States	225 06	225 06
Mary Lenihan.....	Domestic	"	Ireland	1,017 10	159 06
Nicola Centello.....	Laborer	"	Italy	24 00	24 00
Lucinda O. Ranney.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	610 38	21 91
Thomas Gosson.....	Porter	"	Ireland	208 93	47 15
Carl Haeffner.....	Engineer	"	Germany	26 78	26 78
Anton Kruljac.....	Miner	"	Austria	32 37	32 37
Edward Brown.....	Laborer	"	United States	220 27	220 27
Emile Clapp.....	Housekeeper	"	Germany	142 10	142 10
Owen Crilly.....	Laborer	"	Ireland	938 89	154 16
Katherine Grashares.....	Laundress	"	Virginia	120 00	120 00
George Fairry.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	521 62	521 62
Edmund Yard.....	Tinsmith	"	New Jersey	594 36	192 14
Johanna Regan.....	Housewife	"	Ireland	1,141 90	1,141 90
Joseph Schwartz.....	Salesman	"	Germany	329 62	329 62
Abraham Kirshland.....	Tailor	"	Russia	14 41	14 41
Kate Beckman.....	None	"	Ireland	273 41	160 30
Lorenzo Piamma.....	Tailor	"	Italy	944 83	044 83
Hugh McLaughlin.....	Waiter	"	Ireland	105 35	105 35
Fritz Beckman.....	Grocer	"	Germany	278 78	278 78
James Doyle.....	Bricklayer	"	Unknown	203 18	109 40
Timothy McGrath.....	Unknown	"	New York	20 14	4 12
Frederick Dodsworth.....	None	"	United States	8 12	1 00
Emilie Blaise.....	None	"	France	2,296 10	2,296 10
John Benesch.....	Clerk	"	Austria	6,582 71	6,582 71
Mary Cunningham.....	Cook	"	Ireland	4,794 39	662 31
Herman Kreitzmann.....	Peddler	"	Hungary	52 80	52 80
Patrick Beatty.....	None	"	Ireland	176 75	176 75
Rose May.....	Domestic	"	United States	17 96	17 96
Sadie Wilkins.....	Dressmaker	"	England	136 12	136 12
Monika Liechte.....	Washerwoman	"	Germany	317 50	27 67
Riley Goodwin.....	Clerk	"	Unknown	45 40	7 15
Mary Clune or Carroll.....	Seamstress	"	Ireland	2,148 61	161 50
Mary Dreyer.....	Dishwasher	"	"	9 76	9 76
Robert Mulcahy.....	Sailor	"	"	6 12	6 12
Edwin Bowen.....	Laborer	"	United States	220 27	220 27
Rosa Wandinger.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	113 30	113 30
Gustav Kamach.....	Cobbler	"	Germany	10 00	9 17
Wilhelm F. Becker.....	Carpenter	"	Prussia	664 80	138 20
David Berg.....	Glass-cutter	"	Russia	105 58	8 45
Ferdinand Elscermann.....	Machinist	"	Prussia	4,417 57	275 19
Mary Kennedy.....	None	"	Ireland	162 60	137 15
Helena Kealin.....	Unknown	"	Switzerland	1 70	1 70
Max Gebbard.....	Clerk	"	Germany	222 05	222 05
Charles A. Jordan.....	Sporting	"	United States	806 80	806 80
John Lively.....	Porter	"	Germany	97 73	97 73
Herman Wagner.....	Porter	"	Ireland	3 54	1 50
Michael Foy.....	Unknown	"	Ireland	05	00
Antonio Margallis.....	Cook	"	Sweden	247 29	91 80
Victor Dourice.....	Plasterer	"	Belgium	106 67	106 67
William Miller.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	32 12	32 12
Abraham J. Beckermann.....	Cigar packer	"	Russia	76	76
Isaac Levy.....	Peddler	"	Ireland	458 00	131 25
John Dunworth.....	Unknown	"	Ireland	375 00	291 25
Anthony Konkol.....	Boat captain	"	Germany	405 78	405 78
William Howe.....	Longshoreman	"	New York	231 75	231 75
Alice Bergot.....	Seamstress	"	France	131 75	131 75
Herbert Lester.....	Painter	"	England	28 61	3 85
Lillian B. Robinson.....	None	"	United States	25	80
William Webber.....	"	"	Germany	96 49	96 49
Theo. Winkler.....	Carpenter	"	United States	40	30
Thomas Murphy.....	Boilermaker	"	Ireland	72 20	72 20
John Kealey.....	Laborer	"	United States	1,991 06	12 20
Rose Kealey.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	2,035 76	2,035 76
Mary A. Russell.....	Stewardess	"	"	3,687 52	3,687 52
Honora Hanley.....	Nurse	"	Ireland	11 61	11 61
Annie Leiste.....	Milliner	"	Germany	181 28	181 28
Mary McAnnally.....	Cook	"	Ireland	230 63	129 75
Wolf Mogilinsky.....	Tailor	"	Russia	81 40	81 40
Mary Kelly.....	None	"	Ireland	83 53	83 53
Frida Gregor.....	Washing	"	Germany	160 26	8 40
Bridget Denning.....	Dressmaker	"	Ireland	61 00	61 00
Frederick Aarhuns.....	Steamship captain	"	Germany	1,568 49	1,568 49
John Gibney.....	Bookkeeper	"	"	183 78	165 00
Henry Hansen.....	"	"	"	3 50	85
John Engstrom.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	12 22	12 22
John Musite.....	Butcher	"	Austria	73 77	66 70
Richard Garrett.....	Peddler	"	Maryland	1,590 13	189 06
Ulrich W. Kuhn.....	Cook	"	Switzerland	4,370 83	4,370 83
Elizabeth Dunn.....	None	"	Ireland	103 16	87 55
Lizzie Connor.....	Laundress	"	"	587 99	193 71
Maggie O'Shea.....	Domestic	"	"	2 05	2 05
Catharine Christie.....	Laundress	"	"	155 80	124 55
Sarah Moore.....	None	"	"	1,361 37	208 31
Charles Lambert.....	Painter	"	Russia	80	80
August Geiss.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	80	80
Francis B. Lewis.....	Commission merchant	"	England	1,689 71	822 41
Wing Lee.....	Laundryman	"	China	29 04	29 04
Paul Harnsiah.....	Laborer	"	Austria	100 00	100 00
Sarah Green.....	Nurse	"	England	1,611 25	251 31
Charles Perennes.....	Waiter	"	France	2,637 41	2,637 41
Harriet K. Spencer.....	Housekeeper	"	England	851 77	235 06
Etienne Jollat.....	Grocer	"	France	1,357 47	601 88
Marie E. Eckert.....	Governess	"	Germany	872 38	21 91
Josephine Moore.....	Cook	"	Maryland	74 50	7 25
Giuseppe Ravera.....	Peddler	"	Italy	128 36	128 36
Herman Schmidt.....	Clerk	"	Germany	63,090 64	61,287 14
John Gunning.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	88	95
Stephen Stanford.....	Laborer	"	United States	311 00	176 90
Lars Jorgensen.....	Sailor	"	Denmark	611 62	113 41
Robert L. Granton.....	Waiter	"	Virginia	579 09	133 25
George W. Brown.....	Dentist	"	United States	8 45	8 45
Mrs. B. Klocker.....	Embroidery	"	Germany	4 68	2 80
Anton Lockel.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	5 00	5 00
Henry Robinson.....	Waiter	"	United States	40 44	1 50
Mollie Mathews.....	Domestic	"	Ireland	27 53	18 35
Margaret Lambert.....	None	"	Scotland	80 00	76 45
George Marshall.....	Mason	"	Unknown	348 07	148 20
Mamie O'Neill.....	Servant	"	Unknown	520 10	447 71
Urick Habermeyer.....	Soldier	"	Germany	431 29	12 70
Samuel Robinson.....	Peddler	"	Russia	158 62	108 80
Michael Joseph.....	Merchant	"	Unknown	45 22	75
Henri Pistreich.....	Housework	"	Russia	15 00	15 00
Kristin Nilsson.....	Cook	"	Sweden	26 00	21 70
Gustav F. Bogvist.....	Sailor	"	"	789 00	69 16
Martin Kammer.....	Barber	"	Germany	147 28	1 45
Bruno Buhr.....	Machinist	"	"	125 72	5 90
Maggie Conlon.....	Domestic	"	Ireland	20	20
Lizette Aberlein.....	"	"	Unknown	5,100 84	52 16
Leo Amberg.....	Chemist	"	Hungary	4 50	4 50
John Cabral.....	Sailor	"	West Indies	40 40	40 40
Johann Molica.....	Tailor	"	Austria	46 14	1 29

Henry Bell.....	Plumber	New York	Scotland	\$2 76	\$: 40
William Burke.....	Machinist	"	New York	2 17	30
James Thompson.....	Bootblack	"	Unknown	36 00	36 00
Joel Beer.....	Clerk	"	"	9 67	9 67
Charles F. Barnes.....	None	"	United States	4 00	3 70
Susan H. R. Van Nort.....	"	"	Unknown	207,346 38	6,082 16
Charles M. Quigley.....	"	"	United States	1,826 97	37 41
Franklin S. Rising.....	Clergyman	"	Unknown	194 30	7 45
Maria Merritt.....	Unknown	"	"	265 65	7 65
William H. Finlayson.....	Soldier	"	"	415 63	7 45
James McLaren.....	"	"	"	271 43	7 45
Eva Bush.....	Housekeeper	"	"	913 79	28 41
Ellen Spellane.....	Domestic	"	Ireland	230 22	230 22
Charles F. Stark.....	Lunchman	"	Germany	117 10	117 10
Peter Raymann.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	1 10	1 10
John Burch.....	Soldier	"	"	94 74	129 50
Joseph Doyle.....	Catholic priest	"	California	129 50	129 50
Saphal Greenholds.....	Painter	"	Denmark	24 05	24 05
Samuel Mouch.....	Cigarmaker	"	Switzerland	3 55	3 55
Honora Dowling.....	None	"	Ireland	6 00	7 45
Catherine L. Power.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	1,001 00	34 27
John Joyce.....	None	"	Ireland	5,071 52	293 97
Julia Bedell.....	Unknown	"	France	8 00	8 00
Lizzie Hamilton.....	Paper box maker	"	United States	309 90	153 65
William Wilson.....	Truck driver	"	Ireland	56 98	1 35
Mary M. Gallagher.....	Domestic	"	"	1,242 25	157 21
Rose Bradley.....	None	"	Scotland	268 82	170 95
Henry Reinhart.....	Painter	"	Germany	405 34	126 75
William Bohnes.....	Tailor	"	"	343 64	134 40
Hugo Luther.....	Launchman	"	"	7 97	1 70
Annie R. Miller.....	None	"	United States	6 00	7 65
Herman W. Huisling.....	Promoter	"	Holland	.....	90
Antonio Altomere.....	Carpenter	"	Italy	1 20	1 20
Joseph Smith.....	Unknown	"	Germany	33 00	33 00
Andrew Lindsey.....	Coachman	"	Scotland	50 53	14 85
Warren W. Dielhtman.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	20 00	20 00
Edward Scenson.....	Saloon	"	Germany	.....	1 55
Diego F. de Agreda.....	None	"	Mexico	13,991 61	20 98
James Haugby.....	Soldier	"	Unknown	1,758 66	28 51
James Power.....	Clerk	"	Ireland	236 75	7 35
Mary F. Pinkney.....	Cook	"	Virginia	207 20	72 85
Edward Walsh.....	Soldier	"	Unknown	740 65	18 51
George W. Winston.....	Laborer	"	United States	108 10	108 10
Thomas Rafter.....	"	"	Ireland	478 58	1 25
Joseph Effmer.....	Capmaker	"	Germany	1,066 67	116 80
Sophie A. Kent.....	None	"	England	16 23	4 10
Andrew Rudetti.....	Cook	"	Italy	77 69	71 55
William Meincke.....	None	"	Germany	3,943 62	178 25
N. Maynard.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	.....	1 00
Ellen Cuddy.....	Domestic	"	Ireland	5,470 29	5,470 29
James Birney.....	Hostler	"	Unknown	57 20	38 15
Annie S. Goodwin.....	Domestic	"	"	212 75	118 00
Andrew Kunderson.....	Foreman	"	Norway	.....	2 70
Annie Renny.....	Laborer	"	France	.....	10
Andrew Bernard.....	Unknown	"	Unknown	.....	35
Elizabeth Vanderpol.....	"	"	"	16 80	5 25
Michael Redmond.....	Truckman	"	"	27,270 51	212 06
Henry Deiser.....	Professor	"	Germany	136 54	111 80
John Cook.....	Tailor	"	Ireland	4,127 08	37 08
Eliza Barton.....	Seamstress	"	United States	38 80	22 65
Angelo Abbate.....	Hand-organ player	"	Italy	407 00	407 00
Amalie Olsen.....	Saloon	"	Unknown	603 00	43 70
Peter Gerlach.....	None	"	Germany	302 74	60 85
Thomas H. Todd.....	Waiter	"	Ireland	468 93	76 35
Evangalos R. Lucastos.....	Florist	"	Greece	350 25	287 33
Chin Hoy Mon.....	Tailor	"	China	80	.....
Edward R. Heimbach.....	Cashier	"	United States	1,003 85	143 07
Katharina Oechler.....	None	"	Germany	5,377 40	138 40
William Richardson.....	Bricklayer	"	England	10 02	1 10
Matthew Manning.....	Carpenter	"	Ireland	31 10	31 10
Margaret E. Harding.....	Artist	"	Unknown	128 35	44 40
Mary Kelly.....	Boarding-house	"	"	25 56	7 20
Michael Strozicki.....	Waiter	"	Austria	45 40	45 40
Julia Hieson.....	Housewife	"	Ireland	4,114 97	158 25
Stephen Saville.....	Actor	"	England	3 54	3 54
Mrs. Herring.....	Bookkeeper	"	Germany	94 96	53 35
Mathilda H. Stein.....	Actress	"	"	3 54	3 54
William S. Parker.....	Waiter	"	West Indies	14 00	1 60
Dominick Seges.....	Cook	"	France	10 49	10 40

Table listing names, professions, and amounts. Includes names like Thomas Byrne, Philip de Groef, Frederick T. Sykes, etc.

Table listing names, professions, and amounts. Includes names like Lewis Hurst, Philip Adler, Frank Wagner, etc.

Report of Moneys Unclaimed by Next of Kin and Paid into the City Treasury during the Year 1901, in Addition to the Estate Received from the Board of Health, Coroners, and from the House of Relief, and the Estates Paid into the City Treasury, Pursuant to Chapter 230 of the Laws of 1898.

Table with columns: ESTATES, AMOUNT. Lists names like Louisa Bangert, James Glynn, etc.

The Balances Remaining in the following Estates, Unclaimed by Next of Kin, Have Been Paid into the City Treasury during the Year 1901, Pursuant to Chapter 230 of the Laws of 1898.

Table with columns: NAME, AMOUNT. Lists names like Catherine Brown, George Sebastian, etc.

The following Estates were Reported from the Coroners during the Year 1901. The Total Amount of Cash Received was Paid into the City Treasury. Amount, \$290.35.

Table with columns: NAME, AMOUNT. Lists estates like Estate of Vincenzo Paliotta, Estate of George R. Hahn, etc.

Proceeds of Sale of Effects from Coroners' Office during the Year 1901. The Cash Realized was Paid into the City Treasury. Amount, \$77.82.

Table with columns: NAME, AMOUNT. Lists names like Frank Neilson, Joseph Treit, etc.

The following Estates were Reported from the House of Relief during the Year 1901. Cash Received was Paid into the City Treasury. Amount, \$48.06.

Table with columns: NAME, AMOUNT. Lists names like Dennis Hall, Thomas Spencer, etc.

Proceeds of Sale of Effects Received from the House of Relief during the Year 1901. The Cash was Paid into the City Treasury. Amount, \$10.20.

