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## THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

### STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, May 7, 1907, 11 o'clock a. m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

In the temporary absence of the President, the Vice-Chairman took the chair.

Present:

Hon. Patrick F. McGowan, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

Elias Goodman, Vice-Chairman;	Herman S. Fried,	Michael J. Monahan,
Charles Ahner,	Max S. Grifenhagen,	William E. Morris,
Jacob Bartscherer,	John D. Gunther,	Thomas J. Mulligan,
B. W. B. Brown,	John J. Haggerty,	Arthur H. Murphy,
James E. Bunting,	Charles Hahn,	Cornelius D. Noonan,
John J. Callahan,	John J. Hahn,	George W. Olvany,
Charles P. Cole,	John Hann,	Francis J. O'Neill,
John J. Collins,	Philip Harnischfeger,	Henry Clay Peters,
John J. Cronin,	Casper Herold,	Lewis M. Potter,
John R. Davies,	Patrick Higgins,	John J. Reardon,
John Diemer,	Patrick S. Keely,	James W. Redmond,
Thomas D. Dinwoodie,	William P. Kenneally,	David S. Rendt,
Frank J. Dotzler,	Ardolph L. Kline,	Frederick Richter,
Reginald S. Doull,	Joseph Krulish,	Joseph Schloss,
Frank L. Dowling,	Charles L. Kuck,	James J. Smith,
Robert F. Downine,	Charles Kuntze,	Michael Stapleton,
Andrew J. Doyle,	James Lawlor,	Frank D. Sturges,
Joseph F. Ellery,	Harry L. Leverett,	Timothy P. Sullivan,
George Everson,	Max S. Levine,	Joseph M. Torpey,
Joseph Falk,	Frederick Linde,	Moses J. Wafer,
John J. Farrell,	George Markert,	William Wentz,
Clarence R. Freeman,	James Cowden Meyers,	Richard Wright,
	Thomas J. Moffitt,	

George Cromwell, President Borough of Richmond.  
Joseph Bermel, President Borough of Queens, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works.

Louis F. Haffen, President Borough of The Bronx.

Bird S. Coler, President Borough of Brooklyn.

John F. Ahearn, President Borough of Manhattan.

The President announced that Alderman Rowcroft had been excused from attendance.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of April 30, 1907.

On motion of Alderman Grifenhagen, further reading was dispensed with, and the minutes were approved as printed.

## PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 1967.

Trustees of Sailors' Snug Harbor,  
No. 31 Nassau Street,  
New York, April 27, 1907.

To the President of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Sir—I herewith transmit to you the annual report of the Trustees of the Sailors' Snug Harbor, in The City of New York, for the year 1906.

Respectfully,

ERNEST E. MALCOLM, Deputy Comptroller.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

The annual report of the Comptroller of the Trustees of the Sailors' Snug Harbor, in The City of New York, showing the receipts and disbursements of the trust, from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of December, 1906; showing also the present state of the funds:

### Receipts.

Ground rents and rents of buildings	\$464,447 40
Interest	15,391 19
Donations	3 65
Cash balance, January 1, 1906	\$479,842 24
	117,808 19
	<u>\$597,650 43</u>

### Disbursements.

Expenses of institution for maintenance of inmates, buildings and grounds, and New York office	\$274,420 86
New addition to hospital, installing new electric plant and rewiring buildings, new fire alarm system and other improvements	53,806 34
Restoration Randall Memorial Church, on account	24,113 65
Expenses of buildings in Borough of Manhattan, including taxes	43,912 77
New investments and special deposits	31,026 81
Legal expenses	1,999 57
Real estate appraisals	300 00
Cash balance, December 31, 1906	\$429,580 00
	168,070 43
	<u>\$597,650 43</u>

### Statement of the Funds.

Cost of buildings erected, reconstructed and acquired in the Borough of Manhattan	\$921,525 27
Alterations to building, Nos. 753 and 755 Broadway	\$27,043 61
Depreciated in 1906	2,706 39
Alterations to building, No. 771 Broadway	\$4,019 97
Depreciated in 1906	580 03
Leasehold, No. 66 East Eighth street	\$12,063 75
Depreciated in 1906	1,206 25
New York City bonds, 3 per cent, par \$125,000	10,857 50
New York State bonds, 3 per cent, par \$50,000	125,000 00
New York City bonds, 3½ per cent., par \$100,000	50,000 00
Loans on bond and mortgage, first liens	99,843 75
Accounts receivable	33,000 00
Unexpired insurance	54,496 95
Unearned commissions on leases	7,323 18
Purchased stores account	1,747 27
Special Deposit in Metropolitan Trust Company (Account No. 1)	29,952 02
Special Deposit in Metropolitan Trust Company (Account No. 2)	6,338 45
Cash balance, December 31, 1906	90,064 19
	168,070 43
Total	<u>\$1,625,996 17</u>

JAMES HENRY, Comptroller.

The Trustees of the Sailors' Snug Harbor in The City of New York report that the accounts of the Comptroller from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of December, 1906, inclusive, together with the vouchers for the disbursements charged therein, have been duly examined and found to be correct in all respects; that the securities held by the Trustees have also been duly examined and found to be correct in all respects; that on said last mentioned day there was a balance of cash in favor of the Trustees amounting to \$168,070.43, and that the same was deposited to the credit of the Trustees as follows:

In the Manhattan Company	\$36,558 45
In the Merchants' National Bank	12,314 70
In the Metropolitan Trust Company	118,074 59
In New York office	550 00
In hands of Governor	572 69
	<u>\$168,070 43</u>

New York, April 16, 1907.

The foregoing statements have been compared with the records of Sailors' Snug Harbor and found to be correct.

THOMAS P. RYAN, Certified Public Accountant.

Morris K. Jesup.  
Morgan Dix.  
Howard Duffield.  
A. J. Newberry.  
Archelaus W. Smith.  
Which was ordered on file.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transmitting ordinances:

No. 1968.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,  
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,  
May 4, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 3, 1907, authorizing the issue of \$127,662 Corporate Stock to provide means for the payment of awards, interest thereon, costs and expenses in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands, etc., bounded by Ocean parkway, Avenue Y, East Sixth street, Canal avenue and Coney Island creek, Borough of



Brooklyn, for the use and purposes of the Department of Public Charities; together with copy of report of the Comptroller, to whom this matter was referred on April 26, 1907.

I also transmit form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York—Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office,  
April 26, 1907.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—I am advised by the Corporation Counsel that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Apportionment in the matter of acquiring title to certain land, etc., bounded by Ocean Parkway, Avenue Y, East Sixth street, Canal avenue and Coney Island creek, Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected for the Department of Charities was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court dated December 4, 1906, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings December 5, 1906.

The title to the land, etc., taken in this proceeding became vested in The City of New York December 9, 1905, pursuant to the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted December 8, 1905.

The total amount of the award is..... \$115,000 00  
Interest thereon from December 9, 1905, to July 9, 1907..... 10,925 00  
Amount of taxed costs, charges and expenses including expert fees..... 1,737 00

Total..... \$127,662 00

To provide means for the payment of these awards, costs and expenses, Corporate Stock to the amount of one hundred and twenty-seven thousand, six hundred and sixty-two dollars (\$127,662), should be issued pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the revised Greater New York Charter.

A resolution for that purpose is herewith submitted.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one hundred and twenty-seven thousand six hundred and sixty-two dollars (\$127,662), to provide means for the payment of awards, interest thereon, costs and expenses in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands, etc., bounded by Ocean parkway, Avenue Y, East Sixth street, Canal avenue and Coney Island creek, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the use and purposes of the Department of Public Charities.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 3, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding one hundred and twenty-seven thousand six hundred and sixty-two dollars (\$127,662), for the purpose of providing means for the payment of awards, interest thereon, costs and expenses, in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands, etc., bounded by Ocean parkway, Avenue Y, East Sixth street, Canal avenue and Coney Island creek, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the use and purposes of the Department of Public Charities, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one hundred and twenty-seven thousand six hundred and sixty-two dollars (\$127,662), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1969.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,  
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,  
May 4, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. MCGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 3, 1907, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$20,000 to provide means for a new steamboat for the use of the Department of Correction of The City of New York, together with copy of a communication from the Comptroller, to whom this matter was referred on April 12, 1907, and copy of communication from the Deputy Commissioner of Correction, relative thereto.

I also enclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Yours very truly,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

April 24, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—Under date of April 8, 1907, the Hon. John V. Coggey, Commissioner, Department of Correction, asks the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an appropriation of \$20,000 to provide a new steamboat for the use of the Department of Correction.

I have looked into the matter and I find that the small steamer which has been in use as a ferryboat between City Island and Hart's Island has been considered as unseaworthy and a license refused by the United States Inspectors of Steam Vessels.

I have also examined the boat with some care, and it is my judgment that repairs sufficient to fit her for service would be unwarranted and a waste of money.

The reasons why the department should have a boat to maintain this ferry service are set forth in the accompanying letter of the Deputy Commissioner of Correction, and I agree with him as to their urgency.

If the financial condition of the City warrants the expenditure, I recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to section 47 of the amended Greater New York Charter, authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$20,000 to provide funds for a new steamboat for the use of the Department of Correction of The City of New York.

Respectfully,  
CHANDLER WITHINGTON, Chief Engineer.

Approved:  
H. A. Metz, Comptroller.

New York, April 6, 1907.

Hon. JOHN V. COGGEY, Commissioner of Correction:

Dear Sir—I desire to bring to your notice the serious conditions existing on Hart's Island, caused by lack of ferry service since the condemnation by the United States Steamboat Inspectors of the steamboat "Thomas F. Gilroy." Up to the time that the license of this boat was revoked, it had been used as a ferryboat plying between Hart's Island and the mainland (City Island). The only means of transportation between these two points, at present, is a rowboat.

There are times, during the winter months, when it is impossible for the large boats of the department to reach this island, hence, it is completely cut off from the shore; and it is difficult to get food supplies to the island, where there are several hundred inmates. A small boat kept moving between Hart's and City Islands would keep a passage open through the ice, and thus, in the severest weather, it would be possible to take over necessary supplies.

There are several Keepers living with their families on Hart's Island; their children attend the public school at City Island, and are taken across in the rowboat, when it is considered safe to do so, but the result of this arrangement is that the children attend school very seldom.

There are several Stationary Engineers, Firemen and other mechanics employed by the department on this island. These men are not provided with living quarters or maintenance, and they are obliged to travel back and forth night and morning. When they leave in the evening, there is no certainty of their returning to their duties next day. This might mean a considerable loss to the City.

The Fire Department demands that we have a boat plying between Hart's and City Islands, but at present we have no boat suitable for this route.

The above are only a few of the problems which this department has to contend with daily in regard to transportation facilities for Hart's Island, and it would seem that prompt action should be taken in this matter. A steamboat should be chartered, or the dangers and inconveniences of the present condition should be laid before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and that Board asked for an appropriation of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) in order that a steamboat may be purchased to take the place of the one which has been condemned by the government.

Very respectfully,  
(Signed) GEO. W. MEYER, Deputy Commissioner.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) to provide means for a new steamboat for the use of the Department of Correction of The City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 3, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) to provide means for a new steamboat for the use of the Department of Correction of The City of New York, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following communication from the President, Borough of Queens:

No. 1970.

The City of New York,  
Office of the President of the Borough of Queens,  
Long Island City, April 30, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. MCGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen, New York:

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of a report relative to the condition of the Queens County Jail, which report was made in consequence of a presentment of the February Grand Jury, copy of which I submit herewith.

I have had an examination made and find that 130 locks and 15 levers require repairing; that a number of steel bars should be replaced; 124 new heavy window screens should be provided; the stairways and ceiling are in need of repairs, and the interior of the jail should be repainted. A brick wall should be built to replace the present dilapidated wooden fence surrounding the jail building, but this matter is now in the hands of the Comptroller for report.

From figures submitted the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000) would be required to put the jail in proper condition, and a formal application is, therefore, made for an issue of bonds in that sum.

Resolution herewith for the consideration of the Board.

Respectfully,  
JOSEPH BERMEI,  
President of the Borough of Queens.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of the issue of Revenue Bonds in the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000) for the purpose of making the following repairs to the Queens County Jail.

Repairing lock and levers, replacing steel bars where necessary, providing new heavy window screens, repairing stairways and ceilings and repainting the interior of the Jail.

The Grand Jury of the County of Queens, in attendance upon the February, 1907, term of the County Court, do hereby report:

That we have examined the County Jail of Queens County and find the same in a thorough orderly, cleanly and sanitary condition, excepting the women's department, which we recommend be immediately cleaned and painted; that the culinary arrangements are excellent and the food good; that the care and discipline exercised over the prisoners is satisfactory, and we commend the Sheriff of the County for the manner in which he administers this branch of his office, notwithstanding the insecurity of the jail.

We endorse the recommendation of the last Grand Jury as to the necessity of a stone wall surrounding the jail building, sufficient in height to prevent the egress from or access to the jail except through the proper door of same, and we recommend the immediate erection of such a stone wall for the better confinement of prisoners in charge of the Sheriff.

We recommend that two additional Wardens and three additional Keepers be appointed, as we believe that the present force is inadequate to properly discharge the duties of caring for the prisoners confined in said jail.

We recommend that two padded cells be installed in said jail, one for women and one for men; that all windows in said jail be repaired and that new sash cords be provided for same; that all screens upon said windows be replaced where needed.

We find that the conditions complained of by the Grand Jury at the January terms of the Supreme Court have not been remedied in any material degree, and we urge the necessity of these improvements without delay.

We request that the succeeding Grand Jury specially investigate the conditions herein referred to and ascertain from the officials charged with the care of the jail property the reason for such delay; that said official be required to attend and explain the reason for such extended delay.

We request that a copy of this presentment be forwarded to the President of the Borough of Queens, the Superintendent of Public Buildings in and for the Borough of Queens, and to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York.

(Signed) GEORGE H. HIGBIE, Foreman.

(Signed) Oliver H. Green, Clerk.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

At this point the President took the chair.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Sheriff of Richmond County:

No. 1971.

Sheriff's Office—Richmond County,  
Richmond, N. Y., May 1, 1907.

To Chairman, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Honorable Sir—I beg to inform your Honorable Board that my appropriation for court officers has been overtaxed.

I hereby make application for an issue of Revenue Bonds to the amount of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) for this year's terms of court. Hoping you will grant my request, I remain

Yours respectfully,  
JOSEPH J. BARTH, Sheriff, Richmond County.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.



The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President, Borough of Manhattan:

No. 1972.

City of New York,  
Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan,  
City Hall, May 4, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—On April 19 the Board of Aldermen adopted a resolution referring to the Borough President an application of the Church Temperance Society for the privilege of constructing a shelter for cabmen in Long Acre square.

I beg to hand you herewith, for the information of the Board, copy of a report on the above matter from the Superintendent of the Bureau of Incumbrances, this department, which report is strongly adverse to the construction of a shelter for cabmen at the above mentioned location.

Yours very truly,  
BERNARD DOWNING, Secretary.

President of Borough of Manhattan,  
Bureau of Incumbrances,  
New York, April 30, 1907.

Hon. WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—Returning herewith communication from Bernard Downing, Secretary, Borough of Manhattan, enclosing a communication from Harriet D. Fellowes, corresponding secretary of the Women's Auxiliary, Church Temperance Society, also copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen relative to a proposed cabmen's shelter at Times square, I desire to say that in my opinion the erection of the proposed shelter at this location would be a serious obstruction to traffic and should not be permitted.

This square is one of the busiest in the city, both night and day, especially at night, when numberless carriages and automobiles are continually passing.

A portion of this square has been occupied for a number of years by public cabmen without any shelter, and I can see no adequate reason at the present time why a permanent obstruction should be placed on this already congested square.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) THOMAS M. McENTEGART,  
Superintendent of Incumbrances.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Fire Department:

No. 1973.

Fire Department, City of New York,  
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,  
Borough of Manhattan, May 6, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—I have the honor to call your attention to the very urgent need that there is in this Department for additional automobiles, as indicated by the following communication sent to me by the Chief of Department, viz.:

"Borough of Manhattan, May 4, 1907.

"Hon. FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Fire Commissioner:

"Sir—I have the honor to recommend the purchase of ten (10) four-cylinder automobiles, cost not to exceed \$900 each, complete, for use by the various chief officers in the outlying districts, such as Richmond, Queens and The Bronx, as at the present time the territory to be covered by the officers in those districts is so extensive it is almost impossible for them to perform their duties in a proper manner with horse and wagon. Would further recommend that application be made to the Board of Aldermen for permission to purchase same without public letting, as it is necessary that these machines should be had immediately.

"Very respectfully,  
(Signed) "EDW. F. CROKER, Chief of Department."

This recommendation of the Chief of Department has my approval, and I request your kind offices in reference to the matter.

I enclose draft of resolution designed to accomplish the object in view, prompt and favorable action on which is requested.

Respectfully,  
FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Fire Commissioner.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the necessary funds being available for the purpose, and the Board of Aldermen deeming such course to be in the public interest, hereby authorizes the purchase by the Fire Commissioner of The City of New York, in the open market instead of by contract at public letting, of 10 four-cylinder automobiles for use by the various chief officers of the uniformed force of the Fire Department in the outlying districts of the city, at a cost not to exceed nine hundred dollars (\$900) each, a total of nine thousand dollars (\$9,000).

No. 1974.

Fire Department, City of New York,  
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,  
Borough of Manhattan, May 6, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—A report has been received at this office from the Chief of Department, the same reading as follows:

"New York, April 30, 1907.

"Hon. FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Fire Commissioner:

"Sir—As it is very necessary to have the paid department extended into territory covered by Flushing, Jamaica, College Point and Whitestone, Borough of Queens, at as early a date as possible, and as appropriation for alterations, etc., is available, in order to satisfy the wants of the citizens and taxpayers of above named places, I would respectfully recommend that application be made to the Board of Aldermen for permission to make alterations to various volunteer houses (which are owned by the City, and which it is the intention of the Department to occupy with paid companies), without the formality of public letting; cost not to exceed \$25,000; repairs to be made to twelve to fourteen buildings.

"Very respectfully,  
(Signed) "EDWARD F. CROKER, Chief of Department."

I have the honor to state that I have approved the recommendation contained in the foregoing report and to request early and favorable action in the matter. Draft of resolution covering the case is herewith enclosed.

Respectfully,  
FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Fire Commissioner.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the necessary funds being available and deeming such course to be in the public interest, the Board of Aldermen hereby authorizes the Fire Commissioner to have done otherwise than by contract at public letting the work of additions and alterations to several houses owned by the City and occupied by volunteer companies in the territory covered by Flushing, Jamaica, College Point and Whitestone, Borough of Queens, for the purpose of fitting them for use by companies of the paid system, which it is in contemplation soon to install in said places, to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity:

No. 1975.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,  
Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row,  
New York, May 4, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Dear Sir—The Sinking Fund Commission, at a recent meeting, by resolution authorized the Comptroller to enter into a lease with the owners of the Park Row Building for Rooms Nos. 915 to 931, inclusive, which were assigned for the purposes of this Department. These quarters will be occupied by the Engineer's Bureau, which removes from the fifteenth floor.

It becomes necessary to remove a number of partitions, doors and basins, in order to properly equip these new quarters for drafting rooms, and the owners of the building have agreed to remove partitions as noted on the enclosed drawings, build new partitions as marked and do all the necessary carpentry work, painting and varnishing for the sum of \$1,450.

The owners of the building have their own contractors who attend to all repairs and changes made in this building and will not allow anyone else to disturb or alter the building in any respect. As the amount of expense will exceed \$1,000, and as the provisions of section 419 of the Charter cannot be complied with so far as obtaining bids for this work is concerned, it is respectfully requested that your Board authorize this Department to expend \$1,450 for these alterations and repairs on an open order.

I attach hereto a form of resolution for adoption by your Board, and would ask that the same receive favorable and early consideration.

Yours respectfully,  
FRANK J. GOODWIN, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and is hereby authorized to expend the sum of \$1,450 to pay for the removal and building of partitions, doors, carpentry work, painting and varnishing of Rooms Nos. 915 to 931, inclusive, of the Park Row Building, No. 13 to 21 Park row, without obtaining competitive bids or proposals.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

On motion of Alderman Downing, the courtesies of the floor were extended to Ex-Assemblyman Thomas O'Neill, of Brooklyn, who subsequently addressed the Board advocating the establishment of municipal ferries between the Borough of Manhattan and Brooklyn.

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

##### Report of Committee on Rules—

No. 1976.

The Committee on Rules, to which was referred at the meeting of April 30, 1907, a question raised by Alderman Freeman respecting the conduct of the order of business known as Special Orders, has given the subject due consideration, and has reached the conclusion that the existing provisions for special orders have led to abuses which have interfered with the orderly conduct of business, and to some extent have encroached upon the rights of individual members. The committee believes that special orders should be practically eliminated and that by confining all laid over business to general orders the work of the Board will be expedited. The committee reports the following amendments to the rules in the hope that they may remedy existing difficulties. If, after a fair trial, the new rules do not prove satisfactory, the committee will welcome suggestions in the form of resolutions from members of the Board.

The committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolutions. Resolved, That Rule 25 of the Board of Aldermen be and it is hereby amended by striking therefrom the first sentence, and by adding at the end thereof the following: "a report of a committee, a resolution or an ordinance, may, upon the day of its presentation or introduction, by a two-thirds vote, be made a special order for a particular time upon the same day, and when such time is reached it shall be the duty of the Clerk to call the attention of the presiding officer thereto, who shall make such special order the next order of business. If any special order shall not be disposed of when reached as aforesaid, its subject matter shall become, as of course, a general order for the next meeting of the Board. Except by unanimous consent, no matter may be made a special order a second time. Except as provided in this section no matter shall be made a special order or otherwise given a preference over the regular order of business"; further

Resolved, That Rule 6 be amended by striking out "7. Special Orders," and by renumbering the remaining items of the order of business; further

Resolved, That all matters remaining upon the calendar as special orders at the end of this meeting shall be placed upon the calendar as general orders in their present numerical order.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, ELIAS GOODMAN, Committee on Rules.

Which was laid over and made a Special Order for 11.50 o'clock a. m.

Subsequently Alderman Meyers called up the Special Order and moved its adoption. The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Griffenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Markert, Morris, Mulligan, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—57.

##### Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 1821.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on April 9, 1907 (Minutes, page 61), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$222,500, for new scows and alterations to Stable "A" for Street Cleaning Department, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

Deputy Commissioners Edwards and Reilly appeared before the committee and explained the items of this application as set forth in the annexed letters and reports. The committee has already gone on record in favor of the City purchasing the dumping scows, instead of renting them, and with reference to the extension of Stable "A" it is proposed to put another floor of stalls in the present building, thereby practically doubling the stall capacity of the structure. The committee believes both of these propositions to be in conformity with good business policy, and, therefore, recommends the adoption of the resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 5, 1907:

"Whereas, The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication dated March 23, 1907, has made requisition for an issue of bonds to the amount of two hundred and twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$222,500) for new scows and stable and alterations to Stable "A," in connection with new stock or plant for said Department, as provided by section 546 of the Greater New York Charter; therefore be it

"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of two hundred and twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$222,500), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JOHN DIEMER, JAMES W. REDMOND, A. L. KLINE, PH. HARNISCHFEGER, Committee on Finance.



Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Davies moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Brown, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Leverett, Markert, Meyers, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Redmond, Rendt, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahern, and the Vice-Chairman—44.

No. 1822.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on April 9, 1907 (Minutes, page 64), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$7,000, for the installation of an elevator in the building occupied by the County Clerk and Surrogate, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

Alderman Bunting as a sub-committee visited the premises in question and reports that the building is three stories in height, only the stoop floor and the floor above being used by the public, and the third floor by some clerks, and that he believes the installation of an elevator to be unnecessary. In view of these facts, your committee agrees with him, and therefore recommends that the ordinance be rejected.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000) to provide means for the installation of an elevator in the building occupied by the County Clerk and the Surrogate in Jamaica, Borough of Queens.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 5, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000) to provide means for the installation of an elevator in the building occupied by the County Clerk and the Surrogate, in Jamaica, Borough of Queens, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding seven thousand dollars (\$7,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JOHN DIEMER, JAMES W. REDMOND, A. L. KLINE, PH. HARNISCHFEGER, Committee on Finance.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Davies moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Markert, Meyers, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Redmond, Rendt, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wentz, President Cromwell and the Vice-Chairman—41.

And the President announced that in accordance with section 48 of the Charter said ordinance had been rejected.

No. 1942.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on April 30, 1907 (Minutes, page 623), the annexed recommendation from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$200 additional amount, for Memorial Day observances in the Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, they recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of two hundred dollars, the proceeds whereof shall be applied to meet the expenses of Memorial Day observances in the Borough of The Bronx, being in addition to the amount set aside in the Budget for the year 1907, for that purpose.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JOHN DIEMER, JAMES W. REDMOND, A. L. KLINE, PH. HARNISCHFEGER, Committee on Finance.

April 25, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—In the matter of the request of the Memorial Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, of the Borough of The Bronx, for an appropriation of \$500 to defray the expenses of Decoration Day observances, referred by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the Comptroller, and by you referred to the Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics for examination, I beg to report as follows:

In the Budget appropriation for 1907, the sum of \$300 was allowed for Memorial Day observances, Borough of The Bronx. Treasurer John A. Murray, of the Memorial Committee, G. A. R., of that borough, informed your Examiner that the request for an appropriation of \$500 was made under the belief that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment had failed to make any allowance whatever. He stated, however, that the \$300 allowance was not sufficient to meet the expenses for the memorial parade, carfare and services at cemeteries. He also said that the expenses of the observance of Decoration Day in the Borough of The Bronx in 1906, amounted to over \$500, and that the members of the G. A. R., who reside in that borough, were compelled to meet the deficiency caused by the expenditures exceeding by \$200 the Budget allowance of \$300.

The expense of the observance of Decoration Day in the Borough of The Bronx is increasing each year, owing to the large increase in population in that section of the City. The memorial parade is now one of the features of the day's observance, and the paraders include United States troops, visiting militia organizations and civic bodies from other boroughs of the Greater City.

Your Examiner is of the opinion that an additional appropriation of \$200 should be allowed for this purpose, and that the Board of Aldermen be requested to adopt the necessary resolution for concurrence by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Yours respectfully,  
(Signed) CHAS. S. HERVEY,  
Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends that the Board of Aldermen request the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the account for Memorial Day observances in the Borough of The Bronx, to be added to the three hundred dollars (\$300) already provided for in 1907, making the amount for 1907, five hundred dollars (\$500).

Which was made a Special Order for 12 o'clock m. Subsequently Alderman Davies called up the Special Order and moved its adoption.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann,

Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Levine, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright; President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahern, the Vice-Chairman and the President—65.

#### Report of Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers—

No. 1782—(G. O. No. 241).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was recommitted, on April 16, 1907 (Minutes, page 202), the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the Star Beef and Provision Company to erect an awning in front of No. 172 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Star Beef and Provision Company to place, erect and keep an awning of iron and glass in front of their premises, No. 172 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, as shown on the accompanying diagram, provided said awning be erected in conformity with the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN HANN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, PATRICK S. KEELY, C. D. NOONAN, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers. Which was laid over.

#### Report of Committee on Finance—

No. 1820.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on April 9, 1907 (Minutes, page 59), the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of Corporate Stock, \$41,000, for acquisition of property No. 180 Graham avenue, Brooklyn, for court house purposes, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

The committee has held several hearings on this matter and has very carefully investigated same. Alderman Redmond on behalf of a subcommittee reports that from personal investigation the proposed property, by reason of its size, 25 by 100 feet, and its location (being an inside lot), would be entirely inadequate for the purposes of a police and a municipal court, the light being poor and the ventilation, especially in such a congested section of foreign residents, not sufficient.

Alderman Markert, representing that district, very strenuously objects to this site, and is backed up by the annexed petitions from the residents, who allege that the site is improper and objectionable to them.

There has been some question raised as to the value of property and as to the fact that the Borough President's office believes it will cost about \$10,000 to make the necessary repairs if the City should acquire this property.

In view of all of the above, your committee believes that the matter at this time should be rejected, so that the Comptroller's office can have time and opportunity to fully investigate the whole matter.

The committee therefore recommends that the ordinance be rejected.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of forty-one thousand dollars (\$41,000), to provide means for the acquisition of the property located at No. 180 Graham avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for court house purposes, the examination of title and for surveys of the same.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 5, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of forty-one thousand dollars (\$41,000), to provide means for the acquisition of the property located at No. 180 Graham avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for court house purposes, the examination of title and for surveys of the same, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding forty-one thousand dollars (\$41,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

JOHN R. DAVIES, JAMES W. REDMOND, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, B. W. B. BROWN, J. E. BUNTING, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Downing, Ellery, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Markert, Meyers, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Richter, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright; President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahern and the Vice-Chairman—43.

And the President announced that, in accordance with section 48 of the Charter, said ordinance had been rejected.

#### SPECIAL ORDERS.

Alderman Dowling called up Special Order No. 84, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1260.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on November 13, 1906 (Minutes, page 1215), the annexed communication from the Police Commissioner requesting authority to purchase wide carriage typewriters without public letting, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That at a hearing on the above matter Inspector Titus of the Bureau of Supplies of the Police Department appeared before the committee and explained that the reason for the making of this request was because of the fact that the typewriting machines desired are manufactured under patents, and if competing bids were obtained, it would be necessary to purchase low priced machines that would not answer the requirements of the office. The committee therefore recommends the adoption of the annexed resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Police be and he hereby is authorized to purchase wide carriage typewriting machines without public letting, the total cost of said machines not to exceed the sum of thirty-two hundred and fifty dollars (\$3,250).

A. L. KLINE, JACOB BARTSCHERER, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, MAX S. LEVINE, Committee on Public Letting.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Leverett, Levine, Markert, Meyers, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, the Vice Chairman and the President—60.

Negative—Aldermen Kuntze and Lawlor—2.



Aldermen Wentz called up Special Order No. 186, being a report and resolution, as follows:

Nos. 1865, 1868, 1888.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on April 16, 1907 (Minutes, page 196), the annexed resolutions in favor of authorizing the Treasurers of the Memorial and Executive Committees, G. A. R., to draw on the Comptroller for Memorial Day observances, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the annexed substitute resolution be adopted.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, has provided certain sums of money for Memorial Day observances in the various boroughs in accordance with the provisions of law; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that said sums be advanced to the Memorial and Executive Committees of the Grand Army of the Republic in the various boroughs for the purposes of defraying expenses as they may arise; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to pay to each of the Treasurers of the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic in the various boroughs, upon his requisition, countersigned by the Chairman and Secretary of each of the various committees, the sum of money provided for expenditure as follows, i. e.:

For the Borough of Manhattan.....	\$2,500 00
For the Borough of Brooklyn.....	2,500 00
For the Borough of Richmond.....	300 00

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has, in accordance with the request of the Board of Aldermen, authorized the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of three hundred dollars (\$300) for Memorial Day observances in the Borough of Richmond; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that the said sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) be advanced to the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Borough of Richmond for the purpose of defraying expenses as they may arise; be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay to the Treasurer of the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, City of New York, Borough of Richmond, upon his requisition, countersigned by the Chairman and Secretary of said committee, the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) for the purposes of Memorial Day observances in the Borough of Richmond, and that receipted vouchers for all expenses in connection with such celebration be filed with the Department of Finance as soon thereafter as possible.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has provided the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for Memorial Day observances in the Borough of Manhattan, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 552 of the Laws of 1905; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that said sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) be advanced to the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Borough of Manhattan for the purpose of defraying expenses as they may arise; be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to pay to the Treasurer of the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, upon his requisition, countersigned by the Chairman and Secretary of said committee, the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for the purpose of Memorial Day observances in the Borough of Manhattan, and that receipted vouchers for all expenses in connection with such celebration be filed with the Department of Finance as soon thereafter as possible.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has provided the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for Decoration Day observances in the Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 585, Laws of 1903; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that said sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) be advanced to the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, Kings County, for the purposes of defraying expenses as they may arise; be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay to the Treasurer of the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, Kings County, upon his requisition, countersigned by the Chairman and Secretary of said committee, the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), for the purposes of Decoration Day observances in the Borough of Brooklyn, and that receipted vouchers for all expenses in connection with such celebration be filed with the Department of Finance as soon thereafter as possible.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, J. E. BUNTING, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Leverett, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Monahan, Morris, Noonan, Olvany, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn, the Vice-Chairman and the President—61.

On motion of Alderman Hann, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was again laid over, and made a special order for 1 o'clock p. m.

Subsequently, Alderman Wentz called up the special order and moved its adoption.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—69.

Alderman Richter called up Special Order No. 199, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1650.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred, on March 12, 1907 (Minutes, page 646), the annexed communication from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, requesting authority to increase contract for purchase of lumber, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

Chief Engineer De Varona appeared before the committee and explained the necessity for the increase in the contract price for the work referred to in the resolution. The work was let upon bids based upon estimates, among other things with respect to certain soil conditions which apparently made it unnecessary to permanently sheathe the trenches in which the mains were to be laid. As the work progressed materially different conditions were developed, from which it became apparent that for the safety of the work itself and of the adjoining earth and pavement it would be

necessary that the trench should be permanently sheathed. The expense of this work, as provided in the resolution, was stated by Mr. De Varona to be very reasonable, and your committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the annexed resolution.

Resolved, That, under and pursuant to the provisions of section 39 of the Greater New York Charter, permission be and the same is hereby given to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to increase the amount authorized to be expended with the written approval of the said Commissioner, under a contract between The City of New York and the Continental Asphalt Paving Company for furnishing, delivering and constructing suction mains and appurtenances for salt water to be connected with the high pressure fire service station at the northeast corner of Gansevoort and West streets, in the Borough of Manhattan; such increase, however, not to exceed the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500) over and above the amount authorized by said contract; the said sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500) to provide for the furnishing of lumber for sheathing, bracing, etc., to cover places where dangerous conditions exist, the total amount of such lumber not to exceed two hundred and fifty thousand feet, the price to be paid for the same to be fifty dollars (\$50) per thousand feet, board measure.

FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN R. DAVIES, CHARLES R. FREEMAN, B. W. B. BROWN, WM. E. MORRIS, JOHN D. GUNTHER, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,  
Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row,  
New York, February 28, 1907.

Hon. P. F. McGOWAN, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan:

Dear Sir—In the contract for furnishing, delivering and constructing suction mains and appurtenances for salt water, to be connected with the high pressure fire service station at northeast corner of Gansevoort and West streets, the Engineer provided in his estimate that 1,000 feet of lumber, board measure, would be used by the contractor in the excavations extending from the station to the river. This estimate was made after several test pits had been sunk to ascertain the character of the soil. Entirely different conditions have been found than were ascertained by this examination. Large amounts of saturated quicksand have been met with, constituting a semi-fluid material, easily running; also some filling-in west of the New York Central Company's tracks, with crib-work and rock, through which the tidewater and quicksand find a ready passage.

Under the terms of the contract all sheathing is to be removed, unless ordered to be left in place by the Engineer, and no allowance is to be made for said sheathing unless so left in place by the Engineer's orders.

The contractors have called attention to the character of the soil, as far as their work has advanced, and the Chief Engineer of this department is satisfied that to remove any of the timber would produce a settlement of the street which would probably result in considerable damage to adjoining property, and possibly to the Gansevoort Market, which, so far as the official records of the City show, is not built on piles.

The contractors' bid on the 1,000 feet of lumber furnished by the Engineer's estimate was \$75. The amount of lumber required for sheathing, bracing, etc., for the entire trench is 250,000 feet. The bid price of \$75 per thousand is considered high when this additional amount of lumber is taken into consideration, and the contractors, the Continental Asphalt Paving Company, have agreed to accept \$50 per thousand, board measure.

The contract in question contains the usual provision that the Commissioner may increase any one item 5 per cent. in excess of the amount originally stated in the estimate. The amount of lumber figured on is so small that 5 per cent. reduces the actual amount of increase which I could order to \$3.75.

I deem it advisable for the proper protection of the work, in view of the character of the soil which has been found, to order the contractors to leave the sheathing, bracing, etc., in place wherever these dangerous conditions exist, the total amount of lumber not to exceed 250,000 feet, and the price to be paid for same, \$50 per thousand, board measure.

It therefore becomes necessary to obtain authority through your Board to increase this contract to allow of the purchase of 250,000 feet of lumber, at \$50 per thousand, board measure, and under this authority I respectfully ask that the attached resolution, drawn in compliance with section 39 of the revised Greater New York Charter, be adopted.

Respectfully,

JOHN H. O'BRIEN, Commissioner.

On motion of Alderman Sturges the above resolution was amended by striking therefrom the words and figures "section 39," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "section 419."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Levine, Markert, Meyers, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—61.

Alderman Dowling called up Special Order No. 164, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1692.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on March 12, 1907 (Minutes, page 665), the annexed resolution authorizing the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond to contract for horseshoeing without public letting, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That at a hearing on the above matter Colonel Smith, the Assistant Secretary of the Department of Parks, appeared before the committee and gave as the reason for the Commissioner making this request that to contract for the shoeing of horses by public letting was impracticable.

It would cost the City more and would result in anything but satisfactory service. This resolution is the same as one adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 19, 1906.

It is not alone on the grounds of economy that the Commissioner wishes authority to make this contract without public letting, but more to continue the conditions which now prevail and have proven so satisfactory. The horses of the department are shod under the present contract at night, at the department's stables, thus obviating the necessity of taking horses or men from employment during working hours.

It is necessary especially during the winter time when the horses have to work on the ice, that the Commissioner be in a position to order immediately such particular kind of shoeing as the horses might require. In view of these facts your committee recommends the adoption of said resolution.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Charter, the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond be and he hereby is authorized to arrange or contract, without public letting, for the shoeing of the horses used on the parks in said boroughs during the year 1907 at an expense not exceeding the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), payable from the appropriation available for that purpose.

A. L. KLINE, F. J. O'NEILL, WILLIAM CLIFFORD, JACOB BARTSCHERER, MAX S. LEVINE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, Committee on Public Letting.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Levine, Markert, Meyers, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Ol-



vany, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—61.

#### MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Sturges asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 1977.