Table with columns: NAME, AMOUNT. Lists estates like Estate of Ali Fee, Estate of Fred. Kremer, etc.

The following Estates were Reported from the Board of Health during the Year 1901. The Cash Received was Paid into the City Treasury. Amount, \$4.45.

Table with columns NAME and AMOUNT. Includes Charles H. Brown (\$0.45), Maria Uscanska (4.00), Total \$4.45.

The following Estates were Reported from the Coroners November 8, 1901. The Amount of Cash Received was \$101.46, which will be Paid into the City Treasury February 28, 1902. Amount, \$101.46.

Table with columns NAME and AMOUNT. Lists numerous names and amounts, including Werzel Jarosch (\$6.08), Antonio Suarez (\$18.90), John Woods (\$0.05), Charles Hulin (57), etc.

The following Estates were Reported from the Coroners December 6, 1901. The Amount of Cash Received was \$44.88, which will be Paid into the City Treasury March 31, 1902.

Table with columns NAME and AMOUNT. Lists numerous names and amounts, including Unknown man, foot of East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, May 8, 1901 (\$0.55), John Bruder, North river, off Pier 5, May 9, 1901 (0.04), etc.

Cash Account for the Year 1901.

Summary table for Cash Account for the Year 1901. Includes January 1, 1901, balance (\$414,806.22), Cash received during the year (481,268.70), Cash disbursed during the year (896,074.98), and Balance on hand January 1, 1902 (\$495,533.50).

Deposited as follows:

Table showing deposits from Morton Trust Company (\$88,274.58), National Bank of Commerce (206,152.23), City Trust Company (118,501.48), and Phoenix National Bank (82,545.21), Total \$495,533.50.

Table showing Total Amount paid into the City Treasury during the year 1901 for commissions (\$11,187.37) and Total amount paid into the City Treasury during the year 1901 for account of intestate estates (20,069.72), Total \$31,257.09.

City and County of New York, ss.:

William M. Hoës, Public Administrator of the County of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says that, according to his best knowledge, information and belief, the foregoing account contains a true statement of the total amount of his receipts and expenditures in each case in which he shall have taken charge of and collected any effects or on which the Public Administrator shall have administered during the year 1901, with the name of the deceased, his or her addition and the country or place from which he or she came, if the same be known.

WILLIAM M. HOES.

Sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1902.

CHAS. C. HALPIN, Notary Public, New York County.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

BUREAU FOR THE RECOVERY OF PENALTIES.

Statement and Return of Moneys Received by ARTHUR F. COSBY, Assistant Corporation Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, for the Month of February, 1902, Rendered to the Comptroller, in Pursuance of the Provisions of Section 117, Article II., Chapter IV. of the Revised Ordinances of 1897, and of Sections 259 and 1550 of Chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as Amended by Chapter 460 of the Laws of 1901.

Large table with columns: February, What For, Judgments, Collections and Penalties, Costs, Total Amount. Lists various legal cases and their corresponding amounts.

Summary table for the Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties. Includes Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. William A. McLaren and Philip J. McLaren (8.00), etc.

Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. Daniel Sylvester.....	12 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Theodore Foleran and Nicholas Datortas.....	10 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. George S. Dubois and Henry J. Burbage.....	5 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Theodore Foleran and Nicholas Datortas.....	12 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Arthur Williams, Henry Walz and Joseph H. Sanderson.....	10 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	20 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. William F. Anthony, Julius Meyers and Annie D. Spiegel.....	5 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Paul Schmitt and Henry C. Mangles.....	21 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Andrew F. Power.....	10 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. John C. Shelton and Henry Bly.....	1 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	2 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Nicolo Ivone and Michael Palavino.....	6 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Nicolo Ivone and Michael Palavino.....	6 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Theodore Foleran and Nicholas Datortas.....	10 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Andrew F. Power.....	10 00
Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities, in the case of The People ex rel. The Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Alphonse Cahn.....	10 00
Amount paid over to Treasurer of New York Police Pension Fund, being one-half of penalties collected for violation of chapter 327, Laws of 1900.....	13 75
Amount paid over to Treasurer of New York Fire Department Relief Fund, being one-half of penalties collected for violation of chapter 327, Laws of 1900.....	13 75
Amount paid over to Fire Commissioner, penalties and costs collected for violation of laws relating to Fire Department.....	374 94
	\$993 94
Balance due City of New York.....	\$412 04

ARTHUR F. COSBY, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Thursday, February 20, 1902.

Adjourned meeting 12 m.
 Present—Commissioners Willcox (President), Eustis, Young.
 The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.
 The matter of the revised Departmental Estimate for the year 1902 was then taken up and considered.
 On motion of Commissioner Eustis the estimate of the expenses of the Park Board, amounting to \$29,300, was approved, by the following vote:
 Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis, Young—3.
 On motion of Commissioner Young the estimate for parks in the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, amounting to \$1,161,168, was approved, by the following vote:
 Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis, Young—3.
 On motion of Commissioner Eustis the estimate for parks in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, amounting to \$711,480, was approved, by the following vote:
 Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis, Young—3.
 On motion of Commissioner Willcox the estimate for parks in the Borough of The Bronx, amounting to \$542,431.90, was approved, by the following vote:
 Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis, Young—3.
 The several estimates as approved were then adopted as the Revised Departmental Estimate for the year 1902, and ordered forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Mayor, and the Board of Aldermen.

REVISED DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR 1902.

Park Board—Salaries of Commissioners, Landscape Architect, Secretary, etc..... \$29,300 00

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.

Administration.....	\$34,480 00
Labor, maintenance and supplies.....	478,458 00
Zoological Department.....	32,500 00
Maintenance of Museums.....	285,000 00
Music.....	25,000 00
Contingencies.....	2,500 00
Surveys, maps and plans.....	2,000 00
Aquarium.....	46,500 00
Harlem River Driveway.....	18,500 00
Ambulance service, Central Park.....	1,200 00
Care of Grant's Tomb.....	5,000 00
Cleaning lake, Central Park.....	5,000 00
Union Square walks.....	12,750 00
Walks around Grant's Tomb.....	12,000 00
Central Park gutters.....	15,000 00
Central Park water system.....	25,000 00
Central Park drainage.....	40,000 00
Conservatory Lake.....	22,000 00
Water supply Harlem River Driveway.....	15,000 00
Riverside Drive wall.....	15,000 00
Reparing walks in city parks.....	20,000 00
Maintenance and repairs to asphalt pavements of roadways, walks, plaza, etc., upon which the guarantee has expired.....	8,000 00
Sheepfold.....	10,000 00
Men's toilet, No. 31.....	2,500 00
Men's toilet, No. 21.....	800 00
Women's toilet, No. 28.....	400 00
Ball House.....	800 00
Bridges.....	5,400 00
New fence in City Hall Park.....	4,380 00
Approaches to viaduct at Ninety-sixth street and Riverside Park.....	8,500 00
Removing existing park enclosing wall and constructing suitable approaches to the east wing of the Museum of Art.....	7,500 00
	\$1,161,168 00

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Administration.....	\$14,360 00
Maintenance and construction.....	335,481 90
Maintenance of Botanical Gardens.....	78,230 00
Maintenance of Zoological Gardens.....	92,500 00
Music.....	9,360 00
Contingencies.....	1,500 00
Surveys, maps and plans.....	10,000 00
	\$542,431 90

BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Administration.....	\$24,800 00
Labor, maintenance and supplies.....	595,415 00
Music.....	16,264 00
Maintenance of Museums.....	75,001 00
	\$711,480 00

RECAPITULATION BY BOROUGHES.

12 00	Park Board.....	\$29,300 00
10 00	Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	1,161,168 00
5 00	Borough of The Bronx.....	542,431 90
5 00	Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	711,480 00
		\$2,444,379 90

Commissioner Eustis placed before the Board plans showing proposed work of improving the several parkways in the Borough of The Bronx.

Commissioner Young offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is respectfully requested to authorize a bond issue to the amount of \$100,000, in the manner provided by chapter 417 Laws of 1892, as amended by chapter 609 of the Laws of 1895, for the purpose of providing funds for carrying on the works of improvement on Crotona, Moshulu and Bronx and Pelham Parkways and other streets or roadways in parks in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis, Young—3.

Commissioner Willcox presented plans and specifications for plate glass work for exhibition cases and mosaic floorings in the American Museum of Natural History Building.

Commissioner Young offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications this day submitted for setting plate glass in exhibition cases at the American Museum of Natural History Building be approved, and a form of contract ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel that an advertisement be published, inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis, Young—3.

Commissioner Eustis offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans and specifications for mosaic flooring on third and fourth stories of West Wing of the American Museum of Natural History Building be approved, and the form of contract ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, that an advertisement be published, inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis, Young—3.

On motion, at 1.30 p. m., the Board adjourned to meet at the call of the President.

GEORGE S. FERRY, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

February 18, 1902.

The following proceedings were this day directed by the Police Commissioner:
 Ordered, That consent be and is hereby given to the substitution of the American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore City and the Aetna Indemnity Company as sureties on the proposal of F. Donovan & Son for supplying the Police Department with horse feed in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in place of R. J. Donovan and Dennis Norton.

On reading and filing communication from the Comptroller, dated February 17, 1902, approving of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the proposal of Horace Ingersoll for supplying horse feed to the Police Department of The City of New York in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Ordered, That the contract for supplying the Police Department with horse feed in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx be and is hereby awarded to Horace Ingersoll, No. 640 West Thirty-fourth street, for the sum and price as follows, he being the lowest bidder:

705,000 pounds hay, \$0.85 per 100 pounds.....	\$5,992 50
290,000 pounds straw, \$0.85 per 100 pounds.....	2,465 00
640,000 pounds oats, \$1.60 per 100 pounds.....	10,240 00
78,000 pounds wheat bran, \$1.05 per 100 pounds.....	819 00
6,000 pounds oil meal, \$1.50 per 100 pounds.....	93 00
4,500 pounds rock salt, \$0.75 per 100 pounds.....	33 75
	\$19,643 25

On reading and filing eligible list of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated February 17, 1902.

Ordered, That Mary E. Morgan, No. 445 West Thirty-ninth street, and Catharine Sullivan, No. 495 Pearl street, whose names appear Nos. 1 and 3 on said list, respectively, be and are hereby employed as Cleaners in the Police Department, with compensation at \$30 per month each.

Communication from Hyman J. Barnett relative to complaint against Patrolman George W. Colon, referred to Complaint Clerk to place case on calendar.

Resignation Special Patrolmen—Michael White and George F. Bryan.

Full Pay Granted—Roundsman Eugene C. Casey, Bicycle Squad, January 25 to February 8. Sixty days' sick leave granted Patrolman James M. Jenkins, Thirty-first Precinct.

On reading and filing report of Inspector Thomas L. Druhan, ordered, that Patrolman John E. Brown, Sixty-third Precinct, be and is hereby commended for bravery in rescuing persons from burning building, No. 141 Cook street, Brooklyn, February 11, 1902.

Special Patrolman Appointed—John Kiernan, for Hyde & Behman, Star Theatre, Brooklyn.

Masquerade Ball Permits Granted—Henry Cherny, Excelsior Hall, Stapleton, S. I., February 19, \$10; Herman Krumme, Turn Hall, College Point, February 21, \$5; F. Hettinger, Hettinger's Hall, Long Island City, February 21, \$10; G. D. Eisenhauer, Cooper Hall, Brooklyn, March 15, \$10; Jacob Heinz, Heinz Hall, Brooklyn, March 5, \$5; John Franz, Congress Hall, Brooklyn, February 21, \$10; John E. Zeltner, Zeltner's Hall, March 1, \$25; John E. Zeltner, Zeltner's Hall, February 21, \$25; George S. Peters, Huber's Hall, February 21, \$25; Joseph Lieberman, Tammany Hall, March 1, \$25; Maurice M. Levy, Tammany Hall, March 22, \$25; F. L. Remy, Central Park Dancing Academy, March 19, \$10; F. L. Remy, Central Park Dancing Academy, March 7, \$10; F. L. Remy, Central Park Dancing Academy, February 22, \$10; Henry Gerken, Palace Hall, Brooklyn, February 21, \$10; Henry Gerken, Palace Hall, Brooklyn, February 22, \$10; B. Knoblock, Stauch's Assembly Rooms, Coney Island, February 21, \$10; J. T. Harris, Arion Hall, Brooklyn, February 18, \$10; David Kull, Harlem Arcade, February 18, \$10.

Referred to the First Deputy Commissioner—Application of Margaretha Wolters for increase of pension.

Referred to Second Deputy Commissioner—Application of Emil Lazansky for appointment of William Bonner as Special Patrolman.

Referred to Senior Inspector—Application of John A. Sonntag for appointment of Michael White as Special Patrolman. Application of Brokaw Brothers for appointment of George F. Bryan as Special Patrolman. Opinion of Corporation Counsel relative to requirement for license where two or more performances are given in the same building.

Referred to the Auditor—Notice of lien of Pfothenauer & Nesbit against Thomas B. Leahy.

Referred to Civil Service Commission—Applications for examination for Roundsman of Patrolmen Andrew J. Kenny, Twenty-first Precinct; George O. Clinchy, Eighteenth Precinct; Michael J. Burke, First Precinct; Chas. Fries, Eighteenth Precinct; John P. Meade, Thirty-first Precinct; John H. Burns, Thirty-third Precinct.

Chief Clerk to Answer—Nathaniel Beaman, Mayor, Norfolk, Va., asking information relative to the Police Department. Benjamin D. Levy, asking relative to masquerade ball permit. Frank Tanzer, asking return of Special Officer's shield 474, taken from him by police. F. B. French, Cashier Twelfth Ward Bank, inclosing papers relative to claim of the bank against Patrolman John O'Leary.

On File—Communication from Henry Leeds, relative to condition of Mrs. Caroline Dilks, applicant for pension. Trustees Arion Society, thanking police for preserving order at the recent ball. Report of First Deputy Commissioner, relative to the arrest of Patrolman John Dowling. Report of Inspector Donald Grant, relative to arrest of Special Patrolmen Frank Tanzer and Robert Smith; shields to be re-

turned. Corporation Counsel, returning advertisement for general repairs to patrol, also inclosing copies of advertisement approved. Same, returning printer's proof of contract furnishing electric generator and engine to patrol, and also furnishing new Thirty-seventh Precinct Station House. Same, returning printer's proof of form for plumbing supplies. Second Deputy Commissioner, reporting leaves of absence under the rule.

On File, Send Copy—Report on complaint from the Fire Commissioner, relative to the conduct of the police at a fire, Cumberland street and Flushing avenue, February 8. Reports on communications forwarded by the Mayor, viz: Margaret A. Preston, Mrs. J. J. Brodgett, Elizabeth Naylor and James Clark.

Ordered, That the following bills be approved and referred to the Comptroller for payment:

Account Supplies for Police—1901.

Table listing police supplies for 1901, including items like pay rolls, receipt books, stationery, horseshoeing, and veterinary services, with corresponding dollar amounts.

Account Contingent Expenses, 1901.

Table listing contingent expenses for 1901, including items like Captain William Hogan's expenses, William A. Ryan's expenses, and Leonard Crozier's expenses.

Account Police Station-Houses, etc., 1901.

Table listing expenses for police station-houses and related services for 1901, including sewer pipe, heater repairs, and plumbing.

Account Police Station Rents, 1901.

Table listing rents for police stations in 1901, including Mrs. Catherine Bauer and Douglas Robinson et al.

By order of the Commissioner.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

EXPENDITURES FOR JANUARY, 1902.

Table showing expenditures for January 1902, categorized by item such as coal and wood, laying mains, miscellaneous supplies, oil, payroll, rent, repair pavement, repairs, taxes, telephone service, temporary pumping plant, transportation, and water contract.

LIABILITIES FOR JANUARY, 1902.

Table showing liabilities for January 1902, including coal and wood, laying mains, miscellaneous supplies, oil, repair pavement, repairs, and transportation.

E. BEARDSLEY, General Bookkeeper.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Week Ending Saturday, 12 M., February 22, 1902.

Table showing vital statistics for various boroughs (Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens, Richmond, City of New York) including population, estimated population, deaths, births, marriages, stillbirths, and death rates.

* Non-residents and infants under 1 week old not included.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

Table showing weekly cases of infectious and contagious diseases from November to February, listing diseases like Phthisis, Diphtheria, Measles, Scarlet Fever, Small-pox, Typhoid Fever, and Typhus Fever.

† Include 1 case of scarlet fever from Emigrant Hospital, Ellis Island.

Deaths by Principal Causes, According to Locality and Age.

Table showing deaths by principal causes across different boroughs, categorized by age groups (Under 1 Year, Under 5 Years, 5-65 Years, 65 Years and Over).

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

Table showing deaths by cause, age, and sex, including categories like Diphtheria and croup, Malarial fevers, Measles, Scarlet fever, Typhoid fever, Typhus fever, Whooping cough, Diarrheal diseases, and other diseases of the digestive system.

* Including premature births, preterm births, inanition, marasmus and all congenital defects.

† Viz.: Syphilis, 3; Cancer, 44; Diabetes, 9; Alcoholism, 3; Puerperal Fever, 7; Otitis, 1; Aneurism, 7; Erysipelas, 7; Anæmia, 2; Influenza, 10; Diseases of Uterus, 1; Rheumatism, 3; Purpura, 1; Embolism, 3; Ovarian Diseases, 2; Chronic Rheumatism, 1; Miscarriage, 5; Post-partum Hemorrhage, 1; Placenta Prævia, 1; Cellulitis, 1; Leukæmia, 2; Phlebitis, 1; Lymphadenoma, 2; Dentition, 1; Salpingo-Oophoritis, 1; Pelvic Abscess, 2; Puerperal Convulsions, 2; Osteo-myelitis, 1; Extra-uterine Pregnancy, 1.

Deaths by Violence in Detail:

Fractures and Contusions, 16; Burns and Scalds, 15; Suffocation, 4; Railroads, 4; Drowning, 1; Poison, 2; Wounds, 1; Gunshot, 1.

Deaths According to Cause, Annual Rate per 1,000 and Age, with Meteorology and Number of Deaths in Public Institutions for 13 Weeks.

Large table showing weekly death statistics from November to February, including annual death rates, deaths by cause, age, and sex, and meteorological data like mean barometer, mean humidity, inches of rain and snow, and maximum/minimum temperatures.

Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

Table with columns for hospital names (Willard Parker, Riverside, Kingston Avenue) and disease types (Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Measles, Small-pox, Typhoid Fever, Phthisis).

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported and Deaths from Same, by Wards.

Large table with columns for Boroughs (Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens, Richmond), Wards, and various disease categories (Sickness, Deaths Reported).

General Work of the Department.

Table listing various inspection and administrative tasks such as 'Total inspections of premises', 'orders issued for abatement of nuisances', etc.

Analysis of Croton Water, February 21, 1902.

Table showing water analysis results for Croton Water, including appearance, color, odor, and chemical composition.

Analysis of Ridgewood Water, February 19, 1902.

Table showing water analysis results for Ridgewood Water, including appearance, color, odor, and chemical composition.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN. BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

Table listing operations for the week ending March 8, 1902, including plans filed for new buildings, alterations, and violations.

PEREZ M. STEWART, Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan. WM. H. CLASS, Chief Clerk.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS. BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

Appointments and changes in rate of wages for various positions, including Richard J. Connelly and James Hughes.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS. Borough of The Bronx.

Notice regarding the discharge of mowers and the appointment of James A. Hawkes as a laborer.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Appointments and reappointments for gardeners in Brooklyn and Queens.

Appointed. February 28. John Kelly, team, at \$5 per day.

Appointments and reappointments for laborers, including John J. Curran and Simon Donovan.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Changes in the force of employees in this Department, viz:

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS. Appointments.

Appointments and promotions for highway workers, including Matthew O'Brien and Ferd. Christen.

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

Appointments and transfers for sewer workers, including Edward Dunn and Wm. Thompson.



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as of the places where

such officers are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

CITY OFFICERS.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office. No. 5 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. SETH H. LOW, Mayor. JAMES B. REYNOLDS, Secretary. WILLIAM J. MORAN, Assistant Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Bureau of Licenses. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. GEORGE WHITEFIELD BROWN, Jr., Chief of Bureau. Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall. HENRY OSWALD CAREY, Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; JOSEPH MCGUINNESS, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.

Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; William R. Woelfe, Cashier in Borough of Richmond.

Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City; Charles H. Smith, Cashier in Borough of Queens.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE, and Bureau of Printing, Stationery & Blank Books. No. 2 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. PHILIP COWER, Supervisor.

CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN. City Hall, Rooms 11-12, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 10 a. m. to 12 m. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES, First Deputy City Clerk. MICHAEL F. BEAR, Chief Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

JOSEPH V. SCULLY, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Brooklyn. THOMAS J. MCCABE, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of The Bronx.

WILLIAM R. ZIMMERMAN, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Queens.

MICHAEL J. COLLINS, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Richmond.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN. No. 11 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. CHARLES V. FURNES, President. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE. Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 noon. EDWARD M. GRUET, Comptroller.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, JAMES W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptrollers. FREDERICK L. SMITH, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau. WILLIAM MCKINNEY, Chief Auditor Accounts. JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, Auditor of Accounts.

P. L. W. SHAFNER, Auditor of Accounts. E. J. BREITMAN, Auditor of Accounts. DANIEL B. PHILLIPS, Auditor of Accounts.

EDWARD J. CONNELL, Auditor of Accounts. FRANCIS R. CLAIR, Auditor of Accounts. CORNELIUS A. HARTY, Auditor of Accounts.

WILLIAM J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts. JAMES F. MCKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts. PHILIP J. MCEVY, Auditor of Accounts.

BERNARD T. MAHONEY, Auditor of Accounts. Bureau for Collection of Assessments and Arrears. WILLIAM E. McFADDEN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

EDWARD A. SLATTERY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan. JAMES E. STANFORD, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of The Bronx.

H. V. NEWMAN, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn. JOHN F. ROBERTS, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.

GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes. DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Manhattan. JOHN B. UNDERHILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of The Bronx.

JACOB S. VAN WYCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Brooklyn. FREDERICK W. BLECKWEN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Queens.

MATTHEW S. TULLY, Deputy Receiver of Taxes, Borough of Richmond. Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets. DAVID O'BRIEN, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

ALEXANDER MEAKIN, Clerk of Markets. Bureau of the City Chamberlain. Stewart Building, Rooms 63, 65 and 67; Kings County Court-house, Room 14. ELGIN R. L. GOULD, City Chamberlain. JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster. No. 83 Chambers street and No. 65 Reade street. JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of Corporation Counsel. Straus-Zeigler Building, 2d, 3d and 4th floors, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.

THEODORE CORANOLY, CHARLES D. OLESDORF, GEORGE L. STERLING, EDWARD J. MCGUIRE, JAMES M. WARD, GEORGE S. GILGEMAN, CHARLES N. HARRIS, JOHN C. CLARK, CHARLES S. WHITMAN, CHASE MCELLEN, JOHN CASSAN WARD, EDWIN J. FREEMAN, JOHN W. HUTCHINSON, JR.; OLIVER C. SAMPLE, TERENCE PARLEY, JAMES T. MALONE, CHARLES A. O'NEIL, GEORGE LANDON, ARTHUR SWEENEY, HAROLD S. RANKINE, DAVID RUMSEY, WILLIAM BEERS CROWELL, Assistants.

JAMES MCKEE, Assistant, in charge of Brooklyn branch office. GEORGE E. BLACKWELL, Assistant, in charge of Queens branch office.

DOUGLAS MATTHEWSON, Assistant, in charge of Bronx branch office. ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Assistant, in charge of Richmond branch office.

ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk. Bureau for Collection Arrears of Personal Taxes. No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building). Office hours for the public, 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 10 a. m. to 12 m. MARTIN SARK, Assistant, in charge.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties. Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. ARTHUR F. COBBY, Assistant, in charge.

Bureau of Street Openings. Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. JOHN P. DUNN, Assistant, in charge.

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Rooms 114 and 115 Stewart Building, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. WILLIAM HEPBURN RUSSELL and EDWARD OWEN, Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING FUND.

SETH LOW, Mayor, Chairman; EDWARD M. GRUET, Comptroller; ELGIN R. L. GOULD, Chamberlain; CHARLES V. FURNES, President of the Board of Aldermen, and HERBERT PARSONS, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, Members. N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Secretary. Office of Secretary, Room No. 12 Stewart Building.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

The Mayor, Chairman; the Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond, Members; JAMES W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller, Secretary; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 307 Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. THE MAYOR, the Comptroller, ex officio; Commissioners, WILLIAM H. TEN EYCK (President), JOHN J. RYAN, MAURICE J. POWER and JOHN P. WINDOLPH; HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary; WILLIAM R. HILL, Chief Engineer.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

The Mayor, Seth Low, Chairman; The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, JAMES L. WELLS, Secretary; The President of the Board of Aldermen, CHARLES V. FURNES; Brigadier-General JAMES MCLEER and Brigadier-General GEORGE MOORE SMITH, Commissioners. Address JAMES L. WELLS, Secretary, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office. No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. JOHN N. PARTRIDGE, Commissioner. NATHANIEL B. THURSTON, First Deputy Commissioner. FREDERICK H. E. EBSTEIN, Second Deputy Commissioner. ARTHUR L. ROBERTSON, Secretary to the Police Commissioner.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Commissioners—JOHN R. VOORHIS (President), CHARLES B. PAGE (Secretary), JOHN MAGUIRE, MICHAEL J. DADY. Headquarters, General Office, No. 301 Mott street. A. C. ALLEN, Chief Clerk of the Board. Office, Borough of Manhattan, No. 301 Mott street. WILLIAM C. RAXTER, Chief Clerk. Office, Borough of The Bronx, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott avenue (Solingen Building). CORNELIUS A. BUNNER, Chief Clerk. Office, Borough of Brooklyn, No. 42 Court street. GEORGE RUSSELL, Chief Clerk. Office, Borough of Queens, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City. CARL VOEGEL, Chief Clerk. Office, Borough of Richmond, Staten Island Savings Building, Stapleton, S. I. ALEXANDER M. ROSS, Chief Clerk. All offices open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. GUSTAV LINDENTHAL, Commissioner. NELSON L. ROBINSON, Deputy. LEFFERT L. BUCK, Chief Engineer. HARRY BEAM, Deputy for Brooklyn.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY, Commissioner. WILLIAM A. DE LONG, Deputy Commissioner. GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer. W. G. BYRNE, Water Registrar. JAMES MOFFETT, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Brooklyn, Municipal Building, Brooklyn. GEORGE WALLACE, Sr., Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Queens, Long Island City. —, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of The Bronx, Crotona Park Building. HENRY P. MORRISON, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Richmond. Office, "Richmond Building," corner Richmond terrace and York avenue, New Brighton, S. I.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY, Commissioner. F. M. GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Manhattan. PATRICK H. QUINN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Brooklyn, Room 37, Municipal Building. JOSEPH LIEBZERT, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of The Bronx, No. 434 Willis avenue. JAMES F. O'BRIEN, Deputy Commissioner for Borough of Queens, No. 48 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Central Office. No. 148 East Twentieth street. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner. A. C. MACNULTY, Deputy Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m. Headquarters. Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street. THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner. RICHARD H. LAEMBER, Jr., Deputy Commissioner, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary. EDWARD F. CROKER, Chief of Department and in charge of Fire-alarm Telegraph. JAMES DALE, Deputy Chief, in charge of Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. GEORGE E. MURRAY, Inspector of Combustibles. THOMAS F. FREEL, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond. ALONZO BRYMER, Fire Marshal, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Central Office open at all hours. Committee to examine persons who handle explosives meets Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock p. m.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.

Central Office. Foot of East Twenty-sixth street, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner for Manhattan and Bronx.

JAMES E. DOUGHERTY, First Deputy Commissioner. CHARLES E. TEALE, Second Deputy Commissioner, for Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn. Plans and Specifications, Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m. Out-door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 a. m. to 4.30 p. m. Department for Care of Destitute Children, No. 56 Third avenue, 8.30 a. m. to 4.30 p. m.

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Manhattan Office, No. 61 Irving place, south west corner Eighteenth street. Brooklyn Office, Temple Bar Building, N. 44 Court street. Bronx Office, to be established. ROBERT W. DE FOREST, Commissioner. LAWRENCE VELLER, First Deputy Tenement House Commissioner. WESLEY C. BUSH, Second Deputy Tenement House Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Burial Permit and Contagious Disease Offices always open. ERNEST J. LEDERLE, Commissioner of Health and President. CASPAR GOLDBERMAN, Secretary. CHARLES F. ROBERTS, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent. WILLIAM H. GUILFOY, M. D., Registrar of Records. FREDERICK H. DILLINGHAM, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Manhattan. EDWARD F. HURD, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of The Bronx, No. 1237 Franklin avenue. JOSEPH H. RAYMOND, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Brooklyn, Nos. 38 and 40 Clinton street. SAMUEL HENDRICKSON, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Queens, Nos. 372 and 374 Fulton street, Jamaica. THEODORE WALSER, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Richmond, York avenue and Richmond Terrace, New Brighton, Staten Island.

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WILLIAM R. WILLCOX, Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond and President of the Park Board. GEORGE S. TERRY, Secretary, Park Board. Offices, Arsenal, Central Park. RICHARD YOUNG, Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Offices, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn. JOHN E. EUSTIS, Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx. Offices, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.

ART COMMISSION.

JOHN DE WITT WARNER, President; A. A. HEALE, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. JAMES L. WELLS, President; WILLIAM S. COOK WELLS, GEORGE J. GILLESPIE, SAMUEL STRASBURGER, RUFUS L. SCOTT, Commissioners.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

No. 346 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. WILLIS L. OGDEN, ALEXANDER T. MASON, CORNELIUS VANDERBILT, WILLIAM A. PERRINE, WILLIAM N. DYKMAN, THEODORE M. BANTA and NELSON S. SPENCER, Commissioners. GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 320 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturday, 12 noon. BENJAMIN E. HALL (President), HENRY B. KETCHAM and Enoch VREELAND, Board of Assessors. WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. CHARLES C. BURLINGHAM, President; FRANK L. BABBOTT, Vice-President; A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary. WILLIAM H. MAXWELL, City Superintendent of Schools. C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings. PARKER P. SIMMONS, Superintendent of School Supplies. HENRY R. M. COOK, Auditor. HENRY M. LEIPZIGER, Supervisor of Lectures.

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COUNTY COURT.

County Court-house, Long Island City. County Court opens at 9:30 A. M.; adjourns at 5 P. M. County Judge's office always open at Flushing, N. Y. HARRISON S. MOORE, County Judge.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M. JOSEPH H. DE BRAGGA, Sheriff; JOSIAH C. BENNETT, Under Sheriff.

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APPELLATE DIVISION SUPREME COURT.

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT. Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.

CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAHAM, CHESTER B. McLAUGHLIN, EDWARD W. HATCH, FRANK C. LAUGHLIN, JUSTICES. ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk. WILLIAM LAMB, JR., Deputy Clerk. Clerk's Office opens at 9 A. M.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Courts open from 10:15 A. M. to 4 P. M. Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12. Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 15.

Special Term, Part III, Room No. 19.

Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11. Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30. Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad Cases), Room No. 36.

Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 25. Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 17. Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 18. Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 16. Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 24.

Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23. Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 33. Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 31. Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 32. Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 22. Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 34. Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 26.

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Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), room southwest corner, Mezzanine Floor.

Clerk's Office, Special Term Calendar, room southeast corner second floor.