Resolved, That the substitute resolution, under introductory No. 1326, adopted by this Board February 5, 1907, approved February 13, 1907, be amended by inserting therein in place of the words "section 39" the words "section 419," and that as so amended the same be readopted as follows, to take the place of said resolution formerly adopted as aforesaid, viz.:

Resolved, That, under and pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to increase the amount authorized to be expended with the written approval of the said Commissioner, under a certain contract between The City of New York and Michael J. Dady, dated August 16, 1905, for remodeling and extending Massapequa Pumping Station; such increase, however, not to exceed the sum of \$50,800 over and above the amount so authorized by said contract; the said sum of \$50,800 to provide for the furnishing and placing of one million two hundred and seventy thousand feet of lumber, board measurement, in the trench in which the infiltration gallery is constructed under said contract.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—62.

#### SPECIAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Alderman Brown called up Special Order No. 173, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1541.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on February 5, 1907 (Minutes, page 192), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for \$200,000 for park maintenance, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

Park Commissioner Herrman appeared before your Committee and stated that on account of the reduced Budget allowance for maintenance, many Laborers have been laid off or placed upon part time, and the park maintenance has greatly suffered in consequence. The Committee has received from the Bureau of Investigation the annexed report, which was prepared after careful consideration of the park finances and after personal investigation of park conditions. This is another case where the Budget should have made more adequate provision for the ordinary maintenance of these departments, and not cause them to apply for Revenue Bonds so early in the year. From the Committee's own investigation and from the annexed report, however, the Committee feels that, while adhering to its expressed principles against issuances of Special Revenue Bonds for ordinary maintenance, the people demand that the parks shall be properly maintained, and as long as the Board of Estimate and Apportionment did not allow sufficient funds in the Budget, it must be done by Revenue Bonds, although it is hoped that this condition will not be repeated next year.

The Committee believes the Comptroller's suggestion that an addition of sufficient funds to make an increase of ten per cent. over the total maintenance for 1906 to be reasonable and, therefore, recommends the issuance for maintenance of the amount suggested in the report, viz.:

Manhattan and Richmond..... \$94,550 00

They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of ninety-four thousand five hundred and fifty dollars (\$94,550), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the maintenance of parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, JOSEPH FALK, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Falk, Freeman, Fried, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Kuck, Lawlor, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright; President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—61.

Alderman Sullivan called up Special Order No. 156, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1555.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred, on February 5, 1907 (Minutes, page 409), the annexed resolution authorizing the President of the Borough of Manhattan to enter into a supplemental agreement with Messrs. Ryan & Parker, modifying plans of section 2 for the extension of Riverside drive, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they find that the extension of Riverside drive was authorized by an act of the State Legislature in 1897. This special act authorized the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to approve the plans for the proposed extension and to issue bonds to provide the necessary funds therefor without the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen. A change of plans, occasioned by changes in the grade of streets, etc., recommended by the City's Engineers and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, made it obligatory on the part of the contractors to get a supplemental contract with the City. The funds for this purpose were appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the contract about to be made when the Corporation Counsel advised that, under section 419 of the Charter, the Board of Aldermen's consent must be received before a supplemental contract could be agreed upon.

Mr. F. Stewart Williamson, the Consulting Engineer of the Riverside drive extension, appeared before the Committee and stated that he believed the present contractors should receive the supplemental contract, as they were in a position to do the work cheaper and in a more satisfactory manner as to time, etc. If new people were to get the contract after public letting they would be required to construct a plant, which would mean delay. The present contractors already have a plant established and are familiar with the work. In view of these facts, your Committee recommends the adoption of the said resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, having adopted a resolution on June 23, 1905, modifying the plans of section No. 2 for the extension of Riverside drive, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets; and

Whereas, The said Board having, on November 23, 1906, approved certain further modifications in the plans for the extension of Riverside drive, between the points above indicated;

Resolved, That, pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he hereby is authorized to enter into a supplemental agreement, without public letting, to an amount not exceeding two hundred and forty-three thousand seven hundred dollars and twenty-eight cents (\$243,700.28), with Messrs. Ryan & Parker, the original contractors for the above mentioned work, to carry into effect the original plans heretofore approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897, for the extension of Riverside drive, and the modifications in the plans for the extension of the said driveway approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the dates above specified.

A. L. KLINE, JACOB BARTSCHERER, WILLIAM CLIFFORD, DAVID S. RENDT, MAX S. LEVINE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, Committee on Public Letting.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wentz, Wright; President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Work; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—61.

Alderman Sullivan called up Special Order No. 157, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1556.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on February 5, 1907 (Minutes, page 409), the annexed resolution authorizing the President of the Borough of Manhattan to enter into a supplemental agreement with John C. Rodgers modifying plans of sections 3 and 4 for the extension of Riverside drive, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they find that the extension of Riverside drive was authorized by an act of the State Legislature in 1897. This special act authorized the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to approve the plans for the proposed extension and to issue bonds to provide the necessary funds therefor without the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen. A change of plans, occasioned by changes in the grade of streets, etc., recommended by the City's Engineers and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, made it obligatory on the part of the contractor to get a supplemental contract with the City. The funds for this purpose were appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the contract about to be made when the Corporation Counsel advised that, under section 419 of the Charter, the Board of Aldermen's consent must be received before a supplemental contract could be agreed upon.

Mr. F. Stewart Williamson, the Consulting Engineer of the Riverside drive extension, appeared before the committee and stated that he believed the present contractors should receive the supplemental contract, as they were in a position to do the work cheaper and in a more satisfactory manner as to time, etc. If new people were to get the contract after public letting they would be required to construct a plant, which would mean delay. The present contractors already have a plant established and are familiar with the work. In view of these facts, your committee recommends the adoption of the said resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment having adopted a resolution on June 23, 1905, modifying the plans of sections Nos. 3 and 4 for the extension of Riverside drive, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and the Boulevard Lafayette; and

Whereas, The said Board having on November 23, 1906, approved certain further modifications in the plans for the extension of Riverside drive between the points above indicated;

Resolved, That, pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he hereby is authorized to enter into a supplemental agreement, without public letting, to an amount not exceeding four hundred and ninety-three thousand one hundred and twenty-nine dollars (\$493,129), with John C. Rodgers, the original contractor for the above-mentioned work, to carry into effect the original plans heretofore approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897, for the extension of Riverside drive, and the modifications in the plans for the extension of the said driveway approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the dates above specified.

A. L. KLINE, JACOB BARTSCHERER, WILLIAM CLIFFORD, DAVID S. RENDT, MAX S. LEVINE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, Committee on Public Letting.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Richter, Schloss, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wentz, Wright; President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—60.

Alderman Sullivan called up Special Order No. 170, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1791.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 783), the annexed communication from the County Clerk of Kings County, requesting authority to contract for binding certain public records without public letting, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That at a hearing on the above matter Chief Clerk Schultz, of the County Clerk's office, appeared before the committee and explained that under order from the Commissioner of Records the County Clerk was engaged in the work of binding into book form all of the bundled records in his office. He has already bound 250,000 papers, and estimates that with the appropriation of \$10,000 allowed him by the Board of Aldermen on March 26, 1907, he will be able to bind 1,000,000 more. To bring this system up to date will take from two to three years and will cost about \$25,000. Your committee believes that this is a greatly improved system, well worth the proposed cost and should be completed as quickly as possible, and therefore recommends the adoption of the annexed resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the County Clerk of Kings County be and he is hereby authorized to contract, without public letting, for the binding of certain public records in his office into book form at a cost not to exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

A. L. KLINE, F. J. O'NEILL, WILLIAM CLIFFORD, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, JACOB BARTSCHERER, Committee on Public Letting.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Olvany, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Richter, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—60.

Negative—Alderman Kuntze—1.



Alderman Redmond called up Special Order No. 159, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1673.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on March 12, 1907 (Minutes, page 637), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$2,160, to pay salaries of Laborers for caring for records, etc., in Surrogate's Court, County of Kings, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

Chief Clerk Pickett of the Surrogate's office appeared before the committee and explained the items as set forth specifically in the annexed request. With this money he will be able to complete the work of sorting and caring for the records of his new office.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of two thousand one hundred and sixty dollars (\$2,160), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to provide for the payment of the compensation of laborers employed in the work of caring for the records and performing other services in the Surrogate's Court of the County of Kings, in the Hall of Records, Borough of Brooklyn, New York.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, A. L. KLINE, JOHN DIEMER, JAMES W. REDMOND, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—60.

Alderman Hann called up Special Order No. 176, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1714—(G. O. No. 242).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on March 19, 1907 (Minutes, page 687), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$20,000, for use of the Register of Kings County for arranging and handling papers and books in his office, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

The Register appeared before your committee and stated that he had introduced a system whereby the papers recorded in his office were now brought practically down to date, although they had been over a year behind time when he took office, and also had introduced a system of having messengers personally deliver all of these papers back to the person who recorded them. The committee recognizes the great increase of work in this office during the past two or three years, owing to the large amount of real estate transfers, and they believe that some relief should be given. They therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying substitute resolution providing for ten thousand dollars for the purposes specified.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), for the use of the Register of Kings County, for the purpose of delivering papers and arranging and handling papers and books in his office.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) for the use of the Register of Kings County, for the purpose of delivering papers and arranging and handling papers and books in his office.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, JOHN DIEMER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, A. L. KLINE, JOSEPH FALK, Committee on Finance.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Brown, Bunting, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Fried, Grifenhagen, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Jacobson, Kline, Kuck, Levine, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Murphy, Redmond, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—33.

Negative—Alderman Kuntze—1.  
On motion of Alderman Hann, the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper was again laid over and made a General Order.

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES RESUMED.

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 1758.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 742), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing two grades in the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission at \$3,500 and \$2,400 respectively, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

The accompanying resolution affecting the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission provides an increase in salary of \$400 for the Medical Examiner, who has received his present salary since 1901. The incumbent does an extraordinary amount of efficient work, and is certainly entitled to an increase. The resolution also provides an increase in salary of \$500 for the Assistant Chief Examiner, Mr. Conway, who is well recommended to the committee. The committee recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment establishing the following grades of positions in the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Medical Examiner .....	1	\$2,400 00
Assistant Chief Examiner .....	1	3,500 00

—to take effect when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, the establishment of the following grades of positions, in the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Medical Examiner .....	1	\$2,400 00
Assistant Chief Examiner .....	1	3,500 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Sullivan moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Brown, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Ellery, Freeman, Fried, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Kuck, Kuntze, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—48.

At this point the Vice-Chairman took the chair.

No. 1745.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred, on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 736), the annexed resolution, in favor of fixing salaries of positions in the Department of Bridges, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

The Bridge Department is distinguished from other departments in that it has but one Secretary, instead of a secretary to the department and a private secretary to the Commissioner. Mr. Schiff, the Secretary to the Commissioner, has proved himself an efficient official, and \$4,000 does not seem to the committee too much salary under the circumstances. Commissioner Stevenson urged upon the committee the other increases, which are \$450 each to two Clerks, who hold unusually responsible positions, the one conducting the paying off of Laborers and the other the collecting of bridge tolls. The committee recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment establishing the following grades of positions in the Department of Bridges:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Secretary to Commissioner .....	1	\$4,000 00
Clerk .....	2	2,700 00

—to take effect when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Department of Bridges, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Secretary to Commissioner .....	1	\$4,000 00
Clerk .....	2	2,700 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Dowling moved the adoption of this report.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said substitute resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—50.

No. 1733.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred, on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 730), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions in the Department of Finance, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That this resolution covers more places than any other resolution which has been referred to your Committee, and we have given it extended and repeated consideration. Some of the important employees of the Department are given substantial increases in salary, and so far as merit is concerned the Committee thinks that these are deserved. As to the general principle of increasing salaries in the City's present financial condition the Committee is not so clear. The Deputy Comptrollers, both well known and competent officials, receive an increase of \$500 each, making their salary the same as that of a head of Department and the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. The Assistant Deputy Comptroller, Mr. Hubert L. Smith, is increased from \$5,000 to \$6,000. Mr. Smith is a mainstay of every Comptroller, and renders valuable services to the City aside from the ordinary routine of his position. The Collector of Assessments and Arrears and his Deputy, who receive an increase of \$500 each, have been in office but a short time, but have instituted reforms in their Bureau, and the Comptroller urges that the character of their work warrants the increased salaries. The other increases need not be specifically reviewed. The major portion of the resolution is made up of intermediate grades, which are valuable as affording an opportunity for intelligent and not too rapid promotion. The Committee has eliminated a number of added higher grades, which may in course of time prove desirable, but which we believe may be well omitted at the present time. The Committee has withheld its approval from certain proposed salaries which were in excess of those paid in any other Department. The Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying substitute resolution.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment establishing the following grades of positions in the Finance Department:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Deputy Comptroller .....	2	\$7,500 00
Assistant Deputy Comptroller .....	1	6,000 00
Collector of Assessments and Arrears .....	1	4,500 00
Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears .....	1	4,000 00
Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears .....	3	2,250 00
Chief Stock and Bond Clerk .....	1	5,000 00
Deputy Collector of City Revenue .....	1	2,500 00
City Paymaster .....	1	6,000 00
Deputy City Paymaster .....	1	2,750 00
Deputy City Paymaster .....	4	2,250 00
Examiner .....	1	3,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter .....	1	1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter .....	1	1,650 00
Typewriting Copyist .....	1	720 00
Typewriting Copyist .....	1	750 00



	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Typewriting Copyist .....	1	900 00
Expert Accountant .....	1	3,750 00
Accountant .....	2	1,650 00
Accountant .....	1	2,250 00
Accountant .....	1	2,400 00
Bookkeeper .....	1	2,550 00
Bookkeeper .....	1	2,850 00
Inspector of Masonry and Construction .....	1	1,200 00
Inspector of Repairs and Supplies .....	1	1,650 00
Transitman and Computer .....	1	1,650 00
Transitman and Computer .....	1	1,800 00
Examining Inspector .....	4	1,650 00
Clerk .....	1	3,000 00
Office Boy .....	4	420 00
Cashier .....	1	2,250 00
Statistician .....	1	1,200 00
Statistician .....	1	1,650 00
Leveler .....	1	1,350 00
Stenographer to Comptroller .....	1	1,500 00
Chemist .....	1	3,000 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	4	1,050 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	4	1,200 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	1,350 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	1,500 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	1,650 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	1,800 00

—to take effect when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

## (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Department of Finance, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Deputy Comptroller .....	2	\$7,500 00
Assistant Deputy Comptroller .....	1	6,000 00
Collector of Assessments and Arrears .....	1	4,500 00
Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears .....	1	4,000 00
Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears .....	3	2,250 00
Chief Stock and Bond Clerk .....	1	5,000 00
Deputy Collector of City Revenue .....	1	2,500 00
City Paymaster .....	1	6,000 00
Deputy City Paymaster .....	1	2,750 00
Deputy City Paymaster .....	4	2,250 00
Examiner .....	1	3,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter .....	1	1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter .....	1	1,650 00
Typewriting Copyist .....	1	720 00
Typewriting Copyist .....	1	750 00
Typewriting Copyist .....	1	900 00
Typewriting Copyist .....	1	1,050 00
Typewriting Copyist .....	1	1,200 00
Expert Accountant .....	2	3,750 00
Accountant .....	2	1,650 00
Accountant .....	1	2,250 00
Accountant .....	1	2,400 00
Bookkeeper .....	1	2,550 00
Bookkeeper .....	1	2,850 00
Inspector of Masonry and Construction .....	1	1,200 00
Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving .....	1	1,650 00
Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving .....	1	1,800 00
Inspector of Repairs and Supplies .....	1	1,650 00
Transitman and Computer .....	1	1,650 00
Transitman and Computer .....	1	1,800 00
Examining Inspector .....	4	1,650 00
Examining Inspector .....	1	1,800 00
Examining Inspector .....	1	1,950 00
Examining Inspector .....	1	2,100 00
Clerk .....	1	3,000 00
Bookbinder .....	1	1,500 00
Office Boy .....	4	420 00
Cashier .....	1	2,250 00
Deputy Receiver of Taxes .....	1	3,000 00
Statistician .....	1	1,200 00
Statistician .....	1	1,650 00
Statistician .....	1	1,800 00
Leveler .....	1	1,500 00

—and the establishment of the following positions in said Department, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Stenographer to Comptroller .....	1	\$1,500 00
Chemist .....	1	3,000 00
Assistant Chemist .....	1	1,500 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	4	1,050 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	4	1,200 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	1,350 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	1,500 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	1,650 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	1,800 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	2,100 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	2,550 00
Examiner of Sewer Claims .....	1	3,000 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Sullivan moved the adoption of this report.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said substitute resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Brown, Bunting, Collins, Cronin, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Downing, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Fried, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Leverett, Levine, Markert, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—46.

At this point the President resumed the chair.

Nos. 1769, 1825, 1946.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, April 9 and 30, 1907 (Minutes, pages 75, 630, 743), the annexed resolutions in favor of

fixing salaries of positions in the office of the Surrogate, New York County, respectfully

## REPORTS:

Surrogate Thomas appeared before the committee and urged the adoption of the resolution affecting his office. At his request the committee delayed action until the Board of Estimate and Apportionment had corrected an omission and sent to us a resolution providing for the salary of the Superintendent of Preservation of Public Records. The committee then secured the adoption by the Board of Aldermen of a resolution requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to limit the salary of \$10,000 for the Chief Clerk to the present incumbent, and the latter Board complied with the request. Mr. William V. Leary, the Chief Clerk, is known to the legal profession not only as a most efficient Clerk, but also as a lawyer learned in probate law who renders invaluable assistance to both Surrogates in the multiplied business of their court. The committee believes from its investigations that the other increases of salary provided by the resolution are justified. The committee recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

## (SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment establishing the following grades of positions in the office of the Surrogate, New York County:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Chief Clerk (for the present incumbent, William V. Leary, only) .....	1	\$10,000 00
Deputy Chief Clerk .....	1	5,000 00
First Law Assistant .....	1	4,300 00
Second Law Assistant .....	1	3,300 00
Third Law Assistant .....	1	3,300 00
Deputy Clerk of Court .....	1	2,250 00
Superintendent of Preservation of Public Records .....	1	1,800 00
Stenographer to Surrogate .....	1	1,500 00

—and the establishment of the position of Record Clerk in said office, with salary at the rate of \$1,000 per annum for two incumbents, to take effect when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

## (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held April 26, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Surrogate, New York County, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Chief Clerk (for the present incumbent, William V. Leary, only) .....	1	\$10,000 00
Deputy Chief Clerk .....	1	5,000 00
First Law Assistant .....	1	4,300 00
Second Law Assistant .....	1	3,300 00
Third Law Assistant .....	1	3,300 00
Deputy Clerk of Court .....	1	2,250 00
Stenographer to Surrogate .....	1	1,500 00

—and the establishment of the position of Record Clerk in said office, with salary at the rate of \$1,000 per annum for two incumbents, to take effect April 1, 1907.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Meyers moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling Doyle, Ellery, Farrell, Fried, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahearn, the Vice-Chairman and the President—52.

## No. 1945.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred, on April 30, 1907 (Minutes, page 628), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salaries of positions under President, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

## REPORTS:

The Committee refers to its report upon the original resolution, minutes of April 16, 1907, page 163. The Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

## (SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment establishing the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Private Secretary to President (for the present incumbent, John A. Heffernan, only) .....	1	\$4,000 00
Searcher .....	1	1,500 00

—to take effect when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

## (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held April 26, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Private Secretary to President (for the present incumbent, John A. Heffernan, only) .....	1	\$4,000 00
Searcher .....	1	1,500 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Meyers moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Brown, Bunting, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Farrell, Fried, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Leverett, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Morris, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt,



Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—44.

Nos. 1773 and 1854.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred, on March 26 and April 16, 1907 (Minutes, pages 748 and 131), the annexed resolutions in favor of fixing salaries of positions in the Law Department, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

The accompanying resolution provides an increase of \$400 in the salary of the Librarian of the Law Department, who has received his present salary for five years and has been in the Department for twenty-five years. His faithful services and efficient management of the library justify the increase. The resolution provides also for a new place of Bookkeeper, at \$2,000. The Committee is somewhat inclined to think that the salary is too high for a position just created, but in view of the fact that the action is taken under the advice of the Finance Department and in connection with the reorganization of the Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, and it is represented that a Bookkeeper is urgently needed, the Committee is willing to waive its own judgment. The original resolution created the position of Assistant to the Corporation Counsel at \$3,000, but the application for this has been withdrawn. The Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment establishing the following grades of positions in the Law Department:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Librarian .....	1	\$2,800 00
Bookkeeper .....	1	2,000 00

—to take effect when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Law Department, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Assistant Corporation Counsel.....	1	\$3,000 00
Librarian .....	1	2,800 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held April 12, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Bookkeeper in the Law Department, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per annum, for one (1) incumbent.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in the above resolution and fixes the salary of said position as set forth therein.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Meyers moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Farrell, Fried, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Krulish, Kuck, Leverett, Linde, Markert, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, Potter, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Coler, President Ahearn, the Vice-Chairman and the President—42.

No. 1756.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 741), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions in Tenement House Department, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

Because of a misunderstanding of a letter which it received from the Tenement House Commissioner, the Committee has delayed action upon this resolution, although it was convinced by the Commissioner when he appeared before it that the resolution should be approved. The only increases are in the cases of one Telephone Switchboard Operator and one Stenographer, \$150 each. The resolution creates the titles and grades of Plan Examiners for men who are now employed under other less appropriate titles. The resolution also provides for intermediate grades of Junior Clerks, and thereby will make economy in administration possible. The Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment establishing the following grades of positions in the Tenement House Department:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Telephone and Switchboard Operator.....	2	\$900 00
Plan Examiner .....	8	1,350 00
Plan Examiner .....	10	1,200 00
Plan Examiner .....	10	1,050 00
Junior Clerk .....	10	480 00
Junior Clerk .....	10	540 00
Junior Clerk .....	10	600 00
Stenographer .....	10	1,050 00

—to take effect when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the Tenement House Department, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Telephone and Switchboard Operator.....	2	\$900 00
Plan Examiner .....	8	1,350 00
Plan Examiner .....	10	1,200 00
Plan Examiner .....	10	1,050 00
Junior Clerk .....	10	480 00

Junior Clerk .....	10	540 00
Junior Clerk .....	10	600 00
Stenographer .....	10	1,050 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Meyers moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Fried, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn, the Vice-Chairman and the President—47.

No. 1760.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 743), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grades of two positions under the jurisdiction of the Armory Board at \$2,000 and \$1,500, respectively, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

The only objection that the Committee finds to the accompanying resolution lies in the existing titles, which are as complete misnomers as can be found upon the City payroll. The Committee has been assured by the Secretary of the Armory Board that an application will be made for a change to appropriate titles. The increases of salary are \$200 and \$300, respectively. The Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment establishing the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the Armory Board:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Assistant Clerk of the Works.....	1	\$2,000 00
Wireman .....	1	1,500 00

—to take effect when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the Armory Board, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Assistant Clerk of the Works.....	1	\$2,000 00
Wireman .....	1	1,500 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Meyers moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—48.

No. 1764.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 744), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salary of the position of Farm Hand under the jurisdiction of the Sheriff of Richmond County at \$360 per annum, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

It seems that the Sheriff of Richmond County requires the services of a Farm Hand in connection with the raising of food supplies for the prisoners under his charge. The proposed salary of \$360 is unobjectionable. The committee recommends that the accompanying substitute resolution be adopted.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment establishing the following grade of position under the jurisdiction of the Sheriff of Richmond County.

	Incumbent.	Per Annum.
Farm Hand .....	1	\$360 00

—to take effect when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Farm Hand under the jurisdiction of the Sheriff of Richmond County, with salary at the rate of three hundred and sixty dollars (\$360) per annum, for one (1) incumbent, to take effect April 1, 1907.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the above position as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Collins moved the adoption of this report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Callahan, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the President—47.



Report of Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers—

No. 1950.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on April 30, 1907 (Minutes, page 679), the annexed ordinance to prevent damage to pavements of the streets by waste materials from motor vehicles, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject and received the testimony of President Ahearn that the leakage from these vehicles wore holes in the asphalt, they recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to prevent damage to the pavements of the streets and thoroughfares by waste material from motor vehicles.

Be it Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

Section 1. Every motor car, cab, carriage, coach, truck or wagon, of whatever character or description, operated on the streets or thoroughfares of The City of New York whose propelling power derives its force from the use of any kind of oil, lubricant, or other material the nature of which emits a waste calculated to damage the pavements of the streets and thoroughfares, shall be equipped with a suitable drip can, receptacle or other device to catch such waste and prevent the same from falling to the pavement.

Sec. 2. Every failure to comply with the provisions of this ordinance on the part of the individual, firm, partnership or corporation owning, or on the part of any person or persons operating any motor car, cab, carriage, coach, truck or wagon, in The City of New York, shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof by any Magistrate, either upon confession of the party or by competent testimony, shall be punishable by a fine not less than five dollars (\$5) and not exceeding twenty-five dollars (\$25), and in default of payment of such fine by commitment to prison by said Magistrate until the same be paid; but such imprisonment shall not exceed ten days.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANK L. DOWLING, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, PATRICK S. KEELY, JOHN HANN, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

On motion of Alderman Brown this report was recommitted to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, with instructions to hold a public hearing.

SPECIAL ORDERS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Bunting called up Special Order No. 187, being a report and substitute resolution, as follows:

No. 1748.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 737), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions under President, Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORTS:

The committee, after hearing President Bermel, and an independent investigation, has reached the conclusion that the increase of salary of the Assistant Engineer in charge of the Topographical Bureau from \$3,000 to \$4,000 is justified, both by the great increase in the work of the bureau and by the present demand for engineers of ability. The rest of the resolution creates new positions, and the committee is not yet prepared to report as to them. The committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

(SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in so much of said resolution as fixes the salary of the grade of position of Assistant Engineer, Topographical Bureau, in the office of the President of Queens, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of \$4,000 per annum, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

(ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Assistant Engineer, Topographical Bureau, in the office of the President of Queens, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of \$4,000 per annum, to take effect April 1, 1907, and the establishment of the following positions, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum- bents.	Per Annum.
Confidential Inspector .....	I	\$2,000 00
Deputy Superintendent of Highways.....	I	2,000 00
Assistant Superintendent of Street Cleaning.....	I	2,000 00
Additional Chief Inspector of Buildings.....	I	2,000 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Alderman Ahner, Bunting, Callahan, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kenneally, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—42.

Alderman Meyers called up Special Order No. 189, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1757.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 741), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salaries of certain positions in the jurisdiction of the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, respectfully

REPORTS:

The committee has heard Dr. Brannan in support of the accompanying resolution which provides for the increases of a few minor salaries, and the addition of certain positions which will doubtless increase the effectiveness of the hospital force. The employment of a photographer at a fixed salary is expected to effect economy. The committee believes that the salaries provided are all reasonable, and recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum- bents.	Per Annum.
Contract Clerk .....	I	\$1,950 00
Assistant Superintendent .....	I	1,200 00
Foreman of Drivers.....	I	900 00
Ambulance Driver .....	I	600 00
Ambulance Driver .....	I	540 00

—and the establishment of the following positions under the jurisdiction of said Board of Trustees, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum- bents.	Per Annum.
Seamstress .....	I	\$360 00
Seamstress .....	I	300 00
Bookkeeper .....	I	1,200 00
Junior Clerk .....	I	480 00
Junior Clerk .....	I	540 00
Junior Clerk .....	I	600 00
Inspector of Sanitation and Ventilation.....	I	1,200 00
Photographer and X-ray Photographer.....	I	1,200 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Griffenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, Hann, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Levine, Linde, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—46.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman Meyers called up General Order No. 226, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1751.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred, on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 739), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salaries of two positions in the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, at \$1,950 and \$1,350, respectively, respectfully

REPORTS:

The Committee is advised by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, that he has no funds with which to pay the salary of the new position and the increase in an old position provided for by the accompanying resolution. The Committee is opposed to reporting favorably resolutions which will make necessary the issue of Special Revenue Bonds, and, therefore, recommends that this resolution be placed on file.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following position in the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum- bent.	Per Annum.
Leveler .....	I	\$1,350 00

—and the establishment of the grade of the position of Horticultural Draughtsman in said Department of Parks, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of nineteen hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,950) per annum for one (1) incumbent, to take effect April 1, 1907.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions at set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Alderman Meyers, as Chairman of the Committee on Salaries and Offices, moved to withdraw the report of said committee and to amend the resolution by striking out the words "April 1, 1907," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "when approved by the Mayor."

Which motion was adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Griffenhagen, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—45.

SPECIAL ORDERS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Davies called up Special Order No. 177, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1781.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 779), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$4,000, for purchase of an automobile for use of the District Attorney, Queens County, respectfully

REPORTS:

The committee has carefully considered this matter, but they cannot see why the District Attorney of Queens County or any other County should require the permanent use of an automobile for official business. They believe that in the future automobile applications should be granted only when great necessity is shown for same. They therefore recommend that this resolution be placed on file.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of four thousand dollars (\$4,000), the proceeds thereof to be applied to the purchase of an automobile for the use of the District Attorney of Queens County.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, JOHN DIEMER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, A. L. KLINE, Committee on Finance.

Which report was accepted.

GENERAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Alderman Dowling called up General Orders Nos. 219, 239 and 240, and offered substitute resolution, as follows:

No. 1978.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw warrants as follows:

One in favor of the New York Telephone Company, for one hundred and ninety-three dollars and seventeen cents (\$193.17), being for telephone service furnished to the office of the City Clerk for the three months ending March 31, 1907.

One in favor of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, for one hundred and seventeen dollars and seventy-one cents (\$117.71), being for telephone service furnished to the rooms of the Board of Aldermen in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the three months ending March 31, 1907.

One in favor of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company for twenty-nine dollars and eighty-three cents (\$29.83), being for telephone service furnished to the office of the City Clerk in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the three months ending March 31, 1907.



One in favor of James H. English & Son, for eight dollars (\$8), being for binding and interleaving four copies of the Code of Ordinances for use of City Clerk's offices.

One in favor of the Martin B. Brown Company for seven dollars (\$7) being for printing fifty "Notice" hangers for use of Committee on Codification of Ordinances.

One in favor of the Tablet and Ticket Company for fifteen dollars (\$15), being for ten thousand black figures to be used in marking file cases in office of City Clerk.

The said several sums to be payment in full for all services rendered or supplies furnished and to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies, 1907."

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, O'Neill, Reardon, Rendt, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—47.

Alderman Dowling called up General Orders Nos. 216 and 222, and offered substitute resolution, as follows:

No. 1979.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw warrants as follows:

One in favor of the New York Telephone Company for two hundred and seven dollars and eighty-six cents (\$207.86), being for telephone service furnished to the office of the City Clerk for the three months ending December 31, 1906.

One in favor of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company for two hundred and twenty dollars and ninety-seven cents (\$220.97), being for telephone service furnished to the rooms of the Board of Aldermen in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the three months ending December 31, 1906.

One in favor of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company for thirty-three dollars and thirty-two cents (\$33.32), being for telephone service furnished to the office of the City Clerk in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the three months ending December 31, 1906.

One in favor of the J. W. Pratt Company for two hundred and ninety-eight dollars (\$298), being for printing and binding three hundred copies of the "Manual of the Board of Aldermen, 1906-1907," including charges for work other than that included in original estimate (as set forth in annexed bill).

The said several sums to be payment in full for all services rendered or supplies furnished and to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies, 1906."

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Harnischfeger, Herold, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Reardon, Rendt, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—47.

Alderman Dowling called up General Orders Nos. 234, 235, 236, 237 and 238, being reports and ordinances, as follows:

No. 929.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred, on June 19, 1906 (Minutes, page 1004), the annexed ordinance in favor of fixing the width of roadway of Ninety-first street, between Third and Seventh avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

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

They therefore recommend that the annexed substitute ordinance be adopted.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

AN ORDINANCE to fix the width of the roadway of Ninety-first street, between Third and Fifth avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

That the width of the roadway of Ninety-first street, between Third and Fifth avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby fixed at twenty-eight feet from curb line to curb line, the centre of said roadway to coincide with the centre of said street as laid down upon the map of The City of New York.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

AN ORDINANCE to fix roadway of Ninety-first street, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained that the width of the roadway of Ninety-first street, between Third and Fifth avenues, be and is hereby fixed at 28 feet from curb line to curb line, the centre of said roadway to coincide with the centre of said street as laid down upon the map of The City of New York.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, HARRY L. LEVERETT, FRANK L. DOWLING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, JOHN HANN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Davies, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kline, Krulish, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Noonan, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—40.

No. 927.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred, on June 19, 1906 (Minutes, page 1003), the annexed ordinance in favor of fixing the width of the roadway of Eighty-eighth street, between Fourth and Seventh avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

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

They therefore recommend that the annexed substitute ordinance be adopted.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

AN ORDINANCE fixing the width of the roadway of Eighty-eighth street, between Fourth and Seventh avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

That the width of the roadway of Eighty-eighth street, between Fourth and Seventh avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby fixed at 28 feet from curb line to curb line, the centre of said roadway to coincide with the centre of said street as laid down upon the map of The City of New York.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

AN ORDINANCE to fix width of Eighty-eighth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained that the width of the roadway of Eighty-eighth street, between Fourth and Seventh avenues, be and is hereby fixed at twenty-eight feet from curb line to curb line, the centre of said roadway to coincide with the centre of said street as laid down upon the map of The City of New York.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, HARRY L. LEVERETT, FRANK L. DOWLING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, JOHN HANN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Davies, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kline, Krulish, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Noonan, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—40.

No. 928.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred, on June 19, 1906 (Minutes, page 1004), the annexed ordinance in favor of fixing the width of the roadway of Ninetieth street, between Third and Seventh avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

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

They therefore recommend that the annexed substitute ordinance be adopted.

#### (SUBSTITUTE.)

AN ORDINANCE fixing the width of the roadway of Ninetieth street, between Third and Seventh avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

That the width of the roadway of Ninetieth street, between Third and Seventh avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and is hereby fixed at 28 feet, from curb line to curb line, the centre of said roadway to coincide with the centre of said street, as laid down upon the map of The City of New York.

#### (ORIGINAL.)

Be it Ordained that the width of the roadway of Ninetieth street, between Third and Seventh avenues, be and is hereby fixed at 28 feet, from curb line to curb line, the centre of said roadway to coincide with the centre of said street, as laid down upon the map of The City of New York.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, HARRY L. LEVERETT, FRANK L. DOWLING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, JOHN HANN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Davies, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kline, Krulish, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Noonan, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—40.

No. 1848.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on April 9, 1907 (Minutes, page 125), the annexed ordinance in favor of fixing the width of the roadway of West Seventeenth street, between Canal avenue and Surf avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to fix the width of the roadway and sidewalks of West Seventeenth (17th) street, between Canal avenue and Surf avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:

That the width of the roadway of West Seventeenth (17th) street, between Canal avenue and Surf avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby fixed at thirty-two (32) feet, the curb lines to be parallel with and sixteen (16) feet distant from the centre line of said street as laid down on the map of The City of New York, the sidewalks each to be fourteen (14) feet in width from building line to curb.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, HARRY L. LEVERETT, FRANK L. DOWLING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, JOHN HANN, THOMAS D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Davies, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kline, Krulish, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Noonan, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—40.

No. 1849.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred, on April 9, 1907 (Minutes, page 126), the annexed ordinance in favor of fixing the roadway of Coney Island avenue, between Kings highway and Neptune avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to fix the width of the roadway and sidewalks of Coney Island avenue, between Kings highway and Neptune avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:

That the width of the roadway of Coney Island avenue, between Kings highway and Neptune avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby fixed at fifty (50) feet, the curb lines to be parallel with and twenty-five (25) feet distant from the centre line of said street as laid down on the map of The City of New York, the sidewalks each to be twenty-five (25) feet in width, from building line to curb.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, HARRY L. LEVERETT, FRANK L. DOWLING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, JOHN HANN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

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



Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bunting, Callahan, Collins, Davies, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Kline, Krulish, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Noonan, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—40.

# MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 1980.

By the President—

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds:

By the President—

Joseph Hartigan, No. 15 Central Park West, Manhattan.  
Abraham Rosenstein, No. 302 West One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Manhattan.

Frank Schilling, No. 513 East Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan.  
Isaac Portman, No. 417 East Eleventh street, Brooklyn.  
John R. Gillespie, No. 1633 East Thirteenth street, Brooklyn.  
Lewis B. Alterman, No. 135 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Annie Levy, No. 1739 Madison avenue, Manhattan.  
H. Schieffelin Sayers, No. 166 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Ahner—

Eli M. DeGroot, No. 122 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Manhattan.  
Domnick Lauria, No. 161 East One Hundred and Tenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Bunting—

Edwin P. Roe, Eighteenth street, Whitestone, Queens.  
J. Frank Ryan, No. 34 Locust street, Flushing, Queens.  
Harriet E. Ketchum, No. 11 Thirteenth street, Whitestone, Queens.  
John F. Gowell, No. 592 Sanford avenue, Flushing, Queens.  
James Von Sholly, Flushing, Long Island, Queens.

By Alderman Callahan—

A. C. Deutzman, No. 223 West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Clifford—

Chas. D. Appenzeller, No. 85 West Amity street, Flushing, Queens.

By Alderman Dowling—

Simon Anhalt, No. 321 West Twenty-eighth street, Manhattan.  
Frank F. Groff, No. 252 West Twenty-first street, Manhattan.  
James A. Starr, No. 243 West Twenty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

William A. Wellwood, No. 350 Fulton street, Brooklyn.  
George W. Bramm, No. 297 Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Davies—

M. J. Wright, No. 611 West One Hundred and Twelfth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Isidor Oliner, No. 747 Sixth street, Manhattan.  
Benjamin Friedman, No. 344 East Houston street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Dinwoodie—

Christian Schieck, No. 1166 Forest avenue, Bronx.  
Oscar Heimstadt, East Two Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, Williamsbridge, Bronx.