Clerk's Office, Trial Terms Calendar, room northeast corner second floor.

Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner third floor.

Trial Term, Part I. (Criminal business). Criminal Court-house, Centre street.

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SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County, Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Courts open daily from 10 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. Five jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions. GERARD M. STEVENS, General Clerk.

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

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CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A. M. Justices—First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM E. WYATT, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, JULIUS M. MAYER. WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second Division—Trial days—Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.

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BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Redloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands, New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street. DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets. HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

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 10 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business. GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JULIUS HARBURGER, Clerk.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. 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 9 A. M. daily and continues open to close of business. DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.

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

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 A. M. and continues open until close of business. 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. JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.

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

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. HUGH GRANT, Clerk.

Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9:45 A. M. FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HEMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 1034 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sunday and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week. WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M. JOHN M. TIERNAN, Justice. 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. Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn. GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn. WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock. Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue. THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

Borough of Queens.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fifth District—Eighth, Twenty-second, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-house, Bay Twenty-second street and Bath avenue, Bath Beach. Telephone, 83 Bath. CORNELIUS FURGUESON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five Wards). Court-room, No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day, excepting Saturday, closing at 12 M. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays. THOMAS C. KADIEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which include the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York. WILLIAM RASQUIN, JR., Justice. HENRY WALTER, JR., Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice; GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk. Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 A. M.

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First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton. JOHN J. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M. Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton. GEORGE W. STAKE, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. and continues until close of business.

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Borough of Manhattan.

Contract No. 721. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 113,029 POUNDS OF MANILA ROPE.

The time for the delivery of the rope and the performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 120 calendar days. The amount of security required is six thousand dollars (\$6,000).

Borough of Manhattan.

Contract No. 722. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SAND AND BROKEN STONE FOR CONCRETE.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the performance of the contract is by or before the expiration of 120 calendar days. The amount of security required is four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

Borough of Manhattan.

Contract No. 723. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 500 WHITE OAK PILES.

The time for the delivery of the piles and the performance of the contract is by or before the expiration of 180 calendar days. The amount of security required is two thousand four hundred dollars (\$2,400).

Upon No. 722 the bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

Upon Nos. 721 and 723 the contracts must be bid for separately, and the bids will be compared and the contract award at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in Section 420 of The Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality

of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Department, Pier "A," North River, foot of Battery Place, Borough of Manhattan.

McDOUGALL HAWKES,
Commissioner of Docks.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 10, 1902.
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BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed amendments 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 6847, No. 1. Regulating, grading and paving with asphalt pavement Vermont street between Pitkin avenue and a point seventy-five feet south of Belmont avenue.
- List 7074, No. 2. Grading, curbing, re-curling, flagging and paving with asphalt pavement Alabama avenue between Atlantic avenue and Glenmore avenue.
- List 7075, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving with asphalt pavement Chauncey street between Rockway avenue and Broadway.
- List 7076, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and paving with granite block pavement Linden street between Hamburg avenue and Knickerbocker avenue.
- List 7077, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving with asphalt pavement Park Place from Albany avenue to Utica avenue.
- List 7082, No. 6. Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Atlantic avenue between Schenectady avenue and Utica avenue.
- List 7083, No. 7. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of Berkeley Place between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- List 7095, No. 8. Flagging and re-flagging northwest side of Wallabout street between Marcy and Harrison avenues, and on the southeast side of Marcy avenue between Wallabout and Walton streets.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

- List 6946, No. 9. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in College avenue from 163d street to 164th street.
- List 6952, No. 10. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks and paving with macadam pavement and planting trees, Ritter Place from Union avenue to Prospect avenue.
- List 7005, No. 11. Regulating and paving with asphalt pavement College avenue from 146th street to 148th street.
- List 7006, No. 12. Paving with asphalt pavement Cauldwell avenue from 161st street to Boston road.
- List 7007, No. 13. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Jessup place from Boscobel avenue to Marcher avenue.
- List 7009, No. 14. Regulating and paving with granite block pavement E. 132d street from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue.
- List 7010, No. 15. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 158th street from Sheridan avenue to Mott avenue.
- List 7013, No. 16. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging E. 169th street from Boscobel avenue to Marcher avenue.
- List 7015, No. 17. Sewer and appurtenances in Pelham avenue between Southern Boulevard and Lorillard place.
- List 7016, No. 18. Sewer and appurtenances in E. 177th street from Boston road to Bronx street.
- List 7065, No. 19. Sewer and appurtenances in Prospect avenue from E. 177th street to E. 175th street, with branch in E. 175th street from Prospect avenue to summit east of Prospect avenue.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

- No. 1. Both sides of Vermont street from a point distant about 200 feet south of Belmont avenue to a point distant about 200 feet north of Pitkin avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 2. Both sides of Alabama avenue from Atlantic avenue to Glenmore avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 3. Both sides of Chauncey street from Broadway to Rockway avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 4. Both sides of Linden street between Hamburg avenue and Knickerbocker avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 5. Both sides of Park place from Albany avenue to Troy avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 6. South side of Atlantic avenue between Schenectady avenue and Utica avenue, on Block 161, Lot No. 13.
- No. 7. North side of Berkeley place between Fifth and Sixth avenues, on Block 950, Lot No. 12.
- No. 8. Northerly intersection of Wallabout street and Marcher avenue, on Block 106, Lot Nos. 25 and 26.
- No. 9. Both sides of College avenue from 163d street to 164th street.
- No. 10. Both sides of Ritter place from Union avenue to Prospect avenue.
- No. 11. Both sides of College avenue from 146th street to 148th street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.
- No. 12. Both sides of Cauldwell avenue from 161st street to Boston road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.
- No. 13. Both sides of Jessup place from Boscobel avenue to Marcher avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 14. Both sides of E. 132d street from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 15. Both sides of 158th street from Boscobel avenue to Mott avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 16. Both sides of E. 169th street from Boscobel avenue to Marcher avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 17. Both sides of Pelham avenue from Southern Boulevard to Lorillard place; both sides of Crotona avenue from 189th street to Pelham avenue; east side of Crotona avenue from Pelham avenue to Southern Boulevard; west

side of Crotona avenue extending about 480 feet north of Pelham avenue; block bounded by Lorillard place, Hoffman street, 189th street and Pelham avenue.

No. 18. Both sides of 177th street from Boston road to Bronx street; block bounded by 177th, 179th, Boston road and Bronx street; east side of Bronx street from 177th street to 181st street; west side of Bronx street from 179th street to 181st street; both sides of 179th street, 180th street and 181st street, from Boston road to Bronx street.

No. 19. Both sides of Prospect avenue from 177th street to 175th street; both sides of 175th street from Marmion avenue to Prospect avenue; both sides of 176th street extending about 350 feet east of Prospect avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before April 17, 1902, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

BENJAMIN E. HALL,
HENRY B. KETCHAM,
ENOCH VREELAND,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 11, 1902. m12,22

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

- List 6976, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Lafontaine avenue between E. 180th street and Quarry road.
- List 6978, No. 2. Sewer and appurtenances in E. 175th street between Prospect avenue and Crotona avenue.
- List 6979, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in E. 203d street (Rockfield street) between Moshulu Parkway South and The Concourse; in Briggs avenue between Moshulu Parkway South and E. 201st street (Suburban street); and in E. 202d street (Summit street) between Briggs avenue and The Concourse; and in Villa avenue between E. 200th street (Southern Boulevard) and Van Courtlandt avenue; and in Jerome avenue from the summit south of E. 199th street (Garfield street) to the summit north of Van Courtlandt avenue.
- List 7001, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in Tiffany street from Longwood avenue to Spofford avenue, and in Spofford avenue from Tiffany street to Manida street, and in Manida street from Spofford avenue to the summit north of Spofford avenue.
- List 7003, No. 5. Fencing Bensonia Cemetery, bounded by Koe street, German place, Carr street and St. Ann's avenue.
- List 7011, No. 6. Paving with granite block pavement E. 163d street from the west side of Courtlandt avenue to Brook avenue.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

- List 6973, No. 7. Sewer in 150th street between Edgecomb road and Avenue St. Nicholas.
- List 7050, No. 8. Paving 113th street between St. Nicholas and Lenox avenues, with asphalt pavement.
- List 7058, No. 9. Paving 140th street from Fifth avenue to Lenox avenue, with asphalt pavement.
- List 7055, No. 10. Paving 120th street between 12th avenue and the tracks of the New York Central Railroad Company, with asphalt pavement.
- List 7061, No. 11. Receiving basin on the N. W. corner of 155th street and Eighth avenue.
- List 7062, No. 12. Sewers in Lexington avenue, east and west sides, between 75th and 76th streets.
- List 7064, No. 13. Receiving basins on the N. E. and N. W. corners of 68th street and Avenue A.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

- List 7081, No. 14. Sewer in 71st street between Third avenue and New York Bay; in 72d street between Second and Third avenues; in 73d street between Second and Third avenues; in 74th street between Second and Third avenues; and in Second avenue between 71st and 74th streets.

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 Lafontaine avenue from 180th street to Quarry road; also block bounded by 180th street, 181st street, Lafontaine avenue and Monterey avenue; also block bounded by 181st street, Oak Tree place, Lafontaine avenue and Quarry road.
- No. 2. Both sides of 175th street from Prospect avenue to Crotona avenue.
- No. 3. Both sides of 202d street from The Concourse to Briggs avenue; both sides of 203d street from The Concourse to Moshulu Parkway South; east side of The Concourse from 201st street to 203d street; both sides of Valentine avenue and of Briggs avenue from 201st street to 203d street; both sides of Jerome avenue from a point distant about 270 feet south of 199th street to a point distant about 400 feet north of Van Courtlandt avenue; both sides of Villa avenue from 200th street to Van Courtlandt avenue; both sides of Van Courtlandt avenue from Jerome avenue to The Concourse; both sides of 199th, 200th, 204th and 205th streets from Jerome avenue to The Concourse.
- No. 4. East side of Tiffany street from a point distant about 145 feet south of Spofford avenue to Barry street; west side of Tiffany street from Spofford avenue to Barry street; both sides of Burnet place from Barry street to Tiffany street; both sides of Spofford avenue from Tiffany street to Manida street; both sides of Manida street from Spofford avenue to a point distant about 337 feet south of Lafayette avenue; both sides of Baretto street from Spofford avenue to a point distant about 285 feet south of Lafayette avenue.
- No. 5. Block bounded by Rae street, German place, Carr street and St. Ann's avenue.
- No. 6. Both sides of 163d street from the west side of Courtlandt avenue to Brook avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 7. Both sides of 150th street from Edgecomb road to Avenue St. Nicholas.
- No. 8. Both sides of 113th street from St. Nicholas avenue to Lenox avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 9. Both sides of 140th street from Fifth avenue to Lenox avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 10. Both sides of 120th street from 12th avenue to the North River, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.
- No. 11. North side of 155th street—extending about 630 feet west of Eighth avenue.

No. 12. Both sides of Lexington avenue from 75th street to 76th street.

No. 13. Block bounded by First avenue, Avenue A, 68th and 69th streets; also block bounded by 68th and 69th streets, Avenue A and the East River.

No. 14. Both sides of 75th street from Second avenue to New York Bay; both sides of 74th street from Third avenue to New York Bay; both sides of 73d street from a point distant about 255 feet east of Third avenue to Narrows avenue; both sides of 72d street from a point distant about 500 feet east of Third avenue to New York Bay; both sides of 71st street from Third avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Mackay place from First avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Silliman place from Third avenue to Second avenue; both sides of Ovington avenue from Fourth avenue to Third avenue; both sides of Bay Ridge avenue from Fourth avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Sixty-eighth street from Narrows avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Sixty-seventh street from Narrows avenue to the Shore road; both sides of Third avenue from Seventy-fourth street to Bay Ridge avenue; both sides of Second avenue from Seventy-fourth street to Sixty-eighth street; both sides of First avenue from Seventy-fifth street to Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Narrows avenue from Seventy-fifth street to a point distant about 201 feet north of Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Shore road from a point distant about 230 feet south of Seventy-fifth street to Sixty-seventh street; both sides of Seventieth street from Second avenue to the Shore 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 April 3, 1902, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

BENJAMIN E. HALL,
HENRY B. KETCHAM,
ENOCH VREELAND,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
March 4, 1902. m4,14.

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 sweepings, etc., collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, MAIN OFFICE NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office of the Department of Street Cleaning until 1 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, MARCH 21, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before June 30, 1902.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deem it to be for the interest of the city so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in Section 420 of The Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the main office of the Department, Nos. 13-21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY, Commissioner.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, MARCH 8, 1902.
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BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR, HACKETT BUILDING, JACKSON AVENUE AND FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1902.

Borough of Queens.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 123 TONS, MORE OR LESS, OF ICE TO THE VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by December 31, 1902.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00).

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The President reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deem it to be for the interest of the city so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the said President, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in Section 420 of The Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the office of the President.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said President, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Hackett Building, Jackson Avenue and Fifth Street, Borough of Queens.

JAS. CASSIDY, President Borough of Queens.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 28, 1902.
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BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals at the above office of the Board, until 12 o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MILK AND COAL.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902. 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, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Board reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if they deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Board, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Board and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stock-

holder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract...

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York...

No bids or estimates will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required...

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file with the Board.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel...

JOHN W. BANNAN, President, Board of Trustees Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, February 28, 1902.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 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 of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, in Room No. 1536, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN ATLANTIC, BELMONT, ETNA, GLENMORE, GRANT, HALE, JEFFERSON, LAVONIA, LINCOLN, MERMAID, NEPTUNE, OCEAN, RIDGEWOOD, SHEFFIELD, SHEPHERD, SHERIDAN, STONE, THATFORD, WAREHOUSE, WARWICK AND 22D AVENUES; IN AVENUES P AND R; IN ASHFORD, BOGERT, BARREY, BAY 22D, BRISTOL, BERRIMAN, DRESDEN, ELTON, ENFIELD, FULTON, GLEN, HEMLOCK, HILL, MAGENTA, MARKET, MCKINLEY, OSBORN, PINE, SACKMAN, WELDON, E. 12TH, E. 13TH, E. 14TH, E. 17TH, E. 18TH, E. 19TH, E. 21ST, E. 22D, W. 23D, 21ST AND 79TH STREETS; IN KINGS HIGHWAY AND FANCHON PLACE.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be two hundred and fifty days.

The amount of security required is twenty thousand dollars.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in Section 420 of The Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner.

The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Department, No. 13-21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY, Commissioner, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 6, 1902.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 10, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by

property owners and residents of the Harlem, Washington Heights and Riverside Districts for Local Improvements, asking that ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET, from East river to Morningside Park, BE REPAVED WITH ASPHALT, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Boards of Local Improvements of Harlem, Washington Heights and Riverside Districts for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 17th day of March, 1902, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JACOB A. CANTOR, President. GEORGE W. BLAKE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 7, 1902.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 1811, at No. 21 Park Row, until 11 o'clock a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, FOR THE USE OF THE VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS, COURTS, ETC., IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, WITH FIVE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (5,500) GROSS TONS (2,240 LBS. TO A TON) OF BEST WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before March 1, 1903.

The amount of security required is five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The President reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President, of the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in Section 420 of The Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 1802, No. 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

JACOB A. CANTOR, Borough President. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 7, 1902.

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DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, No. 280 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING, January 9 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED by the Greater New York Charter, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, comprising The City of New York," will be open for examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open until the

1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1902.

During the time that the books are open to public inspection, application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate to have the same corrected.

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, No. 280 Broadway.

In the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building.

In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Richmond Building, New Brighton.

Corporations in all the boroughs must make applications only at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed at the office of the Department

in the borough where such person resides, and in the case of a non-resident carrying on business in The City of New York, at the office of the Department of the borough where such place of business is located, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturday, when all applications must be made between to A. M. and 12 noon.

JAMES L. WELLS, President; WILLIAM S. COGSWELL, GEORGE J. GILLESPIE, SAML. STRASBOURGER, RUFUS L. SCOTT, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments. j8,m31.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, February 28, 1902.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, WITH the title of the work and the name of the bidder or bidders indorsed thereon, the date of presentation and a statement of the work to which it relates will be received by the Park Board, at its offices, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, New York City, until 3 o'clock p. m. of

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TEN HORSES.

The time for the delivery of the Horses and the performance of the contract is fifteen days.

The amount of security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars.

The bidder will state the price for each truck horse and for each cart horse. The bids will be compared at a lump or aggregate sum. Contract will be awarded to one bidder.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Board reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if they deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and the hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared by the Park Board, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the Board, Arsenal, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan, or at the "Litchfield Mansion," Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX, RICHARD YOUNG, JOHN E. EUSTIS, Commissioners of Parks of The City of New York. j28,m13.

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1902.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1—FOR NEW TIN ROOFING AND COPPER SKYLIGHTS ON THE AQUARIUM, IN BATTERY PARK.

No. 2—FOR FURNISHING AND SETTING PLATE GLASS IN EXHIBITION CASES IN THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY.

No. 3—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER, ETC.

No. 4—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, ETC.

No. 5—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAINTS AND PAINTERS' MATERIALS.

No. 6—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PLUMBING MATERIALS.

No. 7—FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING IRON PIPE AND WIRE FENCES, GRASS SOD.

No. 9—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GARDEN MOULD.

The specifications for the above work and supplies may be seen at "Arsenal," Central Park, Manhattan.

The time for the performance of the work and the delivery of the supplies is as follows:

No. 1—Forty-five consecutive working days. No. 2—Thirty consecutive working days. No. 3—Thirty days. No. 4—Thirty days. No. 5—Thirty days. No. 6—Thirty days. No. 7—Sixty days. No. 8—As required during 1902. No. 9—As required during 1902.

The amounts of security required for each of the contracts is as follows: No. 1—\$2,000.

- No. 2—\$2,500. No. 3—\$2,000. No. 4—\$500. No. 5—\$500. No. 6—\$200. No. 8—\$3,000. No. 7—\$2,200. No. 9—\$1,000.

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

The contracts must be bid for separately, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Board reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if it deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as is required by the specifications.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Board, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Department for the Borough of Manhattan, Arsenal, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan, where the plans may be seen.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX, RICHARD YOUNG, JOHN E. EUSTIS, Park Board.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 1, 1902. m3,13

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CORNER 30 AVENUE AND 177TH STREET, GROTONA PARK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

MONDAY, MARCH 24, 1902.

for furnishing the following supplies:

- No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE, IN THE FOLLOWING QUANTITIES: 1,500 BUSHELS No. 1 WHITE CLIPPED OATS, 50,000 POUNDS No. 1 TIMOTHY HAY, 4,000 POUNDS No. 1 RYE STRAW, 500 POUNDS FRESH CLEAN, SWEET BRAN, 200 POUNDS No. 1 OIL MEAL.

To be delivered within five months from date of contract in quantities as required and directed to the Department Yards, as follows:

Department Yard, 143d street and College avenue, Department Yard, 175th street and Anthony avenue.

Department Yard, 177th street and Mt. Hope Place.

Department Yard, White Plains avenue, near Elizabeth street.

The amount of security required is \$700.00.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,500 CUBIC YARDS OF CLEAN STEAM BOILER ASHES, EAST OF THE BRONX RIVER.

To be delivered as directed, at such times and in such quantities as required within a radius of one and one-half (1 1/2) miles of the depot at which it is furnished, east of the Bronx river, prior to November 30, 1902.

The amount of security required is \$1,500.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The President reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the said President, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the said President and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person

son making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below. No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the office of the President. Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the contract clerk.

LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, March 11, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of STEWARD on Wednesday, March 26, 1902, at 10 a. m. The time for filing applications for this examination will expire on Tuesday, March 25, at 5 p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Arithmetic	1
Handwriting	1
Experience	2
Duties	6

Under the head of "Duties" candidates will be examined with reference to their knowledge of methods of caring for stores and other movable property.

Under the head of "Experience," due weight will be given to previous service in similar capacities.

Those passing will be eligible for appointment to vacancies arising in the city hospitals and other institutions, at salaries ranging from \$900 to \$1,300 per annum.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of TRANSITMAN AND COMPUTER on Monday, March 24, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said examination will expire on Friday, March 21, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Handwriting	1
Arithmetic	1
Technical knowledge	6
Experience	2

Candidates will be required to obtain at least 75 per cent. on the technical paper, otherwise the papers on arithmetic, experience and handwriting will not be considered. The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70.

Those passing the said examination will be eligible to appointment to vacancies as they arise at an annual salary of from \$1,200 to \$1,800.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of TOPOGRAPHICAL DRAUGHTSMAN, on Tuesday, March 25, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said examination will expire on Friday, March 21, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Handwriting	1
Arithmetic	1
Technical knowledge	6
Experience	2

Candidates will be required to obtain at least 75 per cent. on the technical paper, otherwise the papers on arithmetic, experience and handwriting will not be considered. The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of MARINE ENGINEER, on Tuesday, March 25, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said examination will expire on Friday, March 21, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Handwriting	1
Arithmetic	1
Technical knowledge	6
Experience	2

Candidates will be required to obtain at least 70 per cent. in the technical paper, otherwise the papers on arithmetic, experience and handwriting will not be considered. The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70.

Those passing this examination will be eligible to appointment to vacancies as they arise at annual salaries ranging from \$600 to \$1,200.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

No. 8—FOR FURNISHING AND LAYING MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 Broadway, New York, February 26, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of OIL COLLECTOR on Monday, March 17, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said position will expire on Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
General Paper on Duties	6
Arithmetic	2
Handwriting	1

The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70 per cent. Candidates should be familiar with the laws governing the storage of combustibles.

The salary attached to said position is \$1,000 and \$1,200 per annum.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of APOTHECARY on Thursday, March 20, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said position will expire on Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Technical knowledge	6
Experience	2
Arithmetic	1
Handwriting	1

Candidates will be required to obtain 75 per cent. on the technical paper or otherwise the papers on experience, arithmetic and handwriting will not be considered. The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70 per cent.

Candidates must hold certificates duly authorized by law to act as Apothecaries. The vacancies to be filled are in the Department of Correction, Department of Public Charities, and under the Board of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals. The minimum salary attached to said position is \$600 per annum.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 Broadway, New York, February 26, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of PURCHASING AGENT on Tuesday, March 18, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said position will expire on Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Technical knowledge	6
Experience	2
Arithmetic	1
Handwriting	1

Candidates will be required to obtain at least 75 per cent. on the technical paper, otherwise the papers on experience, arithmetic and handwriting will not be considered. The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70 per cent.

Candidates must have had experience and be experts in judging supplies as well as goods, and be well acquainted with dealers and manufacturers, and the first sources of supplies, in order to obtain the lowest possible prices; they should have a large acquaintance with men who are in touch with the fluctuation of the market and upon whom he can depend upon to obtain the lowest prices.

The vacancy to be filled is under the Board of Trustees in the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals. The salary attached to said position is \$1,800 per annum.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of TELEPHONE OPERATOR (male), on Wednesday, March 19, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The time for filing applications for said position will expire on Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
General paper on duties	6
Experience	2
Arithmetic	1
Handwriting	1

The minimum per cent. required to pass is 70 per cent. Candidates must be familiar with operating Telephone Switch Boards as used by the New York and the New York and New Jersey Telephone companies. This examination is restricted to men only.

The salary attached to said position is from \$380 to \$900 per annum.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 Broadway, New York, March 3, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for the position of Patrolman will be issued and received from and after the date of this notice.

The time for filing applications for said position will expire on Tuesday, April 1, 1902, at 5 p. m.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST 26TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Public Charities at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 1902.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GROCERIES, POULTRY, LUMBER, LOCOMOTIVE BOILERS, CARPETS, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, COMPRESSED YEAST, SURGICAL AND DENTAL INSTRUMENTS, ETC., AND FOR OTHER MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES; ALSO FOR SUPPLIES REQUIRED FOR THE EQUIPMENT OF THE CUMBERLAND STREET HOSPITAL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety (90) days.

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the

award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in Section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the Second Deputy Commissioner of Public Charities, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner of Public Charities.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 1, 1902.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Public Charities at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 1902.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR (a) REPAIRING ROOFS OF THE KINGS COUNTY ALMSHOUSES, AND (b) FOR REPAIRING ROOF OF THE KINGS COUNTY NURSERY BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be for job (a) thirty (30) working days, and for job (b) thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be on job (a) two thousand (\$2,000) dollars, and on job (b) six hundred (\$600) dollars.

No. 2. FOR ALTERATION AND REPAIRS TO THE TWENTY-SIXTH WARD EMERGENCY HOSPITAL AND FOR THE ERECTION OF A NEW STABLE FOR SAID HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is seventy-five (75) working days.

The amount of security required is four thousand (\$4,000) dollars.

No. 3. FOR THE TRANSPORTATION AND BURIAL OF PAUPER DEAD IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902.

The amount of security required is seven hundred and fifty (\$750) dollars.

The contracts must be bid for separately, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deem it to be for the interest of the city so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the

award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of 5 per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

tion Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the Second Deputy Commissioner of Public Charities, Nos. 126 and 128 Livingston street, Brooklyn. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the offices of the architects for job No. 1, Th. Engelhardt, No. 905 Broadway, Brooklyn, and for job No. 2, Louis H. Voss, No. 65 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner of Public Charities. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 1, 1902.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES. BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities, at the above office, until 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, MARCH 17, 1902.

No. 1. FOR EXTERMINATION OF RATS AND MICE IN INSTITUTIONS, AS MENTIONED IN SPECIFICATIONS.

No. 2. FOR EXTERMINATION OF ROACHES AND WATER BUGS IN INSTITUTIONS, AS MENTIONED IN SPECIFICATIONS.

The time for the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902.

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 contract contained in the specifications herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item or contract and awards made to the lowest bidder on each.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it to be for the interest of the city so to do.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Department.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 10, 1902.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at his office, Room 15, Municipal Building, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

21ST DAY, MARCH, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN THE FOLLOWING QUANTITIES TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS, AT THE HEAD OF GOWANUS CANAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, AS REQUIRED AND DIRECTED:

25,000 POUNDS NO. 1 TIMOTHY HAY; 16,000 POUNDS NO. 1 RYE STRAW; 800 BUSHELS NO. 2 WHITE CLIPPED OATS; 5,000 POUNDS FRESH, SWEET, CLEAN BRAN; 300 POUNDS ROCK SALT.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE IN THE FOLLOWING QUANTITIES:

34,000 POUNDS NO. 1 TIMOTHY HAY; 5,800 POUNDS NO. 1 RYE STRAW; 1,355 BUSHELS NO. 2 WHITE CLIPPED OATS; 3,900 POUNDS FRESH, SWEET, CLEAN BRAN; 1,000 POUNDS CORN; 227 POUNDS NO. 1 OIL MEAL; TO BE DELIVERED IN QUANTITIES AS REQUIRED AND DIRECTED TO THE SEWER DEPARTMENT YARDS, AS FOLLOWS: CAISSON NO. 2, CONEY ISLAND AND ALL NORTH PORTLAND AVENUE REPAIR YARD.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, 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, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The President reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of The Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 15, Municipal Building.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said President, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall.

J. EDWARD SWANSTRO, President. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 7, 1902.

money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in Section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The price must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the materials, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the specifications.

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids if he should deem it for the interest of the city to do so.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner. M11, 25.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 10, 1902.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioners at the above office of the Fire Department until 10 a. m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1902.

for furnishing and delivering the following-named supplies:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BRONX.

1. EIGHTY (80) HORSES, MORE OR LESS. BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

2. EIGHTY (80) HORSES, MORE OR LESS.

The horses are to conform in all respects to the specifications and are to be delivered in such numbers and at such times as may be directed or required by the Fire Commissioner.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall state the price per horse and the number they propose to furnish under the conditions of the contract.

The amount of the security required on each contract shall be fifty per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

Each of the above-named contracts must be bid for separately and the supplies called for therein furnished as per specifications furnished by the Fire Department.

All of the above-named supplies are to be furnished at such time or times as shall be directed or required by the Fire Commissioner to and including December 31, 1902.

The above quantities are estimated and approximated only; bidders are notified that the Commissioner reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities by an amount not exceeding twenty-five per cent. of the estimated quantities.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested directly or indirectly therein, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in, or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The price must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the materials, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the specifications.

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids if he should deem it for the interest of the city to do so.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

THOMAS STURGIS, Fire Commissioner. M11, 25.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899. OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ANDREW J. LALOR, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY Property Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD, Deputy Property Clerk.

OFFICE OF CITY RECORD.

PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING AND LITHOGRAPHING.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Mayor, at the City Hall, City Hall Park, in The City of New York,

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1902

at half-past 11 o'clock, FOR STATIONERY, PRINTING, LITHOGRAPHING AND BLANK BOOKS FOR DEPARTMENTS, COURTS AND BUREAUS OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT FOR SIX MONTHS, BEGINNING MARCH 1, 1902.

Delivery to be made as required by the Supervisor during 1902.

The time for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is as indicated above.

The amount of security shall be twenty-five (25) per cent. of the work bid on.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title "Bids for Stationery and Printing," with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the Supervisor of the City Record, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and in the office of the Mayor the estimates received will be publicly opened by the Board of City Record and read and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article per pound, dozen, thousand, quire, ream or other unit of measure given. The extension of each class or schedule must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total footing for each class.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or

TIONED AT PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is three thousand dollars.

FOR INSTALLING A NEW ELECTRIC GENERATOR AND ENGINE AND FOR REWIRING THE STEAMBOAT "PATROL," STATIONED AT PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars.

The contracts must be bid for separately, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the Central Department of Police, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN N. PARTRIDGE, Police Commissioner. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 8, 1902.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 27, 1902.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL

be received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office of the Department of Correction until 11 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1902.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A STAIRCASE, ETC., LEADING TO THE BRIDGE CONNECTING THE CITY PRISON WITH COURT-HOUSE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is Two Hundred and Twenty (220) Days.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner. The

The contracts must be bid for separately. The bids will be tested and the awards made to the lowest bidder on each item, or the award may be upon any class or schedule of goods at the option of the said Board of City Record.

Manuscript samples will be on exhibition at the office of the Comptroller or of the City Record, City Hall, City Hall Park, until the bids are opened.

All goods must be delivered at the office of the City Record as may be required by the Supervisor during the year 1902. The weight, measure, etc., will be allowed as received.

Bidders will write out the total amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The said Board reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if it deems it to be for the interest of the city so to do.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the Supervisor of the City Record.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications and the samples on file in the Finance Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board of City Record, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said City Record, where further information can be obtained.

SETTLE LOW (Mayor). GEORGE L. RIVIS (Corporation Counsel). EDWARD M. GROUT (Comptroller). Board of City Record.

Dated The City of New York, February 27, 1902.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL

be received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office of the Department of Correction until 11 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1902.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A STAIRCASE, ETC., LEADING TO THE BRIDGE CONNECTING THE CITY PRISON WITH COURT-HOUSE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is Two Hundred and Twenty (220) Days.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner. The

plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Architect, Walter Dickson, 54 Bible House, Eighth street, Borough of Manhattan. THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner. 120, m13

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, March 7, 1902.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED in a sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at the above office of the Department of Health until 11 o'clock,

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1902.

at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE HUNDRED (500) TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL, EGG SIZE, FOR THE WILLARD PARKER AND RECEPTION HOSPITALS, at the foot of East Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The amount of security required is One Thousand and Two Hundred (1,200) Dollars.