By Alderman Everson—

John J. Kelly, No. 75 Ryerson street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Ellery—

Robt. Mullins, Jr., No. 35 Halsey street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Farrell—

Hugh A. O'Hare, No. 733 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.  
John Kingston, No. 185 West One Hundred and Second street, Manhattan.  
G. Ridler, No. 644 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.  
Maurice M. Greenstein, No. 225 East Fifty-third street, Manhattan.  
A. Billow, No. 176 Forsyth street, Manhattan.  
Miles Rosenbluth, No. 299 Broadway, Manhattan.  
William C. Butler, No. 1142 Madison avenue, Manhattan.  
Thomas J. Johnston, No. 62 Prospect place, Manhattan.  
Samuel L. Weyl, No. 1559 Madison avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Fried—

Anna Marie Karr, No. 660 Forty-seventh street, Brooklyn.  
Emmanuel A. Eichner, No. 193 Second avenue, Manhattan.  
Morris Leight, Nos. 119 and 121 Nassau street, Manhattan.  
Jacob Singer, No. 304 Madison street, Manhattan.  
Adolf Rosenfeld, No. 140 Rivington street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Falk—

Simon H. Kugel, No. 1394 Eastern parkway, Brooklyn.  
Martin G. Peterson, No. 8 Snediker avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Gunther—

Alfred L. Seaver, No. 179 Eighth avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Haggerty—

Philip Voelcker, No. 340 East Eighty-sixth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Hann—

David J. Daly, No. 609 Rogers avenue, Brooklyn.  
Alfred J. Patterson, No. 1222 Dean street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Herold—

James H. Cornell, Jr., Richmond Hill, Queens.  
James R. McNally, No. 643 Second avenue, Long Island City, Queens.  
I. James Von Sholly, No. 23 Main street, Flushing, Queens.

By Alderman Kuck—

George Banks, No. 470 Hamburg avenue, Brooklyn.  
Harry C. Wingate, No. 1462 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.  
P. H. Taylor, No. 84 Broadway, Brooklyn.  
Daniel O'Reilly, No. 28 Fourth place, Brooklyn.  
William H. Lockwood, No. 313 Decatur street, Brooklyn.  
H. M. Jacobson, No. 428 St. Marks avenue, Brooklyn.  
Albert C. Spooner, No. 262 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.  
Charles G. Gall, No. 229 Van Sinclair avenue, Brooklyn.  
Samuel Richman, No. 303 Neptune avenue, Brooklyn.  
Abraham H. Kesselman, No. 311 Grove street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Leverett—

Henry Schwiebert, No. 311 East Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Levine—

Elias Guthertz, Nos. 49 and 51 Stanton street, Manhattan.  
Louis Joseph, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan.  
Herman Scheidlinger, No. 128 St. Mark's place, Manhattan.

By Alderman Linde—

Louis W. Beveridge, Fortieth street and Fort Hamilton avenue, Brooklyn.  
W. W. Richards, No. 358 Adelphi street, Brooklyn.  
Ralph Borino, No. 231 Rockaway avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Lawlor—

Timothy J. Ryan, Park Row building, Manhattan.  
Ira I. Goldsmith, No. 226 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Murphy—

Thomas Bell, Jr., No. 628 East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, Bronx.  
Charles M. Harper, No. 1824 Washington avenue, Bronx.

By Alderman Mulligan—

Tiberio Gambacorta, Two Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and Barners avenue, Bronx.  
Emanuele Burlando, Public Square, Williamsbridge, Bronx.

By Alderman Meyers—

Louis Levy, No. 2322 Seventh avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Olvany—

Edward J. Scully, No. 64 Sixth avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Potter—

S. Bishop Marks, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.  
Samuel Richman, No. 303 Neptune avenue, Brooklyn.  
Jos. A. Walsh, West Eighth and Eighty-sixth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Reardon—

Paul Feibel, No. 446 East Seventy-ninth street, Manhattan.  
Jos. F. Clark, No. 1260 Third avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Redmond—

James F. McEvoy, No. 44 Court street, Brooklyn.  
Joseph J. B. La Marsh, No. 92 Sterling place, Brooklyn.  
John B. Moseley, No. 164 Montague street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Rendt—

Charles H. Merrell, No. 82 South avenue, Richmond.

By Alderman Sullivan—

Saml. L. Frooks, No. 225 Chrystie street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Stapleton—

John W. Kennedy, No. 21 Park row, Manhattan.  
John R. Heinzelman, No. 114 Centre street, Manhattan.  
Thomas F. Bannon, No. 21 Park row, Manhattan.

By Alderman Smith—

Louis Levine, No. 317 East Forty-first street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wafer—

Humphrey Y. Cummins, No. 219 Union street, Brooklyn.  
Thomas J. Williams, No. 267 Carroll street, Brooklyn.  
John M. Celcis, No. 60 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wentz—

Charles S. Osborn, No. 487 East Sixteenth street, Brooklyn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Cole, Cronin, Davies, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, Hann, Herold, Kline, Krulish, Kuntze, Levine, Linde, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—41.

No. 1981.

By the same—

Whereas, The earliest records of The City of New York are in an excellent state of preservation, those of the Dutch period, i. e., 1653 to 1674, having been translated and printed, and those of the English period, i. e., 1675 to 1776, having been edited and also printed, and are contained in the City Library; and

Whereas, Efforts have been begun to secure for the City the records for the period covering the years from 1776 to 1784, which, when secured, it is believed will also be printed; and

Whereas, The only records not printed are those for the period covering the years from 1784 to 1831, since the latter year of which they have been printed annually, said records being in manuscript form and in perfect preservation; therefore

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, the proceeds whereof shall be expended under the direction of the City Clerk for the purpose of editing, printing and binding the records of The City of New York for the period covering the years 1784 to 1831, as contained in manuscript form in the City Library and the office of the City Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1982.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Whereas, There is an apparent tendency on the part of many automobilists to disregard the speeding ordinance at night, as will be noted by the accompanying correspondence; therefore

Resolved, That the Committee on Laws and Legislation be and it hereby is instructed to take under consideration the tentative ordinance hereto appended, and to recommend to this Board such remedial legislation as by the committee is deemed wise and prudent.

April 25, 1907.

Hon. THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner, No. 300 Mulberry Street, City:

Dear Sir—I am led to believe that automobilists are especially reckless at night, constantly disregarding the speeding ordinance.

This mainly because the numbers on the autos are not readily discernible, and hence liability of detection and subsequent arrest are minimized. Will you kindly inform me to what extent this difficulty exists, as it is my purpose to advocate the adoption of an ordinance that will necessitate the use of illuminated numbers at night on all automobiles.

Very truly yours,

ELIAS GOODMAN.

Police Department of The City of New York,  
No. 300 Mulberry Street,  
New York, April 27, 1907.

Mr. ELIAS GOODMAN, City Hall, New York City:

Sir—Replying to yours of April 25. You are correct in believing that automobilists are especially reckless at night. I should think that illuminated numbers to be used at night would be very helpful.

Very truly yours,

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.



## (Tentative Ordinance Recommended.)

Police Department of The City of New York, }  
No. 300 Mulberry Street, New York. }

## Ordinance for the Board of Aldermen, Greater New York.

It shall not be lawful for the owner or any person operating a public or private automobile in the streets or public places of the built-up portions of the City, to exhibit a light of greater dimension than 20-candle power.

Every such public or private automobile shall carry on the rear of such vehicle an illuminated lamp showing the registration number, and in no case shall such lamp show more than one registration number, or be suspended from such vehicle lower than twelve inches from the ground, the numbers to be not less than three inches in height.

It shall not be lawful for the owner or any employee of any sight-seeing automobile to use any searchlight, calcium light or electrical appliance for the purpose of illuminating the streets or buildings or objects along its route. Every such sight-seeing automobile shall exhibit two lamps showing white lights, visible at a distance of 300 feet in the direction toward which the automobile is proceeding. All such lamps shall not exceed, within the built-up portion of the City, 20-candle power, and shall also exhibit a red light in the reverse direction and an illuminated lamp, showing the license number of such automobile.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

No. 1983.

By Alderman Cronin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the John J. Cronin Association to parade through the streets and thoroughfares of the territory bounded by Seventy-ninth street, Third avenue, Thirty-fourth street and the East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, on Saturday, June 1, 1907, under the direction of the Police Department; said permission to continue only for the day and date herein mentioned.

Which was adopted.

No. 1984.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Fred's Association to parade through the streets and thoroughfares of the territory bounded by Fifty-ninth street, Park avenue, Thirty-fourth street and the East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, on Saturday, May 11, 1907, under the direction of the Police Department; said permission to continue only for the day and date herein mentioned.

Which was adopted.

No. 1985.

By Alderman Hann—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Chas. Fulling to place and keep a watering trough on the corner of Nostrand avenue and Robinson street, in the Borough of Brooklyn; the work to be done and the water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 1986.

By Alderman Kuck—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and the same lighted, in front of the Church of Our Lady of the Peace, on Carroll street, between Third and Fourth avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 1987.

By Alderman Kuntze—

Whereas, The Women's Municipal League are desirous of presenting a drinking fountain to the City, to be erected and maintained at the City's expense at Third avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, in the Borough of The Bronx; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and he is hereby requested to erect and maintain said fountain at the place above mentioned.

Which was adopted.

No. 1988.

By Alderman Leverett—

Whereas, The station of the elevated railroad on the easterly or uptown side, at Third avenue and Eighty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, has insufficient means of ingress and egress, there being but one stairway leading to it; and

Whereas, With the constantly increasing population in said locality, together with the increased traffic from the ferry at the foot of East Ninety-second street, there is a reasonable demand for more adequate facilities at the said station; therefore

Resolved, That the attention of the State Board of Railroad Commissioners is hereby directed to the conditions prevailing at the easterly or uptown station of the elevated railroad at Third avenue and Eighty-ninth street, with the request that such action may be taken as will afford the relief herein sought.

Which was adopted.

No. 1989.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to I. Feinberg to place and keep a watering trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 223 West Twenty-seventh street, in the Borough of Manhattan; the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted, Alderman Meyers voting in the negative.

No. 1990.

By Alderman Linde—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that a watering trough be erected and maintained on the sidewalk near the curb at the northwest corner of Seventh avenue and Sixtieth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 1991.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That it be and is hereby respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that an improved iron drinking fountain be erected and maintained at the corner of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Jerome avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 1992.

By Alderman Murphy—

Resolved, That it be and is hereby recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that an improved iron drinking fountain be erected and maintained in front of the premises No. 1647 West Farms road, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 1993.

By Alderman O'Neill—

Resolved, That it be and is hereby respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that a watering trough be erected and maintained at the northwest corner of Freeman street and the Southern boulevard, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

## MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

No. 1994.

City of New York—Office of the Mayor, }  
May 6, 1907. }

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—It is my duty to inform your Honorable Body, for such action as you may deem fitting, of the death of Patrick Keenan, Chamberlain of The City of New York.

For seven consecutive terms a member of your Honorable Body, once your Presiding Officer, once Clerk of the County of New York, and thrice Chamberlain of the City, Mr. Keenan enjoyed public confidence to an extent attained by few men. He died in the fullness of man's allotted years, with no tarnish on the honor he prized so much, and with only words of grief and praise from the friends who venerated him and the citizens he faithfully served.

It is my privilege to express my sorrow at the loss of a friend whose conduct rewarded the trust I twice had the honor to repose in him.

Respectfully,

GEO. B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

In connection therewith President Ahearn, of the Borough of Manhattan, arose and said:

"I rise to add but a word to the deserved tribute to the memory of Patrick Keenan expressed in the message of his Honor the Mayor, which has just been read. Words fail me at this time in endeavoring to express the overwhelming grief I feel in his death.

"He died in the fullness of years and honors. He rounded out the allotted years of man—three score and ten—and never once in this city of his love and service of approximately a half a century has there been aught said of him that reflected other than honor on his intention and action.

"He was formed in a noble mould. There was nothing in him that was small. He was incapable of a mean or base action. His word was unhesitatingly accepted by all men. He was the soul of honor and integrity. His heart was so big, so generous, so charitable it included all manner and conditions of men within its embracing folds.

"From my early manhood he was my one faithful, unfailing, constant friend, whom neither time nor circumstances could change. Whatever success I may have met with I owe it in largest measure to the friendship and assistance of this noble, generous, unselfish man, and in his death I lose such a friend as it is given but few on earth to possess.

"His life was gentle; and the elements so mixed in him that nature might stand up and say to all the world: 'This was a man.'

In further connection with the above Alderman Sullivan offered the following:

No. 1995.

Whereas, Divine Providence has seen fit to remove

**Hon. Patrick Keenan,**

for fifty years an active and prominent figure in the life of New York; and

Whereas, In his capacity as Alderman, President of the Board of Aldermen, County Clerk, and City Chamberlain, Patrick Keenan brought to the discharge of his various duties a ripe intelligence, a high order of civic righteousness, and a kindly presence; and

Whereas, Patrick Keenan in his allotted three score and ten years, most of which were spent in this city, saw and aided in the marvelous development of this great metropolis; was known to hundreds of thousands of people; was alert, suave, kindly, vigorous and truthful, and goes to his long rest amid the sincere sorrowing of the multitude; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, deplore the death of Hon. Patrick Keenan, and offer to his surviving relatives our deep sympathy in their bereavement; that a copy of these resolutions suitably engrossed and duly authenticated by the City Clerk, be forwarded to the family of the deceased; and be it further

Resolved, That as an additional mark of respect this Board do now adjourn.

Which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, May 14, 1907, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk, and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

## REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS, APRIL 15 TO 21, 1907.

## Communications Received.

From the Mayor—Acknowledging receipt of report for quarter ending March 31, 1907, which has been transmitted to the CITY RECORD for publication.

On file.

From the Comptroller—Receipt for security deposits, accompanying proposals for new roof to workhouse, Blackwell's Island, opened April 18, 1907.

On file.

From the Comptroller—Reporting that a voucher in favor of the Steel Clad Wood Specialty Company, transmitted by Department of Correction, has been lost or mislaid, and asking for duplicate of same.

Duplicate voucher transmitted by General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting that meats, fish, bread, milk, etc., for week ending April 13, 1907, agreed with specifications of the contracts.

On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reports, census, labor, hospital cases, punishments, etc., for week ending April 13, 1907.

On file.

From City Prison—Report of fines received, week ending April 13, 1907:

From Court of Special Sessions.....	\$445 00
From City Magistrates' Court.....	83 00

Total.....	\$528 00
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On file.

From City Prison—Death, on April 14, 1907, of Kate Nagle, committed for vagrancy, age 34 years.

On file.



From District Prisons—Report of fines received week ending April 13, 1907: From City Magistrates' Courts, \$465.

On file.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—List of prisoners received during week ending April 13, 1907: Men, 39.

On file.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Warden transmits certificate so that the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School may purchase socks in open market, the Penitentiary not being prepared to furnish them at present.

Forwarded to Superintendent of the School.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Calling attention to advertisement of the Fire Department for brushes.

Request Fire Commissioner to send in orders for brooms and brushes needed by his Department, as the Manufacturing Bureau is now prepared to make same.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Reporting that gas company commenced but has not completed necessary change in meter, and that more light is needed in shops.

On file. (Attended to.)

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Request of J. Moynahan, Keeper, to be allowed to take a portion of his vacation, April 22 to 29, 1907. Request approved by Warden.

Granted.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Reporting that fines paid at the Workhouse during week ending April 13, 1907, amounted to \$65.

On file.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Warden transmits telegram from Philadelphia "Bureau of Detectives," announcing capture of a "prisoner from Blackwell's Island." Prisoner was picked up by a tugboat in East river.

Captain Donaghy, of the Detective force, notified that no prisoner has escaped from any of the institutions of the Department of Correction.

From Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island—Deaths at Hart's Island:

On April 13, 1907, George Leach, aged 51 years. Friends notified.

On April 14, 1907, Patrick Lackin (or Lackey), aged 72 years. Friends notified.

On file.

From City Cemetery—List of interments for week ending April 13, 1907.

On file.

From B. J. Feldman—In regard to loss of security deposit of \$450.

Receipt acknowledged. Writer informed that matter of deposits on bids, and their forfeiture, if terms are not complied with, are strictly in the hands of the Finance Department.

From Warren & Wetmore, Architects—Questions in regard to certain conditions in plans of competition for new penitentiary.

Answers to questions of Messrs. Warren & Wetmore sent to all competing architects. Only four (4) tiers of cells to be allowed for. The Department of Docks and Ferries will have charge of landings.

#### Communications Transmitted.

To Heads of Institutions—Notified that vacations of employees may begin May 1, 1907.

To Heads of Institutions—Transmitting efficiency record books received from Civil Service Commission for use in all institutions of the Department.

To Civil Service Commission—Requesting nominations to fill one position of Keeper, at \$800 per annum.

To Civil Service Commission—Asking permission to reinstate Annie Trainor (resigned December, 1906) as Orderly, at \$400 per annum, in the Department.

To the Comptroller—Transmitting proposal of William Horne Company for general repairs to north prison building, Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, for action on the sureties, same being the lowest bid received.

#### Proposal Accepted.

Of April 16, 1907, of T. J. Cummins Plumbing Company, to do the following work on airing court floor: Furnish and install three water closets, one urinal range and one large sink. Also slate floor and enclosure, sanitary flooring, hardwood door, all waste and water connections, as per specifications, for \$855.

#### Appointed.

Peter F. Golden, Stoker, at \$912, at Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island, to date from April 22, 1907.

George O'Rourke, Hospital Helper, at Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island, at \$600 per annum, to date from April 18, 1907.

Louis W. Hauser, Orderly, at \$240, at Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, to date from April 17, 1907.

William McPherson, Orderly, at \$240, at Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, to date from April 20, 1907.

All the above departmental examinations.

#### Salary Increased.

Of John F. Gibbons, Private Secretary, from \$1,500 to \$2,500 per annum, to date from April 9, 1907.

#### Dismissed.

Edward P. King, Orderly, at \$240, at Workhouse, to date from April 16, 1907, for intoxication while on duty.

James E. Anderson, Stoker, at \$912, Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island, to date from April 19, 1907, for intoxication while on duty.

#### Transferred.

William Walsh, Keeper, at \$1,200, from Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, to City Prison, to date from April 16, 1907.

Thomas F. Robinson, Shoemaker, at \$800, from Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, to New York City Reformatory, Hart's Island, to date from April 16, 1907.

Timothy W. Saunders, Hospital Helper, at \$480, from New York City Reformatory, Hart's Island, to Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, to date from April 16, 1907.

Salaries unchanged.

JOHN V. COGGEY, Commissioner.

## BOARD OF REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS.

A meeting of the Board of Revision of Assessments was held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Thursday, May 2, 1907, at 2.15 o'clock p. m.

Present—N. Taylor Phillips, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; George L. Sterling, Assistant and Acting Corporation Counsel, and Lawson Purdy, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

On motion of the Assistant and Acting Corporation Counsel the minutes of meeting of April 18, 1907, were approved as printed in the CITY RECORD.

### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

#### Regulating, etc., Seventy-fifth Street.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the assessment list for regulating, grading, curbing and recurb-ing Seventy-fifth street, between Second avenue and Shore road, with application for award for damages, and objections of Christian H. Schultheis, filed by Joseph A. Flannery, attorney, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of April 19, 1907.

Mr. Tobias, attorney, representing Mr. Flannery, attorney, was heard in regard to his claim for an award for damages.

On motion of the Assistant and Acting Corporation Counsel the objections filed against the assessment were overruled and the assessment list was confirmed, all the members voting in the affirmative.

### Paving Hale Avenue.

The assessment list for paving with asphalt on a concrete foundation Hale avenue, between Jamaica avenue and Fulton street, and objections of Henry Wilhelm, owner, were presented by the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of April 19, 1907.

Mr. Wilhelm was heard in opposition to the assessment.

On motion of the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments the objections filed against the assessment were overruled and the assessment list was confirmed, all the members voting in the affirmative.

### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

#### Regulating, etc., Clay Avenue.

The assessment list for regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in Clay avenue, from Park avenue to Webster avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade, and objections as follows:

Thomas Morris and others, by Truman H. & George E. Baldwin, attorneys; Charles Greitte and others, by Thomas R. Lane, attorney; Margaret L. Zborowski, as executrix, and others, by John F. Lambias, attorney; Joseph Wuytack, by Thomas S. Bassford, attorney; Floyd M. Lord and others, by Wm. F. Burrough, attorney, also copy of testimony taken in said matter, were presented by the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of April 19, 1907.

Mr. Burrough, attorney, and Mr. Lambias, attorney, were heard in opposition to the assessment charged against the property of their clients. Mr. Bassford, attorney, appeared by representative.

No others appearing in opposition after notice, on motion of the Assistant and Acting Corporation Counsel, the objections filed against the assessment were overruled and the assessment list was confirmed, all the members voting in the affirmative.

### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

#### Regulating, Paving, etc., Bay Sixteenth Street.

The assessment list for regulating, grading, paving with macadam, curbing, laying crosswalks and paving gutters on Bay Sixteenth street, from Cropsey avenue to Eighty-sixth street, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade, and applications for awards for damages, and objections of Margaret P. Tufts and others, trustees of estate of Wm. E. Tufts, estate of Imogene C. Fales and others, were presented by the Deputy and Acting Comptroller, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of April 26, 1907.

Mrs. M. C. Welsch, Mrs. M. A. Swanton and Mrs. M. T. Tufts were heard in opposition to the assessment.

On motion of the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments the further hearing in the matter was adjourned two weeks, all the members voting in the affirmative.

### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

#### Reregulating, Regrading, etc., Edgecombe Avenue.

The assessment list for reregulating, regrading, recurb-ing and reflagging Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, in which matter the hearing of the objections filed against the assessment was had at meeting held April 18, 1907, and the decision of the Board reserved until the next meeting, on motion, was taken up.

The following memorandum of decision of the Board in said matter was handed down by the Assistant and Acting Corporation Counsel, to wit:

#### Before the Board of Revision of Assessments.

Memorandum as to Assessment List No. 8993, for reregulating, regrading, recurb-ing and reflagging Edgecombe avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.

This assessment came before the Board of Revision of Assessments on April 18, 1907, and after a long hearing on the objections, decision was reserved.

At the meeting of the said Board held May 2, 1907, it handed down the following memorandum:

We think that this assessment should be treated in a somewhat different manner than was proposed by the Board of Assessors.

The total of the proposed assessment is.....	\$181,480 40
We think there should be deducted from this amount the item	
for rebuilding retaining wall, amounting to.....	\$17,469 00
One-half of the expenses, to wit.....	11,217 41

Total deduction .....	28,686 41
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Balance .....	\$152,793 99
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There should be assessed on the private property deemed benefited, one-half of this amount, to wit.....

From this should be deducted, however, enough to cover any possible illegalities in the including of new paving, curbing and flagging, and to make some allowance for the fact that the wall was no doubt more expensively constructed for ornamental purposes than would have been necessary in order to simply serve as a retaining wall. This sum we estimate at.....	8,396 99
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Leaving thus a balance to be assessed upon the private property of.....	\$68,000 00
The remainder of the total expense is.....	113,480 40

This it will be necessary that The City of New York shall bear, in the shape of an assessment upon Colonial Park.

We think that in this way we have eliminated even more than can be possibly claimed to be illegal. We see no reason for the Board exercising its general equitable powers in reducing the assessment upon private property any further. The property owners west of this avenue have been rather fortunate than otherwise in escaping expenses for local improvements that might have been imposed upon them. No assessment was made for the acquisition of Colonial Park upon which their property fronts.

The assessment for building the previous retaining wall and Edgecombe avenue, as they formerly existed, was largely reduced in effect through compromises and through the refunding of a considerable part thereof. The work of constructing Edgecombe avenue to the present grade was not rendered any more expensive by the fact that it was done at two different times; that was rather for the benefit of the property owners than otherwise.

We also think that in reapportioning the assessment, it is at least questionable whether any regard should be paid to the quantity of work that was done in front of a particular lot. The principle should of course be that the property assessed should be assessed in proportion to and according to the benefit received from the improvement.

The assessment is therefore referred back to the Board of Assessors for reapportionment in accordance with the foregoing.

—which, on motion, was unanimously agreed to.

At 3.05 o'clock p. m., on motion of the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, the Board adjourned to meet on May 9, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

HENRY J. STORRS,

Chief Clerk, Board of Revision of Assessments.



Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending April 20, 1907.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,  
NEW YORK, April 27, 1907.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

DP. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending April 20, 1907. CP.

1907.	To Abolishing Grade Crossings, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.....	\$50,000 00	1907.	By Balance.....	\$9,654,523 88
Apr. 20	Additional Water Fund.....	18,050 63	Apr. 13		
	American Museum of Natural History, etc.....	300 53			
	Antitoxin Fund.....	254 97			
	Aquarium Building in Battery Park, Borough of Manhattan.....	6 85			
	Armory Fund.....	4,524 98			
	Athletic Field, Under Jurisdiction of the Board of Education.....	2,550 60			
	Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.....	357 60			
	Borough of Queens.....	52 75			
	Bridge over Dutch Kills Creek, etc., Borough of Queens.....	375 00			
	Bridge over Eastchester Bay, etc., Borough of The Bronx.....	20 58			
	Bridge over East River, between Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.....	918 75			
	Bridge over East River, between Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens.....	458 79			
	Bridges over New York and Harlem Railroad, One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Streets, etc.....	24 00			
	Brooklyn Bridge—Reconstruction of Western or Manhattan Terminal.....	47 65			
	Carnegie Libraries, Borough of Queens, Purchase of Original Stock of Books, etc.....	30 44			
	Cathedral Parkway, between Fifth and Seventh Avenues, Borough of Manhattan.....	42 21			
	Change of Grade Damage Commission, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	2,546 25			
	Construction of Approaches, etc., Depot Place and West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street, Borough of The Bronx.....	48 00			
	Construction of Bridge across Harlem River at Two Hundred and Seventh Street, Borough of Manhattan.....	336 13			
	Construction and Equipment of Borough Building, Borough of Richmond.....	218 24			
	Construction and Equipment of Court-house, Borough of The Bronx.....	117 60			
	Construction and Equipment of Fire Boats.....	8,086 90			
	Construction and Establishment of High Pressure Water System, etc., Borough of Manhattan.....	1,509 28			
	Construction and Establishment of High Pressure Water System, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.....	1,370 18			
	Construction of Private Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn.....	24 00			
	Construction of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn.....	85 50			
	Construction of Transverse Road, Tremont Avenue, etc., Borough of The Bronx.....	58 38			
	Construction of Webster Avenue Relief Sewer, Borough of The Bronx.....	297 00			
	Department of Education—Maintenance of Training Schools.....	1,567 35			
	Department of Education—Special High School Fund.....	3,556 14			
	Department of Health—Building Fund.....	9,038 40			
	Department of Health—Sites, etc., Sanitarium, etc., Orange County.....	143 25			
	Department of Street Cleaning, New Stock or Plant, Borough of Brooklyn.....	4,421 00			
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Site for Filtering Plant, etc.....	36 00			
	Dock Fund.....	104,824 83			
	Electric Meter Test Deposits.....	2 00			
	Excise Taxes, New York County.....	677 50			
	Excise Taxes, Queens County.....	17 50			
	Expenses of Commissioners, Improvement of Jamaica Bay, etc.....	203 00			
	Expenses Commission Investigating Pollution of Waters of New York Bay, etc.....	289 65			
	Expenses Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, etc.....	930 80			
	Extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette.....	171 00			
	Fire Department—Sites and Buildings.....	961 78			
	Fire Department Fund—Sites, Buildings, etc., Telegraph System.....	327 50			
	Fire Department Fund—Sites, etc., Telegraph System, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	73 60			
	Fund for Payment of Assessments Imposed against City.....	804 00			
	Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	200,184 28			
	Fund for Topographical Bureau, Borough of The Bronx.....	18 10			
	Fund for Topographical Bureau, Borough of Queens.....	1,758 96			
	Fund for Topographical Bureau, Borough of Richmond.....	743 52			
	Gates Avenue Court-house, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.....	1,425 00			
	Improvement and Construction of Parks, Parkways and Playgrounds, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	667 53			
	Improvement and Construction of Parks, Parkways and Playgrounds, Borough of The Bronx.....	3,325 50			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	339 75			
	Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	194 38			
	Improvement of Sanitary Condition of Gowanus Canal, Borough of Brooklyn.....	283 75			
	Improvement of Sewerage System, Sewer District 33 L-4, Borough of The Bronx.....	24 00			
	Improvement of Sewerage System, Sewer District 33 K-4, Borough of The Bronx.....	24 00			
	Kings County Hall of Records—Furnishing Metallic Furniture, etc.....	10 95			
	Maintenance and Distribution of Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn, 1906.....	15,424 64			
	Maintenance and Distribution of Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn, 1907.....	10,529 96			
	Metropolitan Museum of Art, etc.....	3,016 48			
	Museum of Arts and Sciences, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.....	3,338 97			
	New Bellevue Hospital—Construction of.....	21,311 23			
	New East River Bridge Fund.....	1,614 65			
	New Hall of Records—Building Fund.....	186 00			
	New Hall of Records—Equipment of Offices.....	219 14			
	New Harlem Hospital Fund.....	5,271 70			
	Newtown Creek Bridge Fund.....	84 00			
	New Water Supply for The City of New York.....	16,121 92			
	New York and Brooklyn Bridge Fund.....	4,672 65			
	New York County Court-house, Borough of Manhattan, Improvement and Permanent Betterment.....	1,530 00			
	New York Public Library Fund.....	2,094 70			
	New York Zoological Garden Fund.....	759 19			
	Office Building for President of the Borough of The Bronx, etc.....	120 00			
	Opening and Extending, etc., Bedford Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.....	2,644 50			
	Playgrounds for Children of the City—Acquisition, etc.....	50 00			
	Police Department—Improvement, Permanent Betterment, etc., Station Houses.....	1,800 00			
	Police Department Fund—Sites, etc.....	3,040 00			
	Public Baths Fund, Borough of Manhattan.....	339 03			
	Public School Library Fund.....	2,333 69			
	Rapid Transit Fund, No. 2.....	17,926 36			
	Rebuilding Sewer in East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street, etc., Borough of The Bronx.....	8 00			
	Reconstructing and Improving Sewers in East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Street, etc., Borough of The Bronx.....	27 00			
	Reconstruction of Sewers, Borough of Manhattan.....	7,623 06			
	Refunding Assessments Paid in Error, Borough of Brooklyn.....	47 95			
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of Manhattan.....	6,489 05			
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of The Bronx.....	152 66			
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of Brooklyn.....	235 21			
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of Queens.....	1,188 30			
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of Richmond.....	411 87			
	Repaving—Chapter 87, Laws of 1897.....	1,110 36			
	Repaving Streets, Borough of Manhattan.....	924 75			
	Repaving Streets, Borough of Brooklyn.....	160 00			
	Repaving Streets, Borough of Queens.....	68 50			
	Repaving Streets, Borough of Richmond.....	147 10			
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Manhattan.....	1,173 70			
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of The Bronx.....	255 94			
	Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Queens.....	169 49			
	Revenue Bond Fund—Board of Education—General Repairs, 1906.....	5,026 62			
	Revenue Bond Fund—Board of Health—Necessary Expenses, etc.....	725 75			
	Revenue Bond Fund—Borough Hall, Brooklyn—Repairing and Renovating.....	189 50			
	Revenue Bond Fund—City Magistrates' Courts, First Division, Salaries.....	677 50			
	Revenue Bond Fund—Claims.....	185 81			
	Revenue Bond Fund—College of The City of New York, Maintenance, 1906.....	1,031 39			
	Revenue Bond Fund—Construction, etc., Street Signs, Borough of The Bronx.....	72 00			
	Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Correction—Reformatory, etc., Hart's Island, Machinery, etc.....	1,770 00			
	Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Correction—Repairing Steamboats.....	3,605 00			
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1907. Apr. 20	To Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Public Charities—Supplies, etc., 1906.....	\$298 55	1907 Apr. 20	By General Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	Comptroller..... \$6 50 Gray..... 652 50 Dalton..... 1,011 30 Haffen..... 529 05 Ellison..... 741 34 Garvey..... 13 20 Dunne..... 2,027 60 Moore..... 117 74 De Bragga..... 310 00 Cromwell..... 6 35	\$5,445 58
	Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Street Cleaning—Removal of Snow and Ice, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	64,465 54		General Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Timmerman..... 3 61	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Street Cleaning—Removal of Snow and Ice, Borough of Brooklyn.....	62 50		General Fund, Borough of Queens.....	"..... 274 77	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Conducting Criminal Actions Against A. T. Patrick.....	347 50		Department of Education—General School Fund, 1907.....	"..... 479 21	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Conducting Criminal Actions Against C. F. Dodge, et al.....	73 41		Department of Street Cleaning—Sweeping, Salaries and Wages, 1907.....	"..... 100 00	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Conducting Criminal Action Against Harry K. Thaw.....	102 26		Queens Borough Library—Supplies, 1906	Comptroller..... 85	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Conducting Criminal Actions Against R. C. Flower, etc.....	70 00		Proceeds of Sale 3 per cent. Corporate Stock, Issued for Various Municipal Purposes.....	Commissioners Sinking Fund..... 40,000 00	
	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses Repairing, etc., Books, etc., Surrogate's Office, Kings County.....	2,279 58		Coal and Iron National Bank..... \$125,000 00		
	Revenue Bond Fund—Investigating Life Insurance Companies, City and County of New York.....	83 35		Adolph Lewisohn..... 250,000 00		
	Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments.....	2,375 25		Chemical National Bank..... 100,000 00		
	Revenue Bond Fund—Kings County Court-House, Alterations.....	1,175 21		Battery Park National Bank..... 30,000 00		
	Revenue Bond Fund—President of the Borough of Brooklyn—Surveys, etc.....	41 00		Morgan & Bartlett..... 1,000,000 00		
	Revenue Bond Fund—Repairing and Maintaining Asphalt Pavements, Borough of Manhattan.....	260 88		United States Savings Bank..... 50,000 00		
	School Building Fund.....	187,174 08		Fla'rush Trust Company..... 50,000 00		
	Sheriff's Fees, New York County.....	3,132 19		Wm. Solomon & Co..... 500,000 00		
	Shore Road, Between First Avenue and Fort Hamilton, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.....	326 23		J. & W. Seligman & Co..... 500,000 00		2,605,000 00
	Storage Yard, Park Avenue, etc., Borough of The Bronx.....	48 00				
	Street Improvement Fund.....	64,193 46				
	Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	1,498 36				
	Water Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	3,744 12				
	Water Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	2,806 63				
	Water Fund, Borough of Queens.....	810 99				
	Water Fund, Borough of Richmond.....	618 50				
	Water Meter Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	153 00				
	Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	606 24				
	Water Rents, Borough of Brooklyn—Refunding Account.....	12 03				
	Williamsburg Bridge Maintenance Fund.....	1,479 03				
		\$915,921 23				
	1899 and Previous Years.					
	Department of Highways, Borough of Manhattan—Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	\$398 95				
	1900.					
	Department of Education—General School Fund, Borough of Brooklyn	294 49				
	Department of Highways, Borough of Manhattan—Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	248 81				
	1901.					
	Department of Education—General School Fund.....	569 24				
	1902.					
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	10,000 00				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Queens, New York County—District Attorney.....	529 60				
		17 88				
	1903.					
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Richmond.....	56 25				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	315 65				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Queens	1,719 33				
	President of the Borough of Richmond—Bureau of Street Cleaning.....	123 00				
	1904.					
	Coroners, Borough of Queens.....	80 83				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Brooklyn	10 55				
	Department of Public Charities.....	24 00				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	15,000 00				
	Fire Department, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	54 00				
	President of the Borough of Queens—Bureau of Highways.....	25 90				
	1905.					
	Armory Board, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	1,027 68				
	Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.....	3,338 65				
	Board of City Record.....	175 00				
	Board of Estimate and Apportionment.....	388 00				
	Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School.....	127 23				
	Commissioners of Accounts.....	200 00				
	Costs of Commitments of Insane Persons.....	610 00				
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Manhattan.....	3,900 00				
	Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan.....	818 78				
	Department of Education—General School Fund.....	1,348 71				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Board of Education	410 73				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Manhattan.....	31,950 26				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of The Bronx.....	1,102 93				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Brooklyn	17,388 37				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Queens.....	15,551 08				
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Richmond	1,520 68				
	Department of Finance.....	1,549 25				
	Department of Health.....	3,151 29				
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	5,116 03				
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	269 78				
	Department of Public Charities.....	17,578 00				
	Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.....	1,138 70				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	29,116 00				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Brooklyn.....	13,179 90				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Queens.....	10,873 97				
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Richmond.....	1,195 33				
	Fire Department.....	9,939 92				
	Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society.....	161 35				
	Industrial School Association, Brooklyn, E. D.....	126 63				
	Interest on the City Debt.....	10 00				
	Law Department.....	612 50				
	Municipal Courts, City of New York.....	425 00				
	New York Eye and Ear Infirmary.....	54 80				
	Normal College.....	94 26				
	Police Department.....	3,885 62				
	President of the Borough of Manhattan—					
	Bureau of Buildings.....	36 00				
	Bureau of Highways.....	265 16				
	Bureau of Sewers.....	500 00				
	President of the Borough of The Bronx—					
	Bureau of Buildings.....	26 75				
	Bureau of Highways.....	1,969 21				
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	177 25				
	Bureau of Sewers.....	22 00				
	President of the Borough of Brooklyn—					
	Bureau of Highways.....	166 46				
	Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.....	9 10				
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	9,109 23				
	Bureau of Sewers.....	374 00				
	President of the Borough of Queens—					
	Bureau of Highways.....	324 00				
	President of the Borough of Richmond—					
	Bureau of Highways.....	250 36				
	Bureau of Street Cleaning.....	393 00				
	General Administration.....	2 81				
	Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy.....	7 23				
	Rents.....	60 00				
	Tenement House Department.....	50 50				
	New York County—District Attorney.....	249 28				
	Richmond County—District Attorney.....	37 00				
	1907.					
	Advertising.....	7,226 46				
	American Female Guardian Society, etc.....	2,915 97				
	Armory Board, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	138 10				
	Armory Board, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	120 00				
	Asylum of the Sisters of St. Dominic.....	6,434 42				
	Babies' Hospital, City of New York.....	359 25				
	Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.....	16,152 37				
	Board of Aldermen and City Clerk.....	40 00				
	Board of Building Examiners.....	402 20				
	Board of City Record.....	20,429 79				
	Board of Elections.....	283 02				
	Board of Estimate and Apportionment.....	200 00				
	Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School.....	836 38				
	Brooklyn Hospital.....	991 55				
						\$3,183,454 75



1907. Apr. 30	To Brooklyn Training School and Home for Young Girls.....	\$180 00
	Children's Aid Society .....	6,323 92
	City Magistrates' Courts, First Division.....	32 27
	Civil Service Commission.....	452 00
	College of The City of New York.....	10,666 22
	Colored Orphan Asylum and Association, etc.....	1,501 71
	Columbus Hospital.....	705 60
	Commissioner of Licenses.....	286 00
	Commissioners of Accounts.....	61 04
	Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn.....	103 90
	Costs of Commitments of Insane Persons.....	50 00
	Court of Special Sessions, First Division.....	100 00
	Court of Special Sessions, Second Division.....	1,056 75
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Manhattan.....	3,853 21
	Department of Bridges, Borough of The Bronx.....	242 80
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Brooklyn.....	145 04
	Department of Bridges, Borough of Queens.....	2,453 20
	Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan.....	5,102 80
	Department of Education—General School Fund.....	1,024 62
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Board of Education.....	10,221 57
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Man- hattan.....	19,088 98
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of The Bronx.....	3,730 47
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Brook- lyn.....	18,489 00
	Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Queens.....	1,679 26
	Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Rich- mond.....	2,589 01
	Department of Finance.....	1,840 46
	Department of Health.....	5,819 62
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	39,405 22
	Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.....	12,812 18
	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	14,223 92
	Department of Public Charities.....	20,859 04
	Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.....	113,709 78
	Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	144 00
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Boroughs of Man- hattan and The Bronx.....	14,049 95
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Brook- lyn.....	138 75
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Queens.....	4,631 18
	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Rich- mond.....	273 80
	Examining Board of Plumbers.....	2 00
	Expenses of the Art Commission.....	7 10
	Fire Department.....	12,149 99
	Five Points House of Industry.....	9 00
	German Odd Fellows' Home, etc.....	372 21
	Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society.....	9,527 89
	Hebrew Infant Asylum, City of New York.....	241 78
	Hope Farm.....	55 11
	House of Mercy.....	230 79
	House of St. Giles the Cripple.....	92 05
	Industrial School Association, Brooklyn, E. D.....	3,496 53
	Interest on the City Debt.....	3,027 50
	Law Department.....	3,095 25
	Long Island College Hospital.....	1,229 05
	Low Maternity (Branch of Brooklyn Hospital).....	39 00
	Maternity of Long Island College Hospital.....	74 57
	Memorial Committee, Army and Navy Union.....	700 00
	Metropolitan Hospital and Dispensary.....	47 60
	Mount Sinai Hospital of The City of New York.....	3,480 50
	Municipal Courts, City of New York.....	137 82
	Municipal Explosives Commission.....	292 72
	New York Catholic Protectory.....	18,839 57
	New York Eye and Ear Infirmary.....	632 50
	New York Homeopathic Medical College and Hospital.....	588 40
	New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital.....	426 80
	New York Public Library (Astor, Lenox and Tilden Foundations).....	18,822 17
	New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.....	1,454 84
	Nursery and Children's Hospital.....	422 68
	Ottillie Orphan Asylum.....	9 00
	Police Department.....	9,293 79
	President of the Borough of Manhattan— Bureau of Buildings.....	4 00
	Bureau of Highways.....	13,471 13
	Bureau of Incumbrances.....	49 00
	Bureau of Public Baths and Public Comfort Stations.....	8,345 00
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	13,023 00
	Bureau of Sewers.....	5,405 20
	General Administration.....	55 05
	President of the Borough of The Bronx— Bureau of Buildings.....	134 63
	Bureau of Highways.....	10,078 71
	Bureau of Public Baths.....	21 00
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	1,773 98
	Bureau of Sewers.....	2,847 85
	Topographical Bureau.....	281 05
	President of the Borough of Brooklyn— Bureau of Buildings.....	352 18
	Bureau of Highways.....	7,092 27
	Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.....	176 05
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	2,122 81
	Bureau of Sewers.....	3,498 44
	General Administration.....	54 12
	Topographical Bureau.....	141 00
	President of the Borough of Queens— Bureau of Highways.....	10,138 99
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	606 97
	Bureau of Sewers.....	3,200 57
	Bureau of Street Cleaning.....	3,976 75
	General Administration.....	194 45
	President of the Borough of Richmond— Bureau of Engineering.....	388 39
	Bureau of Highways.....	1,895 39
	Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	885 16
	Bureau of Sewers.....	549 77
	Bureau of Street Cleaning.....	2,077 21
	General Administration.....	71 80
	Prospect Heights Hospital and Brooklyn Maternity.....	56 70
	Queens Borough Library.....	1,399 32
	Rents.....	225 00
	Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum Society.....	8,818 71
	St. Ann's Home for Destitute Children.....	594 58
	St. Joseph's Asylum.....	7,823 57
	St. Mark's Hospital, New York City.....	130 23
	St. Mary's Maternity and Infants' Home.....	1,420 63
	St. Michael's Home.....	2,215 14
	St. Zita's Home for Friendless Women.....	255 50
	Society of the Lying-in Hospital of The City of New York.....	2,056 68
	Tenement House Department.....	1,809 10
	Washington Heights Hospital.....	265 50
	Wayside Home.....	128 71
	New York County. Board of City Record.....	120 23
	Commissioner of Jurors.....	46 89
	Court of General Sessions.....	58 17
	Disbursements and Fees.....	350 00
	District Attorney.....	474 11
	Erection and Maintenance of Library, Court of General Sessions, etc.. Sheriff.....	103 65
	Supreme Court, First Department.....	112 22
	Surrogates' Court.....	355 55
	Kings County. Board of City Record.....	32 05
	Commissioner of Jurors.....	124 57
	District Attorney.....	1 80
	Fees and Expenses of Jurors.....	339 75
	Register.....	598 50
	Rents.....	24 80
	Sheriff.....	166 66
	Stenographer to Grand Jury.....	612 07
	Supreme Court, Second Department.....	347 20
	Queens County. County Contingent Fund.....	239 00
	District Attorney's Office.....	216 00
	Public Administrator.....	115 00
	Sheriff.....	300 00
	Supreme Court and County Court.....	322 09
	Surrogate's Court.....	5,063 58
		6 00

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1907. Apr. 23		Richmond County.		1907. Apr. 20	
To Fees and Expenses of Jurors.....	\$48 00				
New York Institution for the Instruction of Deaf and Dumb.....	192 33				
Sheriff.....	357 05				
			\$816,774 86		
			\$1,732,756 09		
Balance .....			11,105,222 54		
			\$12,837,978 63		\$12,837,978 63

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THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, *for and during the week ending* April 20, 1907.

				SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND, REDEMPTION NO. 2.		SINKING FUND, BROOKLYN.		SINKING FUND, CITY OF NEW YORK.	
				Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
1907. Apr. 13	By Balances as per last Ac- count Current.....				\$3,183,273 24		\$1,585,255 40				\$88,983 34		
" 20	Sundry Licenses, Bor- oughs of Manhattan and The Bronx .....	Corrigan.....\$2,935 75											
	Sundry Licenses, Bor- ough of Brooklyn.....	Griffin..... 606 00											
	Sundry Licenses, Bor- ough of Queens.....	Turner..... 81 00											
	Sundry Licenses, Bor- ough of Richmond.....	Woelfle..... 10 00											
	Dock and Slip Rents, Bor- ough of Manhattan.....	Bensel.....\$22,748 87											
	Dock and Slip Rents, Bor- ough of Brooklyn.....	" ..... 241 88											
	Dock and Slip Rents, Bor- ough of Queens.....	" ..... 12 85											
	Street Vaults, Borough of Manhattan .....												
	Market Stand Rents.....	Dalton ..... 1,234 35											
	Market Wagon Fees.....	Gray..... 6,137 04											
	Wallabout Market Lot Rentals.....	" ..... 139 50											
	Wallabout Market Wagon Fees.....	" ..... 945 25											
	Sales of Real Estate.....	" ..... 58 00											
	Interest on City Treas- ury Balances.....	" ..... 201 00											
	Interest on Deposits.....	" ..... 507 99											
	Arrears of Croton Water Rents,City of New York	" ..... 254 80											
	Arrears of Croton Water Rents,City of New York	Austen.....\$2,252 58											
	Interest on Croton Water Rents,City of New York	Collector Assessments	1,211 15										
	Arrears of Croton Water Rents, 1897, etc.....	" ..... 181 14											
	Interest on Croton Water Rents, 1897, etc.....	" ..... 90 08											
	Croton Rents and Penal- ties, Borough of Man- hattan.....	" ..... 58 10											
	Croton Rents and Penal- ties, Borough of The Bronx.....	Padden.....\$48,975 68											
	House Rents, Borough of Manhattan .....	Lynch..... 3,911 90											
	House Rents, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Gray..... \$773 11											
	House Rents, Borough of Queens.....	" ..... 1,187 00											
	Ground Rents, Borough of Manhattan.....	" ..... 170 00											
	Ferry Rents, Borough of Manhattan.....	Gray..... 2,130 11											
	Ferriages—Staten Island Ferry .....	Gray..... 690 50											
	Ferriages — Thirty-ninth Street Ferry.....	Bensel..... 47,640 40											
	Fines and Penalties, Bor- ough of Brooklyn.....	" ..... 19,418 65											
	Court Fees and Fines ....	" ..... 3,612 28											
	Prospect Park Improve- ment — Installments...	Flaherty..... 223 00											
	Prospect Park Improve- ment—Installments, In- terest.....	Wagstaff..... 40 06											
	Interest on Bond and Mortgage — East Side Park Lands.....						130,435 63						
	To Sinking Fund—City of Brooklyn .....	Collector Assessments.	\$298 06										
	Balances .....	" ..... 21 54											
		Gray..... 45 94											
											365 54		
											\$40,000 00		
											49,348 88		
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Apr. 20, 1907. By Balances.....	\$3,219,407 52	\$1,715,691 03	\$19,348 88
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THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* PATRICK KEENAN, *Chamberlain, for and during the week ending April 20, 1907.*

			WATER SINKING FUND, CITY OF NEW YORK.		WATER SINKING FUND, CITY OF BROOKLYN.		LONG ISLAND CITY— REDEMPTION OF REVEKUE BONDS.		LONG ISLAND CITY— REDEMPTION OF FIRE BONDS.		LONG ISLAND CITY— REDEMPTION OF WATER BONDS.	
			Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
1907. Apr. 13	By Balance, as per last account current .....					\$28,669 43						
" 20	To Interest on Deposits .....					42 47						
	Balance .....				\$28,711 90							
					\$28,711 90	\$28,711 90						

Apr. 20, 1907. By Balance .....	\$28,711 90
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**JOHN H. CAMPBELL**, Deputy City Chamberlain.

DR. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* PATRICK KEENAN, *Chamberlain, during the week ending* April 20 1907.

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1907. Apr. 20	To Jury Fees—New York County.....	\$8,630 00	1907. Apr. 13	By Balance Jury Fees—New York County.....	\$17,083 00
	Jury Fees—Kings County.....	2,542 00		Balance Jury Fees—Kings County.....	27,648 00
	Jury Fees—Queens County.....	2,760 12		Balance Jury Fees—Richmond County.....	2,723 80
	Jury Fees—Richmond County.....	5 20			
		\$13,943 32		Overdraft—Queens County.....	\$42,444 80
	Balance Jury Fees—New York County.....	\$8,453 00			401 44
	Balance Jury Fees—Kings County.....	20,106 00		Jury Fees—Queens County.....	\$41,683 36
	Balance Jury Fees—Queens County.....	1,772 44			5,000 00
	Balance Jury Fees—Richmond County.....	2,708 60			
		33,040 04			
		\$46,983 36			\$46,983 36

Apr. 20, 1907. By Balance.....	\$33,040 04
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**JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.**



DR.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending April 20, 1907.

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1907. Apr. 20	To Witness Fees—New York County.....	\$527 90		1907. Apr. 13	By Balance Witness Fees—New York County.....	\$5,095 01	
	Witness Fees—Richmond County.....	2 20	\$530 10		Balance Witness Fees—Queens County.....	1,736 70	
					Balance Witness Fees—Richmond County.....	859 94	\$7,691 65
	Balance Witness Fees—New York County.....	\$4,567 12					
	Balance Witness Fees—Queens County.....	1,736 70					
	Balance Witness Fees—Richmond County.....	857 74	7,161 55				
			\$7,691 65				\$7,691 65

Apr. 20, 1907. By Balance..... \$7,161 55

E. &amp; O. E., A. J. GALLIGAN, Bookkeeper.

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

DR.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending April 20, 1907.

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1907. Apr. 20	To Interest Registered .....	\$5,704 16		1907. Apr. 13	By Balance.....	\$35,335 56	
	Balance.....	29,631 40					
			\$35,335 56				\$35,335 56

Apr. 20, 1907. By Balance..... \$29,631 40

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JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

## ART COMMISSION.

## MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING OF ART COMMISSION, HELD AT ITS OFFICE, ROOM 21, CITY HALL, ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1907, AT FOUR O'CLOCK P. M.

Present—President de Forest, presiding; Commissioners Cook, Mansfield, Boyle, Millet, Pine and Hon. Joseph I. Berry, Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx, in respect to the designs for the Linnaeus Memorial Tablet.

On communications from Commissioners Bigelow and Healy explaining their absence, they were excused.

Minutes of meeting of April 9 were presented and approved.

The President's report was presented stating that the following committees had been appointed since the last meeting, April 9:

## Submission 548.

Relocation of Portraits, Corporation Counsel's Office—Commissioners Millet (Chairman), Pine and Boyle. Appointed April 15, 1907.

## Submission 549.

Carmine Street Public Bath—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and de Forest. Appointed April 15, 1907.

## Submission 550.

Oliver Street Public Bath—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and de Forest. Appointed April 15, 1907.

## Submission 551.

Rutgers Place Public Bath—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and de Forest. Appointed April 15, 1907.

## Submission 552.

Fire Department Tablets—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and Pine. Appointed April 19, 1907.

## Submission 553.

One Hundred and Eighty-first Street Fire Station—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and Pine. Appointed April 19, 1907.

## Submission 554.

Belmont Avenue Fire Station—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and Pine. Appointed April 19, 1907.

## Submission 555.

Rockaway Avenue Fire Station—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and Pine. Appointed April 19, 1907.

## Submission 556.

Avenue C Engine House—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and Pine. Appointed April 19, 1907.

## Submission 557.

White Plains Avenue Fire House—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and Pine. Appointed April 19, 1907.

## Submission 558.

Hamilton Portrait Copy—Commissioners Millet (Chairman), Pine and Bigelow. Appointed April 19, 1907.

## Submission 559.

Drinking Fountains—Commissioners Boyle (Chairman), Mansfield and de Forest. Appointed April 24, 1907.

## Submission 560.

Floating Bath, Queens—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and de Forest. Appointed April 24, 1907.

## Submission 546.

The Committee on Linnaeus Memorial Tablet recommended that the designs (of a new work of art) submitted by Hon. Joseph I. Berry, Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx, be approved.

Commissioner Berry and Dr. N. L. Britton, Director of the New York Botanical Garden, appeared before the Commission and recommended approval.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

## Certificate 551.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of the tablet in memory of the naturalist Linnaeus, to be placed on the Pelham Parkway Bridge over the Bronx river, represented by Exhibits "263-A," "263-B," "263-C" and "263-D" of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Joseph I. Berry, Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

## Submission 547.

The Committee on Chelsea Improvement recommended that the designs (of public structures exceeding \$1,000,000 in cost) submitted by Messrs. Warren & Wetmore, architects, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

## Certificate 552.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of the pier and wharf structures to be erected on the North river waterfront, from Bloomfield street to West Twenty-second street, Manhattan, represented by Exhibits "236-Q," "236-R," "236-S" and "236-T" of record in this matter, and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted to Hon. John A. Bense, Commissioner of Docks and Ferries.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

## Submission 548.

The Committee on Relocation of Portraits, Corporation Counsel's Office, recommended that the submission made by Hon. William B. Ellison, Corporation Counsel, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

## Certificate 553.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the relocation of the four paintings in the Corporation Counsel's Office, Hall of Records, as provided in Exhibits "264-A," "264-B" and "264-C" of record in this matter, and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted to Hon. William B. Ellison, Corporation Counsel.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

## Submission 549.

The Committee on Carmine Street Public Bath recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Hon. John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

## Certificate 554.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of a public bath on Carmine street, Manhattan, represented by Exhibits "265-A," "265-B," "265-C," "265-D," "265-E," "265-F," "265-G," "265-H," and "265-I" of record in this matter, and that the action of the Commission be certified with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted to Hon. John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

## Submission 550.

The Committee on Oliver Street Public Bath recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Hon. John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

## Certificate 555.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of a public bath at the corner of Cherry and Oliver streets, Manhattan, represented by Exhibits "266-A," "266-B," "266-C," "266-D," "266-E," "266-F," "266-G," "266-H," "266-I" and "266-J" of record in this matter, and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted to Hon. John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

## Submission 551.

The Committee on Rutgers Place Public Bath recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Hon. John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan, be disapproved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

## Certificate 556.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby disapproves the designs of a public bath to be located on Rutgers place, Manhattan, represented by Exhibits "267-A," "267-B," "267-C," "267-D," "267-E," "267-F," "267-G," "267-H" and "267-I," of record in this matter, and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The committee was thereupon discharged.

## Submission 552.

The Committee on Fire Department Tablets reported that it was proposed to place these tablets on the Eleventh street, Union street and Ralph avenue fire station buildings, the designs of which had already been approved by the Commission. In the opinion of the committee such tablets containing the names of the persons who occupy positions in the department, are not suitable decorations for the exterior of public buildings, and the committee therefore recommended that the designs be disapproved.

On motion, the report was adopted and the following resolution unanimously carried:

## Certificate 557.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby disapproves the designs and locations of bronze tablets for fire stations represented by Exhibits "268-A," "268-B" and "268-C," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Francis J. Lantry, Fire Commissioner.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was directed to transmit a copy of the report of the committee to Commissioner Lantry.

The committee was thereupon discharged.

## Submission 553.

The Committee on One Hundred and Eighty-first Street Fire Station presented the following report upon the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Mr. Alexander Stevens, Superintendent of Buildings:

"The submission before your committee provides for the erection of a permanent engine and hook and ladder building on the north side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, between Audubon and Amsterdam avenues, to come up to the present building line. The New York City Improvement Commission has recommended that One Hundred and Eighty-first street be widened to form a fitting approach to Washington Bridge. At the present time there are only a few buildings upon either side of the street, and none of any value upon the north side, where it is proposed to erect this fire station. There would be practically no expense, therefore, for the condemnation and removal of buildings upon the north side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street if the street were widened. If an engine house should be erected as proposed, it would be considered an important objection to the carrying out of the



plans of the City Improvement Commission, for the expense of the alteration of the new station would be added to the cost of the land, and possibly would make the building unsuited for the purposes for which it is to be erected.

"It would seem unwise, therefore, for the Art Commission to approve the location of a building which would obstruct the carrying out of this portion of the plans of the City Improvement Commission, and your committee recommends, therefore, that the submission be disapproved, but without prejudice or an expression of opinion upon the artistic merit of the designs for the structure itself."

The report was accepted and ordered placed on file.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

**Certificate 558.**

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby disapproves the designs and location of a fire station to be placed on West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, represented by Exhibits "269-A," "269-B," "269-C," "269-D," "269-E" and "269-F," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Francis J. Lantry, Fire Commissioner.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was directed to transmit a copy of the report of the Committee to Commissioner Lantry.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

**Submission 554.**

The Committee on Belmont Avenue Fire Station reported that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Mr. Alexander Stevens, Superintendent of Buildings, provided for a bronze tablet upon the facade similar to the ones disapproved in Submission 552. In view of the opinion of the committee upon Submission 552, and the action of the Commission thereon, the committee recommended that the designs be approved as preliminary drawings only, in order to give the Fire Commissioner an opportunity of submitting a new design for the facade without a bronze tablet.

On motion, the report was adopted, and the following resolution was unanimously carried:

**Certificate 559.**

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs and location of a fire station on Belmont avenue, The Bronx, represented by Exhibits "270-A," "270-B," "270-C," "270-D," "270-E" and "270-F," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Francis J. Lantry, Fire Commissioner.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was directed to transmit a copy of the report of the committee to Commissioner Lantry, and to notify him that when new designs shall have been prepared they should be submitted to the Art Commission for final approval, as the foregoing resolution is only preliminary action thereon.

The committee was thereupon discharged.

**Submission 555.**

The Committee on Rockaway Fire Station, Brooklyn, recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Mr. Alexander Stevens, Superintendent of Buildings, be disapproved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

**Certificate 560.**

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby disapproves the designs of a fire station to be erected at the corner of Rockaway avenue and Avenue F, Brooklyn, represented by Exhibits "271-A," "271-B," "271-C," "271-D," "271-E" and "271-F," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Francis J. Lantry, Fire Commissioner.

The committee was thereupon discharged.

**Submission 556.**

The Committee on Avenue C Engine House recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Mr. Alexander Stevens, Superintendent of Buildings, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

**Certificate 561.**

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of an engine house to be erected on Avenue C, near Ellis avenue, The Bronx, represented by Exhibits Nos. "272-A," "272-B," "272-C" and "272-D," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Francis J. Lantry, Fire Commissioner.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

**Submission 557.**

The Committee on White Plains Avenue Engine House reported that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Mr. Alexander Stevens, Superintendent of Buildings, provided for a bronze tablet upon the facade similar to the ones disapproved in Submission No. 552. In view of the opinion of the Committee upon Submission No. 552, and the action of the Commission thereon, the Committee recommended that the designs be approved as preliminary drawings only, in order to give the Fire Commissioner an opportunity of submitting a new design for the facade without the bronze tablet.

On motion, the report was adopted and the following resolution was unanimously carried:

**Certificate 562.**

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs and location of an engine house on White Plains avenue, The Bronx, represented by Exhibits "273-A," "273-B," "273-C," "273-D" and "273-E," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted to Hon. Francis J. Lantry, Fire Commissioner.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was directed to transmit a copy of the report of the Committee to Commissioner Lantry and to notify him that when new designs shall have been prepared, they should be submitted to the Art Commission for final approval, as the foregoing resolution is only preliminary action thereon.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

**Submission 558.**

The Committee on Hamilton Portrait Copy reported that permission had been requested by Mr. William J. Baer to make a copy of the portrait of Alexander Hamilton hanging in the office of the Art Commission and recommended that the request be granted.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

**Certificate 563.**

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby authorizes Mr. William J. Baer to make a copy of the portrait of Alexander Hamilton as provided in Exhibit "274-A," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicate of exhibit herein noted, to Mr. William J. Baer.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

**Submission 559.**

The Committee on Drinking Fountains recommended that the designs (of a new work of art) submitted by Mr. F. Augustus Schermerhorn, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

**Certificate 564.**

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of a drinking fountain to be located at the intersection of Broadway, West End avenue and One Hundred and Seventh street, Manhattan, represented by Exhibits "276-A," "276-B" and "276-C," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

**Submission 560.**

The Committee on Floating Bath, Queens, recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Hon. Joseph Bermel, President of the Borough of Queens, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

**Certificate 565.**

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of a floating bath, represented by Exhibits "275-A," "275-B" and "275-C," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Joseph Bermel, President of the Borough of Queens.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

The following communication from his Honor the Mayor was presented and ordered placed on file:

"April 9, 1907.

To the Art Commission, City of New York:

Gentlemen—Pursuant to the provisions of section 637 of the Charter, I hereby refer to the Art Commission the plans for the following structures:

- Two public comfort stations, Borough of Queens;
- Public bath, Long Island City;
- Public bath, Carmine street; and
- Public bath, Rutgers place.

Respectfully,  
(Signed)

GEO. B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

The Committee on Catalogue of Works of Art belonging to the City reported that in order to complete the canvass of the entire City and to secure the data needed for a complete catalogue within the immediate future, it would be necessary to employ some one who could devote his entire attention to this work, and recommended that the expenditure of a sum not to exceed \$300 be authorized for this purpose.

On motion, the President was unanimously authorized to employ a person to complete the catalogue under the direction of the Assistant Secretary at an expense not to exceed \$300.

The Committee on Redecoration of the Governor's Room reported that there were no designs before them and recommended that they be discharged.

On motion, the report was accepted and the Committee discharged.

The Committee on Quarters and Staff stated that it had nothing to report.

The request from the New York Academy of Sciences that the Art Commission designate one of its members to contribute an appreciation of the work of the naturalist Linnaeus at the dedication of the tablet and bridge in Bronx Park, erected in his memory, was presented to the Commission.

On motion, Commissioner Millet was selected.

On motion, the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the Chair.

MILO R. MALTBY, Assistant Secretary.

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.**

**Appointments by the Mayor.**

May 6, 1907:

Warren A. Conover, No. 253 Broadway, Manhattan, a member of the Board of Examiners of The City of New York.

Ambrose M. Norris, No. 632 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, Manhattan, a Clerk in the Bureau of Licenses, Borough of Manhattan.

Henry J. Hinck, No. 452 East Eighty-first street, Manhattan, Financial Clerk in the Bureau of Licenses, Borough of Queens.

May 7, 1907:

John A. Bense, Marie Antoinette Hotel, Manhattan, Commissioner of Docks of The City of New York, to succeed John A. Bense, resigned.

**CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.**

**DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.**

May 7—Sigmund Landsman, No. 445 West Fortieth street, Manhattan, appointed on May 1 as a Structural Steel Draughtsman at \$1,800 per annum, from certificate of the Municipal Civil Service Commission bearing date of April 29, has declined such appointment on account of temporary inability.

**BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.**

**Borough of The Bronx.**

May 6—Changes in rate of compensation of employees in this Bureau, to take effect May 1, 1907, viz.:

William E. Golding, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

James J. Gaynor, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Thomas Graham, Jr., Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Charles F. King, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Thomas T. Peterson, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

George A. R. Mackenzie, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Alfred Emery, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Charles H. McTerney, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

William A. Kenny, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Peter H. J. Krulder, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

John P. Spears, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

John M. Faries, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

William Fordyce, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

James McGovern, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Richard H. Pettit, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Arthur E. Gunn, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Thomas J. Murray, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Bernard J. McGarity, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

John B. Conley, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Patrick H. Rooney, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

George Jennings, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Joseph V. Rutan, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

William J. Daly, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Leo D. McCormick, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

John Fitzpatrick, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Edward Dowling, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

James J. Judge, Inspector, salary fixed at \$1,500.

John Crosson, Supervisor of Elevators, salary fixed at \$1,500.

Edward Lyon, Supervisor of Elevators, salary fixed at \$1,500.

**MUNICIPAL COURT, SECOND DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

May 7—Appointed Philip Munnich as an Attendant in the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, Second District. Said appointment to date from the 6th day of May, 1907.

**DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.**

**Borough of The Bronx.**

May 8—Appointed C. Dolan, No. 605 Teasdale place, Driver, with horse and cart, at a compensation at the rate of \$3 per diem, to take effect May 8.

Discharged, Thomas Birmingham, No. 605 Teasdale place, Driver, with horse and cart, to take effect May 7.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

May 7—

**Resigned.**

May 1, 1907, Michael P. Nilan, Park Laborer, No. 73 East End avenue.

May 4, 1907, Charles Miller, Park Laborer, No. 503 West Forty-third street.

Pay Fixed at \$50 Per Month, from May 1 to October 1, 1907.

Mary A. Hawley, Cottage Attendant.

Mary Bergen, Cottage Attendant.

Ellen Kelly, Cottage Attendant.

Susan McConnell, Cleaner.

Jane Wall, Cottage Attendant.

Emma L. Massey, Cottage Attendant.

Lizzie Madden, Cottage Attendant.

Nora McCarthy, Cottage Attendant.

Mary O'Neill, Cleaner.

Mary Kilday, Cleaner.

Kady C. Brownell, Cottage Attendant.

John Norton, Cleaner.

Peter Devlin, Cleaner.

John Brennan, Cleaner.

Anton Wening, Cleaner.

And. Parker, Cleaner.

John Henry, Cleaner.

**COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS, FIRST DIVISION.**

May 7—pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and passed by the Board of Aldermen, the following increases in salaries of employees have been made to take effect May 1, 1907:



Charles W. Culkin, Clerk of Court, from \$4,000 to \$5,000 per annum.  
Hugh S. Doyle, Junior Clerk, from \$480 to \$720 per annum.

#### PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

May 7—Appointed the following Drivers and assigned them to the Bureau of Street Cleaning, to commence from May 13, 1907, compensation to be at the rate of \$2.25 per day:

Hipolit Blaszkowietz, Morning Star road, Port Richmond.

Arthur Roesler, No. 168 Vanderbilt avenue, Stapleton.

Crescenzo Richi, No. 55 Van Pelt avenue, Mariner's Harbor.

Patrick J. O'Reilly, No. 9 State street, West Brighton.

Andrew G. Lawrence, No. 60 Newark avenue, Port Richmond.

William T. Jones, No. 12 Broadway, West Brighton.

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

May 7—Thomas F. Vaughan, temporary Expert Clerk in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens, resigned, taking effect May 4, 1907.

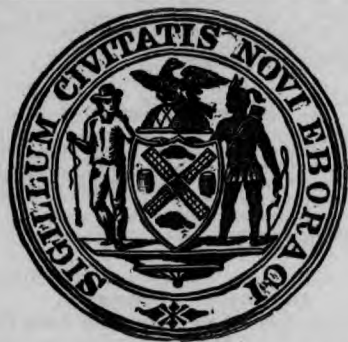
#### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers of the Board of Aldermen, will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, May 13, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the following matter:

An ordinance to prevent damage to the pavements of streets by waste material from motor vehicles.

All persons interested in the above matter are respectfully invited to attend.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.



#### 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 the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held, together with the heads of Departments and Courts.

#### CITY OFFICES.

##### MAYOR'S OFFICE.

No. 5 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.

GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN, Mayor.

Frank M. O'Brien, Secretary.

William A. Rierdon, Chief Clerk and Bond and Warrant Clerk.

##### BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Room 7, City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.

Patrick Derry, Chief of Bureau.

##### BUREAU OF LICENSES.

9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.

John P. Corrigan, Chief of Bureau.

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

Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn.

Daniel J. Griffin, Deputy Chief, Borough of Brooklyn.

Branch Office, Richmond Borough Hall, Room 23, New Brighton, S. I.; William R. Woelfe, Financial Clerk, Borough of Richmond.

Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

##### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 207, No. 280 Broadway, 5th floor, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 1942 Worth.

The Mayor, the Comptroller, ex-officio, Commissioners John F. Cowan (President), William H. Ten Eyck, John J. Ryan and John P. Windolph; Harry W. Walker, Secretary; Walter H. Sears, Chief Engineer.

##### ARMORY BOARD.

The Mayor, George B. McClellan, Chairman; the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Lawson Purdy; the President of the Board of Aldermen, Patrick F. McGowan; Brigadier-General James McLeer and Brigadier-General George Moore Smith, Commissioners.

Harrie Davis, Secretary, Room 6, Basement, Hall of Records, Chambers and Centre streets.

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

Telephone, 3900 Worth.

##### ART COMMISSION.

City Hall, Room 21.

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 Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August, then 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 John K. Neal, Commissioner.  
 Jesse D. Frost, Deputy Commissioner.  
 Thomas D. Mossrop, Superintendent.  
 William J. Beattie, Assistant Superintendent.

**COUNTY CLERK.**

Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; during months of July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Charles I. Hartheim, County Clerk.  
 Bela Tokaji, Deputy County Clerk.  
 James P. Kohler, Assistant Deputy County Clerk.  
 Robert Stewart, Counsel.  
 Telephone call, 4930 Main.

**COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.**

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 17, 18, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I., Room No. 23; Part II., Room No. 10, Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 17, 18 and 22, open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.  
 Norman S. Dike and Lewis L. Fawcett, County Judges.  
 Charles S. Devoy, Chief Clerk.  
 Telephone, 4154 and 4155 Main.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn  
 Hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
 John F. Clarke, District Attorney.

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**

No. 44 Court street (Temple Bar), Brooklyn. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
 Charles E. Teale, Public Administrator

**REGISTER.**

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August; then from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., provided for by statute.  
 Alfred J. Boulton, Register.

**SHERIFF.**

County Court-house, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.  
 Michael J. Flaherty, Sheriff.

**SURROGATE.**

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
 James C. Church, Surrogate.  
 William P. Pickett, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.  
 Court opens at 10 a. m. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

**QUEENS COUNTY.****COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Queens County Court-house, Long Island City.  
 John P. Balbert, Commissioner of Jurors.  
 Rodman Richardson, Assistant Commissioner.

**COUNTY CLERK.**

Jamaica, Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.  
 Office open, April 1 to October 1, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.; October 1 to April 1, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays throughout year until 12 noon.  
 John Niederstein, County Clerk.  
 Henry J. Walter, Jr., Deputy County Clerk.  
 Charles Mahler, Assistant Deputy County Clerk.  
 Frank C. Klingenberg, Secretary.  
 Telephone, 151 Jamaica.

**COUNTY COURT.**

Temporary County Court-house, Long Island City.  
 County Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September. Special Terms each Saturday, except during August.  
 County Judge's office always open at No. 336 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.  
 Burt J. Humphrey, County Judge.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
 Ira G. Darrin, District Attorney.

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**

No. 17 Cook avenue, Elmhurst.  
 John T. Robinson, Public Administrator, County of Queens.

**SHERIFF.**

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
 Herbert S. Harvey, Sheriff.  
 John M. Phillips, Under Sheriff.

**SURROGATE.**

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.  
 Office at Jamaica.  
 Except on Sundays, holidays and half-holidays, the office is open between March 31 and October 1 from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.; on Saturdays, from 8 a. m. to 12 m.; between September 30 and April 1, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; on Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m. The calendar is called on Tuesday of each week at 10 a. m., except during the month of August, when no court is held, and the court sits every day thereafter until all contested cases have been disposed of.

**RICHMOND COUNTY.****COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**

Village Hall, Stapleton.  
 Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.  
 John J. McCaughey, Assistant Commissioner.  
 Office open from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

**COUNTY CLERK.**

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
 C. L. Bostwick, County Clerk.  
 County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

**COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.**

Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1907.  
 County Courts—Stephen D. Stephens, County Judge.  
 First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jury.  
 First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jury.  
 Fourth Wednesday of January, without a Jury.  
 Fourth Wednesday of February, without a Jury.  
 Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury.  
 Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury.  
 Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury.  
 Fourth Wednesday of September, without a Jury.  
 Fourth Wednesday of October, without a Jury.  
 Surrogate's Court—Stephen D. Stephens, Surrogate.  
 Mondays at the Borough Hall, St. George, 10.30 o'clock a. m.  
 Tuesdays at the Borough Hall, St. George, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.  
 Wednesdays at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

No. 400 Richmond Terrace, New Brighton, S. I.  
 Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.  
 John J. Kenney, District Attorney.  
 J. Harry Tiernan, Assistant District Attorney.



**SHERIFF.**

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Joseph J. Barth, Sheriff.  
John J. Schoen, Under Sheriff.

**THE COURTS.****APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT.****FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.**

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 p. m.  
Edward Patterson, Presiding Justice, George L. Ingraham, Chester B. McLaughlin, Frank C. Laughlin, John Proctor Clarke, James W. Houghton, Francis M. Scott and John S. Lambert, Justices; Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk; William Lamb, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open at 9 a. m.

**SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.**

County Court-house, Chambers street. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 16.  
Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 13.  
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.  
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 21.  
Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad cases), Room No. 31.  
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 34.  
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 22.  
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.  
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.  
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 35.  
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23.  
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 27.  
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 26.  
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 28.  
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 37.  
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 26.  
Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 36.  
Appellate Term, Room No. 29.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.  
Assignment Bureau, room on third floor.  
Clerks in attendance from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 15.  
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 Term, Calendar, room northeast corner, second floor, east.  
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.  
Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).  
Criminal Court-house, Centre street.  
Justices—Charles H. Truax, Charles F. MacLean, Henry Bischoff, Jr., Leonard A. Gierich, P. Henry Dugro, Henry A. Gildersleeve, James Fitzgerald, David Leventritt, James A. O'Gorman, James A. Blanchard, Edward S. Clinch, Samuel Greenbaum, Edward E. McCall, Edward B. Amend, Vernon M. Davis, Victor J. Dowling, Joseph Newburger, M. Linn Bruce, John W. Goff, Samuel Seabury, M. Warley Platzek, Peter A. Hendrick, John Ford, Charles W. Dayton, John J. Brady, Mitchell L. Erlanger, Charles L. Guy.  
Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

**SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn N. Y.  
Court open daily from 10 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions.  
James F. McGee, General Clerk.  
Telephone, 6970 Main.

**CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.**

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.  
Peter J. Dooling, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.**

Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.  
Thomas C. T. Crain, City Judge; Francis S. McAvoy, Recorder; Otto A. Rosalsky, Warren W. Foster and Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
During July and August will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

**CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Part I.  
Part II.  
Part III.  
Part IV.  
Part V.  
Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Edward F. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice; John Henry McCarty, Lewis J. Conlan, Theodore F. Hascall, Francis B. Delehanty, Joseph I. Green, William H. Wadhams, Justices. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.  
Telephone, 6142 Cortlandt.

**COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.**

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.  
Court opens at 10 a. m.  
Justices—First Division—John B. McKean, William E. Wyatt, Willard H. Olmstead, Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, John B. Mayo, Charles W. Calkin, Clerk; William M. Fuller, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second Division—Trial Days—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesday at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursday at 10 o'clock.

Justices—Howard J. Forker, Patrick Keady, John Fleming, Thomas W. Fitzgerald, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe, Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk; John J. Dorman, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's Office, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

**CHILDREN'S COURT.**

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan, Edmund C. Lee, Clerk.  
Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn, James P. Sinnott, Clerk.

**CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.****First Division.**

Court opens from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
City Magistrates—Robert C. Cornell, Leroy B. Crane, Peter T. Barlow, Matthew P. Breen, Charles S. Whitman, Joseph F. Moss, James J. Walsh, Henry Steiner, Daniel E. Finn, Charles G. F. Wahle, Frederick B. House, Charles N. Harris, Frederic Kernochan.  
James McCabe, Secretary. One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Sixth avenue.  
First District—Criminal Court Building.  
Second District—Jefferson Market.  
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.  
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.  
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.  
Sixth District—One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Brook avenue.  
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.  
Eighth District—Main street, Westchester.

**Second Division.****Borough of Brooklyn.**

City Magistrates—Alfred E. Steers, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., James G. Tighe, Edward J. Dooley, John Naumer, E. G. Higgenbotham, Frank E. O'Reilly, Henry J. Furlong, John F. Hylan, Alexander H. Geismar.  
President of the Board, Frank E. O'Reilly, No. 249 Manhattan avenue.  
Secretary to the Board, William F. Delaney, No. 495 Gates avenue.  
First District—No. 318 Adams street.  
Second District—Court and Butler streets.  
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.  
Fourth District—Lee avenue and Clymer street.  
Fifth District—Manhattan avenue and Powers street.  
Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.  
Seventh District—No. 31 Snider avenue (Flatbush).  
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

**Borough of Queens.**

City Magistrates—Matthew J. Smith, Luke I. Connorton, Edmund J. Healy.  
First District—Long Island City.  
Second District—Flushing.  
Third District—Far Rockaway.