Delivery to be made at the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals, at the foot of East Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, at the time required by the Board of Health during the year 1902; any changes in the time or place of delivery, however, may be made in writing by the Board of Health.

The above quantity is estimated and approximated only, and bidders are notified that the Board of Health reserves the right to increase or diminish said quantities by an amount not exceeding twenty per cent. of the estimated quantities.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in sections 346 to 352 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department.

The estimate must be verified. Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. The Department reserves the right to reject all bids if it deems it for the best interests of the City so to do.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Health, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Secretary of the Department, fourth floor, corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.

ERNEST L. LEDERLE, President. ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D., JOHN N. PARTRIDGE, Board of Health.

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 avenue in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

MOTT AVENUE—OPENING, from Railroad avenue east to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street. Confirmed January 21, 1902; entered March 6, 1902. 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 Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the United States bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line to its intersection with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Exterior street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said southwesterly prolongation and parallel line to the westerly side of Exterior street; thence northeasterly on a straight line to the intersection of the easterly side of Exterior street with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Girard avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Morris avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and its prolongation southwardly to the northwesterly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the southeasterly side of Park avenue, formerly Railroad avenue, East, with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Morris avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence south-

westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date herein above given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon, as provided 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 one hundred and fifty-nine 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 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 May 5, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 6, 1902. m7,20.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

CAMELIA STREET—SEWER, from Crescent to Van Alst avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Camelia street, between Crescent avenue and Van Alst avenue.

LATHROP STREET—SEWER, from Jamaica to Grand avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Lathrop street, between Jamaica and Grand avenues; north side of Jamaica avenue, between Lathrop and Rapelje streets, and west side of Rapelje street, between Jamaica avenue and the street summit situated northerly therefrom.

SECOND WARD.

WOODWARD AVENUE—BASINS, at the northwest and southeast corners of Ralph street. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 1, 3 and 5 to 8, both inclusive, of Block No. 42; Lots numbered 1 and 5 of Block No. 43; Lots numbered 1, 3, 4, 19 to 31, both inclusive, and 33 of Block No. 57; Lots numbered 1, 5 to 15, both inclusive, 22, 23, 26 to 31, both inclusive, and 33 of Block No. 58; and Lots numbered 1, 7 to 14, both inclusive, and 16 to 21, both inclusive, of Block No. 60.

THIRD WARD.

FLUSHING PLACE—SEWER, from Chestnut street to a point situated southerly of State street up to and including Lot No. 14 of Block No. 21. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 11, 12, 14, 41, 45, 46, 47, 49, 50, 53, 54 and 55 of Block No. 21.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 28, 1902, and entered on March 1, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides 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 one hundred and fifty-nine 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, Blackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 29, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 3, 1902. m4,17

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:

TENTH WARD, SECTION 2.

CARROLL STREET—SEWER, between Gowanus Canal and Bond street; also, CARROLL STREET—BASIN, at the southwest corner of Denton place. Area of assessment: Both sides of Carroll street, between Bond street and Gowanus Canal and Lots numbered 1 and 28 of Block No. 455.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2.

CENTRE STREET—SEWER, between Henry and Hicks streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Centre street, between Henry and Hicks streets.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

OSBORN STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Blake and Livonia avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Osborn street, between Blake and Livonia avenues and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

WATKINS STREET—SEWER, from Hegevan avenue to the summit of Watkins street,

situated south of Livonia avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Watkins street, from Livonia avenue to New Lots avenue; north side of New Lots avenue, extending about 104 feet east of Watkins street; north side of New Lots avenue, extending about 137 feet west of Watkins street; both sides of Lott avenue, extending about 135 feet east of Watkins street; both sides of Lott avenue, extending about 69 feet west of Watkins street; both sides of Newport street, from Watkins street to Stone avenue; north side of Newport street, extending about 29 feet west of Watkins street; south side of Riverdale avenue, extending about 101 feet east of Watkins street; north side of Riverdale avenue, from Watkins street to Stone avenue; west side of Stone avenue, from Livonia avenue to Riverdale avenue.

THIRTIETH WARD.

SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET—SEWER, between Second and Third avenues; also, SECOND AVENUE—SEWER, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-ninth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Second avenue, from Seventy-fourth to Seventy-ninth street; both sides of Third avenue, from Seventy-fourth to Seventy-eighth street; both sides of Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets, from Second avenue to Third avenue; both sides of Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth streets, from Second avenue to Fourth avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 28, 1902, and entered on March 1, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides 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 one hundred and fifty-nine 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, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 29, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 3, 1902. m4,17

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF RICHMOND:

SECOND WARD.

TROSSACH ROAD—PAVING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from St. Paul's avenue to Ocean terrace. Area of assessment: Both sides of Trossach road, between St. Paul's avenue and Ocean terrace; also, Lots numbered 2, 28, 358 and 359 in Plot No. 8.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 28, 1902, and entered on March 1, 1902, 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 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 one hundred and fifty-nine 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, No. 372 Richmond Terrace, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 29, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 3, 1902. m4,17

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE ON MAY 1, 1902, ON the Registered Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 31, 1902, to May 1, 1902. The interest due on May 1, 1902, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on May 1, 1902, on Coupon Bonds of other Corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1902. m7,3,4,11.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE ON APRIL 1, 1902, ON the Registered Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building,

corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 15 to April 1, 1902.

The interest due on April 1, 1902, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on April 1, 1902, on coupon bonds of other corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1902. m7,3,4,11.

BRYAN L. KENNELLY, Auctioneer.

SALE OF LEASE OF CITY PROPERTY.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder of yearly rental, at his office in the Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1902,

at 12 o'clock m., a lease for the term of three years from the date of sale, of the buildings and premises belonging to the Corporation of The City of New York, described as follows, viz.:

The premises on the southeasterly corner of Amsterdam avenue and West One Hundred and Forty-second street, being 58 feet and 1/4 of an inch, on West One Hundred and Fifty-second street, by 68 feet and 3/4 of an inch along the westerly line of the old Croton Aqueduct, by 78 feet and 10 inches on Amsterdam avenue, together with the buildings thereon.

The minimum, or upset, price for which said lease shall be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at \$400 per annum, and the sale is made upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE:

The highest bidder will be required to pay the Auctioneer's fee, and twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rental bid at the time and place of sale.

The amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution. He will also be required to give a bond in double the amount of the annual rent bid, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarterly in advance, and for the performance and fulfillment of the covenants and terms of the lease.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is a delinquent on any former lease from the corporation, and no bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the corporation, as provided by law.

No alteration shall be made in any of the premises except with the consent of the Comptroller, and all alterations made are to be made at the expense of the lessee.

The lessee shall be required to make all repairs necessary to keep the premises in good tenable condition, including repairs to the roofs, at his own expense.

The lease will be in the usual form of leases of like property, a copy of which may be seen at the Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets, Department of Finance, Room 139, Stewart Building, corner Chambers street and Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The lease will contain, in addition to other terms, a covenant or condition reserving to the corporation the right to cancel the same whenever the premises may be required by it for public purposes, upon thirty days' notice.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid, if deemed to be for the best interest of the city.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1902. m7,1,19.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 1.

CHERRY STREET—FENCING, in front of street No. 106; also, MECHANIC'S ALLEY—FENCING, west side, from the corner of Cherry street to a point situated about 103 feet northerly therefrom. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 15 and 37 of Block No. 254.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 6.

EAST NINETY-NINTH STREET—REPAIRING SIDEWALKS, north side, between Second and First avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Ninety-ninth street, between First and Second avenues.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Amsterdam avenue to the Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenue and street.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.

WEST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING, north side, opposite street Nos. 229 to 239 inclusive. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 12 to 15, both inclusive, of Block No. 1159.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 7, 1902, and entered on March 8, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides 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 one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 84, 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 May 7, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

tum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 10, 1902. M11,24

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. TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; also, FIFTH AVENUE—FLAGGING, west side, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 37 to 40, both inclusive, of Block No. 658.

THIRTY-FIRST STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Third and Fourth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 11 of Block No. 676.

EIGHTEENTH WARD. KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE—FLAGGING, east side, between Grattan and Thames streets; also, THAMES STREET—FLAGGING, north side, between Knickerbocker and Porter avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 4, 5, 7, 8 and 31 to 36, both inclusive, of Block No. 207.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD. WALWORTH STREET—FLAGGING, west side, between Park and Myrtle avenues; also, PARK AVENUE—FLAGGING, south side, between Walworth and Spencer streets. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 5 to 9, both inclusive, of Block No. 89.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4. EIGHTH AVENUE—FENCING, west side, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets; also, FOURTEENTH STREET—FENCING, north side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Area of assessment: Lot No. 44 of Block No. 1100.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD. BROADWAY—FLAGGING, southwest side, between Macdonough and McDougall streets. Area of assessment: Lot No. 47 of Block No. 104.

HOPKINSON AVENUE—FENCING, west side, between Sumpter and Marion streets; also, SUMPTER STREET—FENCING, north side, between Hopkinson and Saratoga avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 10, 92 and 107 to 112, both inclusive, of Block No. 96.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD. FULTON STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Hale and Norwood avenues. Area of assessment: Lot Nos. 56, 57, 68 and 69 of Block No. 575.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD. EVERGREEN AVENUE—FLAGGING, southwest side, between Melrose and Noll streets. Area of assessment: Lot No. 76 of Block No. 29.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD. CORNELIA STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 34 of Block No. 123.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 7, 1902, and entered on March 8, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides 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 one hundred and fifty-nine 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, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 7, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 10, 1902. M11,24

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CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF Chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, January 3, 1900. WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, CHARLES A. JACKSON, OSCAR S. BAILEY, Commissioners. LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening HAWTHORNE STREET, from Nostrand avenue to Albany avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1902, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1902, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, 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 Kings, on the 30th day of March, 1902; 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, 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, in the office of the Law Department, Room 200, Borough Hall, 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 the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of April, 1902, 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 claimants 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 Brooklyn, The City of A. C. WHEELER, PETER MAHONY, JOSEPH MANNE, Commissioners. CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. M12,23.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening MONROE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Claremont Park to the Grand Concourse, and Concourse, as the same was heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 26th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 12, 1902. RIGNAL D. WOODWARD, WILLIAM G. VER PLANCK, WILLIAM J. CARROLL, Commissioners. JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. M12,22.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of The City of New York, for and on behalf 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 a PUBLIC PLACE or SQUARE lying southerly of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, bounded by East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Mott avenue and Railroad avenue, East, in the Twenty-third Ward, of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our supplemental and amended 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 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2nd day of April, 1902, at 4.30 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended 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 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of the Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, lying east of Mott avenue and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly apex of the Public Place at East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Park avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Mott avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence on a straight line to a point 100 feet north of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and midway between Walton and Mott avenues; thence easterly along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly line of Canal street west; thence southerly along said prolongation and line of Canal street west to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of that portion of Park avenue (Railroad avenue, East) lying west of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with aforesaid line parallel to that portion of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street lying east of Mott avenue; thence westerly along said parallel line 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 (on a broken red line) 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 18th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 10, 1902. FORDHAM MORRIS, Chairman; WILLIAM ARROWSMITH, WILLIAM GROSSMAN, Commissioners. JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. M11,22.

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 EXTERIOR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the northerly side of Cronwell's Creek to East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate 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 2d day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 4th day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 11th day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

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, the intersection of the United States Pier and Bulkhead line of the Harlem River and a line parallel to and 100 feet south of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly by said parallel line with East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to an intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet east of the easterly side of that portion of Mott avenue lying north of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence northerly by said prolongation and parallel line with Mott avenue to an intersection with a line midway between East One Hundred and Fiftieth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-third street on the westerly side of Walton avenue and parallel to the northerly side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street; thence westerly, by said parallel line with One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the centre of the block between Gerard avenue and River avenue; thence, northerly, by said centre line between Gerard avenue and River avenue, to an intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet north of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street; thence westerly, by said parallel line with East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and its westerly prolongation with a line parallel to and 100 feet north of the northerly side of Jerome avenue; thence westerly, along said parallel line with Jerome avenue to an intersection with the United States Pier and Bulkhead line of the Harlem River; thence southerly by said United States Pier and Bulkhead line to an intersection with a line parallel to, and 100 feet southerly from, the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 20th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 21st, 1902. JOHN A. GROW, Chairman; EUGENE S. WILLARD, SIDNEY J. COWEN, Commissioners. JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. M11,29.

the purpose of opening QUARRY ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Arthur avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 1st day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on the 4th day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs, and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 12th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and East One Hundred and Eightieth street with the easterly line of Park avenue East; running thence northerly along said easterly line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along said middle line to the middle line of the blocks between Bathgate avenue and Third avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block and its easterly prolongation to a point midway between Third avenue and Quarry road, measured in the direction of said middle line of the block; thence northerly along a line parallel to the easterly line of Third avenue to the southwesterly line of Belmont place; thence northeasterly to the intersection of the northeasterly line of Third avenue with the middle line of the blocks between Hoffman street and Arthur avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Hughes avenue and Belmont avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the northerly line of Crescent avenue; thence southwesterly to the intersection of the southerly line of Crescent avenue with the middle line of the blocks between Adams place and Hughes avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks and the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and Grote street to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly line of Cambreling avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and its southerly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of Grote street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line and its westerly prolongation to an intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Belmont avenue and Crotona avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Arthur avenue and Lafontaine avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; thence westerly along said middle line of the blocks to the middle line of the blocks between Third avenue and Bathgate avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and East One Hundred and Eightieth street; thence westerly along said middle line of the blocks to the point or place of beginning as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 20th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 21st, 1902. JOHN A. GROW, Chairman; EUGENE S. WILLARD, SIDNEY J. COWEN, Commissioners. JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. M11,29.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST FIFTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Eleventh avenue to established bulkhead line of the Hudson river, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate 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,

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

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 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of April, 1902, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 11th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of the middle line of the blocks between West Fifty-second street and West Fifty-third street with the bulkhead line of the Hudson river; running thence northerly along said bulkhead line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West Fifty-fourth street and West Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West Fifty-second street and West Fifty-third street; thence westerly along said middle line 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 6, 1902.

MICHAEL J. SCANTON, Chairman; PHINEAS LEVINSON, DAVID H. HENDERSON, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m11,29

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 LORILLARD PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Pelham avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of April, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on the 4th day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, 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 12th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along said parallel line to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence northerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Bathgate avenue and Lorillard place; thence northeasterly along said southerly prolongation and middle line to the middle line of the block between Third avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence northwesterly along said middle line and its prolongation northwesterly to the easterly side of Third avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Third avenue to the southwesterly side of Washington avenue; thence northwesterly along said southwesterly side of Washington avenue and said side prolonged northwesterly to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said northwesterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly prolongation of the northwesterly side of Arthur avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly prolongation and northwesterly side of Arthur avenue to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Belmont place; thence northwesterly along said middle line to the middle line of the block between Hoffman street and Lorillard place; thence southwesterly along said middle line to the easterly side of Belmont place near its junction with Third avenue; thence southerly on a straight line to the intersection of the westerly side of Belmont place with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 20, 1901.

SAMUEL SANDERS, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m11,29

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Board of Street Opening and Improvement of The City of New York for and on behalf 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Harlem river to a point 493.22 feet westerly of the west line of Alexander avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our supplemental and amended 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 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended 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 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of the United States pier and bulkhead line of the Harlem river with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to a line drawn parallel to Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line drawn

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 20th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 2, 1901.

JAMES A. ELY, Chairman; ORED H. SANDERSON, JOHN F. BOULLON, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m11,29

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Park avenue to Beaumont avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements, and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 4th day of April, 1902, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 12th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northwesterly line of Crotona avenue with the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; running thence northwesterly along the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to its intersection with the southeasterly side of Park avenue West; thence northeasterly along said line to its intersection with the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Crotona avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area, all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 20, 1901.