**Borough of Richmond.**

City Magistrates—John Croak, Nathaniel Marsh.  
First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.  
Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

**MUNICIPAL COURTS.****Borough of Manhattan.**

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands. New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.  
Wauhope Lynn, Justice. Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 1371 Spring.

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, No. 59 Madison street.  
John Hoyer, Justice. Francis Mangin, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens daily at 9 a. m., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.  
Telephone, 2410 Orchard.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
William F. Moore, Justice. Daniel Williams, Clerk.  
Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's Office open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens 9 a. m. daily, and remains open to close of business.  
George F. Roesch, Justice. Andrew Lang, Clerk.  
Telephone, 4053 Orchard.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirteenth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street and northwest of Clinton street to Rivington street, and on the centre line of Rivington street south to Norfolk street. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.  
Benjamin Hoffman, Justice. Thomas Fitzpatrick, Clerk.  
Telephone, 2326 Orchard.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 a. m. daily (except legal holidays), and continues open until close of business.  
Henry W. Unger, Justice. Abram Bernard, Clerk.  
Telephone, 4570 Gramercy.

Seventh District—That portion of Nineteenth Ward east of Lexington avenue, bounded on the south by the north side of East Fortieth street and on the north by the south side of East Eighty-sixth street, also that portion bounded on the south by the north side of East Sixty-first street, on the west by the east side of Park avenue, and on the north by the south side of East Sixty-fifth street. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.  
Herman Joseph, Justice. Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.  
Telephone, 3860 Plaza.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 a. m. and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings and return causes called at 9 a. m. Calendar causes, 9 a. m.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturdays until 12 m.  
Trial days and Return days, each Court day.  
James W. McLaughlin, Justice. Henry Merzbach, Clerk.  
Telephone, 2665 Chelsea.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river, north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.  
Joseph P. Fallon, Justice. William J. Kennedy, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 3595 Harlem.

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventieth street, west of Central Park West to Fifty-ninth

street, east on Fifty-ninth street to Seventh avenue, south on Seventh avenue to Fifty-third street, west on Fifty-third street to Eighth avenue, south on Eighth avenue to Fortieth street, north side to Hudson river. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
Thomas E. Murray, Justice. Michael Skelly, Clerk.  
Telephone, 1890 Columbus.

Eleventh District—The Eleventh District embraces that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street, between Lenox avenue and Seventh avenue, north of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river, and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court convenes daily at 9 a. m.  
Francis J. Worcester, Justice. Heman B. Wilson, Clerk.  
Telephone, 6335 Morningside.

Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventieth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Eighty-sixth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Court-room, No. 2555 Broadway.  
Alfred P. W. Seaman, Justice. James V. Gilloon, Clerk.  
Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catharine street, east side of Catharine street to East river. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Leon Sanders, Justice. James J. Devlin, Clerk.  
Court-room, No. 264 Madison street.  
Telephone, 2596 Orchard.

Fourteenth District—The Fourteenth District embraces that portion of the Borough of Manhattan bounded as follows: Beginning at West Fortieth street and Eighth avenue, north on Eighth avenue to West Fifty-third street; east on West Fifty-third street to Seventh avenue; north on Seventh avenue to West Fifty-ninth street to Eighth avenue; north on Eighth avenue and west on Central Park West to the Transverse road at Central Park West and West Ninety-seventh street; east on Transverse road to Fifth avenue and East Ninety-seventh street; south on Fifth avenue to East Ninety-sixth street; east on Ninety-sixth street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Sixty-fifth street; west on East Sixty-fifth street to Park avenue; south on Park avenue to East Sixty-first street; east on East Sixty-first street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Fortieth street; west on East and West Fortieth streets to the point of beginning at West Fortieth street and Eighth avenue.  
Edgar J. Lauer, Justice. William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.  
Court-house, No. 620 Madison avenue.  
Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

**Borough of The Bronx.**

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by Chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week.  
William W. Penfield, Justice. Thomas F. Delahanty, Clerk.  
Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, closing at 12 m.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, southeast corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street. Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m.  
John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.  
Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to Navy street, thence along the centre line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to the point of beginning, of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.  
John J. Walsh, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and the centre line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twentieth Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Waverly avenue, thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Park avenue, thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Washington avenue, thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue, and thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning.  
Court-room, No. 495 Gates avenue.  
Gerard B. Van Wart, Justice. Franklin B. Van Wart, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Central avenue, and northwest of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Willoughby avenue, between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.  
Philip D. Meagher, Justice. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards, that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards lying east of the centre line

of Stuyvesant avenue and east of the centre line of Schenectady avenue, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying southeast of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens and the centre line of Central avenue, and southeast of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.  
Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.  
Thomas H. Williams, Justice. G. J. Wiederhold, Clerk. Milton I. Williams, Assistant Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Fifth District—Contains the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, and so much of the Twenty-second Ward as lies south of Prospect avenue. Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue.  
Cornelius Furgueson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 407 Bay Ridge.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and the Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic avenue to Washington avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.

Justice, Lucien S. Bayliss, Charles P. Bible, Clerk.  
Court-house, No. 585 Fulton street.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.  
Alexander S. Rosenthal, Justice. Samuel F. Brothers, Clerk.  
Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 31 Pennsylvania avenue).  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.  
Jury Days: Wednesdays and Thursdays.  
Telephone, 904 East New York.

**Borough of Queens.**

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City formerly composing five wards). Court-room, St. Mary's Lyceum, Nos. 115 and 117 Fifth street, Long Island City.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day, excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 m. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
Thomas C. Kaden, Justice. Thomas F. Kennedy, Clerk.  
Telephone, 2376 Greenpoint.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which include the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room, in Court-house of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. Address, Elmhurst, New York.  
William Rasquin, Jr., Justice. John E. Prendeville, Clerk. William Kepper, Assistant Clerk. James B. Snediker, Stenographer.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—Fourth and Fifth Wards, comprising the territory of the former Towns and Villages of Jamaica, Far Rockaway and Rockaway Beach.  
James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.  
Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.  
Telephone, 180 Jamaica.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m.

**Borough of Richmond.**

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Anning S. Prall, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
George W. Stake, Justice. Peter Tiernan, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

**BOARD MEETINGS.**

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.  
JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.  
N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,  
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

The Board of City Record meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.  
PATRICK J. TRACY,  
Supervisor, Secretary.

**CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.**

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said Acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 138, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, at 2 o'clock p. m., until further notice.  
Dated New York City, November 20, 1906.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,  
GEORGE C. NORTON,  
OSCAR S. BAILEY,  
Commissioners.  
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,  
Clerk.



## OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"North Side News," "Harlem Reporter and Bronx Chronicle," "Bronx Sentinel."

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Islander," "Staten Island Star."

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

"Long Island Star" (First and Second Wards), "Flushing Evening Journal" (Third Ward), "Long Island Farmer" (Fourth Ward), "Rockaway News" (Fifth Ward).

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard-Union," "Brooklyn Free Presse."

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

"Democracy," "Tammany Times" (Harlem District), "Manhattan and Bronx Advocate" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights and Harlem Districts).

Designated by Board of City Record June 19, 1906.  
Amended June 20, 1906.

## DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1907.

## Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR HAULING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN TWELFTH AVENUE, AND IN BUSH, EXTERIOR, MANIDA AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREETS.

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

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

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump sum for all the work, articles, materials or supplies specified and contained in the annexed specifications and schedule.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities and places as may be directed by the Engineer.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, 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, and any further information may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 1521.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,  
Commissioner of Water Supply,  
Gas and Electricity.

The City of New York, May 7, 1907. m9,22

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

WATER RATES FOR 1907-8 WILL BE due and payable May 1, 1907.

If not paid before August 1, 1907, a penalty of five per cent. is added, and if not paid before November 1, 1907, an additional penalty of ten per cent. (a total of fifteen per cent.) will be added.

Bills for water rates may be obtained on and after May 1 on personal application.

For the convenience of taxpayers and to facilitate the business of the Department, it is requested that application be made by mail for such bills, at once.

Address Charles C. Wissel, Deputy Commissioner, Room No. 2, Hackett Building, Long Island City.

Bills will be issued on ward, volume, block and lot numbers only. Bills will not be issued on street numbers.

Applications for bills, or payments by mail, should be accompanied by addressed, stamped envelopes for return, to secure prompt attention.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,  
Commissioner.

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## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1907.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BROOME STREET, FROM HUMBOLDT STREET TO GRAHAM AVENUE.

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

1,610 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

280 cubic yards of concrete.  
1,110 linear feet of new curbstone.  
100 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

6 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

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

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF DEAN STREET, FROM ALBANY AVENUE TO TROY AVENUE.

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

2,750 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

450 cubic yards of concrete.  
1,160 linear feet of new curbstone.  
300 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

8 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

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

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF DEAN STREET, FROM HOWARD AVENUE TO SARATOGA AVENUE.

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

2,700 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
450 cubic yards of concrete.  
560 linear feet of new curbstone.

880 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.  
8 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF DODWORTH STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO BUSHWICK AVENUE.

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

1,320 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
240 cubic yards of concrete.  
980 linear feet of new curbstone.

100 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.  
4 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

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

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAGLE STREET, FROM FRANKLIN STREET TO MANHATTAN AVENUE.

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

2,940 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
20 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.

495 cubic yards of concrete.  
1,640 linear feet of new curbstone.  
125 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

7 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

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

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ELBERT STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE.

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

10,250 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
25 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.

1,730 cubic yards of concrete.  
4,650 linear feet of new curbstone.  
1,500 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

32 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FIRST STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO FOURTH AVENUE.

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

2,340 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
10 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.

390 cubic yards of concrete.  
1,240 linear feet of new curbstone.  
100 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

5 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

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

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FIFTH STREET, FROM FOURTH AVENUE TO FIFTH AVENUE.

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

2,420 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
10 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.

470 cubic yards of concrete.  
1,100 linear feet of new curbstone.  
350 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

6 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

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

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HOWARD AVENUE, FROM FULTON STREET TO ST. JOHN'S PLACE.

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

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

The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Dollars.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MARION STREET, FROM HOWARD AVENUE TO BROADWAY.

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

10,540 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
40 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.

1,740 cubic yards of concrete.  
4,830 linear feet of new curbstone.  
740 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

26 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Dollars.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NOLL STREET, FROM EVERGREEN AVENUE TO FLUSHING AVENUE.

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

4,620 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
30 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.

780 cubic yards of concrete.  
2,070 linear feet of new curbstone.  
700 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

11 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

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

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PARK PLACE, FROM UTICA AVENUE TO SCHENECTADY AVENUE.

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

2,720 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

450 cubic yards of concrete.  
640 linear feet of new curbstone.  
800 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

7 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

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

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF TAAFFE PLACE, FROM PARK AVENUE TO MYRTLE AVENUE.

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

2,040 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

360 cubic yards of concrete.  
1,330 linear feet of new curbstone.  
200 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

5 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

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

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

No. 15. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BAY FOURTEENTH STREET, FROM CROSEY AVENUE TO EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET.

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

4,160 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.  
40 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

6,160 cubic yards of earth excavation.  
790 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

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

19,900 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

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

No. 16. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BAY THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, FROM CROSEY AVENUE TO EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET.

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

4,500 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.  
50 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

580 cubic yards of earth excavation.  
4,310 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

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

22,190 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 17. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, FROM SECOND AVENUE TO THE SHORE ROAD.

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

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 14 Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,  
President.

Dated May 4, 1907. m8,22

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1907.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ENAMELED STREET SIGNS TO THE BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the number of signs required is as follows:

1,000 enameled street signs, Type "A."  
1,000 enameled street signs, Type "B."  
1,000 enameled street signs, Type "B" (blanks).  
1,000 enameled street signs, Type "C."

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles and the full performance of the contract is November 1, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GLASS STREET SIGNS TO THE BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the number of signs required is as follows:

500 glass street signs, Type "A."  
500 glass street signs, Type "B."  
500 glass street signs, Type "C."  
1,000 glass street signs, Type "D."  
1,000 glass street signs, Type "E."

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles and the full performance of the contract is November 1, 1907.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STENCIL STREET SIGNS TO THE BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The Engineer's estimate of the number of signs required is as follows:

500 stencil street signs, Type "A."  
250 stencil street signs, Type "B."

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles and the full performance of the contract is November 1, 1907.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars.

Bidders are required to state the price, per sign, Types "A," "B," "C," etc. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 29, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,  
President.

Dated April 22, 1907. m3,15

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1907.

FOR PROVIDING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A PUBLIC BATH BUILDING ON THE NORTHEAST-ERLY SIDE OF HAMBURG AVENUE, 18 FEET 9 INCHES NORTHWESTERLY OF WILLOUGHBY AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work and the full performance of the contract is three hundred (300) consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required will be Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 29 Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,  
President.

Dated April 27, 1907. m3,15

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1907.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BAY RIDGE AVENUE, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO FIFTH AVENUE.

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



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 1,490 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.  
 10 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.  
 1,110 cubic yards of earth excavation.  
 230 linear feet of concrete curb.  
 75 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.  
 8,490 square feet of cement sidewalk.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.  
 The amount of security required is One Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BAY RIDGE PARKWAY, FROM SHORE ROAD TO FIRST AVENUE, AND FROM SECOND AVENUE TO SEVENTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 23,100 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 3,220 cubic yards of concrete.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Seventeen Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BEDFORD AVENUE, FROM ATLANTIC AVENUE TO PACIFIC STREET, AND FROM BERGEN STREET TO ST. MARK'S AVENUE, AND OF GRANT SQUARE, FROM PACIFIC STREET TO BERGEN STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 7,540 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 1,150 cubic yards of concrete.  
 400 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 1,600 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.  
 7 noiseless covers and heads complete for sewer manholes.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTEENTH STREET, FROM PROSPECT PARK WEST TO ELEVENTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 5,070 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 750 cubic yards of concrete.  
 2,940 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 50 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.  
 16 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FIFTY-FIRST STREET, FROM EIGHTH AVENUE TO FORT HAMILTON AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 3,550 linear feet of new curbstone to be set in concrete.  
 10 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.  
 21,650 cubic yards of earth excavation.  
 3,240 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.  
 175 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.  
 17,130 square feet of cement sidewalk.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is seventy (70) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FURMAN AVENUE, FROM BROADWAY TO BUSHWICK AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 1,980 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 350 cubic yards of concrete.  
 570 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 620 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.  
 6 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.  
 The amount of security required is One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF GOthic ALLEY, FROM ADAMS STREET TO PEARL STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 310 square yards of granite block pavement, with tar and gravel joints.  
 50 cubic yards of concrete.  
 75 square feet of new granite bridgestones.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF KING STREET, FROM DWIGHT STREET TO CONOVER STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 4,760 square yards of granite block pavement, with tar and gravel joints.  
 30 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.  
 940 cubic yards of concrete.  
 2,180 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 700 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.  
 440 square feet of new granite bridgestones.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON PRESENT PAVEMENT AS A FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NINTH STREET, FROM FIFTH AVENUE TO PROSPECT PARK WEST.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 7,340 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 7,340 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.  
 3,190 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 2,600 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.  
 44 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PACIFIC STREET, FROM BUSHWICK AVENUE TO EASTERN PARKWAY.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 16,260 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 20 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.  
 2,690 cubic yards of concrete.  
 3,970 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 4,640 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.  
 40 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SEIGEL STREET, FROM WHITE STREET TO BOGART STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 827 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 156 cubic yards of concrete.  
 750 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 10 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.  
 1,740 cubic yards of earth excavation.  
 3,790 square feet of cement sidewalk.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SIXTH STREET, FROM THIRD AVENUE TO FOURTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 2,280 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.  
 390 cubic yards of concrete.  
 1,300 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 70 linear feet of old curbstone.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Twenty-two Hundred Dollars.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT AND GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENTS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SIXTIETH STREET, FROM FOURTH AVENUE TO SIXTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 5,590 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 2,740 square yards of granite block pavement with tar and gravel joints.  
 30 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.  
 1,380 cubic yards of concrete.  
 2,770 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 60 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.  
 4 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Fifty-five Hundred Dollars.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF STOCKTON STREET, FROM NOSTRAND AVENUE TO LEWIS AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 14,590 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 20 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.  
 2,410 cubic yards of concrete.  
 7,320 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 400 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.  
 33 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Fourteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF TROY AVENUE, FROM PACIFIC STREET TO EASTERN PARKWAY.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 9,320 square yards of asphalt pavement.  
 30 square yards of old stone pavement to be relaid.  
 1,530 cubic yards of concrete.  
 4,270 linear feet of new curbstone.  
 450 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.  
 13 noiseless covers and heads, complete, for sewer manholes.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET, FROM SURF AVENUE TO CONEY ISLAND CREEK.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:  
 2,630 linear feet of new curbstone to be set in concrete.  
 100 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.  
 130 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.  
 13,610 square feet of cement sidewalk.  
 Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.  
 The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 17. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,200 TONS OF STONE DUST.

Time for the delivery of the material and the full performance of the contract is by or before November 1, 1907.  
 The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.  
 The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot, square yard, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.  
 The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.  
 Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.  
 Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 14, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER, President.

Dated April 27, 1907.  
 See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

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

No. 591. Laying out on the map of The City of New York East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Hughes avenue to Crotona avenue, as per sketch attached.

No. 592. Change of grade of Cedar avenue, between West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and West One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; and of West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, between Sedgwick avenue and the New York and Putnam Railroad, as per sketch attached.

No. 593. Laying out on the map of The City of New York a street sixty (60) feet in width, extending southerly from Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street parallel with Kingsbridge avenue and 200 feet easterly therefrom, in accordance with sketch attached.

No. 594. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Albany road, between West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

No. 595. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Broadway and Kingsbridge avenue; and in Kingsbridge avenue, between West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-second street.

No. 596. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for West Two Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Broadway to Riverdale avenue.

No. 597. Paving with creosote-resinate wood block on concrete foundation and setting curb where necessary on Tiffany street, between Intervale avenue and Westchester avenue.

No. 598. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the triangle lying between Lafontaine avenue and Quarry road, north of the south side of Oak Tree place.

No. 599. Paving with granite block pavement on a concrete foundation Hunt's Point avenue, between the Southern Boulevard and Lafayette avenue, and setting curb and laying crosswalks where necessary.

No. 600. Sidewalk repairs and guard rail at the southeast corner of One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Jerome avenue, extending about 150 feet south on Jerome avenue.

No. 601. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Summit avenue to Lind avenue.

No. 602. Regulating and grading, and steps, setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Summit avenue to Lind avenue.

No. 466. For regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in the triangle between Lafontaine avenue and Quarry road, north of the south side of Oak Tree place.

No. 558. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Tibbett avenue, from West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street to West Two Hundred and Forty-second street.

No. 559. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Corlear avenue, from West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street to West Two Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

No. 585. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Valentine avenue, between East Two Hundred and First street and Bedford Park Boulevard.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof, on May 9, 1907, at 4 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.  
 Dated April 26, 1907.

LOUIS F. HAFEN, President of the Borough of The Bronx.  
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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

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

No. 601. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Cruger avenue, between South Oak drive and Gun Hill road.

No. 602. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Blondell avenue, between Westchester avenue and the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad.

No. 603. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in East Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between White Plains road and Barnes avenue.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on May 9, 1907, at 2.30 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated April 26, 1907.  
 LOUIS F. HAFEN, President of the Borough of The Bronx.  
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## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGHS HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, MAY 28, 1907,  
 Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE HUNDRED (300) BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT AT SUCH POINTS WITHIN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND AND IN SUCH QUANTITIES FROM TIME TO TIME AS THE SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS MAY DIRECT.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is until September 15, 1907.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SIX THOUSAND (6,000) TONS OF 1½-INCH BROKEN STONE OR SCREENINGS OF TRAP ROCK OR STATEN ISLAND SYENITE AT SUCH POINTS AND IN SUCH QUANTITIES FROM TIME TO TIME AS THE SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS

MAY DIRECT UPON THE ROADS WITHIN THE PORTION OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND KNOWN AS STONE DISTRICT No. 3.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is until September 1, 1907.

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

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 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 said President. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Richmond Building, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.

The City of New York, May 7, 1907. m8,28

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

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

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907,  
 Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 94, ON WESTERLY SIDE OF SIXTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FIFTIETH AND FIFTY-FIRST STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 120 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 159, ON PITKIN AVENUE, BETWEEN CRESCENT AND HEMLOCK STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 275 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

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

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
 Dated May 8, 1907. m8,20

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

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

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907,  
 Borough of Manhattan.

No. 3. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2, 7, 22, 34, 36, 62, 92, 110, 120, 126, 137, 144, 147, 177, 188, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:  
 Public School 2..... \$700.00  
 Public School 7..... 300.00  
 Public School 22..... 400.00  
 Public School 34..... 500.00  
 Public School 36..... 400.00  
 Public School 62..... 600.00  
 Public School 92..... 600.00  
 Public School 110..... 700.00  
 Public School 120..... 500.00  
 Public School 126..... 500.00  
 Public School 137..... 400.00  
 Public School 144..... 600.00  
 Public School 147..... 500.00  
 Public School 177..... 400.00  
 Public School 188..... 1,200.00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

No. 4. FOR IMPROVING LOT, ETC., NO. 722 EAST FIFTH STREET, ADJOINING PUBLIC SCHOOL 15, ON EAST FIFTH STREET, NEAR AVENUE D, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is \$1,200.

No. 5. FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 61, ON SOUTH SIDE OF FORTY-FIFTH STREET, ABOUT 225 FEET WEST OF TENTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is as follows:  
 Item 1..... \$900.00  
 Item 2..... 700.00  
 Item 3..... 600.00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

No. 6. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 114, ON JAMES, OAK AND OLIVER STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 390 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR THE ERECTION OF OUTSIDE IRON STAIRS, AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 180, NO. 30 VANDEWATER STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

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



**Borough of Queens.**

No. 8. FOR REPAIRING DAMAGED PORTIONS OF DRAIN LINE AND RAIN LEADERS, ETC., IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 86, ON WEST SIDE OF FLUSHING AVENUE, ABOUT 225 FEET SOUTH OF GRAND STREET, MASPETH, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 20 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. ITEMS NOS. 3 AND 5, FOR REPAIRING FURNITURE, ETC., IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS. The work shall be commenced on or before July 14, 1907, and completed on or before August 24, 1907, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:  
Item 3..... \$1,800 00  
Item 5..... 1,900 00  
A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

**Borough of Richmond.**

No. 10. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 12, ON EAST SIDE OF GREENLEAF AVENUE, BETWEEN POST AVENUE AND FLOYD STREET, WEST NEW BRITTON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 140 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars.

On Contracts Nos. 4, 6, 7, 8 and 10 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contracts Nos. 3, 5 and 9 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated May 9, 1907.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Normal College of The City of New York at the above office until 4 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1907.

**NORMAL COLLEGE.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 510 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, MORE OR LESS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before May 1, 1908.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

The bidders must state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded as a whole.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees, Normal College, southwest corner Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM N. WILMER,  
Chairman, Executive Committee,  
Normal College.

Dated May 7, 1907.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,

**Borough of Manhattan.**

No. 1. FURNISHING ALL REQUIRED MATERIAL, REPAIRING, TRANSFERRING AND ERECTING GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, KINDERGARTEN TENTS, SAND BINS, LARGE AND SMALL SWING FRAMES AND ALL OTHER MATERIAL INCLUDED IN THE EQUIPMENT OF OPEN-AIR PLAY-GROUNDS, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for furnishing and delivering materials and the completion of the work, as provided in the contract, will be on or before July 1, 1907.

No. 2. TAKING DOWN, REMOVING, TRANSFERRING AND STORING ALL GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, KINDERGARTEN TENTS, SAND BINS, LARGE AND SMALL SWING FRAMES AND ALL OTHER MATERIAL INCLUDED IN THE EQUIPMENT OF OPEN-AIR PLAY-GROUNDS, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before September 9, 1907.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

No. 1. FURNISHING ALL REQUIRED MATERIAL, REPAIRING, TRANSFERRING AND ERECTING GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, KINDERGARTEN TENTS, SAND BINS, LARGE AND SMALL SWING FRAMES AND ALL OTHER MATERIAL INCLUDED IN THE EQUIPMENT OF OPEN-AIR PLAY-GROUNDS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for furnishing and delivering materials and the completion of the work, as provided in the contract, will be on or before July 1, 1907.

No. 2. TAKING DOWN, REMOVING, TRANSFERRING AND STORING ALL GYM-

NASTIC APPARATUS, KINDERGARTEN TENTS, SAND BINS, LARGE AND SMALL SWING FRAMES AND ALL OTHER MATERIAL INCLUDED IN THE EQUIPMENT OF OPEN-AIR PLAY-GROUNDS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before September 9, 1907.

Items Nos. 1 and 2 will be awarded to the lowest aggregate bidder. Bill for Item No. 1 will be approved for payment when all work included in Item No. 1 shall have been completed and accepted by the Superintendent of School Supplies.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate. The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Dated May 1, 1907.

PATRICK JONES,

Superintendent of School Supplies.

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

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

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

No. 1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 64, ON BELMONT AVENUE, BERRIMAN AND ATKINS STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 390 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Seventy-five Thousand Dollars.

No. 2 (Item 2). FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 91, ON ALBANY AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST NEW YORK AVENUE AND MAPLE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 104, ON NINETY-SECOND STREET, CORNER OF GELSTON AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is as follows:  
Item 1..... \$700 00  
Item 2..... 500 00  
Item 3..... 500 00  
Item 4..... 2,500 00  
A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

No. 4. FOR FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 114, ON REMSEN AVENUE, BETWEEN BAY VIEW AVENUE AND SCHOOL LANE, CANARSIE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is as follows:  
Item 1..... \$600 00  
Item 2..... 600 00  
Item 3..... 700 00  
Item 4..... 1,000 00  
A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

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

On Contracts Nos. 3 and 4 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated May 1, 1907.

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

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

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,

**Borough of Manhattan.**

No. 5. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 30, 37, 39, 68, 72, 103, 109, 119, 121, 151, 168, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:  
Public School 30..... \$500 00  
Public School 37..... 500 00  
Public School 39..... 400 00  
Public School 68..... 700 00  
Public School 72..... 1,000 00  
Public School 103..... 500 00  
Public School 109..... 1,600 00  
Public School 119..... 600 00  
Public School 121..... 300 00  
Public School 151..... 400 00  
Public School 168..... 400 00  
A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

No. 6. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 43, ON NORTHWEST CORNER OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET AND AMSTERDAM AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 40 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 7 (Item 1). FOR FURNITURE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 81, ON ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREETS, 175 FEET WEST OF SEVENTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

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

No. 8 (Item 1). FOR FURNITURE FOR STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL, ON FIFTEENTH AND SIXTEENTH STREETS, ABOUT 80 FEET WEST OF FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 90 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 9. FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 135, AT NORTHWEST CORNER OF FIFTY-FIRST STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is as follows:  
Item 1..... \$200 00  
Item 2..... 200 00  
A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

**Borough of Queens.**

No. 10. FOR GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 5, 7, 24, 25, 27, 72, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

The proposal to be submitted must include the entire work on all schools and award will be made thereon.

No. 11. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 22, ON NORTHEAST CORNER OF SANFORD AVENUE AND MURRAY STREET, FLUSHING, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 80 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars.

No. 12. FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 85, ON WEST SIDE OF DEBVOISE AVENUE, 125 FEET NORTH OF WOOLSEY STREET, ASTORIA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

The amount of security required is as follows:  
Item 1..... \$1,700 00  
Item 2..... 800 00  
Item 3..... 1,100 00  
Item 4..... 800 00  
Item 5..... 4,300 00  
A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

No. 13. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 90, ON WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN AVENUES, 208 FEET NORTH OF JAMAICA AVENUE, RICHMOND HILL, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 300 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars.

On Contracts Nos. 6, 7, 8, 10, 11 and 13 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder in a lump sum on each contract.

On Contracts Nos. 5, 9 and 12 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated May 2, 1907.

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**DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.**

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

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

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1907,

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PLAYGROUND SUPPLIES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract is within ten (10) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

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

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

MOSES HERRMAN,

President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,

MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,

Commissioners of Parks.

Dated May 7, 1907.

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**AUCTION SALE.**

THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, will sell at public auction at the workshops in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx, on

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1907,

at 10.30 a. m., the following-named property:  
ONE LOT OF SCRAP IRON AND JUNK.

**TERMS OF SALE.**

Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the articles purchased are to be removed immediately after the sale. If the purchaser fails to effect removal of the articles purchased within ten days from the date of sale he shall forfeit his purchase money and the ownership of the articles purchased. The City further reserves the right to sell the articles over again; the money received at said sale is to also become the property of the City.

JOSEPH I. BERRY,

Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

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

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

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1907,

**Borough of The Bronx.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE HUNDRED (100) WASTE RECEPTACLES (No. 1-1907) FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE HUNDRED (500) WIRE TREE GUARDS (No. 1-1907) FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

MOSES HERRMAN,

President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,

MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,

Commissioners of Parks.

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

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

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1907.

**Borough of The Bronx.**

FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING MUSEUM CASES IN THE MUSEUM BUILDING IN THE BOTANICAL GARDEN IN BRONX PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be sixty (60) days.

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

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

Plans may be seen and blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

MOSES HERRMAN,

President;

JOSEPH I. BERRY,

MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,

Commissioners of Parks.

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

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

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1907,

**Borough of Queens.**

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE MATERIALS AND LABOR NECESSARY TO LAY CEMENT SIDEWALK ON WALK AROUND KINGS PARK, JAMAICA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is within thirty consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

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

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



be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each line or item, as stated in the specifications. Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

ROBERT W. HEBBERD,  
Commissioner.

The City of New York, May 7, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

**FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1907,**

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED TO REPAIR ROOF OF BARN AT THE NEW YORK CITY FARM COLONY, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Architect of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

ROBERT W. HEBBERD,  
Commissioner.

Dated April 30, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

**FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1907,**

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A VERANDA, ETC., ON THE MALE DORMITORY, RANDALL'S ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Architect of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

ROBERT W. HEBBERD,  
Commissioner.

Dated April 30, 1907.

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

#### 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.

**TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTIONS 12 AND 13, AND TWENTY-SEVENTH AND TWENTY-EIGHTH WARDS, SECTION 11.**

FENCING VACANT LOTS ON JAMAICA AVENUE, southeast side, between Hendrix street and Schenck avenue; on HENDRIX STREET, east side, between Jamaica and Arlington avenues; on LIBERTY AVENUE, south side, between Christopher avenue and Sackman street; on CHRISTOPHER AVENUE, east side, between Liberty and Glenmore avenues; on WATKINS STREET, west side, between Sutter and Blake avenues; on BLECKER STREET, southeast side, between Wyckoff and St. Nicholas avenues; on MYRTLE AVENUE, south side, between Ralph and Grove streets; on GROVE STREET, northwest side, between Knickerbocker avenue and Myrtle avenue; on HARMAN STREET, southeast side, between Wyckoff and St. Nicholas avenues; on NOLL STREET, southeast side, between Evergreen and Central avenues; on EVERGREEN AVENUE, east side, between Noll and George streets; on GEORGE STREET, northwest side, between Evergreen and Central avenues; on ATLANTIC AVENUE, northwest side, between Warwick and Ashford streets; on WARWICK STREET, east side, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; on ASHFORD STREET, west side, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; on ATLANTIC AVENUE, northwest side, between Ashford and Cleveland streets; on CLEVELAND STREET, west side, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; on ATLANTIC AVENUE, northwest side, between Cleveland and Elton streets; on ELTON STREET, west side, between Atlantic avenue and Fulton street; on ATLANTIC AVENUE, northwest side, between Elton and Linwood streets; on ELTON STREET, east side, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue. Area of assessment: Southeast corner of Jamaica avenue and Hendrix street; southeast corner of Liberty avenue and Christopher avenue and lot adjoining on Liberty avenue; west side of Watkins street, between Blake and Sutter avenues, Lots Nos. 35 and 41, Block 3546; east side of Blecker street, between St. Nicholas avenue and Wyckoff avenue, Lots Nos. 18 and 19, Block 3311; Lot No. 29 of Block 3317, fronting on Grove street and Myrtle avenue; southeast side of Harman street, between St. Nicholas and Wyckoff avenues, on Lots Nos. 11, 12 and 13 of Block 3291; Lot No. 11 of Block 3153, fronting on Noll street, George street and Evergreen avenue; north side of Atlantic avenue, between Warwick and Cleveland streets; northeast and northwest corners of Atlantic avenue and Elton street.

**THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.**  
**SIXTIETH STREET—GRADING LOTS.** south side, between Third and Fourth avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Sixtieth street, beginning at a point 94 feet east of Third avenue and continuing 60 feet easterly.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors May 7, 1907, and entered May 7, 1907, 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 entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided for in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for a 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 assessments became liens, as provided in section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before July 6, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, May 7, 1907.

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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

**TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTIONS 9 AND 11.**

**CLAY AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES,** from Park avenue to Webster avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Clay avenue, from Park avenue to the junction of Wendover and Webster avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments May 2, 1907, and entered May 2, 1907, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before July 1, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York—Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, May 2, 1907.

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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE** Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

**TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.**

**HALE AVENUE—PAVING WITH ASPHALT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION,** between Jamaica avenue and Fulton street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hale avenue, from Jamaica avenue to Fulton street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

**THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.**

**SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND RE-CURBING,** between Second avenue and Shore road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventy-fifth street, from Shore road to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments May 2, 1907, and entered May 2, 1907, 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 entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided for in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for a 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 assessments 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 assessments became liens, as provided in section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before July 1, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, May 2, 1907.

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#### 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 assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named streets and avenue in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

#### FIRST WARD.

**NINTH AVENUE—OPENING,** from Flushing avenue to Jackson avenue. Confirmed June 13, 1906; entered May 1, 1907. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northeastern line of Webster avenue with the middle line of the blocks between Eighth avenue (Pomeroy street) and Ninth avenue (Kouwenhoven street); running thence northeasterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the southerly line of Flushing avenue; thence easterly along the southerly line of Flushing avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Ninth avenue (Kouwenhoven street) and Tenth avenue (Steinway avenue); thence southwesterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the northerly line of Jackson avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Jackson avenue to its intersection to the northeasterly line of Webster avenue; thence northwesterly along the northeasterly line of Webster avenue to the point or place of beginning.

#### FIRST WARD.

**BLACKWELL STREET—OPENING,** from Jackson avenue to Graham avenue. Confirmed March 25, 1907; entered May 1, 1907. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Jackson avenue at the middle of the block between Blackwell street and Pomeroy street; running thence in a northerly direction along the centre line of the block between Blackwell street and Pomeroy street to the southerly side of Graham avenue; thence westerly along the southerly side of Graham avenue to a point at the centre of the block between Blackwell street and Bartow street; thence southerly along the centre line of the block between Blackwell street and Bartow street to the northerly side of Jackson avenue; thence easterly along the northerly side of Jackson avenue to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1016 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 assessments to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 29, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, May 1, 1907.

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#### 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 assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named streets in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

**TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.**

**EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FOURTH STREET—OPENING,** from Bainbridge avenue to Jerome avenue. Confirmed March 18, 1907; entered May 1, 1907. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East Two Hundredth street; running thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Bainbridge avenue; thence southerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth and East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth streets; thence westerly along said prolongation and middle line and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

#### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

**WEST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FOURTH STREET—OPENING,** from Bailey avenue to the New York and Putnam Railroad. Confirmed March 19, 1907; entered May 1, 1907. 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 the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet south of the southerly line of West One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet west of the westerly line of Exterior street; running thence northerly along said parallel line to Exterior street to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet north of the northerly line of West One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street; thence easterly along the westerly prolongation of said parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet east of the easterly line of Bailey avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet south of the southerly line of West One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street; thence westerly along the easterly prolongation of said last-mentioned parallel line and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 29, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York—Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, May 1, 1907.

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#### CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

WILLIAM H. SMITH, Auctioneer.

**AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF** Education, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired for school purposes in the Borough of Brooklyn, being situated upon land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Ten Eyck street, distant one hundred and thirty-eight (138) feet easterly from the easterly line of Bushwick avenue and running thence southerly seventy (70) feet to the northerly line of the lands of Public School 36; thence easterly and parallel with Ten Eyck street sixty (60) feet; thence northerly seventy (70) feet to the southerly line of Ten Eyck street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Ten Eyck street sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 17, 1907, the sale of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,**

at 11 a. m., on the premises, upon the following

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers, at the time of the auction sale, when the said bid is accepted by the City, shall execute a contract with The City of New York for the proper compliance with these terms and conditions, which contract shall provide for liquidated damages at so much per day for each and every day the removal of the buildings, etc., remains incomplete, after the expiration of sixty days from the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must either give a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale and of the contract.



All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations of every class and description within the described area are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb, and structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler setting, etc., and all stumps and area walls shall be torn down to the same level. All partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studdings, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away. The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty days from the day of sale, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will without notice to the purchaser cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences when existing against adjacent property not sold shall not be taken down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls, shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made water tight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel, and to reject any or all bids.

H. A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.

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#### CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF Education, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction all of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., within the lines of the property owned by The City of New York, acquired for school purposes, in the Borough of Queens, being situated upon land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Central avenue with the easterly line of Tompkins avenue, and running thence northerly along the easterly line of Tompkins avenue 175 feet; thence easterly and parallel with Central avenue 100 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Tompkins avenue 175 feet to the northerly line of Central avenue; thence westerly along the northerly line of Central avenue 100 feet to the easterly line of Tompkins avenue, the point or place of beginning, be the said dimensions more or less.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 17, 1907, the sale of the above described buildings and the appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1907,

at 11 a. m., on the premises, upon the following

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

It being understood that the purchasers, at the time of the auction sale, when the said bid is accepted by the City, shall execute a contract with The City of New York for the proper compliance with these terms and conditions, which contract shall provide for liquidated damages at so much per day for each and every day the removal of the buildings, etc., remains incomplete after the expiration of sixty days from the day of sale. A copy of said contract is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must either give a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale and of the contract.

All the buildings, structures and parts thereof, their fixtures and foundations of every class and description within the described area are to be torn down to a level two feet below the existing curb, and structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler setting, etc., and all stumps and area walls shall be torn down to the same level. All partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studdings, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken laths and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away. The purchaser at the sale shall also shut off and cap all water pipes, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Failure to remove said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within sixty days from the day of sale, will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, and

the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and the said City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner and must be completed within sixty days from the day of sale, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences when existing against adjacent property not sold shall not be taken down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls, shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made water tight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel, and to reject any or all bids.

H. A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, April 22, 1907.

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#### CORPORATION SALE OF TAX CERTIFICATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907,

at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to a certain tax sale certificate, registered in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn, in Liber 83 of Sales, by the certificate number 1149. The minimum or upset price at which said certificate is to be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at \$200, and the Comptroller is hereby authorized to take the necessary steps for making such sale upon the following

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount due on said certificate as purchase money at the time of the sale, which sum shall not be less than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200), and in addition thereto the purchaser shall pay the sum of \$15 for the auctioneer's fees on such sale.

Upon the payment of the amount bid at such sale, together with the auctioneer's fees, the Comptroller is hereby authorized to execute and deliver an assignment of the said certificate to the purchaser, which shall be taken by the purchaser without recourse.

The Comptroller may at his option resell the certificate if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for the cost and expense of any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held April 3, 1907.

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's office, April 11, 1907.

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#### CORPORATION SALE OF TAX CERTIFICATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907,

at 12 o'clock m., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to a certain tax sale certificate of property located in the former Fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, known as Lot No. 27 in Block 37 (now Lot No. 33 in Block 1141), said certificate being registered in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in Liber 83 of Tax Sales by the Certificate No. 1279; the minimum or upset price at which said certificate is to be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at one thousand dollars (\$1,000), and the Comptroller is hereby authorized to take the necessary steps for making such sale upon the following

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of said certificate as purchase money at the time of the sale, which sum shall not be less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), together with the further sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) for the necessary assignment of said certificate, and in addition thereto to pay the sum of \$15 for auctioneer's fees.

The assignment of the certificate of sale for taxes duly executed by the proper officer will be delivered to the purchaser at the time of sale, and shall be taken by the purchaser without recourse.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the certificate if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for the cost and expense of any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held April 3, 1907.

H. A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

City of New York—Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, April 11, 1907.

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

To Whom it May Concern:

WHEREAS, THERE ARE CERTAIN UNREDEEMED SALES OF DECEMBER 20, 1894, to the former Town of New Utrecht, County of Kings, for the assessment for the

"OPENING AND GRADING OF SIXTY-FIFTH STREET"

affecting property in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that upon proper verified application being filed with the Comptroller of The City of New York, on or before

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1907,

by the owners of the property affected by said sales, the principal amounts of the present liens without interest will be accepted in full settlement and adjustment of the City's claims therefor.

On and after May 10, 1907, no adjustments of these sales will be made under any circumstances for any sum less than the full amount of principal and interest due.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller of The City of New York.

Dated New York, N. Y., April 1, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
December 14, 1906.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case surety companies will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

Supplies of Any Description, including Gas and Electricity—

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

Two companies on a bond up to \$125,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$200,000.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements—

Two companies on a bond up to \$50,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$125,000.

Regulating, Grading, Paving, Sewers, Water Mains, Dredging, Construction of Parks, Parkways, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.

Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.

Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

New Docks, Buildings, Bridges, Aqueducts, Tunnels, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.

Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.

Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

Repairs, Ventilating, Heating, Plumbing, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.

Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.

Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

On bonds regarded as hazardous risks additional surety will be required as the Comptroller sees fit in each instance.

All bonds exceeding \$250,000 will by that fact alone be considered hazardous risks, no matter what the nature of the work.

H. A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

#### OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The Sun," "The New York Times."

Evening—"The Globe," "The Evening Mail."

Weekly—"Democracy," "Real Estate Record and Guide."

German—"Staats-Zeitung."

Designated by the Board of City Record, January 22, 1906. Amended March 1, 1906, November 20, 1906, and February 20, 1907.

#### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, April 22, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from Monday, April 22, until 4 p. m., Monday, May 6, 1907, for the position of

STATIONARY ENGINEER (ELECTRIC PUMPING STATIONS).

The examination will be held on Monday, May 27, 1907, at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 5

Experience ..... 4

Mathematics ..... 1

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

Candidates will be required to take charge of and operate the new high-pressure Fire Service Pumping Stations, using electric machinery and centrifugal pumps.

They must be familiar with the use and operation of high and low tension electric machinery and have had at least four years' experience as an apprentice or practical machinist, and at least three years' experience in handling high tension electric machinery.

The salary is \$1,500 per annum.

There will be six vacancies in Manhattan and six in Brooklyn.

The minimum age is 23 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, April 2, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from TUESDAY, APRIL 2, UNTIL 4 P. M. THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1907, for the position of

ASSISTANT ENGINEER (DESIGNER).

The examination will be held on

TUESDAY, JUNE 4, 1907,

at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 40

Mathematics ..... 15

Experience ..... 30

Report ..... 15

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

Candidates must have had at least five years' experience, part of which should have been in water-work designing and construction. Gradua-

tion from a technical school of recognized standing will be accepted as the equivalent of two years' experience.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States, and the rule requiring that two of the vouchers for candidates residing outside of The City of New York must be residents of The City of New York is waived for this examination.

The salary is \$2,100 per annum and up.

A number of vacancies exist in the Board of Water Supply.

The minimum age is 25 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, March 11, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from MONDAY, MARCH 11, UNTIL 4 P. M. WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1907, for the position of

ASSISTANT ENGINEER IN CHARGE OF SECTION, BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

The examination will occupy two days and will be held on

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MAY 8 AND 9, 1907,

at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 40

Experience ..... 30

Mathematics ..... 10

Report ..... 20

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

Appointments will be made for work outside of the City.

Certification will be made to the Board of Water Supply only. There will probably be a number of appointments.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States.

The salary is \$2,400 per annum and over.

Ten years' experience is necessary. Graduation from a technical school of recognized standing will count as two years' experience. A candidate must show at least two years of experience in charge of work or in a position in which he had some authority or responsibility.

Statements of such experience will be subject to publication and must be furnished to the Board of Water Supply.

In submitting statement of experience a candidate must show just what his connection has been with each piece of work and just what measure of responsibility rested upon him.

The minimum age is 28 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, March 13, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, UNTIL 4 P. M. MONDAY, MAY 13, for the position of

TOPOGRAPHICAL DRAUGHTSMAN.

The examination will be held on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 1907,

at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 5

Experience ..... 2

Mathematics ..... 2

Neatness ..... 1

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

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States.

Vacancies exist in the Board of Water Supply. Certification will be made for appointment at \$1,200 per annum only.

The minimum age is 21 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,  
ALFRED J. TALLEY,  
Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the eighty-third public auction sale of condemned Police Department horses will be held at Creamer & Delaney's stable, Nos. 25 and 27 East Twenty-eighth street, at 11 a. m.

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907.

Ben, No. 18, Sixth Precinct.  
Fritz, No. 53, Twenty-fifth Precinct.  
Gipsy, No. 514, Thirty-sixth Precinct.  
Joe, No. 369, Forty-fourth Precinct.  
Abbott, No. 149, Fifty-sixth Precinct.  
Pons, No. 255, Fifty-sixth Precinct.  
Woodlake, No. 280, Seventy-first Precinct.



Andy, No. 116, Eightieth Second Sub-Precinct.  
Luzon, No. 372, Eightieth Second Sub-Precinct.  
Rob, No. 489, Eighty-first Precinct.  
Frank, No. 119, Eighty-first Precinct.  
Gabe, No. 575, Eighty-third Precinct.  
Bombshell, No. 25, Training Stable.  
Fili-grane, No. 194, Training Stable.  
By order of  
**THEODORE A. BINGHAM,**  
Police Commissioner.  
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**POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET.**  
**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of The City of New York at the Bookkeeper's office, Central Department, until 10 o'clock a. m. on

**MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907.**

**FOR SUPPLYING GENERAL STATIONERY, PRINTER'S AND SURGEON'S SUPPLIES, FOR THE USE OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**  
The time for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract shall be not later than December 31, 1907. The Police Commissioner, however, may require deliveries at an earlier date of any item or items on this contract by notice to the contractor, whereupon the item or items called for must be delivered not later than 30 days after said notice.

Delivery will be required to be made at Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan (unless otherwise stated in specifications), from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the Police Commissioner.

The amount of security shall be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate. The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and the Police Commissioner will award the contract for each item.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Police 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 Police Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

**THEODORE A. BINGHAM,**  
Police Commissioner.

The City of New York, May 7, 1907. m7,20

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

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

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

**MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907.**

**FOR REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE STEAM VESSEL "PATROL," STATIONED AT PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

The time allowed for making and completing the repairs and alterations will be twenty days. The amount of security required will be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of bid or estimate.

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

The bidder will state the price for which he will do all the work and provide, furnish and deliver all the labor and materials mentioned and described in said contract and specifications. For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished bidders are referred to the specifications and to the plans on file in the office of the Inspector of Repairs and Supplies of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, City of New York.

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

**THEODORE A. BINGHAM,**  
Police Commissioner.

Dated April 30, 1907. a30,m13

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

**POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY** Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

**THEODORE A. BINGHAM,**  
Police Commissioner.

**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, No. 209 State street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

**THEODORE A. BINGHAM,**  
Police Commissioner.

#### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 9382, No. 1. Repairing sidewalk at No. 123 Avenue D.  
List 9283, No. 2. Repairing sidewalk at Nos. 2071 and 2073 Fifth avenue.

List 9289, No. 3. Receiving basin at the north side of Fourth street, at centre line of Mangin street.

List 9295, No. 4. Paving with asphalt blocks, curbing and recubing West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Boulevard Lafayette to Broadway.

List 9293, No. 5. Paving with asphalt blocks that portion of Broadway recently regraded for a width of 16 feet (between the old and the new curb line) on the east and west sides, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

List 8993, No. 6. Reregulating, regrading, recubing and reflagging Edgcombe avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.

#### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 9153, No. 7. Paving with asphalt block pavement on concrete foundation and curbing where necessary Stebbins avenue, from Dawson street to Westchester avenue.

List 9160, No. 8. Paving with asphalt blocks on a concrete foundation and curbing where necessary East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue.

List 9213, No. 9. Sewer and appurtenances in Cheever place, between Gerard and Walton avenues.

List 9214, No. 10. Receiving basins and appurtenances at the northwest corner of Dawson street and Rogers place, and south side of Dawson street, opposite Rogers place and at the northwest corner of Dawson street and Intervale avenue.

List 9215, No. 11. Sewer and appurtenances in West One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Woodcrest avenue and Ogden 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. Lot No. 34 of Block 378, on the west side of Avenue D, about 70 feet south of Ninth street.

No. 2. Lots Nos. 70 and 71 of Block 1752, on the east side of Fifth avenue, about 25 feet south of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.

No. 3. North side of Fourth street, from Lewis street to the centre line of Mangin street; east side of Lewis street, about 100 feet from its intersection with Fourth street.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Boulevard Lafayette to Broadway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Broadway, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 6. Both sides of Edgcombe avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Stebbins avenue, from Dawson street to Westchester avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Cheever place, from Gerard avenue to Walton avenue.

No. 10. Blocks bounded by Stebbins avenue, Intervale avenue, Dongan street and Dawson street; south side of Dawson street, between Longwood avenue and Intervale avenue.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Woodcrest to Ogden 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 June 11, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

**ANTONIO ZUCCA,**

**PAUL WEIMANN,**

**JAMES H. KENNEDY,**

Board of Assessors.

**WILLIAM H. JASPER,**

Secretary,

No. 320 Broadway.

City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, May 9, 1907. m9,20

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO** all persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following-named streets to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before May 21, at 11 o'clock a. m., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

#### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 9332. Creston avenue, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street.

List 9333. One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, east from Arthur avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

List 9334. One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, east from Jerome avenue to Marion avenue.

List 9335. Southern Boulevard, from Boston road at or about East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street to the prolongation of the northerly line of St. John's College property eastwardly, and crossing Southern Boulevard (except the easterly sidewalk from Crotona parkway at the entrance to Crotona Park, near East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, to the Bronx Park at East One Hundred and Eighty-second street.)

#### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

List 9336. Castleton avenue, from Bard avenue to Glen road.

List 9337. Fisk (Clinton B.) avenue, from Watchogue road to Main avenue, and Main avenue, from Willard to Jewett avenue.

List 9338. Grace Church place, from Simonson place for about 120 to 130 feet, more or less, in a westerly direction to the former terminus of Grace Church place; also from Heberton avenue to Simonson place.

**ANTONIO ZUCCA,**

**PAUL WEIMANN,**

**JAMES H. KENNEDY,**

Board of Assessors.

**WILLIAM H. JASPER,**

Secretary,

No. 320 Broadway.

City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, May 7, 1907. m7,17

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

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 9166, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying cement sidewalks, Rockaway avenue, between Blake avenue and Hegeman avenue.

List 9184, No. 2. Sewer in Douglass street (St. John's place), between Underhill avenue and Washington avenue, and outlet sewer in Underhill avenue, between St. John's place and Sterling place.

List 9185, No. 3. Sewer basins at the southwest, northwest and northeast corners of East Fourteenth street and Cortelyou road; on the southwest, northwest and northeast corners of East Thirteenth street and Cortelyou road; and the northeast and southeast corners of East Eleventh street and Cortelyou road.

List 9186, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing, recubing and laying cement sidewalks on Belmont avenue, between Warwick and Elton streets.

List 9187, No. 5. Grading and paving with granite blocks on sand, curbing and recubing, laying and relaying cement sidewalks where not already done, Starr street, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues.

List 9188, No. 6. Laying cement sidewalks on the east side of Saratoga avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Pacific street; on the south side of Forty-first street, between First and Second avenues; on the south side of Clifford place, between Calver street and Meserole avenue; on the southeast side of Bay Thirty-second street, between Benson avenue and Eighty-sixth street; and on the north side of Park place, between Schenectady and Utica avenues.

List 9189, No. 7. Paving with asphalt pavement Logan street, between Jamaica and Atlantic avenues.

List 9190, No. 8. Laying cement sidewalks on the southeast side of Gates avenue, between Evergreen and Central avenues; on the east side of Evergreen avenue, between Noll and George streets; southeast side of Noll street, between Evergreen and Central avenues; south side of Liberty avenue, between Christopher street and Sackman street; both sides of Cleveland street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; northwest side of Atlantic avenue, between Warwick and Ashford streets; west side of Ashford street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; on the northwest side of Atlantic avenue, between Cleveland and Elton streets; on the east side of Cleveland street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; on the northwest side of Atlantic avenue, between Elton and Linwood streets, and on the east side of Elton street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue.

List 9191, No. 9. Laying cement sidewalks on the north side of St. Mark's avenue, between Hopkinson and Rockaway avenues; on the northeast side of Evergreen avenue, between Cooper street and Moffatt street; on the northwest side of Moffatt street, between Evergreen avenue and Central avenue; on the southwest side of Central avenue, between Cooper and Moffatt streets; on the southeast side of Moffatt street, between Evergreen avenue and Central avenue. On the southwest side of Central avenue, between Moffatt street and Chauncey street; on the northwest side of Chauncey street, between Evergreen avenue and Central avenue; on the southeast side of Moffatt street, between Central avenue and Hamburg avenue; on the northeast side of Central avenue, between Moffatt street and Chauncey street; on the southeast side of Stewart street, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue; on the south side of Fulton street, between Euclid avenue and Pine street; on the south side of Fulton street, between Pine street and Crescent street, and on the west side of Crescent street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue.

List 9192, No. 10. Laying cement sidewalks on the south side of Seventeenth street, between Prospect Park West and Tenth avenue; on the west side of Junius street, between East New York and Pitkin avenues; on the northwest and southeast sides of DeSales place, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue; on the southwest side of Bushwick avenue, between DeSales place and Eastern parkway; on the south side of Pitkin avenue, between Stone avenue and Christopher street; on the north side of Pitkin avenue, between Chester street and Rockaway avenue; on the east side of Chester street, between East New York avenue and Pitkin avenue; and on the south side of Pitkin avenue, between Bristol street and Chester street.

List 9193, No. 11. Laying cement sidewalks on the northwest corner of Seventh avenue and Fifty-eighth street; on the northwest side of Atlantic avenue, between Essex street and Shepherd avenue; between Shepherd avenue and Dresden street; between Dresden street and Hale avenue; between Hale and Norwood avenues; and between Norwood avenue and Logan street.

List 9194, No. 12. Grading a lot on the northwest side of Linden street, between Bushwick and Evergreen avenues.

List 9195, No. 13. Sewer in Bay Ridge avenue, from Third to Fifth avenue, and from Sixth to Fort Hamilton avenue; and outlet sewer in Bay Ridge avenue, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Tenth avenue.

List 9219, No. 14. Sewer in Forty-fourth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, and outlet sewer in Seventh avenue, from Forty-fourth to Forty-seventh street.

List 9222, No. 15. Regulating, grading, curbing, recubing and laying cement sidewalks in Eighty-eighth street, between Third and Fifth avenues.

List 9225, No. 16. Grading, paving gutters with brick curbing and recubing Eighty-fifth street, between First and Fourth avenues.

List 9229, No. 17. Reconstructing sewer in Beverley road, between East Thirteenth and East Fifteenth streets, to agree with the adopted drainage district map of the vicinity, viz.: Map T, District No. 40.

List 9231, No. 18. Sewer basins along Clarendon road on the northwest corner of East Twenty-second street; all four corners of East Twenty-third and East Twenty-fifth streets; northeast and southeast corners of East Twenty-sixth street; northeast corner of Rogers avenue; northeast corners of East Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets; northeast and northwest corners of East Thirty-first street; also East Thirty-fourth street; northeast corner of East Thirty-fifth street and northwest corner of East Thirty-seventh street.

List 9233, No. 19. Regulating and grading Eighth avenue, between Bay Ridge avenue and Seventh 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 Rockaway avenue, from Blake avenue to Hegeman avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of St. John's place, from Underhill avenue to Washington avenue; both sides of Underhill avenue, from Lincoln to Sterling place; east side of Underhill avenue, between St. John's and Lincoln places, and Lot No. 54 of Block 1173, fronting on Washington avenue.

No. 3. South side of Cortelyou road, from Eleventh to Fourteenth street, Lot No. 67 of Block 5154; Lot No. 12 of Block 5155; Lots Nos. 13, 15, 17, 19, 64 and 66 of Block 5156; block bounded by Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, Cortelyou road and Beverley road; east side of Fourteenth street, between Cortelyou and Beverley roads; west side of Thirteenth street,

from Cortelyou road to Beverley road; north side of Cortelyou road, from Eleventh to Fifteenth street, and east side of Eleventh street, between Cortelyou and Beverley roads.

No. 4. Both sides of Belmont avenue, from Warwick street to Elton street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Starr street, from Wyckoff to Irving avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 6. East side of Saratoga avenue, between Pacific street and Atlantic avenue; south side of Forty-first street, between First and Second avenues; southwest corner of Calver street and Clifford place; south side of Bay Thirty-second street, between Benson avenue and Eighty-sixth street; north side of Park place, between Schenectady and Utica avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Logan street, from Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Lot No. 26 of Block 3341, located on the east side of Gates avenue; southeast corner of Evergreen avenue and Noll street; southeast corner of Liberty avenue and Christopher avenue; and lot adjoining on Liberty avenue; northwest corner of Atlantic avenue and Ashford street; and Lots Nos. 43 and 44, adjoining on Atlantic avenue; northwest corner of Atlantic avenue and Cleveland street; east side of Cleveland street, between Fulton street and Atlantic avenue; northeast and northwest corners of Elton street and Atlantic avenue.

No. 9. North side of St. Mark's place, between Rockaway avenue and Hopkinson avenue, north side of Chauncey street, both sides of Moffatt street, between Central avenue and Evergreen avenue; south side of Central avenue, between Chauncey street and Moffatt street; north side of Evergreen avenue, between Moffatt and Cooper streets; south side of Moffatt street, between Central and Hamburg avenues; southeast corner of Stewart street and Bushwick avenue and lot adjoining on Stewart street; south side of Fulton street, between Euclid avenue and Crescent street; west side of Crescent street, from Fulton street to Atlantic avenue.

No. 10. South side of Seventeenth street, between Prospect Park West and Tenth avenue; west side of Junius street, between East New York avenue and Pitkin avenue; both sides of DeSales place, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue; south side of Bushwick avenue, from Eastern parkway to DeSales place; south side of Pitkin avenue, from Stone avenue to Christopher avenue; northeast corner of Pitkin avenue and Chester street; southeast corner of Pitkin avenue and Bristol street.

No. 11. Northwest corner of Seventh avenue and Fifty-eighth street; north side of Atlantic avenue, from Essex street to Logan street.

No. 12. North side of Linden street, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen avenue.

No. 13. Both sides of Bay Ridge avenue, from Third avenue to Tenth avenue; east side of Third avenue; both sides of Fourth, Fifth and Sixth avenues, from Ovington avenue to Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Seventh and Eighth avenues, from Seventy-first street to Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Ninth avenue, from Bay Ridge avenue to Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Fort Hamilton avenue, from Seventy-first street to Sixty-eighth street; west side of Tenth avenue, from Seventieth street to Sixty-eighth street; blocks bounded by Sixty-eighth and Seventieth streets, Tenth and Fort Hamilton avenues; both sides of Seventieth street and south side of Sixty-eighth street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Seventh avenue; north side of Ovington avenue and south side of Sixty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Seventh avenue.

No. 14. East side of Sixth avenue and both sides of Seventh avenue, from Forty-third to Forty-seventh street; both sides of Forty-third, Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth and north side of Forty-seventh street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 15. Both sides of Eightieth street, from Third to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 16. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, from First to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 17. Plot bounded by Fort Hamilton avenue, Caton avenue, Coney Island avenue and Parade place, known as the Parade Grounds; south side of Caton avenue; both sides of Church avenue, Albemarle road and Beverley road, from Coney Island avenue to Fifteenth street; both sides of Turner place and Huckleby street; from Coney Island avenue to Eleventh street; east side of Coney Island avenue; both sides of Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth and west side of Fifteenth street, from Beverley road to Caton avenue.

No. 18. Both sides of Clarendon road, from Flatbush avenue to Rogers avenue; north side of Clarendon road, from Rogers avenue to East Thirty-seventh street; both sides of East Twenty-second street and west side of East Twenty-third street, between Beverley road and Clarendon road; east side of Twenty-third street, both sides of Bedford avenue, East Twenty-fifth and East Twenty-sixth streets and Rogers avenue, between Beverley road and Clarendon road; both sides of East Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, Nostrand avenue, Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets, New York avenue, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth streets and Brooklyn avenue, between Beverley road and Clarendon road, and the west side of East Thirty-seventh street, between Beverley and Clarendon roads; northwest corner of Vanderveer place and East Twenty-third street; east side of Twenty-third street; both sides of Bedford avenue, East Twenty-fifth street, East Twenty-sixth street, and west side of Rogers avenue, from Clarendon road to Avenue D.

No. 19. Both sides of Eighth avenue, from Bay Ridge avenue to Seventy-third street and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before June 4, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

**ANTONIO ZUCCA,**

**PAUL WEIMANN,**

**JAMES H. KENNEDY,**

Board of Assessors.

**WILLIAM H. JASPER,**

Secretary,

No. 320 Broadway.

City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, May 2, 1907. m2,13

**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 8666, No. 1. Drains or sewers and appurtenances in East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Webster avenue and Napier avenue; Webster avenue, between East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and East Two



street system in the section of the Chester District, known as "Throggs Neck," Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be



held in the old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 17, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 19, 1907, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a street system in that portion of the Chester District known as "Throgs Neck," in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Bounded approximately by Middletown road, Long Island Sound, Fort Schuyler Reservation, East river, Huntington avenue, Eastern boulevard, Balcom avenue and Appleton road.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

Dated May 4, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary,  
No. 277 Broadway, Room 805.  
Telephone 3454 Worth.

m4,15

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to discontinue and close Willow avenue, south of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, as heretofore laid down and opened; Walnut avenue, south of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street; Locust avenue, south of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, and East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-first street, east of the easterly line of Willow avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 17, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 19, 1907, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by discontinuing and closing Willow avenue, south of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, as heretofore laid down and opened; Walnut avenue, south of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street; Locust avenue, south of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-second street, and East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-first street, east of the easterly line of Willow avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

Dated May 4, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary,  
No. 277 Broadway, Room 805.  
Telephone 3454 Worth.

m4,15

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT** the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 19, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Greenpoint avenue, from Jewell street to Newtown creek, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

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

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

Three hundred feet on each side of the street to be opened between the bulkhead line of Newtown creek and a line midway between the westerly side of Jewell street and the easterly side of Diamond street, and the prolongation of the said line north of Greenpoint avenue.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

Dated May 4, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary,  
No. 277 Broadway, Room 805.  
Telephone 3454 Worth.

m4,15

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT** the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 19, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering

the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of the triangular parcel of land bounded by Ninety-fourth street, Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

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

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

Bounded on the west by a line 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Fourth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Fourth avenue; on the north by a line 100 feet north of the northerly line of Ninety-fourth street, the said line being measured at right angles to the line of Ninety-fourth street; on the east by a line 100 feet east of the easterly line of Fifth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Fifth avenue; and on the south by a line midway between Ninety-fifth street and Ninety-sixth street, through that portion of their length west of Fourth avenue, and by the prolongation of the said line.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

Dated May 4, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary,  
No. 277 Broadway, Room 805.  
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m4,15

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT** the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 19, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Paulding avenue, from East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

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

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

Beginning at the intersection of a line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-first street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street with a line midway between Paulding avenue and Bronxwood avenue, and the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet north of the northerly side of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence easterly and parallel with East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Paulding avenue and Laconia avenue; thence southwardly and always midway between Paulding avenue and Laconia avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-first street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between East Two Hundred and Twenty-first street and East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

Dated May 4, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
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m4,15

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT** the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 19, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Glebe avenue, from Westchester avenue to Overing avenue; Frisby avenue, from Zerega avenue to Castle Hill avenue; Frisby avenue, from Zerega avenue to Benson avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

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

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

Beginning at the intersection of a line midway between Overing street and Benson avenue with a line 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly side of Frisby avenue, and running thence northeastwardly and parallel with the line of Frisby avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northeasterly side of Williamsbridge road; thence northeastwardly and at right angles to the line of the Williamsbridge road 100

feet; thence southeastwardly and parallel with the line of the Williamsbridge road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Frisby avenue and Tratman avenue; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Frisby avenue and Tratman avenue to a point on the said line distant 100 feet north-easterly from the northeasterly side of Benson avenue; thence southeastwardly and parallel with the northeasterly line of Benson avenue as laid out between Tratman and Frisby avenues, and along the prolongation of the said course to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Tratman avenue and Westchester avenue; thence southwestwardly and along the said line midway between Tratman avenue and Westchester avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Zerega avenue and Parker street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Zerega avenue and Parker street to the intersection with a line 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Lyon avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Lyon avenue; thence southwestwardly and parallel with the southeasterly line of Lyon avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Glebe avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Glebe avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Glebe avenue to a point distant 100 feet south of the southerly side of Westchester avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with the line of Westchester avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Glebe avenue and Castle Hill avenue through that portion of their length north of Lyon avenue; thence northwardly and along the said line midway between Glebe avenue and Castle Hill avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet south of and parallel with the southerly line of Lyon avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Lyon avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Lyon avenue to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Castle Hill avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with the line of Castle Hill avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Lyon avenue and Starling avenue; thence eastwardly and along the said line midway between Lyon avenue and Starling avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Glebe avenue and Castle Hill avenue; thence northwardly and along the said line midway between Glebe avenue and Castle Hill avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Glebe avenue and St. Raymond avenue through that portion of their length northeast of Glover street; thence northeastwardly and always midway between St. Raymond avenue and Glebe avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Overing street and Benson avenue, and thence southeastwardly along the said line midway between Overing street and Benson avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

Dated May 4, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary,  
No. 277 Broadway, Room 805.  
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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT** the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 19, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Vandalia street, from New Lots road to Vandalia avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

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

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

Bounded on the west by a line midway between Linwood street and Elton street; on the north by a line 100 feet north of and parallel with the northerly line of New Lots road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of New Lots road; on the east by a line midway between Linwood street and Essex street, and on the south by a line 100 feet south of and parallel with the southerly side of Vandalia avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Vandalia avenue.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

Dated May 4, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT** the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 19, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of West street, from Honeywell avenue to Crotona parkway, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

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

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the pro-

posed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Bounded on the north by a line midway between West street and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; on the east by Honeywell avenue; on the south by a line midway between West street and East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, and on the west by Crotona parkway.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT** the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 19, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Nurge street, between Metropolitan avenue and the Long Island Railroad, and of William street, between Metropolitan avenue and Arctic street, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

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

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

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Metropolitan avenue midway between the intersection of the said line with the northwesterly line of Nurge street and the southeasterly line of Flushing avenue, and running thence north-easterly along a line always midway between Nurge street and Flushing avenue to the southeasterly line of the lands of the Long Island Railroad Company; thence eastwardly and south-easterly and along the said property line of the Long Island Railroad Company to the intersection of the said line with the prolongation of a line midway between William street and Baltic street; thence southwardly and along a line always midway between William street and Baltic street and along the prolongation of the same to the intersection of the said line with the northerly line of Metropolitan avenue; thence southwardly at right angles to the line of Metropolitan avenue to a point distant 100 feet south of the southerly line of Metropolitan avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Metropolitan avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to the line of Metropolitan avenue, and passing through the point described as the point or place of beginning; and thence northwardly to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT** the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 19, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Ely avenue, between Nott avenue and Grand avenue, First Ward, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

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

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

Beginning at the intersection of the prolongation of a line midway between Ely avenue and Van Alst avenue with a line midway between Grand avenue and Taylor street, and running thence southeastwardly and along the said line midway between Grand avenue and Taylor street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Ely avenue and the Crescent; thence southwestwardly and along the said line midway between Ely avenue and the Crescent, and the prolongation thereof, to the intersection with a line midway between Orange street and Graham avenue; thence southeastwardly and along the said line midway between Orange street and Graham avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between William street and the Crescent; thence southwestwardly and along the said line midway between William street and the Crescent, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with a line midway between Nott avenue and Twelfth street; thence westwardly and along the said line midway between Nott avenue and Twelfth street to the intersection with a line midway between Ely avenue and Van Alst avenue; thence northwardly and along the said line midway between Ely avenue and Van Alst avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Nineteenth street and Fourteenth street; thence westwardly and along the said line midway between Nineteenth street and Fourteenth street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Sunswick street and Van Alst avenue; thence northeastwardly and along the said line midway between Sunswick street and Van Alst avenue, and the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with a line midway between Graham avenue and Orange street; thence southeastwardly and along the said line midway between Graham avenue and



Orange street to the intersection with a line midway between Ely avenue and Van Alst avenue; thence northeastwardly and along the said line midway between Ely avenue and Van Alst avenue, and the prolongation of the same, to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

Dated May 4, 1907.

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the street grades in the territory bounded by Lawrence street, East river, Nineteenth avenue and Flushing avenue, First Ward, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 17, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 26, 1907, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the street grades in the territory bounded by Lawrence street, East river, Nineteenth avenue and Flushing avenue, in the First Ward, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly shown on map or plan submitted by the President of the Borough of Queens.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of May, 1907.

Dated May 4, 1907.

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

#### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF** Estimate and Apportionment, held April 12, 1907, in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, the following proceedings were had:

Whereas, The Fort George Street Railway Company has, under date of July 3, 1906, made application to this Board for the grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railroad upon and along St. Nicholas (or Eleventh) avenue, between the Dyckman street station of the Interborough Rapid Transit Railroad and West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, Borough of Manhattan; and

Whereas, Section 92 of the Railroad Law and sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance to such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on July 6, 1906, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as September 28, 1906, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least fourteen (14) days in the "Sun" and the "World," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the City Record for ten days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for, and proposed to be granted to the Fort George Street Railway Company, and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor; now therefore it is

Resolved, That the following form of the resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the Fort George Street Railway Company containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board, as follows, to wit:

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

#### FORT GEORGE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

##### Proposed Form of Contract.

This contract made this day of 1907, by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the Fort George Street Railway Company, incorporated for the purpose of building, maintaining and operating a street surface railroad (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseth: In consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree as follows:

Section 1. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railroad by electrical system, together with the necessary wires and other equipment for the purpose of conveying persons and

property in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, upon the following route:

Beginning at a point about seven hundred feet south of the intersection of Dyckman street and Nagle avenue, running thence by double track in a southerly direction through, upon and along St. Nicholas avenue to its intersection with West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, all in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City, County and State of New York.

Said route, together with turnouts, switches, stands and crossovers hereby authorized, are shown upon a map entitled:

"Map showing proposed route of the Fort George Street Railway Company, to accompany amended petition to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Dated October 16, 1906. Original petition dated July 3, 1906," and signed by R. E. Simon, President, and A. E. Kalbach, Consulting Engineer.

Sec. 2. The grant of this privilege is subject to the following conditions, which shall be complied with by the Company:

First—The consent in writing of the owners of half in value of the property bounded on said streets and avenues to the construction and operation of said railroad shall be obtained by the Company within six months of the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and a copy of such consents shall be filed with the Board within such time, or in the event that such consents cannot be obtained within such time, the Company shall within two months thereafter make application to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners in the manner provided by the Railroad Law, to determine if said railroad ought to be constructed; otherwise this grant shall cease and determine, unless the period shall be extended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Second—This consent is upon the express condition that the Company within sixty days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor and before anything is done in the exercise of the rights conferred thereby, shall enter into a traffic agreement with the Interborough Rapid Transit Company whereby passengers entering the cars of either the Company or the Interborough Rapid Transit Company (subway) shall be entitled to a continuous passage on both of the said lines upon the payment of a single fare of five cents; such agreement shall be for a period of at least twenty-five years.

Third—The said right to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railroad as herein described, shall be held and enjoyed by the Company, its successors or assigns, for the term of twenty-five years from the date when this contract is signed by the Mayor, with the privilege of renewal of said contract for the further period of twenty-five years, upon a fair revaluation of such right and privilege. Such revaluation shall be of the right and privilege to maintain and operate the said railroad by itself, and not to include any valuation derived from the ownership, operation or control of any other railroad by the Company, its successors or assigns. The Company shall, however, not have the right to exercise such privilege of renewal until it has entered into a traffic agreement with the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, or its successors, in the operation of the Rapid Transit Railroad (subway), as above, for said renewal period.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal it shall make application to the Board, or any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the Board. Such application shall be made at any time not earlier than two years and not later than one year before the expiration of the original term of this contract. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient if agreed to in writing by the Company and the Board, but in no case shall the annual rate of compensation to the City be fixed at a less amount than that sum required to be paid during the last year in this original contract.

If the Company and the Board shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one year before the expiration of the original term of this contract, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding twenty-five years shall be reasonable, and either the City (by the Board) or the Company shall be bound upon request of the other, to enter into a written agreement with each other fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable, and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate and at such amount as shall be determined by three disinterested freeholders, selected in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder, and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluation aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six months prior to the expiration of this original contract, and their report shall be filed with the Board within three months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigation, without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine any of the books of the Company and its officers under oath. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but no annual sum shall, in any event, be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year of this original contract. If in any case the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the termination of the original term of this contract, then the Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined, and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate. The compensation and expenses of the said appraisers shall be borne jointly by the City and the Company, each paying one-half thereof.

Fourth—Upon the termination of this original contract, or if the same is renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any other cause, or upon the dissolution of the Company before such termination, the tracks and equipment of the Company constructed pursuant to this contract, within the streets and highways of the City, shall become the property of the City, without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

At the termination of this grant as above, the City, at the election of the Board, shall have the right to purchase all the property of the Company not within the streets or avenues, at its fair market value, exclusive of any value which such property may have by reason of this contract. Such valuation shall be determined in the same manner as revaluation for a renewal of this contract, as herein provided.

If, however, at the termination of this grant as above, the City (by the Board) shall so order by resolution, the Company shall upon thirty (30) days' notice in writing from the Board, remove any and all of its tracks and other equipment constructed pursuant to this contract,

and the said streets and highways shall be restored to their original condition at the sole cost and expense of the Company.

Fifth—The Company, its successor or assigns, shall pay to the City for the right to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railway on the route herein described, the following sums of money:

1. Five thousand dollars (\$5,000) in cash, within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor.

2. During the first five years of this contract an annual sum, which shall in no case be less than five hundred dollars (\$500), and which shall be equal to three per cent. of the gross receipts of the Company, if such percentage shall exceed a sum of five hundred dollars (\$500).

During the remaining twenty years of this contract an annual sum, which shall in no case be less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), and which shall be equal to five per cent. of the gross receipts of the Company, if such percentage shall exceed the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

The payment of such minimum sums shall begin from the day on which the contract is signed by the Mayor.

The terms hereafter to be fixed for any renewal term of this contract shall not be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year of this original contract, and no renewal shall provide for a further renewal.

Such minimum annual sums shall be paid into the Treasury of The City of New York on November 1 of each year, and shall be for the amount due to September 30, next preceding.

Whenever the percentage required to be paid shall exceed the minimum amount as above, such sum over and above such minimum shall be paid to the said Comptroller on or before November 1, in each year, for the year ending September 30, next preceding. The fiscal year shall end on September 30, next preceding said date of payment, and provisions of the Railroad Law as it now exists, or as it may hereafter be amended, relating to the matter of payments and statements of percentages of gross receipts of street railway companies not inconsistent with this contract, shall be strictly complied with. The intention of this paragraph is to fix an annual charge to be paid by the Company, its successors or assigns, to the City for the rights and privileges hereby granted, and it shall be construed as providing for the payment by the Company, its successors or assigns, for said right and privilege of a percentage of gross receipts within the meaning of any general or special statute, or of any ordinance of the City.

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

Sixth—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of the contract hereby granted, whether original or renewal, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other railroad company providing for payments for railroad rights or franchise at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges hereby granted, whether original or renewal, or of any part thereof, or of any part of the route mentioned herein, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this contract; and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said conditions as to payments, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this contract.

Seventh—The rights and privileges hereby granted shall not be assigned, either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall title thereto, or right, interest or property therein, pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company, its successors or assigns, or by operation of law whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations, or otherwise, without the consent of the City, acting by the Board, or its successors in authority, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving, or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents.

Eighth—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the City to grant to any individual or other corporation a similar right or privilege upon the same or other terms and conditions, over the same streets, avenues or highways, and the right to make the requisite and necessary connections with the tracks of the Company, its successors or assigns, which shall be constructed under this contract.