SAMUEL SANDERS, PETER F. MEYER, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m11,29

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Board of Street Opening and Improvement of The City of New York for and on behalf 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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Harlem river to a point 493.22 feet westerly of the west line of Alexander avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, 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 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of the United States pier and bulkhead line of the Harlem river with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to a line drawn parallel to Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line drawn

parallel to Park avenue or Railroad avenue, East, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to a point in said middle line, distant about 225 feet from the westerly side of Morris avenue; thence southerly along a straight line to a point in the northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and distant about 215.37 feet from the westerly side of Morris avenue; thence on a straight line, crossing East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, to the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street with the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Forty-third street; thence southeasterly along the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Forty-third street to a line drawn parallel to Alexander avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line drawn parallel to Alexander avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence easterly along said line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side thereof to the westerly side of Brook avenue to a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence westerly along said line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side thereof to a line drawn parallel to Alexander avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said line drawn parallel to Alexander avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof to the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard; thence westerly along the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard and said northerly side produced westerly to the westerly side of Third avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Third avenue to the United States pier and bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said United States pier and bulkhead line of the Harlem 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 7, 1902.

FORDHAM MORRIS, Chairman; WM. GROSSMAN, WM. ARROWSMITH, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m10,22

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 12th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of the block between Benson avenue and Bath avenue and the southeasterly side of Fourteenth avenue, and running thence northeasterly and along the southerly side of Fourteenth avenue to the center line of the block between Benson avenue and Eighty-sixth street; running thence southeasterly and along said center line of the block between Benson avenue and Eighty-sixth street to the northwesterly side of Fifteenth avenue; running thence southwesterly and along the northwesterly side of Fifteenth avenue to the center line of the block between Bath avenue and Benson avenue, and thence northwesterly along said center line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

WILLIAM A. MATHIS, Chairman; JOHN A. QUINARD, WILLIAM J. GRIFFIN, Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Avenue T to Avenue V, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Thirteenth avenue, which said point is the center line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, as said avenue and streets are laid down on the map of the town survey commission, and running thence easterly along said center line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, to the westerly line of Eighteenth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-second streets, as laid down on the aforesaid map; thence westerly along the said center line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-second streets, to the easterly line of Thirteenth avenue aforesaid, and thence southerly along said line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

CHARLES H. WINSLOW, Chairman; JAMES E. DAVIS, Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

for the purpose of opening EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, from Avenue T to Avenue V, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ANDREW J. PERRY, David Porter and William Herod were appointed, by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 26th day of February, 1902, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the 21st day of March, 1902, is appointed as the day when parties may be heard at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, and that at such time and place the persons named as Commissioners may be examined, under oath, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, Borough of Brooklyn, March 7, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel. m10,26

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT GEORGE F. ELLIOTT, Robert S. Cortelyou and Harry A. Terrel were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 26th day of February, 1902, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the 21st day of March, 1902, is appointed as the day when parties may be heard at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, and that at such time and place the persons named as Commissioners may be examined, under oath, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, Borough of Brooklyn, March 7, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel. m10,26

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT HENRY M. DATER, Franklin B. Van Wart and Hugh Moore were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 5th day of March, 1902, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the 21st day of March, 1902, is appointed as the day when parties may be heard at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, and that at such time and place the persons named as Commissioners may be examined, under oath, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, Borough of Brooklyn, March 7, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel. m10,26

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Thirteenth avenue to Eighteenth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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 in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Thirteenth avenue, which said point is the center line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, as said avenue and streets are laid down on the map of the town survey commission, and running thence easterly along said center line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, to the westerly line of Eighteenth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-second streets, as laid down on the aforesaid map; thence westerly along the said center line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-second streets, to the easterly line of Thirteenth avenue aforesaid, and thence southerly along said line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

CHARLES H. WINSLOW, Chairman; JAMES E. DAVIS, Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETY-FIRST STREET, from First avenue to Fifth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Horatio C. King, Frank A. Slocum and Abram C. Degraw were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 26th day of February, 1902, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is also given that the 21st day of March, 1902, is appointed as the day when parties may be heard at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, and that at such time and place the persons named as Commissioners may be examined, under oath, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, Borough of Brooklyn, March 7, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES,
Corporation Counsel.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SIXTY-FIRST STREET, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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 objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Sixth avenue, which said point is the centre line of the block between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets, as said avenue and streets are laid down on the map of the town survey commission, and running thence easterly along said centre line of the block to the westerly line of Seventh avenue, as laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence southerly along said westerly line of Seventh avenue to the centre line of the block between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, as laid down on the aforesaid map; thence westerly along said centre line of the block between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, to the easterly line of Sixth avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along the easterly line of Sixth avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

LIVINGSTON BEEKMAN, Chairman.
JOHN LYNCH,
FRANK HART,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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 objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn 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 centre line of the block between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets with the

westerly line of Seventh avenue, as said street and avenue are laid down on the map of the town survey commission, and running thence westerly along the said centre line of the block between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets to the easterly line of Sixth avenue; thence southerly along said last-mentioned line to a point which would be the centre line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets; thence easterly along said centre line of the block between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets to the westerly line of Seventh avenue aforesaid, and thence northerly along said last-mentioned line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

JOSE E. PIDGEON, Chairman.
MATTHEW J. MURPHY,
JAMES MULCAHY,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening TENTH AVENUE, from Twentieth street to Fifteenth street, in the Twenty-second Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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 objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Fifteenth street, which point is distant 347.87 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Fifteenth street with the westerly line of Tenth avenue, as said avenue and street are laid down on the Commissioners' map of the City of Brooklyn, which said point is the centre line of the block between Tenth avenue and Prospect Park West, formerly Ninth avenue, and running southerly along said centre line of the block to the southerly line of Prospect avenue, at a point 350 feet westerly from the westerly side of Tenth avenue, which point is the centre line of the block between Ninth avenue and Tenth avenue, and running thence southerly along said centre line to the northerly side of Twentieth street, at a point 350 feet west of the westerly side of Tenth avenue, thence easterly along the northerly side of Twentieth street to a point 350 feet easterly from the north-east corner of Tenth avenue and Twentieth street; running thence northerly along the centre line of the block between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, to a point 349.79 feet easterly from the north-easterly corner of Tenth and Prospect avenues, and which point is the centre of the block between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, and running thence again northerly along the centre line of said block to the southerly line of Fifteenth street, at a point distant 347.87 feet easterly from Tenth avenue, and thence westerly along the southerly side of Fifteenth street, to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

JOHN A. CLARRY, Chairman.
E. V. PARLESSUS,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening GARDEN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Grote street to the Southern Boulevard, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn 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 centre line of the block between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets with the

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 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 11.30 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Southern Boulevard with the southeasterly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Garden Street; running thence northwesterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Crotona Avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second Street; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Belmont Avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third Street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crotona Avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Grote Street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Southern Boulevard; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part II., to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 13th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 17, 1902.

THEODORE E. SMITH, Chairman.
CHARLES GERLICH,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to all SPENCER PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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 objection 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 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth Street with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Spencer Place; running thence northerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street and East One Hundred and Fiftieth Street; thence westerly along the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street and East One Hundred and Fiftieth Street to the easterly line of Mott Avenue; thence northerly, northeasterly and easterly, along the easterly line of Mott Avenue and the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fiftieth Street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Spencer Place; thence southerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the westerly line of the N. Y. & H. R. R. property; thence southerly along said property line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth Street; thence westerly by said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 15, 1902.

SAMUEL H. ORDWAY, Chairman.
JOHN W. STOCKER,
LEWIS H. FREDMAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to MACY PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Hewitt place, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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 objection 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 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 23, 1902.

JOHN F. O'RYAN, Chairman.
CORNELIUS J. EARLEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ADAMS PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority) from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to Crescent avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

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 25th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 8, 1902.

EDWARD BROWNE,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening GRAND AVENUE, (although not yet named by proper authority), from Fordham road to Kingsbridge road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection 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 29th day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of April, 1902, at 1 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 9th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Fordham road and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Grand avenue, running thence northeasterly along the said last mentioned parallel line and its north-easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Reservoir avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line and easterly along a line drawn parallel to the northerly line of Kingsbridge road and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom to its intersection with the northeasterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southeasterly line of Grand avenue; thence southwesterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Fordham road, thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 15, 1902.

SAMUEL H. ORDWAY, Chairman.
JOHN W. STOCKER,
LEWIS H. FREDMAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to MACY PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Hewitt place, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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 objection 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 31st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the centre line of the block between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets with the

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 29th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 31st day of March, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 9th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:—

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Dawson street with the easterly line of Union avenue; running thence northerly along said line of Union avenue to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Westchester avenue; thence northeasterly along said line of Westchester avenue to its intersection with the westerly line of Prospect avenue; thence easterly to the intersection of the easterly line of Prospect avenue with the southeasterly line of Longwood avenue; thence southeasterly along said line of Longwood avenue to the northerly line of Dawson street; thence westerly along said line of Dawson street to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, excepting from said area, all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 16, 1902.

DANIEL J. EARLY, Chairman.
THOMAS S. SANDFORD,
NATHANIEL LEVY,
Commissioners.
m8,26.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS OF Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:—

First—That we have completed our estimate 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 29th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 31st day of March, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 9th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:—

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Freeman street, with the northerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Lyman place and Chisholm street; running thence southerly along said prolongation and middle line and its southerly prolongation to its intersection with the northerly line of Home street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Home street to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to Lyman place through a point equally distant from the westerly line of Lyman place and the northerly corner of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said prolongation and parallel line and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Freeman street; thence easterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 17th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 27, 1902.

MARTIN WALLACE, Chairman.
T. J. O'CONNELL,
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
Commissioners.
m8,26.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of LYMAN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Stebbins avenue to Freeman street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS OF Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:—

First—That we have completed our estimate 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 29th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 31st day of March, 1902, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 9th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:—

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Freeman street, with the northerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Lyman place and Chisholm street; running thence southerly along said prolongation and middle line and its southerly prolongation to its intersection with the northerly line of Home street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Home street to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to Lyman place through a point equally distant from the westerly line of Lyman place and the northerly corner of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said prolongation and parallel line and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Freeman street; thence easterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 17th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 27, 1902.

MARTIN WALLACE, Chairman.
T. J. O'CONNELL,
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
Commissioners.
m8,26.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired), to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET (Andrew's Place), (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Croton Aqueduct to Jerome avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward, of The City of New York.

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 24th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 7, 1902.

CLIFFORD W. HARTTRIDGE,
HERMAN ALSBERG,
PETER F. MEYER,
Commissioners.
m7,18.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from St. Ann's avenue to East One Hundred and Thirty-first street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward, of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE 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 24th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 7, 1902.

WINTHROP PARKER,
THOMAS F. WOODS,
J. D. ROMAN BALDWIN,
Commissioners.
m7,18.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkhead on the East River between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 26th day of February, 1902, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 27th day of February, 1902, Arthur F. Bowers was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Joseph Blumenthal, deceased.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid order and the statute in such case made and provided, the said Arthur F. Bowers will attend at a Special Term of said court, to be held in Part II thereof, at the County Court House in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of 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 his qualifications to act as Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated, March 5, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tyron Row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City m7-18

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 PUBLIC PARK, (although not yet named by proper authority), lying between Spuyten Duyvil road and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, extending from a point opposite Johnson avenue to about 650 feet in a southerly direction in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS OF Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:—

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 27th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 31st day of March, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 7th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:—

Beginning at the point of intersection of the United States Pier and Bulkhead Line of the Harlem River with a line drawn at right angles to the southeasterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road through a point distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom and 100 feet southerly from the southerly property line of the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Branch of the N. Y. C. and H. R. R.; thence northwesterly along said right-angled line to the point above described distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road; thence southwesterly, westerly and northerly along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly, southerly and westerly from the southeasterly, southerly and westerly lines of Spuyten Duyvil road to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of an unnamed street running from Johnson avenue to Spuyten Duyvil road near the first railroad crossing of the Spuyten Duyvil road eastward from Spuyten Duyvil Station; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line and the easterly prolongation thereof to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Kappock street; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the northwesterly line of Kappock street through a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Johnson avenue with

the southeasterly line of Kappock street; thence easterly along said right-angled line to said point of intersection; thence northeasterly along the northwesterly line of Johnson avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Kappock street; thence northeasterly along said parallel line and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Netherland avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street; thence southeasterly along said middle line and its southeasterly prolongation to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Riverdale avenue; thence southeasterly to the intersection of the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northwesterly line of West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Corlear street; thence southwesterly along said line to its intersection with the northerly United States Pier and Bulkhead line of Spuyten Duyvil Creek; thence westerly and bulkhead line of the Harlem River first mentioned to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 17th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 11, 1902.

JOHN J. QUINLAN, Chairman.
W. GARROW FISHER,
DANIEL F. McCANN,
Commissioners.
m10, 27

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, upon the written request of the Department of Public Parks of the said City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, to acquire title to certain lands, property rights, terms, easements and privileges necessary to be acquired pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 102 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An Act to lay out, establish and regulate a public driveway 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 26th day of February, 1902, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 5th day of March, 1902, William D. Leonard was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Henry Hughes, deceased.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid order and the statute in such case made and provided the said William D. Leonard will attend at a Special Term of said Court to be held in Part II thereof at the County Court House in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of 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 his qualifications to act as a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated, New York, March 5, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tyron Row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City m7-18

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Marion avenue, and also to STEVENS PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-Seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first-class streets or roads, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS OF Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:—

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 27th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 31st day of March 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 8th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:—

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom with the easterly side of Jerome avenue; running thence northerly along said easterly side of Jerome avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Fordham road and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Creston avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the southerly side of Fordham road; thence easterly along the southerly side of Fordham road

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUN-

to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line and its prolongation easterly to the westerly side of Park avenue (formerly Vanderbilt avenue, West); thence southerly along said westerly side of Park avenue (formerly Vanderbilt avenue, West) to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to that part of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street lying easterly from Webster avenue, from the middle point of a line parallel to Marion avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom, said point being equally distant from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and from the intersection of said line parallel to Marion avenue prolonged southwardly with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said line parallel to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to its intersection with the aforesaid line drawn parallel to Marion avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and its prolongation southwardly to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line to the point or place 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 14th day of April 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 24, 1902.

CLIFFORD W. HARTRIDGE,
DANIEL F. SHEEHAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m5,24.

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 RITLER PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Union avenue to Prospect avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 5, 1902.

THOMAS F. BYRNE,
THOMAS F. SCHWARTZ,
THEODORE E. SMITH,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m5,15.

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 BELMONT PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Arthur avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 5, 1902.

CHARLES W. GOULD,
THOS. J. MILLER,
FLOYD M. LORD,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m5,15.

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 CROMWELL AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Inwood avenue to Macomb's Dam road (or Highwood avenue), as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York.

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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 5, 1902.

JOSEPH KAUFMANN,
HENRY O'DONNELL,
FREDERICK E. HAIGHT,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m5,15.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Brook avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 5, 1902.

SIDNEY J. COWEN,
MICHAEL SEXTON,
M. SHOENFELD,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m5,15.

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 GROTE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to Southern Boulevard, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 26th day of March, 1902, at 8 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 4th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of the Southern boulevard and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, lying between Southern boulevard and Crotona avenue; running thence northwesterly along said prolongation and parallel line to the middle line of the block between Clinton avenue and Crotona avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence northwesterly along said middle line of the block to the middle line of the block between Belmont avenue and Hughes avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line and its prolongation northwesterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Quarry road and Arthur avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and parallel line to the middle line of the blocks between Belmont avenue and Hughes avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation southeasterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of the Southern boulevard and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened as such area, is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 5, 1902.