The use of the railroad which shall be constructed and maintained in the streets, avenues and highways under this contract, including the tracks, wires and other equipment used in connection therewith, shall be permitted by the Company, its successors or assigns, to any individual or corporation to which the City may have granted, or may hereafter grant, the right or privilege to use such streets, avenues or highways, for street railroad purposes, upon payment of an annual sum by such individual or corporation to the Company, which shall not exceed the legal interest on such proportion of the whole cost of the construction of such railroad and of the cost of keeping the tracks and track equipment in repair, as the number of cars operated by such company or individual shall bear to the number of cars operated by the companies then using the same, together with the actual cost of the power necessary for the operation of the cars thereon of such individual or corporation and the cost of laying and repairing of pavement and removal of snow and ice, and all the other duties imposed upon the Company by the terms of this contract, in connection with the maintenance or the operation of the said railroad so used.

The Company shall not at any time oppose, but shall, upon the request of the Board, consent to the construction or operation of any street surface railroad which may necessitate the use of any portion of the railroad which shall be constructed under this contract.

Ninth—The railroad to be constructed under this contract may be operated by overhead electrical power substantially similar to the system of overhead electrical traction now in use by the New York City Interborough Railway Company or by the underground electric system now in use by the lines of the New York City Railway Company. Provided, however, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, after five years from the date of this contract, may, upon giving to the grantee,

its successor or assigns, six months' notice in writing, require it or them to operate the railroad upon the whole or upon any portion of its route by underground electrical power substantially similar to the system now in use on the lines of the New York City Railway Company in the Borough of Manhattan, above referred to, and thereupon to discontinue the use of the overhead trolley system, and to remove its poles, wires and other structures used by it for that purpose from the streets and highways.

When the change shall have been made to the underground system, all wires for the transmission of power or otherwise, shall be placed in conduits underneath or alongside of the railroad. The Company shall provide two conduits, not less than three (3) inches in diameter each for the exclusive use of the City. Such conduits shall be used only by the Company and by the City.

This provision shall in no way be taken as a limitation on the Police powers of the City, as provided in sections 525 et seq. of the Greater New York Charter.

Tenth—The Company shall commence construction of the railroad herein authorized within three months from the date upon which the consents of the property owners are obtained, or upon the decision of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court that such railroad ought to be constructed, and shall complete the construction of the same within twelve months from the same date, otherwise this grant shall cease and determine, and all sums paid, or which may be deposited with the Comptroller of the City, as hereinafter provided, shall thereupon be forfeited to the City; provided, that such periods may be extended by the Board for a period or periods not exceeding in the aggregate six months each.

Eleventh—The said railroad shall be constructed, maintained and operated, subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of the City who have jurisdiction in such matters, as provided in the Charter of the City.

Twelfth—The said railroad shall be constructed and operated in the latest improved manner of street railway construction and operation, and the railroad and property of the Company shall be maintained in good condition throughout the term of this contract.

The Company shall remove the stub-end terminal at St. Nicholas avenue, north of West One Hundred and Eightieth street, hereby authorized, upon six (6) months' notice in writing from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Thirteenth—The rate of fare for any passenger upon such railroad shall not exceed five cents, and the Company shall not charge any passenger more than five cents for one continuous ride from any point on said railroad, or a line or branch operated by it, its lessees or assigns in connection therewith, to any point thereof, or of any connecting line or branch thereof, within the limits of The City of New York.

Transfers shall be given between the Interborough Rapid Transit Company (subway division) and the Company at the Interborough Rapid Transit Railway station at Dyckman street for a single fare of five cents, as required by traffic agreement between said companies.

The rate for the carrying of property over the said railroad upon the cars of the Company shall in all cases be reasonable in amount, subject to the control of the Board, or its successors in authority, and may be fixed by such Board after notice to the Company and a hearing had thereon, and when so fixed such rates shall be binding upon the Company, its successors or assigns, and no greater sums shall be charged for such service than provided for by it.

Fourteenth—The cars of the Company shall be run both day and night as often as the reasonable convenience of the public may require, or as may be directed by the Board, but at no time shall the headway at any point on the railway be more than twenty minutes between the hours of 5 o'clock p. m. and midnight.

Fifteenth—The Company shall attach to each car run over the said railroad proper fenders and wheel guards in conformity with such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter, during the term of this contract, be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities.

Sixteenth—All cars which are operated on said railroad shall be equipped with both hand and power brakes.

Seventeenth—All cars which are operated on said railroad shall be heated during the cold weather in conformity with such laws and ordinances as are now in force or may hereafter, during the term of this contract, be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities.

Eighteenth—The Company, so long as it shall continue to use any of the tracks upon the streets and avenues in which the railroad shall be constructed under this contract, shall cause to be watered the entire roadway of such streets and avenues at least three times in every twenty-four hours, when the temperature is above 35 degrees Fahrenheit, when so required by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Nineteenth—All cars operated on said railroad shall be well lighted by electricity, or by some lighting system equally efficient, or as may be required by the Board.

Twentieth—The Company shall at all times keep the streets, avenues or highways upon which the said railroad is constructed between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and for a distance of two feet beyond the rails, on either side thereof, free and clear from ice and snow; provided, however, that the Company shall, at the option of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, enter into an agreement for each winter season, or part thereof, to clean an equivalent amount of street surface from house line to house line.

Twenty-first—The Company shall cause to be paved that portion of the street between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and two feet in width outside of its tracks upon and along the streets, avenues and highways of the route hereby authorized, which are now either unpaved or paved with macadam. The work of such paving shall be done under the supervision of the Municipal authorities having jurisdiction in such matters. Such authorities shall designate the character of the pavement to be laid.

As long as the said railroad, or any portion thereof, remains in the street, avenue or highway, the Company shall pave and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of the street, avenue or highway in which said railroad is constructed between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and for a distance of two feet beyond the rails on either side thereof, under the supervision of the local authorities, whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe. And it shall not be necessary, in the event that the portion of the surface of the street, avenue or highway in which said railroad is constructed, shall not be repaired by the Company as hereinbefore provided, for the City to give any notice to the Company of such state of disrepair, but the City may make such repairs and charge the same to the Company, which the said Company agrees to pay, any statute to the contrary notwithstanding. And the City shall have the right to change the material or character of the pavement of any such street, avenue or highway, and in that event the Company, its successors or



assigns, shall be bound to replace such pavement in the manner directed by the proper city officer at its own expense and the provision as to repairs herein contained shall apply to such renewal or altered pavement. The Company agrees to pay to the City any sum or sums that the City may pay, either as a result of a judgment against it or by way of settlement or compromise, for any injuries either to person or property arising from failure of the Company to pave and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of the street, avenue or highway in which said railway is constructed, as hereinbefore provided.

Twenty-second—Any alteration which may be required to the sewerage or drainage system, or to any subsurface structures, pipes, conduits, etc., laid in the streets on account of the construction or operation of the railroad, shall be made at the sole cost of the railroad company and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

Twenty-third—The Company hereby agrees not to issue stock other than has been heretofore issued until a certificate of authority therefor has been issued by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or until such Board shall further certify in writing as to the amount of stock reasonably required for the purposes of the Company. The stock of the Company shall not be issued in excess of the amount so certified.

The Company shall not increase its capital stock above the \$25,000 now authorized, without the consent in writing of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, stating the amount of the authorized increase. For the purpose of making this determination as to the amount of stocks to be issued, or the amount of the authorized increase of the capital stock of the Company, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may take and hear testimony under oath, and examine the books and papers of the Company, and require verified statements from the officers thereof pertaining to the value of the property and of the franchise owned or operated by the Company. Such determination shall be made within sixty (60) days after the final submission of the papers or of the final hearing on the application for the issue or increase of capital stock.

Twenty-fourth—The Company shall at all times keep accurate books of account of the gross earnings from the privileges granted under this contract. The Company shall on or before November 1 of each year make a verified report to the Comptroller of the City of New York of the business done by the Company for the year ending September 30 next preceding, as he may prescribe. Such report shall contain a statement of the gross receipts from operation of the railway, together with such other information and in such detail as the Comptroller may require. The Comptroller shall have access to all books of the Company for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report, and may examine its officers under oath.

Twenty-fifth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, this contract may be forfeited by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten days to the Company, or at the option of the Board by resolution of said Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the railroad constructed and in use by virtue of this contract shall thereupon become the property of the City without proceedings at law or in equity.

Twenty-sixth—If the Company, its successors or assigns, shall fail to give efficient public service at the rates herein fixed, or fail to maintain its structures in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the Board may give notice to the Company specifying any default on the part of the Company, and requiring the Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time; and upon failure of the Company to remedy such default within a reasonable time, the Company shall for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, except for those defaults or defects for which penalties are hereinafter provided, pay to the City the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the Board, in case such structures which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid, shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund hereinafter provided.

Twenty-seventh—The Company shall assume all liability to persons or property by reason of the construction or operation of the railroad authorized by this contract, and it is a condition of this contract that the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property on account of the same, and the Company hereby agrees to repay to the City any damage which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or default of the Company.

Twenty-eighth—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred hereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of the City of New York the sum of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000) either in money or securities, to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of all the terms and conditions of this contract, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege hereby granted, the efficiency of the public service rendered, the repairs of the street pavement, the removal of snow and ice and the quality of construction of the railroad; and in case of default in the performance by the Company of such terms and conditions the City shall have the right to cause the work to be done and the materials to be furnished for the performance thereof after due notice, and shall collect the reasonable cost thereof from the said fund without legal proceedings; or after default in the payment of the annual charges, shall collect the same, with interest, from the said fund after ten days' notice in writing to the Company; or in case of failure to keep the said terms and conditions of this contract relating to the roadway, heating and lighting of cars, fenders, wheel guards and watering of street pavements, the Company shall pay a penalty of twenty-five dollars (\$25) per day for each day of violation, and the further sum of ten dollars (\$10) per day for each car that shall not be properly heated, lighted or supplied with fenders or wheel guards, in case of the violation of the provision relating to those matters.

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

The Comptroller of the City, on complaint made, shall, in writing, notify the Company, through its President, to appear before him on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why it should not be penalized in accordance with the foregoing provisions. If the Company fails to make an appearance, or, after a hearing, appears in the judgment of the Comptroller to be in fault, said Comptroller shall forthwith impose the prescribed penalty, or where the amount

of the penalty is not prescribed herein, such amount as appears to him to be just, and without legal procedure withdraw the amount of such penalty from the security fund deposited with him. In case of any drafts made upon the security fund the Company shall, upon ten (10) days' notice in writing, pay to the Comptroller of the City a sum sufficient to restore said security fund to the original amount of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000), and in default thereof this contract shall be canceled and annulled at the option of the Board, acting in behalf of the City. No action or proceeding or right under the provisions of this contract shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to the City.

Sec. 3. This contract is also upon the further and express condition that the provisions of the Railroad Law, applicable thereto, and all laws or ordinances now in force, or which may be adopted affecting the surface railroads operating in the City, not inconsistent with the terms and conditions hereinbefore fixed, shall be strictly complied with by the Company.

Sec. 4. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms and conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

By.....Mayor.

[CORPORATE SEAL.]

Attest:.....City Clerk.

FORT GEORGE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

By.....President.

[SEAL.]

Attest:.....Secretary.

(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, including the provision as to rates, fares and charges, are as hereinbefore specified and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the Fort George Street Railway Company and the said form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to Friday, May 24, 1907, in the CITY RECORD, and at least twice during the ten days immediately prior to May 24, in "The Sun" and "The World," two daily newspapers designated by the Mayor thereof and published in The City of New York, at the expense of the Fort George Street Railway Company, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the Fort George Street Railway Company, and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolution authorizing any such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, May 24, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

New York, April 12, 1907.

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held November 9, 1906, the following petition was received:

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

The petition of New York and Richmond Gas Company respectfully shows:

First—Your petitioner is a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York, for the purpose of manufacturing and supplying gas for light, heat and power for public and private use, in the County of Richmond, in the State of New York.

Second—Your petitioner desires to obtain from The City of New York and hereby respectfully applies for its consent to, and a grant of the franchise, right and privilege to lay, construct, maintain and operate pipes, mains and conductors with the necessary branches and connections therefrom, in, under and along all of the streets, avenues, highways, boulevards, parkways and public places within the territory comprised in the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Richmond (formerly the Town of Westfield), in the City and State of New York, for the purpose of transmitting and supplying gas for light, heat and power to public and private consumers.

Third—Your petitioner is and has been for several years last past engaged in the business of manufacturing, supplying and distributing gas for light, heat and power in the territory comprised in the First, Second, Third and Fourth Wards of the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, and has constructed, maintained and operated and now maintains and operates numerous lines of pipes, mains and conductors in the streets, avenues, highways and public places within said wards.

Fourth—That no other company or individual is engaged in manufacturing or supplying gas for light, heat or power for either public or private use within the boundaries of the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Richmond and the inhabitants of said ward have no means of securing gas for light, heat or power at the present time. That said Fifth Ward is the only ward in the Borough of Richmond in which no gas is manufactured or supplied to public or private consumers, and a large number of the residents and property owners in said ward have requested your petitioner to construct and lay pipes and mains in the streets, avenues, highways and public places of said ward for the purpose of supplying them with gas.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that the assent of your Honorable Board of the Corporation of The City of New York be granted to it to construct, lay, maintain and operate pipes, mains and conductors with the necessary branches and connections therefrom in, under and along the streets, avenues, highways, parks and public places within the territory comprised in the Fifth Ward of the Borough of Richmond for transmitting and distributing gas for light, heat and power to public and private consumers, and that

the desired consent, grant or franchise be embodied in the form of a contract with proper terms and conditions in accordance with the provisions of the Greater New York Charter.

Dated, New York, November 1, 1906.

NEW YORK AND RICHMOND GAS COMPANY.

By THOS. O. HORTON, Secretary.

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

Thomas O. Horton, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Secretary of New York and Richmond Gas Company, the petitioner named in the foregoing petition; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; that the same is true to his own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true. That the reason why this verification is not made by the petitioner is that it is a corporation; that deponent is an officer of said corporation—to wit, Secretary—and that the grounds of his information in regard to the matters stated in the foregoing petition so far as the same are not within his personal knowledge are statements and reports made by officers or employees of the corporation to him as Secretary thereof.

THOS. O. HORTON.

Sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1906.

JAMES McCaffrey, Notary Public.

(Seal) Richmond County, New York.

—and at the meeting of April 26, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The foregoing petition from the New York and Richmond Gas Company, dated November 1, 1906, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held November 9, 1906,

Resolved, That in pursuance of law, this Board sets Friday, the 10th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary is directed to cause such petition and these resolutions to be published for at least two (2) days in two daily newspapers in The City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the CITY RECORD immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

New York, April 26, 1907.

Copies of the report of the Division of Franchises may be had at Room 79, No. 280 Broadway, New York City.

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

#### CITY OF NEW YORK—BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Estimate and Apportionment, held April 5, 1907, in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, the following proceedings were had:

Whereas, The New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company has, under date of May 25, 1906, made application to this Board for a grant of the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate ducts or subways through, under and along East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, Kingsbridge road and other streets in the Borough of The Bronx; and

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

Whereas, In pursuance to such laws this Board adopted a resolution September 14, 1906, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as September 28, 1906, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two days in "The Sun" and "The New York Times," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the CITY RECORD for ten days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for and proposed to be granted to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor; now therefore it is

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

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

New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company.

#### PROPOSED FORM OF CONTRACT.

This Contract, made this day of 1907, by and between THE CITY OF NEW YORK, party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City acting for and in the name of said City under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City and the NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY, for itself, and as lessee of the NEW YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD COMPANY, a domestic corporation of the State of New York, hereinafter called the Company, party of the second part, witnesseth:

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

Section 1. The City of New York hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the franchise, right and privilege to construct, maintain and operate a subway not to exceed two feet and eleven inches in width, with the necessary splicing chambers, for the sole purpose of transmitting power for the operation of its trains by electricity, as required by chapter 425 of the Laws of 1903, said subway to be beneath the surface of the following named streets, avenues and highways between the points described as follows, all situate in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, to wit:

Beginning at a point in Webster avenue where East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, if prolonged southeasterly, would intersect the right of way of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company; thence northwesterly across Webster avenue to East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and thence northwesterly through East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to a point between Valentine avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and Kingsbridge road; thence in a general northwesterly direction through Kingsbridge road to a point where said Kingsbridge road intersects the right of way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company.

Also beginning at a point on the westerly side of the right of way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company on the easterly side of Exterior street, about 300 feet south from West One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street; thence westerly across said Exterior street to and along private property of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company;

—the said right of way and the location of the said splicing chambers being shown on a map entitled:

"N. Y. C. & H. R. R. Leased and Operated Lines. Electrification of Lines. Location Plan—Cable Ducts, Kingsbridge Road and 194th Street, New York City."

—dated October 30, 1905, signed by W. J. Wilgus, Vice-President, copy of which is annexed hereto and made a part of this grant.

Sec. 2. The grant of this franchise, right and privilege is subject to the following conditions:

First—The said franchise, right and privilege to lay one subway in each of the streets, avenues or highways, and between the limits as hereinbefore described, and the franchise, right and privilege to maintain and operate the same shall be held and enjoyed by the said Company, its lessees or successors, for a term of twenty-five years from the date of the signing of this contract, with the privilege of renewal of said grant for a further period of twenty-five years, upon a fair revaluation of said franchise, right and privilege.

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

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

Second—Upon the termination of this contract, or if the same be renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any other cause, all subways and appurtenances thereto, constructed pursuant to this contract, shall be and become the property of The City of New York, without compensation therefor, and the same may be used by The City for any purpose whatsoever. If, however, at the termination of this grant, as above, the City, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, shall so order by resolution, the said Company shall remove, at its own expense, said subway and all appurtenances thereto, and shall restore the streets and pavements to their original condition.

Third—The Company, its successors or assigns, shall pay to The City of New York for this privilege an annual sum of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500). Such sum shall be paid into the treasury of The City of New York on November 1 of each year, and shall be for the annual amount due to September 30 next preceding; provided, however, that the first payment shall be only for that proportion of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500) as the time of signing of this contract by the Mayor before September 30 next preceding shall bear to the whole of one year.

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

Fourth—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of the privilege hereby granted, whether original or renewal, as hereinbefore provided, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other company, providing for payments of subway rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges hereby granted, whether original



or renewal, or of any part thereof, or of any of the routes mentioned herein, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this grant, and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and, especially said condition as to payment, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof or otherwise, exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this grant. Nothing herein contained shall apply to any mortgage or mere lienor, but shall apply to any purchaser upon foreclosure or under or by virtue of any provision of a mortgage or lien.

Fifth—The rights and privileges granted hereby shall not be assigned either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall title thereto or right, interest or property therein pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company, its successor or assigns, or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations or otherwise, without the consent of The City of New York, acting by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successor in authority, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents. This provision, however, shall not apply to the making of a mortgage, but shall apply to a sale under foreclosure.

Sixth—The grant of this privilege is subject to whatever right, title or interest the owners of abutting property or others may have in and to the streets, avenues and highways on the route heretofore described.

Seventh—The Company shall commence construction of the subway herein authorized within two months after the signing of this contract, and shall complete the construction of the same within five months from the same date, otherwise this grant shall cease and determine, and all sums paid or which may be deposited with the Comptroller of the City as hereinafter provided, shall thereupon be forfeited to the City; provided, however, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may in its discretion extend such time for a period not exceeding one year, but such extension shall not be made unless the reasons given by the grantee for non-fulfillment are in the opinion of the Board, for causes over which the grantee had no control and was in no wise responsible.

Eighth—The operation of electrical conduits, conductors and devices, is subject to such rules and regulations as the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall from time to time have adopted or may hereafter adopt, for the installation and operation of apparatus of this character in and through the streets of this City, and no work shall be done under its franchise until and unless the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall have issued a permit for its construction.

Ninth—All construction which shall be made under this grant shall be done in a manner solely upon the terms and conditions hereafter to be imposed by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, or their respective successors in authority. The said Company shall submit a working plan of construction to the said President and to the said Commissioner, which shall include and show in detail the method of construction of said subway, connections, splicing chambers or manholes and other appurtenances, and the mode of protection of all subsurface construction under the streets, avenues and highways described in the routes.

Tenth—The Company shall give notice to the President of the Borough of The Bronx and to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, in writing, of its intention to begin construction of the work hereby authorized, at least forty-eight hours before such construction commences. The Company shall also give notice to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in writing, of the date on which work is commenced and also the date on which the same is completed.

Eleventh—Any pavement disturbed during the construction or repair of said subway at any time during the term of the grant shall be restored to its original condition by the Company. The Company shall pave and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of the street in which said subway is constructed immediately adjacent to and for a distance of five feet in all directions around the cover or covers of each and every splicing chamber, under the supervision of the local authorities whenever the same become in a state of disrepair or whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe. And it shall not be necessary in the event that the portion of the surface of the street, avenue or highway which the said Company obligates itself to keep in repair shall not be repaired by the Company as hereinafter provided, for the City to give any notice to the Company of such state of disrepair, but the City may make such repairs and charge the same to the Company which the said Company agrees to pay.

Twelfth—The Company shall, in the course of construction of the subway, maintain and care for all underground and overground structures in its route, or directly interfered with by its construction, and any necessary interference shall be subject to reasonable regulation by the department of the government of the City under control or charge thereof.

Thirteenth—Any alteration which may be required in the sewerage or drainage system of the City, or to any subsurface structures laid in the streets, avenues and highways along the route of the subway, on account of the construction or operation of the same, shall be made at the sole cost of the Company, and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

Fourteenth—Any alteration in the subway and its appurtenances which shall be made necessary shall, after due notice of the said alteration has been served upon the Company by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, be made at the sole cost of the Company, and in such manner as the City officials having authority and jurisdiction may prescribe.

Fifteenth—Should the City require for any public improvement the space occupied by the subway in the streets, avenues or highways for which permission is herein granted, the Company shall, at its own expense, alter the position of and rebuild said subway as directed by the proper City officials.

Sixteenth—All plans for the drainage of the subway and splicing chambers shall be submitted to and approved by the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Seventeenth—The said Company shall bear the expense of inspection, which may be required by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, of all the work of construction required, or removal of the said subway, which shall be done under this grant.

Eighteenth—Correct maps shall be furnished to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Comptroller, President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, by the Company, showing the exact location of the subway, the splicing chambers or other appurtenances constructed, with reference to the curb lines of the streets and the street surface, and the same shall be furnished to the said several departments or officials within sixty days after the completion of the work authorized by this grant.

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

Twentieth—The Company shall assume all liability by reason of the construction and operation of the subway, and the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property by reason of its construction.

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

Twenty-first—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, this contract may be forfeited or avoided by The City of New York by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten days to the said Company.

Twenty-second—The subway hereby authorized shall be used only by the Company, and for no purpose other than transmission of electrical current in the operation, management and maintenance of its railroads owned or leased.

Twenty-third—If the said Company, its successors or assigns, shall fail to maintain its structures in good condition throughout the full term of its occupancy of such streets, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York may give written notice to the said Company specifying any default on the part of said Company, and requiring said Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time, and upon the failure of the Company to remedy said default within a reasonable time, said Company shall for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, pay to The City of New York a sum of fifty dollars (\$50) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the said City, in case such structures which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid, shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the said Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund heretofore provided.

Twenty-fourth—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company, within thirty days after the execution of this contract and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred thereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of The City of New York the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), either in money or in securities to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of the terms and conditions of this grant, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege and the penalties herein provided, and in case of default in the performance by said Company of such terms and conditions, The City of New York shall have the right, after due notice, to collect the same from the said fund without legal proceedings, or after default in the payment of the annual charges shall collect the same, with interest, from said fund after ten days' notice in writing to the said Company. In case of any drafts so made upon this security fund, the said Company shall, upon thirty days' notice in writing, pay to the Comptroller of The City of New York a sum of money sufficient to restore the said fund to the original amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), and in default thereof the grant hereby made may be canceled and annulled at the option of the Comptroller of The City of New York, acting on behalf of said City. No action or proceeding or rights under the provisions of this section shall affect other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to The City of New York.

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

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

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
By \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor.  
(Corporate Seal).  
Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk.  
THE NEW YORK CENTRAL  
AND HUDSON RIVER  
RAILROAD COMPANY,  
By \_\_\_\_\_ President.  
Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary.

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates and charges, are as hereinafter specified and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right;

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and the said form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to May 10, 1907, in the City Record and at least twice during the ten days immediately prior to May 10, 1907, in "The Sun" and "The New York Times," two daily newspapers designated by the Mayor therefor and published in The City of New York, at the expense of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolutions authorizing any such contract, will at a meeting of said

Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 10, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

JOSEPH HAAG,  
Secretary.  
New York, April 5, 1907.  
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## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES in the vicinity of New York Bay to fill in can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street 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.

MACDONOUGH CRAVEN,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, May 6, 1907.

JACOB DOBLIN, AUCTIONEER, ON BEHALF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1907,

at the Repair Shops building, northwest corner of Twelfth avenue and Fifty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, at 10 a. m., on said date, the following condemned property of the Department:

- Lot 1—One Amoskeag fire engine, registered No. 160.
- Lot 2—One Amoskeag fire engine, registered No. 296.
- Lot 3—One Amoskeag fire engine, registered No. 360.
- Lot 4—One 85-foot Hayes hook and ladder truck, registered No. 38.
- Lot 5—One 85-foot Hayes hook and ladder truck, registered No. 32.
- Lot 6—One 70-foot roller frame hook and ladder truck, registered No. 11.
- Lot 7—One 73-foot roller frame hook and ladder truck, registered No. 6.
- Lot 8—One 2-wheel Babcock chemical engine.
- Lot 9—One 3-wheel Babcock chemical engine.
- Lot 10—One 2-wheel tender.
- Lot 11—One 4-wheel tender, registered No. 86.
- Lot 12—One old buggy.
- Lot 13—One old buggy.
- Lot 14—One old sleigh.
- Lot 15—Lot of old wheels.
- Lot 16—One old platform.
- Lot 17—One old letter press.
- Lot 18—Five old tackle blocks.
- Lot 19—Twenty-five Vajen Bader smoke helmets.
- Lot 20—One lot of old harness.
- Lot 21—One lot of old beam ladders.
- Lot 22—One lot of old extension ladders.
- Lot 23—One lot of old beds and springs.
- Lot 24—One lot of old manila rope, 3,500 pounds, more or less.
- Lot 25—One lot of old iron, 12,000 pounds, more or less.
- Lot 26—One lot of old rubber tires and valves, 900 pounds, more or less.
- Lot 27—One lot of old suction.
- Lot 28—One lot of old hydrant connections.
- Lot 29—One lot of old rubber landing pads, etc., 100 pounds, more or less.
- Lot 30—One lot of old oil cloth.
- Lot 31—One lot of old oil cloth.
- Lot 32—One lot of old rugs.
- Lot 33—One lot of old carpet.
- Lot 34—One lot of old carpet.
- Lot 35—One lot of old carpet.
- Lot 36—One lot of old carpet.
- Lot 37—One lot of old blankets and counterpanes.
- Lot 38—One lot of old rubber hose, 20 lengths.
- Lot 39—One lot of old rubber hose, 20 lengths.
- Lot 40—One lot of old rubber hose, 20 lengths.
- Lot 41—One lot of old rubber hose, 15 lengths.
- Lot 42—One lot of old rubber hose, 15 lengths.
- Lot 43—One lot of old rubber hose, 17 lengths.
- Lot 44—One lot of old canvas hose, 25 lengths.
- Lot 45—One lot of old canvas hose, 25 lengths.
- Lot 46—One lot of old canvas hose, 25 lengths.
- Lot 47—One lot of old canvas hose, 25 lengths.
- Lot 48—One lot of old canvas hose, 25 lengths.
- Lot 49—One lot of old canvas hose, 25 lengths.
- Lot 50—One lot of old canvas hose, 25 lengths.
- Lot 51—One lot of old canvas hose, 26 lengths.
- Lot 52—One lot of old canvas hose, 8 lengths.
- Lot 53—One lot of old canvas hose, 15 lengths.

Each lot to be sold separately.  
The right to reject all bids is reserved.  
The highest bidder for each lot, in case the bid is accepted, will be required to pay for the same in cash at the time of sale (except Lots Nos. 24, 25, 26 and 29, which must be paid for at the time of weighing and delivery), and must remove the same within twenty-four hours after the sale.

The articles may be seen at any time before the day of sale at the place above specified.  
FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Fire Commissioner.  
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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1907.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING VARIOUS SUPPLIES FOR USE IN THE REPAIR SHOPS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before January 1, 1908.

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

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS AND BRAN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before February 1, 1908.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

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 compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Fire Commissioner.

Dated May 1, 1907.

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

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY No. 69, NORTH SIDE OF TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, WEST OF KATONAH AVENUE, THE BRONX.

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 One Thousand Dollars.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Fire Commissioner.

Dated April 30, 1907.

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

## BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, TWENTY-SIXTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1907.

FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR A VACUUM DUST SWEEPING AND CLEANING PLANT, IN PAVILIONS A AND B OF THE NEW BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, SITUATED ON FIRST AVENUE AND BOUNDED BY TWENTY-SIXTH AND TWENTY-NINTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is within one hundred and sixty-nine (169) consecutive calendar days from the date of executing the contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Contract Clerk, No. 419 East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, where bids and deposits are also delivered.

JOHN W. BRANNAN,  
President, Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

Dated May 1, 1907.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1907.

CONTRACT No. 1075.  
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING THE MUNICIPAL FERRYBOATS OR OTHER FLOATING PROPERTY OF THE DEPARTMENT, AND FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES THEREFOR.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 365 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Fifty Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price for each class 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 compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated May 3, 1907.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1907.

Borough of Richmond.

CONTRACT No. 1067.  
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING AN EMBANKMENT OF RIP-RAP UNDER THE



## FERRY STRUCTURES AT ST. GEORGE, STATEN ISLAND, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 90 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price, per cubic yard, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated May 7, 1907.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1907,

CONTRACT NO. 1051.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 180 calendar days.

The amount of security for the various classes will be as follows:

Class I.—	Lumber, etc.....	\$6,000 00
Class II.—	Plumbers' supplies, pipe fittings, etc.....	360 00
Class III.—	Hardware.....	3,640 00
Class IV.—	Iron, etc.....	800 00
Class V.—	Mechanic supplies.....	240 00
Class VI.—	Surveyors' supplies.....	800 00
Class VII.—	Recreation pier supplies.....	3,600 00
Class VIII.—	Divers' supplies, rubber boots, etc.....	1,680 00
Class IX.—	Linen tags, cuspidors, towel racks, etc.....	200 00
Class X.—	Stove, stove pipe, etc.....	285 00
Class XI.—	Miscellaneous, wheelbarrows, dip-pers, bellows, etc.....	980 00
Class XII.—	Furniture, etc.....	82 00
Class XIII.—	Awning, etc.....	450 00
Class XIV.—	Typewriter.....	36 00

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

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated May 3, 1907.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907,

CONTRACT NO. 1066.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PILES.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is as follows:

Class 1.—	On or before expiration of 180 calendar days.
Class 2.—	On or before expiration of 90 calendar days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Class 1.....	\$3,000 00
Class 2.....	5,000 00

The bidder will state the price per pile by which the bids will be tested, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated May 3, 1907.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907,

CONTRACT NO. 1058.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 180 calendar days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Class 1.—	Iron, steel, etc.....	\$12,000 00
Class 2.—	Pipe and fittings, valves, etc.....	4,160 00
Class 3.—	Lumber.....	5,500 00
Class 4.—	Machinery and pump parts.....	6,000 00

Class 5.—	Miscellaneous.....	14,000 00
Class 6.—	Hardware.....	3,200 00

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

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated May 3, 1907.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,

CONTRACT NO. 1073.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 10,000 BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 180 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Seventy-five Hundred Dollars.

The bidder will state the price, per barrel, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 29, 1907.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,

CONTRACT NO. 1060.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING ABOUT 150,000 CUBIC YARDS ON THE EAST AND HARLEM RIVERS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND THE BRONX, AND IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before March 31, 1908.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price, per cubic yard, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 29, 1907.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

JOSEPH W. SAVAGE,

Secretary.

## BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF A PUBLIC hearing on the form of contract for that portion of the Brooklyn Loop Lines in the new extension of Delancey street, from Centre street to the Bowery (section 20-4), Borough of Manhattan, in this office, on Thursday, the 16th of May, at 3 p. m.

A. E. ORR,

President.

BION L. BURROWS,

Secretary.

Dated New York, April 26, 1907.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF A public hearing on the form of contracts for the construction of parts of the proposed Brooklyn loop lines, as follows:

1. Centre street, Borough of Manhattan, between Pearl street and Park row.

2. Delancey street, Borough of Manhattan, between the Bowery and Norfolk street, in Room 401, No. 320 Broadway, on

THURSDAY, MAY 9, 1907,

at 3 o'clock p. m.

A. E. ORR,

President.

BION L. BURROWS,

Secretary.

Dated New York, April 19, 1907.

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## INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS.

(CENTRE STREET, FROM CANAL TO BROOME.)

THE CITY OF NEW YORK (HEREIN after called the City) acting by its Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners (hereinafter called the Board) contemplates building a certain Rapid Transit Railroad, known as Route No. 9, in Centre street (Manhattan) and other streets in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, including ultimately Delancey street, Grand street, Desbrosses street, Canal street and William street, in Manhattan, and Fulton street, Lafayette avenue and Broadway, in Brooklyn.

By this advertisement the City invites proposals to construct that part of said railroad which is situated in Centre street, between Canal street and Broome street, in accordance with the detailed plans and specifications adopted therefor.

The general plan of construction calls for a sub-surface railroad. There will be four tracks in Centre street, and provisions for a spur turning west into Grand street.

A station between Hester and Grand streets will be constructed, and suitable cross-overs, turn-outs and sidings are also to be provided, all as shown in the detailed plans of construction. The tunnels are to have a height of not less than thirteen (13) feet in the clear, and a maximum width of fifteen (15) feet for each track, except at curves, etc., where the width may be increased.

The roof of the tunnels is generally to be as near the surface of the street as practicable, and grades will permit, but will be depressed whenever necessary to avoid grade crossings.

The roof and sides of the tunnels will be of iron or steel and masonry. Entrances to the station are intended to be placed within private property, rights in which will be acquired for the purpose.

The manner of construction shall be by excavation under cover, unless otherwise directed by the Board.

In the detailed plans for construction, provisions for pipe galleries through Centre street, from Canal street to Broome street, are included. Bids for the construction of the railroad must be accompanied by a separate bid for the construction of the pipe galleries above referred to, as it is essential for the City to separate the cost of the railroad from the cost of the pipe galleries.

The Board reserves the right to accept a bid for construction of the railroad and at the same time to reject the accompanying bid for pipe galleries.

The price stated for railroad construction is to include the furnishing of all materials and the performance of all labor requisite to the complete construction of that part of the proposed railroad which is to be built under this contract, including all sewer and street construction and reconstruction and other work caused by or incidental to the construction of the same as set out in the proposed form of contract.

A fuller description of the work to be done is set forth, and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are stated in the printed form of contract now on file in the office of the Board, No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, and in the detailed drawings therein referred to, at which office copies of the contract and of the form of bond and contractor's proposal may be had on application. The contract drawings may be inspected at the same office. The printed form of contract and the detailed drawings are to be deemed a part of this invitation.

Partial payments to the contractor will be made monthly as the work proceeds, as provided in the form of contract.

The work of construction (including pipe galleries) is to be completed as soon as practicable, and within twenty months from the date of delivery of the contract.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE SAID OFFICE OF THE BOARD, AT NO. 320 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1907,

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON, AT WHICH TIME OR AT A LATER DATE TO BE FIXED BY THE BOARD THE PROPOSALS WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Board, copies of which may be obtained at the office of the Board.

Each proposal must be signed and acknowledged and also verified by an affidavit of the bidder (or if it be a corporation then by an officer thereof) to the effect that the several matters therein stated are in all respects true. If the proposal is made by a firm, it will be sufficient if the proposal is signed and acknowledged, and the affidavit sworn to, by one member of the firm.

Each proposal must specify an office within The City of New York at which notices may be delivered; and delivery of a notice at such office shall be deemed a sufficient delivery and notice to the bidder.

Each proposal or bid must contain the name and place of residence of the person or persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; and if the bidder shall be a corporation, there shall be submitted a certified copy of its certificate of incorporation, with a certificate of the amount of stock paid in in cash, and the names and business addresses of all officers and directors of the corporation shall be stated; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making a proposal or bid 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 department, chief of bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, or any member or employee of the Board, is interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder 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.

No proposal will be allowed to be withdrawn for any reason whatever after it shall have been deposited with the Board.

The Board is not obliged by law to accept any of the proposals received by it, but may reject all such proposals and readvertise, or may accept any of such proposals as will in the judgment of the Board best promote the public interest, and award a contract accordingly, subject to approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as required by law.

The award of the contract or contracts (if awarded) will be made by the Board within ten days after the opening of the proposals. The bidder or bidders whose proposal shall be accepted shall in person or by duly authorized representative attend at the said office of the Board within ten days after the delivery of a notice by the Board that the proposal is accepted and that the contract is approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; and such bidder or bidders shall then deliver a contract in the form referred to, duly executed with its execution duly proved.

At the time of the delivery of a contract, the contractor will be required to furnish security

to the City by giving a bond in the penalty of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. At the option of the successful bidder cash or approved securities may be deposited instead of giving a bond. If securities are deposited in place of a bond under this contract, they must be of the character of securities in which savings banks may invest their funds and must be approved by the Board. The contractor's bond must be in the form annexed to the form of contract.

In addition and as further security to the City, ten per cent. of each amount certified from time to time to be due to the contractor will be retained until the work is fully completed.

Each bidder must state in his proposal the names and places of business of the proposed sureties on the bond and describe any securities proposed to be deposited.

Bidders whose proposals are otherwise satisfactory to the Board may, in case the sureties or securities named by them are not approved by the Board, substitute in their proposals the names of new sureties or a different schedule of securities approved by the Board; but such substitution must be made within five days after notice of disapproval by the Board, unless this period is extended by the Board.

In case of failure or neglect to execute and deliver the contract or to make the required deposit or to execute and deliver the required bond, such bidder or bidders will, at the option of the Board, be deemed either to have made the contract or to have abandoned the contract. In the latter case the Board will give notice thereof to the defaulting bidder or bidders. And the Board may thereupon proceed to make another contract with such, if any, of the original bidders, as, in the opinion of the Board, it will be to the best interest of the City to contract with, or may by new advertisement invite further proposals. The defaulting bidder or bidders shall thereupon be liable to the City for all loss and damage by it sustained, including the excess, if any, of the amount it shall pay any other contractor over the amount of the bid of such defaulting bidder or bidders.