FRANK D. ARTHUR, Chairman;
THEODORE E. SMITH,
HENRY H. SHERMAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m4,21.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, formerly Grand avenue (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to the Bronx river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of March, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 1st day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point lying in the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and distant 2,000 feet southerly therefrom, said point being 2,450 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue; running thence northerly along a line at right angles to said prolongation to the easterly property line of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, Putnam Division; thence northerly along said property line to the northern boundary of The City of New York; thence easterly along said northern boundary to the west bank of the Bronx river; thence southerly along the west bank of the Bronx river to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and distant 2,000 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said line and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 23, 1901.

JOHN J. QUINLAN,
HENRY L. BRIDGES,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m1,19.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris avenue to Claremont Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 1st day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street with the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; running thence northerly along the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Belmont street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Teller avenue and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line of the blocks to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and

roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 26, 1901.

RUFUS B. COWING, Jr., Chairman;
WILLIAM J. CARROLL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m1,19.

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 RYER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Burnside avenue to East 187th street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 19th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 31st day of March, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Tremont avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Anthony avenue, running thence northerly along said parallel line to the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence, still northerly, to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse at a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence, continuing northerly, along said last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Valentine avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to the northwesterly line of Webster avenue; thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of Webster avenue to the junction of Valentine avenue and Webster avenue; thence westerly to its intersection with the northerly line of Tremont avenue; thence, still westerly, along the northerly line of Tremont avenue to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our Benefit Maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 30th, 1901.

JAMES W. HAWES, Chairman;
ANDREW S. HAMMERLEY, Jr.,
JAMES O. FARRELL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. f27,m17

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 ANTHONY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Clay avenue to Burnside avenue and Burnside avenue to the Concourse, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, 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 24th day of March, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New

York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Clay avenue distant 762 feet southerly from the southerly line of Belmont street; running thence westerly and at right angles to Clay avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Clay avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line and the middle line of the blocks between Topping avenue and Clay avenue and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; thence northerly on a straight line to the point of intersection of the northerly line of Bush street with the southeasterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence easterly along the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to a point midway between Ryer avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southwesterly and parallel to Ryer avenue to a point 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly at right angles to the said last mentioned parallel line to the westerly line of Ryer avenue; thence southerly, southeasterly and southwesterly along the westerly, southwesterly and northwesterly line of Ryer avenue, Tremont avenue and Carter avenue, to a point midway between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; thence easterly at right angles to Carter avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Carter avenue and Webster avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block between Carter avenue and Webster avenue to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street; thence southwesterly to the point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street with the middle line of the block between Webster avenue and Anthony avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line of the block between Webster avenue and Anthony avenue and the middle line of the block between Webster avenue and Clay avenue to the junction of Clay avenue and Webster avenue; thence southwesterly on a straight line to the point, or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 30, 1901.

JOHN DE WITT WARNER, Chairman;

WM. J. BROWNE, JOHN H. SPELLMAN, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DURN, Clerk. f21, m12

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Avenue M to Avenue K., in the Thirty-second Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, 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 Kings, on the 30th day of March, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, 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 the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of March, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 13, 1902.

FRANK E. O'REILLY, EDWIN A. ROCKWELL, JOHN WATSON, Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f21, m17

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET, from Second avenue to Seventh avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th day of November, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of November, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, 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 Kings, on the 5th day of November, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, 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 the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of March, 1902, at four 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 Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 13, 1902.

ALFRED F. BRITTON, FRANK G. MILLER, THOMAS C. WHITLOCK, Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f20, m15

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening HUBBARD PLACE, from East Fortieth street to Flatbush avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th day of November, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of November, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, 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 Kings, on the 5th day of November, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, 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 the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 20th day of March, 1902, at three 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 Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 13, 1902.

ALBERT M. FRAGNER, EDWIN A. ROCKWELL, JAMES G. TIGHE, Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f20, m15

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PILLING STREET from Evergreen avenue to tracks of Manhattan Railroad Company, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th day of May, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of May, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, 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 Kings, on the 5th day of May, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, 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 the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of March, 1902, at three 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 Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 13, 1902.

WILLIAM H. GOOD, EDWIN A. ROCKWELL, JOSEPH E. OWENS, Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f19, m14

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ROCHESTER AVENUE, from East New York avenue to former City Line, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, 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 Kings, on the 30th day of March, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, 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 the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of March, 1902, 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 Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 13, 1902.

JAMES GRAHAM, GEORGE M. JANVRIN, CHARLES D. PEARSON, Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f19, m14

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening TERRACE PLACE, from Gravesend avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order

of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 22d day of June, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 22d day of June, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, 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 Kings, on the 22d day of June, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, 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 the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of March, 1902, at two 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 Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 13, 1902.

WILLIAM A. MATHIS, SOLON BARBANELL, ARTHUR BECKWITH, Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f17, m12

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PROSPECT AVENUE, from Eleventh avenue to Terrace place, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 22d day of June, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 22d day of June, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, 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 Kings, on the 22d day of June, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, 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 the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of March, 1902, at three o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons 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 Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 13, 1902.

JOHN B. SHANAHAN, FREDERICK CUZNER, JAMES J. DEVERE, Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f17, m12

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EIGHTH STREET, from Fourteenth avenue to Eighth street avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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 objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Fourteenth avenue, which said point is the centre line of the block between Eighth and Eighty-first streets; running thence easterly along said centre line of the block between Eighth and Eighty-first streets to the westerly line of Eighteenth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Eighteenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets; thence westerly along said centre line of the block to the easterly line of Fourteenth avenue, as said streets and avenues are laid down on the map of the town survey commissioners, and thence southerly along said line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

ROBERT O'BYRNE, Chairman; WM. G. MORRISSEY, WALDO BULLARD, Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening FIFTEENTH AVENUE, from Forty-second street to West street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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 objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Forty-second street, which said point is the centre line of the block between Fifteenth and Sixteenth avenues, as said streets and avenues are laid down on the map of the town survey commissioners; running thence northerly along said centre line, and parallel with Fifteenth avenue, to the westerly side of West street; thence northerly along said last-mentioned line to the southerly line of Thirty-fifth street; thence westerly along said line 180 feet, more or less, to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn at right angles with Thirty-sixth street and equidistant between Fourteenth and Fifteenth avenues; thence southerly along said line and a line in continuation thereof to the northerly line of Forty-second street aforesaid, and running thence easterly along Forty-second street, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Avenue C and the easterly line of West street, as said streets are laid down on the aforesaid map, and running thence easterly along said Avenue C to the centre line of the block between West street and Gravesend avenue; thence southerly along said centre line aforesaid 300 feet to a point; thence westerly on a line at right angles with West street to the easterly line of West street aforesaid, and thence northerly along said line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

OLIVER E. STANTON, SEWARD SHANAHAN, JOHN R. FARRAR, Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from Church avenue to Avenue C, in the Twenty-ninth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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 objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, on or before the 31st day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of the City of New York in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

On the east by the centre line of the block between East Thirty-second street and New York avenue; on the south by the southerly side of Avenue C; on the west by the centre line of the block between East Thirty-first and East Thirty-second streets, and on the north by the northerly side of Church avenue, excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such streets are shown on the benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 19th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 21, 1902.

THOMAS F. SMITH, Chairman; JOHN W. CARPENTER, SEWARD SHANAHAN, Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. m10,27.

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 MERRIAM AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Ogden avenue to Aveduct avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, 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 25th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 8, 1902.

WILLIAM H. HURST, THOMAS P. FITZSIMONS, C. W. WEST, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m8,19.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to the United States bulkhead line of the Harlem River, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 13th day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of March, 1902, at 3.30 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 24th day of March, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Depot place with the United States pierhead and bulkhead line of the Harlem River; running thence, northerly, along said pierhead and bulkhead line to the northerly line of Washington Bridge; thence easterly along the northerly line of Undercliff Bridge to the northwesterly line of Undercliff avenue; thence southerly along the northwesterly line of Undercliff avenue and its southwesterly prolongation to the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence southerly and southwesterly along the westerly and northwesterly line of Depot place to the northerly line of Depot place; thence westerly along the northerly line of Depot place to the point, or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our Benefit Maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 13, 1902.

DANIEL O'CONNELL, Chairman; J. RHINELANDER DILLON, SAM'L A. FIRETAG, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. f21,m12.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Walton avenue to Exterior street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE 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 25th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 8, 1902.

JOHN DEWITT WARNER, WILLIAM H. BARKER, EDWIN A. WATSON, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m8,19.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of 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 LANE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Mott avenue and Walton avenue, and from East One Hundred and Fifth street to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate 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 objection thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 13th day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 24th day of March, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Walton avenue, 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifth street; running thence northerly along the easterly line of Walton avenue to lands of Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad; thence southerly along said railroad to its intersection with a line drawn parallel and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Mott avenue; thence southerly along said last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifth street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such 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 6th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 17, 1902.

JOHN A. DUNN, Chairman; HORATIO A. HARRIS, PAUL HALPIN, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. f21,m12.

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 CRESCENT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Arthur avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection 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 24th day of March, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of March, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 31 day of April, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly line of the Southern boulevard with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; running thence westerly along said middle line of the block and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Crotona avenue and Prospect avenue; thence southerly to the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence westerly to the middle line of the block between Crotona avenue and Prospect avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Cambreling avenue and Beaumont avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Hughes avenue and Belmont avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence westerly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Adams place and Hughes avenue; thence southerly to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence southwesterly to the point of intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street with the middle line of the blocks between Arthur avenue and Hughes avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of that portion of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Oak Tree place, lying between Arthur avenue and Lafontaine avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the block and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Quarry road; thence southwesterly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Lafontaine avenue and Monterey avenue; thence southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly along said last mentioned parallel line and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Quarry road to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence westerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Belmont place to the southeasterly line of the block between Third avenue and the point of intersection of the northwesterly line of Third avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence westerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of that portion of Third avenue lying between East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence northerly along said parallel line and its northerly prolongation to the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northwesterly to the point of intersection of the southeasterly line of Lorillard place with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northerly line of Third avenue; thence southeasterly to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Lorillard place and Hoffman street; thence northerly to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Belmont place and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, lying between Arthur avenue and Hoffman street, said line being parallel with East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence easterly to its intersection with the middle of the blocks between Arthur avenue and Hoffman street; thence northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence easterly to the middle line of the blocks between Cambreling avenue and Belmont avenue; thence northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and

Eighty-ninth street; thence easterly to its intersection with the prolongation of the middle line of the block between Cambreling avenue and Beaumont avenue; thence northerly to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line to the westerly line of the Southern Boulevard; thence southerly to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened as such area, is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 6, 1901.

ARTHUR INGRAHAM,
PETER F. MEYER,
Commissioners.
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JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ST. PAUL'S PLACE, (although not yet named by proper authority), from Webster avenue to Fulton avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

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 Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 8, 1902.

SELIGMAN MANHEIMER,
JOHN F. BOULLON,
THOS. J. MILLER,
Commissioners.
m8,19.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NINETEENTH STREET, from Vanderbilt street to Old City Line, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, 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 application for the said order (heretofore attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 30th day of March, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled 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, 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, in the Office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, 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 the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of March, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant, or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, February 13, 1902.

FRANK REYNOLDS,
LAWRENCE J. CUNNINGHAM,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to SULLIVAN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from West Third street to West Fourth street, in the Fifteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate 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 22d day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 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, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 31st day of March, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Washington Square West with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Washington Square South; running thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the westerly line of Thompson street; thence southerly along said prolongation and westerly line of Thompson street to its intersection with the middle line of the block between West Third street and Bleeker street; thence westerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Sullivan street and Thompson street; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with the northerly line of Canal street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Canal street to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Macdougall street and Sullivan street; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Bleeker street and West Third street; thence westerly along said middle line to its intersection with the easterly line of Macdougall street; thence northerly along said line of Macdougall street 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 27, 1902.

EDGAR M. LEVENTRITT, Chairman;
JOSEPH L. BOYLE,
CHARLES E. F. McCANN,
Commissioners.
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JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening HOFFMAN STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Belmont place to East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 17th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 19th day of March, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings 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 28th day of March, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the southwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Lorillard place and Bathgate avenue, with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; running thence northeasterly along said prolongation and middle line and its northeasterly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, and distant 150 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Arthur avenue and Hughes avenue; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and middle line to the northerly line of Crescent avenue; thence westerly along said line of Crescent avenue and its westerly prolongation to an intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly line of Arthur avenue and distant 150 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly and northwesterly along said line and a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly line of Belmont place and distant 150 feet southwesterly therefrom to the southeasterly line of Third avenue; thence northwesterly to the intersection of the northwesterly line of Third avenue with the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence northwesterly along said northeasterly line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the

Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented 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 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 27, 1901.

DAVID THOMSON, Chairman;
HERMAN ALSBERG,
Commissioners.
f25,m14.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments or premises required for the purposes of an Act, entitled "An Act to provide for the extension of Broadway, or Kingsbridge road, from its present terminus in the Twelfth Ward, of The City of New York, across the Harlem River at its junction with Spuyten Duyvil Creek to the present terminus of Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York," being Chapter 399 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by Chapter 86 of the Laws of 1897.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands, affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate of damage and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 13th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 24th day of March, 1902.

Third.—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 22d day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, February 3, 1902.

JOHN QUINN, Chairman;
ISAAC H. TERRELL,
EDWARD R. SULLIVAN,
Commissioners.
f21,m12.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands, affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate of assessment for benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 13th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of March, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said 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, of the Law Department, of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 24th day of March, 1902.

Third.—That pursuant to the notice heretofore given when we filed our estimate of damage, the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street lying between Inwood avenue and Jerome avenue, with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of McComb's road and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; running thence northerly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Cromwell avenue; thence northeasterly along said southeasterly side of Cromwell avenue to the southwesterly side of McComb's road (said southwesterly side of McComb's road being the line connecting said southeasterly side of Cromwell avenue with the westerly side of McComb's road); thence southeasterly along said southwesterly side of McComb's road to the westerly side of McComb's road; thence easterly to the intersection of the easterly side of McComb's road with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street lying between Inwood avenue and Jerome avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 510 feet northeasterly from the north-

easterly side of that part of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street extending southeasterly from Jerome avenue; thence southeasterly along said northwesterly prolongation and parallel line and its prolongation southeasterly to the easterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence easterly on a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-second street to the westerly side of Teller avenue; thence southerly along said westerly side of Teller avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street extending from Teller avenue to Morris avenue; thence easterly along said parallel line and its prolongation eastwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Teller avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street extending from Teller avenue to Morris avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line to the middle line of the block between College avenue and Morris avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Jerome avenue; thence westerly to the intersection of the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue with the easterly side of McComb's road; thence northerly along said easterly side of McComb's road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street extending from Teller avenue to Morris avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line to the middle line of the block between College avenue and Morris avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Jerome avenue; thence westerly to the intersection of the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue with the easterly side of McComb's road; thence northerly along said easterly side of McComb's road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street extending from Teller avenue to Morris avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line to the middle line of the block between College avenue and Morris avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Jerome avenue; thence westerly to the intersection of the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue with the easterly side of McComb's road; thence northerly along said easterly side of McComb's road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 510 feet northeasterly from the north-

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, January 7, 1902.

HORACE BARNARD, JR., Chairman;
JAMES A. HOOPER,
JAMES R. ELY,
Commissioners.
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JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Locust avenue to the East River, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate of assessment for benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 13th day of March, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said assessment, together with our benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, 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 24th day of March, 1902.

Third.—That pursuant to the notice heretofore given when we filed our estimate of damage, the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Lincoln avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street; running thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of Lincoln avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Southern Boulevard and East One Hundred and Thirty-second street; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the block and its southeasterly prolongation to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Willow avenue; thence northeasterly along said southeasterly line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly United States bulkhead line of the East River; thence along the United States bulkhead line of the East River and Bronx Kills to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Willow avenue; thence northeasterly along said line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our last partial and separate report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 4, 1902.

JOHN E. BRODSKY, Chairman;
MOSES IRA MENDEL,
JNO. H. JUDGE,
Commissioners.
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JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.