Every proposal must, when submitted, be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "Proposal for Constructing Rapid Transit Railroad—(Centre Street, from Canal to Broome)" and must be delivered to the Board or to its Secretary; and in the presence of the person offering the proposal it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. No proposal will be received or deposited unless accompanied by a certified check drawn upon a National or State bank or trust company within The City of New York and satisfactory to the Board, payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, for the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

If the Board shall give notice to any bidder that his or its proposal is accepted and the contract is approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and if the bidder shall fail within ten days thereafter or within such further period, if any, as may be prescribed by the Board, to execute and deliver the contract and to execute and deliver the bond with sureties, or make a deposit in cash or securities, then this invitation to contractors and proposal accepted as aforesaid shall be a contract binding the bidder to pay to the City the damages by it sustained by reason of such failure; and in such case the bidder hereby absolutely assigns to the City the ownership of the check accompanying his or its proposal as a payment on account of such damages.

Such check must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the proposal, but must be separately delivered to the Board or to its Secretary, who will give a proper voucher for the deposit.

All such deposits made by bidders whose proposals shall not be accepted by the Board will be returned to the person or persons making the same within five days after the contract shall be executed and delivered. The deposit of the successful bidder or bidders will be returned when the contract is executed and its provisions as to security are complied with.

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

By A. E. ORR,

President.

BION L. BURROWS,

Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1907,

FOR INSTALLING THE VENTILATING SYSTEM AND THE ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT FOR THE MANHATTAN SUBWAY STATION OF THE WILLIAMSBURG (NEW EAST RIVER) BRIDGE OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND BROOKLYN.

The contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, and in accordance with the specifications hereto annexed and the accompanying plans, by August 30, 1907.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to be to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,

Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated May 3, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, Nos. 13 to 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 13, 1907,

FOR CONSTRUCTING THE STEEL AND MASONRY APPROACH IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN OF THE BLACKWELL'S ISLAND BRIDGE OVER THE EAST RIVER, BETWEEN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND QUEENS.

The work must be begun within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller and be entirely completed by March 15, 1908.



The contractor will be required to work three shifts of workmen per day, as may be directed by the Commissioner.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000).  
The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all bids should he deem it in the interest of the City of New York so to do.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,  
Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated April 29, 1907.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

OFFICE OF THE 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 until 11 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1907,  
Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, PAINTS, IRON, STEAM FITTINGS, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before ten days.

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before thirty days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the totals and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item. The bids on lumber will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

JOHN V. COGGEY,  
Commissioner.

Dated May 1, 1907.

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

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 207,  
STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, MAY 1, 1907.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR printing, binding and publishing one thousand copies of the Aqueduct Commissioners' Report for 1895-1907, will be received by the Aqueduct Commissioners at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1907,

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

The security required will be \$2,000.  
The contractor shall complete the work and deliver the 1,000 bound copies of the report at the Aqueduct Commissioners' Office within four months of the signing and sealing of the contract.

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

No bid will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of \$500.

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

JOHN F. COWAN,  
President.

HARRY W. WALKER,  
Secretary.

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

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room 16, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1907,

FOR REPAIRING AND PAINTING FOURTEEN (14) FREE FLOATING BATHS, LOCATED AT THE FOOT OF TWENTY-SECOND STREET, SOUTH BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be forty (40) days.

The security required will be Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

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

Plans and drawings may be seen and blank forms of the contracts and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 21 Park row, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

JOHN F. AHEARN,  
Borough President.

The City of New York, May 6, 1907.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room 16, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1907.

No. 1. FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION (EXCEPTING PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING) OF A PUBLIC BATH BUILDING AT NOS. 342, 346 AND 348 EAST FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be two hundred and fifty (250) days.  
The security required will be Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000).

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, except for furnishing and setting dynamo, engines and dynamo switchboards, complete, as described in paragraph 288, etc., of the specifications. Also a unit price for additional rock excavation, requiring blasting, and for boulders of more than one-half cubic yard, volume estimated at 500 cubic yards, for the purpose of comparing bids.

Also a price for furnishing and setting engines, dynamo and dynamo switchboards, complete, as specified in paragraph 288, etc., of the specifications.

No. 2. LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING TO BE INSTALLED IN A PUBLIC BATH BUILDING TO BE ERECTED AT NOS. 342, 346 AND 348 EAST FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be two hundred and fifty (250) days.

The security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and also a unit price for additional rock excavation, requiring blasting, and for boulders of more than one-half cubic yard, volume estimated at 200 cubic yards, for the purpose of comparing bids.

Plans and drawings may be seen and blank forms of the contracts and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Architects, Messrs. Werner & Windolph, No. 27 West Thirty-third street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,  
Borough President.

The City of New York, May 2, 1907.

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

## SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to all such real estate and to any right, title and interest therein, not owned by The City of New York, which shall be embraced within the lines of RIVERSIDE DRIVE AND PARKWAY (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to the Boulevard Lafayette, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, as laid out and established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, in pursuance of chapter 665 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 last partial and separate report, estimate of 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 them, 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 June, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on the 5th day of June, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. 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 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 June, 1907.

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 Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point where the easterly line of the right of way of the Hudson River Railroad Company is intersected by a line drawn through the centre of the blocks between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets, thence running easterly along the centre line of the blocks between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets to a point distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly side of Eighth avenue or Central Park West; thence northerly and parallel with Eighth avenue or Central Park West, and 100 feet easterly thereof, to the Harlem River Improvement line on the westerly side of the Harlem river; thence northerly, westerly, southerly, etc., along the westerly line of the Harlem River Improvement as the same winds and turns, to the easterly line of the right of way of the Hudson River Railroad Company; thence southerly along the easterly line of the said right of way of the said company to the centre line of the block between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets, at the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That provided there be no objections filed to our last partial and separate report, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 19th day of November, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to our last partial and separate report, estimate of assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which no-

tice will be given to all those who have heretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 7, 1907.

JOHN P. O'BRIEN,  
Chairman;  
JOHN J. RYAN,  
FRANK R. HOUGHTON,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

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### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to Thayer street, from Broadway to Nagle avenue, and Arden street, from Broadway to Nagle avenue (although not yet named by proper authority), in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III thereof, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and of one Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of certain streets or avenues known as Thayer street, from Broadway to Nagle avenue, and Arden street, from Broadway to Nagle avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Thayer Street—Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Nagle avenue distant 200 feet southerly from Dyckman street; thence westerly and parallel with said street distant 700 feet to the easterly line of Sherman avenue; thence southerly along said easterly line distant 60 feet; thence easterly and parallel to first course distant 700 feet to the westerly line of Nagle avenue; thence northerly along said line distant 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Sherman avenue distant 200 feet southerly from Dyckman street; thence westerly and parallel to said street distant 650.87 feet to the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said line distant 60.15 feet; thence easterly and parallel to first course distant 641.35 feet to the westerly line of Sherman avenue; thence southerly along said line distant 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Arden Street—Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Nagle avenue distant 460 feet southerly from Dyckman street; thence westerly and parallel to said street distant 700 feet to the easterly line of Sherman avenue; thence southerly along said line distant 60 feet; thence easterly and parallel to first course distant 700 feet to the westerly line of Nagle avenue; thence northerly along said line distant 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Sherman avenue distant 460 feet southerly from Dyckman street; thence westerly and parallel to said street distant 609.91 feet to the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said line distant 45.36 feet; thence southerly and along said easterly line distant 16.60 feet; thence easterly and parallel to first course distant 595.83 feet to the westerly line of Sherman avenue; thence northerly along said line distant 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Land to be taken is found in Section 8, Blocks 2174 and 2175 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and is shown on a certain map entitled "Map, Plan and Profiles of the New Streets to be known as Thayer Street, Arden Street and Sickles Street, between Broadway and Nagle Avenue," in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the Register of the County of New York and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the 4th day of January, 1906.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 14th day of December, 1906, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

"On the east by a line midway between the easterly side of Thayer street and the westerly side of Dyckman street, and the same extended northwardly and southwardly on the west by a line midway between the westerly side of Arden street and the easterly side of Sickles street, and the same extended northwardly and southwardly; on the north by a line 100 feet north of the northerly side of Broadway and parallel therewith between the extension of the easterly and westerly boundaries above described, and on the south by a line 100 feet south of the southerly side of Nagle avenue and parallel therewith between the extension of the easterly and westerly boundaries above described."

Dated New York, May 8, 1907.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

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### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of an addition to ST. NICHOLAS PARK, lying between the westerly line of Hamilton terrace produced and the easterly line of Convent avenue, and between the centre line of St. Nicholas terrace and the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III thereof, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improve-

ment hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain addition to St. Nicholas Park, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point the northeasterly corner of St. Nicholas terrace and Convent avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Convent avenue, distance 190 feet and 10 inches to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence easterly along the southerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-first street, distance 200 feet; thence southerly and parallel to Convent avenue, distance 221 feet 10 1/2 inches to the northerly line of St. Nicholas terrace; thence westerly and in a curved line, radius 160 feet, distance 85 feet; thence westerly along the northerly line of St. Nicholas terrace, distance 118 feet 11 3/4 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Land to be taken is found in Section 7, Block 2049, of the land map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and is shown on a certain map entitled "Map or Plan of the Addition to St. Nicholas Park, bounded by St. Nicholas terrace, Convent avenue, West One Hundred and Forty-first street and the westerly line of St. Nicholas Park distant 200 feet easterly from Convent avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan," and filed in the offices of the Corporation Counsel, the President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Register of the County of New York, on or about the 11th day of December, 1906.

Dated New York, May 8, 1907.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

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### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET (although not yet named, by proper authority), from Broadway to Riverside drive, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III thereof, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, one of whom shall be designated as a Commissioner of Assessment. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as West One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Broadway to Riverside drive, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Broadway, distant 199.83 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence westerly and parallel to said street distance 380 feet to the easterly line of Riverside drive; thence northerly along said line distance 62.33 feet; thence easterly and parallel to first course distance 396.88 feet to the westerly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said line distance 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be found in Section 7, Blocks 2096 and 2097 of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and is shown on a map entitled "Plan and Profiles of the Proposed Alterations of the Grades on West One Hundred and Fiftieth, West One Hundred and Fifty-first and West One Hundred and Fifty-second Streets, from Broadway to the extension of Riverside Drive, and Parkway from West One Hundred and Fiftieth to West One Hundred and Fifty-third Streets," in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. Filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the Register of the County of New York and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, on or about the 28th day of June, 1905.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 14th day of December, 1906, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment in this vicinity as follows:

"One half the block on each side of the street to be opened between the easterly side of Riverside drive and St. Nicholas avenue."

Dated New York, May 8, 1907.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

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### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title in fee (wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired) to the lands and premises required for the opening of an extension of ST. NICHOLAS PARK, from its southerly line near West One Hundred and Thirtieth street to a point nearly opposite to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Part III thereof, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for an extension of St. Nicholas Park, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas distant 196.98 feet north-



erly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; thence northerly along the westerly line, distance 528.24 feet; thence westerly along the southerly line of West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, produced, distance 230 feet to the easterly line of St. Nicholas terrace; thence southerly along said easterly line, distance 524.67 feet; thence westerly and parallel to West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, distance 181.63 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Land to be found in Section 7, Block 1956, of the Land Map of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and is shown on a certain map entitled "Map of the Addition to St. Nicholas Park, from the southerly line of said park, being the prolongation of the southerly line of West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to St. Nicholas terrace to a line 5 feet southerly from the prolongation of the southerly line of West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to St. Nicholas terrace," in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, and filed in the offices of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, the President of the Borough of Manhattan and the Register of the County of New York on or about the 28th day of May, 1906.

Dated New York, May 8, 1907.  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.  
m8,21

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Fort Washington avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter 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 10th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 4, 1907.  
JACOB STIEFEL,  
LAWRENCE G. O'BRIEN,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.  
m6,10

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of LANE AVENUE, between Westchester avenue and the West Farms road, with the public place bounded by Lane avenue, West Farms road and Westchester avenue, and of Westchester avenue, between Main street or West Farms road and the Eastern boulevard, at Pelham Bay Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date 24th day of April, 1907, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 1st day of May, 1907, Edward D. Dowling, Floyd M. Lord and John J. Mackin, Esquires, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that the said Edward D. Dowling, Floyd M. Lord and John J. Mackin will attend at a Special Term of the said Court, to be held at Part II. thereof, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that date, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated New York, May 3, 1907.  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.  
m3,15

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of COSTER STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hunt's Point road to Edgewater road, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the supplemental and additional 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 16th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 3, 1907.  
PETER J. EVERETT,  
JOHN A. HAWKINS,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.  
m3,14

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FOX STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Leggett avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 3, 1907.  
JOHN J. O'BRIEN,  
HENRY W. ILLWITZER,  
PIERRE G. CARROLL,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.  
m3,14

## 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 TREMONT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bronx river to Eastern boulevard, and to the public place at the intersection of Tremont avenue and Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-fourth 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 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 23d day of May, 1907, 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 May, 1907, 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 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 May, 1907.

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 parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Webster avenue with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of Tremont avenue; running thence easterly along the last-mentioned westerly prolongation and parallel line and its continuation eastwardly parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Boston road; thence northerly along the last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 1,500 feet northerly from the northerly side of that part of Tremont avenue extending eastwardly between the Bronx river and the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence easterly along the last-mentioned westerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with an arc of a circle having a radius of 1,725 feet and whose centre is the centre of the circular public place at the intersection of Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue; thence easterly along the said arc of a circle to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 1,500 feet northerly from the northerly side of Tremont avenue; thence easterly along the last-mentioned parallel line and its continuation eastwardly parallel to and distant 1,500 feet northerly from the northerly side of the proposed extension of Tremont avenue and its prolongation eastwardly to the westerly side of Long Island Sound; thence southerly and easterly and southwesterly along the said westerly side of Long Island Sound to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 1,500 feet southerly from the southerly side of the proposed extension of Tremont avenue; thence westerly along the last-mentioned easterly prolongation and parallel line and its continuation westwardly parallel to and distant 1,500 feet southerly from the southerly side of Tremont avenue to its intersection with an arc of a circle having a radius of 1,725 feet and whose centre is the centre of the circular public place at the intersection of Westchester avenue and Tremont avenue; thence westerly along the said arc of the circle to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 1,500 feet southerly from the southerly side of Tremont avenue; thence westerly along the last-mentioned parallel line and its prolongation westwardly to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Boston road; thence northerly and northeasterly along the last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence westerly along the last-mentioned parallel line and its continuation westwardly parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of Tremont avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Webster avenue; thence northerly along the last-mentioned 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 upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our final 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 I, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 25th day of July, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final last partial and separate report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 30, 1907.

FLOYD M. LORD,  
Chairman;  
WM. H. KEATING,  
TIMOTHY POWER,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.  
m3,22

## 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 WEST TWO HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Kingsbridge road to Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional 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 15th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1907.  
WALTER MULLER,  
J. R. NUGENT,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.  
m2,13

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and widening of CANAL STREET WEST (although not yet named by proper authority), between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and a point 251.77 feet southerly, as shown on the map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 23, 1905, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 2, 1907.  
FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER,  
FREDERICK L. HAHN,  
MARTIN J. MOORE,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.  
m2,13

## 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 certain lands and premises required for an easement for a STORM RELIEF TUNNEL SEWER, from the Webster avenue sewer, near Vandover avenue, in the Millbrook watershed (Sewerage District No. 33) to the Harlem river, about 231 feet north of High Bridge, 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 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 24th day of May, 1907, 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 May, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. 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 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 27th day of May, 1907.

Third—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the court on that day.

Fourth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of damage, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 25, 1907.

AUGUST MOEBUS,  
Chairman.  
BRYAN REILLY,  
ALBERT ELTERICH,  
Commissioners.  
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.  
m2,20

## FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the dock or wharf property known as PIER (OLD) NO. 53, near the foot of Jackson street, East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the waterfront 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.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the First Judicial Department, to be held in Part III. thereof, at the County Court House, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 14th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee in the name of, and for the benefit of, The City of New York, in the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the water-front of The City of New York, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, and determined upon by the Board of Docks on the 13th day of April, 1871, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 27th day of April, 1871, and which said plan is on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, of all the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges not now owned by The City of New York, and appurtenant to the dock or wharf property known as Pier (old) No. 53, near the foot of Jackson street, East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, said pier is bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the present bulkhead, distant 71.62 feet southerly from the northerly line of South street, measured on a line drawn at right angles with the northerly line of South street through a point distant 31.01 feet westerly from the westerly line of Jackson street, measured along the northerly line of South street, and running thence easterly and along the inner or northerly end of Pier (old) No. 53, 39.33 feet to the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 53;

Thence southerly and along said easterly side of Pier (old) No. 53, 127.06 feet to an angle in said easterly side;

Thence deflecting to the left and running southerly along said easterly side of Pier (old) No. 53, 65.4 feet to an angle in said easterly side;

Thence deflecting to the left and running southerly still along said easterly side of Pier (old) No. 53, 27.27 feet to the outer or southerly end of said pier;

Thence westerly and along said outer end of Pier (old) No. 53, 39.76 feet to the westerly side of said pier;

Thence northerly and along the westerly side of said pier 30 feet to an angle in said westerly side;

Thence deflecting to the right and running northerly, still along the westerly side of said pier 148.5 feet to an angle in said westerly side;

Thence deflecting to the right and running northerly and still along said westerly side 39.85 feet to the point or place of beginning, the area of said Pier (old) No. 53 comprising about 8,657 square feet;

—together with all right, title and interest in and to said pier or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York.

Dated New York, April 30, 1907.  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.  
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## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SEAMAN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Academy street to Isham street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of May, 1907, 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 22d day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.



Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 22d day of May, 1907.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southeasterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southeasterly of the southeasterly line of Seaman avenue and a property line distant southeasterly one hundred and eighty (180) feet and six (6) inches, more or less, from a point formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Seaman avenue and the southeasterly line of Academy street, and measured along said southeasterly line of Seaman avenue, running thence northwesterly along said property line to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of a line midway between Prescott avenue and Seaman avenue; thence northeasterly along said southeasterly prolongation and line midway between Prescott avenue and Seaman avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet northwesterly of the northeasterly line of Seaman avenue; thence northeasterly along said parallel line and its northeasterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet northeasterly of the northeasterly line of Seaman street; thence southeasterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southeasterly of the southeasterly line of Seaman avenue; thence southeasterly along said northeasterly prolongation and parallel line and its southeasterly prolongation, to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to any of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 26, 1907.

DENIS A. SPELLISY,

Chairman;  
MICHAEL B. STANTON,  
JOHN S. GEAGON,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FAIRVIEW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) from Eleventh avenue to Broadway, 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 supplemental and amended 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 15th day of May, 1907, 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 May, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate of assessment, together with our benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1907.

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 at right angles to the easterly line of Broadway from a point midway of the block between Fairview avenue and West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Broadway; thence running northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of Hillside avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation of Hillside avenue to the corner formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Nagle avenue and the northerly line of Hillside avenue; thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of Nagle avenue to the corner formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Nagle avenue and the easterly line of Ellwood street; thence easterly on a straight line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the westerly line of St. Nicholas avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom from a point midway of the block between Nagle avenue and Fairview avenue; thence southeasterly along the last-mentioned right-angled line and its southeasterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of Fort George avenue; thence easterly along said line parallel to Fort George avenue and southeasterly and southerly along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly and easterly from the northeasterly and easterly line of Amsterdam avenue to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the northerly line of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street;

thence westerly along said last-mentioned prolongation and northerly line of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Wadsworth avenue and Broadway; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street from a point in the easterly line of Broadway midway of the block between Fairview avenue and West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; 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 upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 19, 1907.

HAROLD SWAIN,

Chairman;  
SAMUEL S. SLATER,  
JOHN J. QUINLAN,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

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#### SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

##### COUNTY OF KINGS.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the southerly side of PARK AVENUE, between Kent avenue and Taaffe place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT EDWARD RIEGELMANN, F. Matthew Saaue and William H. Johnston, Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, have made and signed their final report herein, and on May 9, 1907, filed the same in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and on the same day filed a duplicate of said report in the office of the Clerk of Kings County in the Hall of Records, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court at Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in Kings County, on May 22, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, May 9, 1907.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
m9,20

##### COUNTY OF KINGS.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the northeasterly side of FORTY-FIRST STREET and the southeasterly side of FORTIETH STREET, one hundred and sixty feet west of Fourth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statute relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, May 9, 1907, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 92, Franklin Trust Company Building, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office, on the 21st day of May, 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, May 9, 1907.

HENRY B. KETCHAM,  
GEORGE W. WILSON,  
ARCHIBALD J. QUAIL,  
Commissioners.

GEORGE T. RIGGS,  
Clerk.

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#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York to acquire certain real estate upon PINE'S STREAM and EAST MEADOW STREAM in the Town of Hempstead, in the County of Nassau, for purposes of water supply.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE report of William H. E. Jay, William J. Youngs and William M. Copp, the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed herein, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Nassau on the 17th day of April, 1907, and that the said report will be presented for confirmation or such other action as may be proper, to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof for motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brook-

lyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated April 17, 1907.  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Borough Hall,  
Brooklyn,  
New York City.  
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#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of widening OAK STREET, on the south side, immediately adjoining Guerrsey street, in the Seventeenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 22d day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, May 8, 1907.

F. DE LYSLE SMITH,  
RUFUS L. PERRY,  
HERBERT S. WORTHLEY,  
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY, Clerk.

m8,18

#### 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 FOURTEENTH AVENUE, from Sixty-fifth street to Sixty-eighth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, May 8, 1907.

ADOLPH E. MULLER,  
GEORGE W. BAIRDON,  
ELISHA T. EVERETT,  
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,  
Clerk.

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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 WOLCOTT STREET, between Dwight street and Otsego street, in the Twelfth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of May, 1907, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, May 8, 1907.

LUKE O'REILLY,  
FRANKLIN TAYLOR,  
ROBT. W. CONNOR,  
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,  
Clerk.

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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 closing WEST EIGHTH STREET, from Surf avenue to high water line, in the Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 4th day of February, 1907, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in any lands, tenements, hereditaments, premises, rights, easements or interests therein taken, affected, damaged, extinguished or destroyed by or in consequence of the discontinuance or closing of the said street so to be closed.

All parties or persons interested in the lands and premises, rights, easements or interests therein taken, affected, damaged, extinguished or destroyed by or in consequence of the discontinuance or closing of the said street or affected thereby and having any claim or demand on ac-

count thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said parties and persons or claimants may desire within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of May, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto and at such time and place, and such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owners or claimants or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, May 8, 1907.

MICHAEL F. MCGOLDRICK,  
FRANCIS MULLEN,  
MICHAEL RYAN,  
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY, Clerk.

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#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the northerly side of COVERT AVENUE 100 feet west of Bleeker street, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York situated at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, Monday, May 6, 1907, file their objections, in writing, with us at our office, Room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, May 4, 1907.

LEANDER B. FABER,  
WARREN B. ASHMEAD,  
JOSEPH FITCH,  
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,  
Clerk.

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#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of INDIANA AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Jewitt avenue and a point 198.08 feet westerly from Woolley avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1907, 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 Richmond, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, May 6, 1907.

GEO. S. SCOFIELD,  
J. H. MALOY,  
J. F. SMITH,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

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#### SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of certain uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front and harbor of The City of New York, between the centre line of Fifty-seventh street prolonged, the centre line of Sixty-first street prolonged, the westerly line of First avenue and the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, pursuant to a certain plan heretofore adopted by the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York in and for the Second Judicial Department, to be held for the hearing of motions at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee, in the name of and for the benefit of The City



of New York, to certain uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property, with the buildings and structures erected thereon, for the improvement of the water front and harbor of The City of New York, between the centre line of Fifty-seventh street prolonged, the centre line of Sixty-first street prolonged, the western line of First avenue and the pierhead line, approved by the Secretary of War in 1890, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, in the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the water front and harbor of The City of New York, between Twenty-eighth street and Sixty-first street, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 31st day of May, 1906, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 20th day of June, 1906, and which said uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property are situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of First avenue where the centre line of Fifty-seventh street, as laid down on the map of the State of New York to lay out streets, avenues and squares in the former City of Brooklyn, intersects the said westerly line of First avenue, said point of intersection being distant four thousand six hundred and fifty-six and three hundred and fifty-four one-thousandths feet southerly from the southerly line of Thirty-ninth street, measured along said westerly line of First avenue, and running thence westerly along the centre line of said Fifty-seventh street and its westerly prolongation, the same being a line drawn parallel with and four thousand six hundred and fifty-six and three hundred and fifty-four one-thousandths feet southerly from the said southerly line of said Thirty-ninth street to the pierhead line established by chapter 491 of the Laws of 1884 and approved by the Secretary of War March 4, 1890; thence southerly and along said pierhead line to a point in the westerly prolongation of the centre line of Sixty-first street; thence easterly and along said westerly prolongation of the centre line of Sixty-first street and along the centre line of said Sixty-first street to the westerly line of First avenue, and thence northerly and along said westerly line of First avenue to the point or place of beginning.

—and which said property is shown on the plan above mentioned, adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 31st day of May, 1906, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 20th day of June, 1906, and which said plan is on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Dated New York, April 30, 1907.  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.  
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## SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of certain uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property necessary to be taken for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between the southerly line of Thirty-eighth street prolonged, the southerly boundary line of property recently acquired by The City of New York for a wholesale market, the westerly line of Second avenue and the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, pursuant to a certain plan heretofore adopted by the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the Second Judicial Department, to be held for the hearing of motions at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee, in the name of and for the benefit of The City of New York, to certain uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property, with the buildings and structures erected thereon, for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between the southerly line of Thirty-eighth street prolonged, the southerly boundary line of property recently acquired by The City of New York for a wholesale market, the westerly line of Second avenue and the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, in the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between Twenty-eighth street and Sixty-first street, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 31st day of May, 1906, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 20th day of June, 1906, and which said uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property are situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Thirty-eighth street where it intersects the westerly line of Second avenue, and running thence westerly and along the westerly prolongation of the southerly line of Thirty-eighth street two thousand four hundred and fifty-two (2,452) feet to the pierhead line established by the Secretary of War in 1890; thence northerly and along said pierhead line one hundred and forty-seven and fourteen one-hundredths (147.14) feet to the southerly boundary line of property recently acquired in the Eighth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in the vicinity of the foot of Thirty-seventh street, for the construction and establishment of a public wholesale market, said southerly boundary line being drawn parallel with and distant three hundred and seventy-five (375) feet northerly from the centre line of Thirty-

ninth street; thence easterly and along said southerly boundary line two thousand four hundred and twenty-four and ninety-six one-hundredths feet (2,424.96) to the westerly line of Second avenue, and thence southerly and along said westerly line of Second avenue one hundred and forty-four and six hundred and forty-seventh one-thousandths (144.647) feet to the point or place of beginning.

—and which said property is shown on the plan above mentioned, adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 31st day of May, 1906, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 20th day of June, 1906, and which said plan is on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Dated New York, April 30, 1907.  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.  
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## SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of certain uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property necessary to be taken for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between the centre line of Twenty-eighth street prolonged, the southerly line of Thirty-sixth street prolonged, the westerly line of Second avenue, and the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, pursuant to a certain plan heretofore adopted by the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in and for the Second Judicial Department, to be held for the hearing of motions at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee in the name of and for the benefit of The City of New York to certain uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property, with the buildings and structures erected thereon, for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between the centre line of Twenty-eighth street prolonged, the southerly line of Thirty-sixth street prolonged, the westerly line of Second avenue and the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, in the execution of a certain plan for the improvement of the waterfront and harbor of The City of New York, between Twenty-eighth street and Sixty-first street, South Brooklyn, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 31st day of May, 1906, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 20th day of June, 1906, and which said uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands, filled-in lands, lands and lands under water and wharf property are situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and are bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Second avenue, as laid down on the map of the State of New York to lay out streets, avenues and squares in the former City of Brooklyn, where the centre line of Twenty-eighth street intersects said westerly line of Second avenue, and running thence southerly and along the westerly line of said Second avenue to the southerly side of Thirty-sixth street; thence westerly and along the southerly line of Thirty-sixth street, and along the westerly prolongation of said southerly line to the pierhead line approved by the Secretary of War in 1890; thence northerly and along said pierhead line until it intersects the westerly prolongation of the centre line of Twenty-eighth street, and thence easterly and along the westerly prolongation of and along the centre line of said Twenty-eighth street, to the point or place of beginning;

—and which said property is shown on the plan above mentioned, adopted by the Commissioner of Docks on the 31st day of May, 1906, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 20th day of June, 1906, and which said plan is on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Dated New York, April 30, 1907.  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Hall of Records,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.  
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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF GARRETSON AVENUE and the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF CROMWELL AVENUE and the WESTERLY SIDE OF JEFFERSON STREET, in the Borough of Richmond, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, situated at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, Wednesday, May 1, 1907, file their objections, in writing, with us at our office, Room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 15th day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, April 30, 1907.  
WILLIAM ALLAIRE SHORTT,  
THOMAS A. BRANIFF,  
THOMAS GARRETT, JR.,  
Commissioners.  
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,  
Clerk.  
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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of AVENUE T, from Coney Island avenue to Ocean parkway, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of May, 1907, 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 May, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 31st day of May, 1907.

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 Ocean parkway where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Avenue T and Avenue S; running thence easterly and along the centre line of the blocks between Avenue T and Avenue S to the westerly side of Coney Island avenue; running thence southerly and along the westerly side of Coney Island avenue to the centre line of the block between Avenue T and Avenue U; running thence westerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Avenue T and Avenue U to the easterly side of Ocean parkway; running thence northerly and along the easterly side of Ocean parkway to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of July, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 30, 1907.

PETER W. OSTRANDER,  
Chairman;  
HOWARD H. PLAISTED,  
HARRY HOWARD DALE,  
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,  
Clerk.  
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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FORTY-FIRST STREET, from New Utrecht avenue to old City line, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of May, 1907, 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 May, 1907, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 31st day of May, 1907.

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 line dividing the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards where the centre line of the block between Forty-first street and Fortieth street intersects said line; running thence southeasterly and parallel with Forty-first street to the westerly side of New Utrecht avenue;

running thence southerly and along the westerly side of New Utrecht avenue to its intersection with the northwesterly side of Tenth avenue; running thence southwesterly along the northwesterly side of Tenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Forty-first street and Forty-second street; running thence northwesterly and along the centre line of the blocks between Forty-first street and Forty-second street to the line dividing the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards; running thence northeasterly along the line dividing the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of July, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 30, 1907.

EUGENE V. BREWSTER,  
Chairman;  
CHARLES H. MOSES,  
PHILIP L. FARRELL,  
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,  
Clerk.  
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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 GRANT AVENUE, from Atlantic avenue to Liberty avenue, in the Twenty-sixth 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, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of May, 1907, 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 16th day of May, 1907, 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, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 25th day of May, 1907.

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 on the southerly side of Atlantic avenue, where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Grant avenue and Elder's lane; running thence southerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Grant avenue and Elder's lane to the northerly side of Liberty avenue; running thence westerly and along the northerly side of Liberty avenue to the centre line of the block between Sheridan avenue and Grant avenue; running thence northerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Sheridan avenue and Grant avenue to the southerly side of Atlantic avenue; running thence easterly and along the southerly side of Atlantic avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of July, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 25, 1907.

AUGUSTUS C. FISCHER,  
Chairman;  
JOHN H. DOUGLASS,  
DANIEL G. CAMPION,  
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,  
Clerk.  
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## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to AVENUE L, from the easterly side of Nostrand avenue to the westerly side of Flatbush avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 26th day of September, 1904, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 30th day of September, 1904, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 23, Blocks 7630, 7631, 7632, 7633, 7634, 7635, 7636, 7637, 7648, 7649, 7650, 7651, 7652, 7653, 7654, 7655, 7810 and 7815, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the pur-



pose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of May, 1907, 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 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, April 19, 1907.

JOSEPH P. CONWAY,  
JOHN C. MCGROARTY,  
JOS. F. CURREN,  
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,  
Clerk.

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## SUPREME COURT—THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

### THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT—ULSTER COUNTY.

#### ASHOKAN RESERVOIR.

##### SECTION No. 4.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended. Such application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in and for the Third Judicial District, at the Court House, in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, N. Y., on May 18, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and at least one of whom shall reside in the county where the real estate hereinafter described is situated, to act as Commissioners of Appraisal under said act and discharge all the duties conferred by the said law and the acts amendatory thereof, upon such Commissioners of Appraisal, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York.

The real estate to be acquired herein is situated in the Town of Olive, and is to be acquired in fee for the purpose of furnishing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water to The City of New York.

The following is a statement of the boundaries of the lands to be acquired herein, with a reference to the date and place of filing of the map.

All the parcels herein described are to be acquired in fee and are colored pink on the map hereinafter referred to:

All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster and State of New York, shown on a map entitled "Reservoir Department, Section No. 4, Board of Water Supply of The City of New York. Map of real estate, situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster, and State of New York, to be acquired by The City of New York under the provisions of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended, for the construction of Ashokan Reservoir, and appurtenances, in the vicinity of Olive City and Brodhead," which map was filed in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, at Kingston, New York, on the 4th day of March, 1907, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the junction of the centre lines of the Tongore and Samsonville roads, said point being the southeast corner of Parcel No. 145, and running thence along the centre line of said Parcel No. 145 south 67 degrees 18 minutes west 195.4 feet to the southeast corner of Parcel No. 143; thence along the southerly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre line of Samsonville road, the following courses and distances: South 40 degrees 47 minutes west 55.7 feet, south 28 degrees 27 minutes west 409.8 feet, south 34 degrees 29 minutes west 55.3 feet, south 53 degrees 16 minutes west 32 feet, south 63 degrees 36 minutes west 290.1 feet and south 38 degrees 28 minutes west 97.7 feet; thence, still continuing along the southerly line of Parcel No. 143, north 3 degrees 44 minutes west 44.6 feet, north 8 degrees 26 minutes west 111.2 feet, south 59 degrees 2 minutes west 293.3 feet and south 28 degrees 26 minutes east 158.4 feet to the centre of the before-mentioned Samsonville road; thence along the same, and still continuing along the southerly line of said Parcel No. 143, south 53 degrees 5 minutes west 116.6 feet and south 71 degrees 30 minutes west 74.7 feet, to the northeast corner of Parcel No. 144; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 21 degrees 12 minutes east 72.3 feet to the southeast corner of said parcel; thence along the southerly line of same, south 71 degrees 13 minutes west 160.8 feet, south 48 degrees 56 minutes west 100.9 feet, south 64 degrees 51 minutes west 80 feet, south 55 degrees 2 minutes west 102.3 feet, and north 77 degrees 47 minutes west 104.9 feet to a point in the southerly line of the before mentioned Parcel No. 143; thence along the said southerly line, south 55 degrees 3 minutes west 144.7 feet to a point in the easterly line of Parcel No. 142; thence along the said easterly line, south 58 degrees 14 minutes west 47.3 feet, south 25 degrees 19 minutes west 49.6 feet, south 35 degrees 59 minutes west 24.8 feet, and south 11 degrees 36 minutes west 193.5 feet to a point in the easterly line of Parcel No. 140; thence along the said easterly line, south 39 degrees 4 minutes east 52 feet, south 22 degrees 39 minutes west 45.8 feet, and north 67 degrees 43 minutes west 52.2 feet, crossing Samsonville road; thence still continuing along the said easterly line and the southerly line of Parcel No. 140 the following courses and distances: South 72 degrees 17 minutes west 602.6 feet, south 24 degrees 45 minutes west 272.5 feet, south 45 degrees 21 minutes west 399.3 feet, south 56 degrees 36 minutes west 466.4 feet, south 20 degrees 30 minutes west 751.3 feet, and north 70 degrees 28 minutes west 30.9 feet to the westerly line of said parcel; thence along the same, north 44 de-

grees 6 minutes west 251.1 feet; thence on a curve of 633 feet radius to the right 760 feet, and north 24 degrees 44 minutes east 963.7 feet, partly along the westerly line of Parcel No. 140 and along the westerly line of Parcel No. 141; thence still continuing along the westerly line of Parcel No. 140 on a curve of 1,367 feet radius to the left 479.3 feet; thence north 4 degrees 40 minutes east 4,019.6 feet, partly along the westerly line of Parcel No. 140, and along the westerly line of Parcel No. 149 and partly along the westerly line of Parcel No. 156; thence still continuing along the westerly line of Parcel No. 156 on a curve of 467 feet radius to the left 59.9 feet to the most southerly point of parcel No. 170; thence along the westerly and southerly lines of said parcel the following curves, courses and distances: On a curve of 467 feet radius to the left 386.2 feet and north 50 degrees 05 minutes west 261.8 feet; thence on a curve of 667 feet radius to the left 453.2 feet and north 89 degrees 00 minutes west 29 feet; thence along the southerly lines of parcels Nos. 179 and 177, north 89 degrees 00 minutes west 29 feet; thence on a curve of 1,067 feet radius to the left 647.1 feet and south 56 degrees 15 minutes west 119.3 feet to the most southerly point of the before-mentioned parcel No. 177; thence still continuing along the southerly line of said parcel No. 177, north 36 degrees 01 minute west 73.8 feet, north 10 degrees 43 minutes west 34.4 feet, north 36 degrees 47 minutes west 410.3 feet, north 81 degrees 59 minutes west 182.1 feet and south 86 degrees 32 minutes west 477.5 feet to the most westerly point of said parcel; thence along the westerly line of same, north 20 degrees 26 minutes east 322.8 feet, north 16 degrees 17 minutes east 871.2 feet and north 28 degrees 56 minutes west 480.8 feet to the northwest corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same the following courses and distances: North 50 degrees 14 minutes east 76 feet, north 53 degrees 42 minutes east 262.4 feet, north 62 degrees 19 minutes east 103.6 feet, south 5 degrees 58 minutes east 166.7 feet, south 68 degrees 54 minutes east 872.3 feet, south 59 degrees 54 minutes east 129.6 feet and north 16 degrees 03 minutes east 553.4 feet to the south property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company; thence along the same, and still continuing along the northerly line of parcel No. 177, on a curve of 1,179 feet radius to the left 630.7 feet, and north 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 52 feet, to the northwest corner of parcel No. 180; thence along the northerly line of said parcel north 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 112.5 feet to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly lines of the before-mentioned parcel No. 177 and parcel No. 175, north 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 2,106.2 feet, crossing Esopus creek to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 174; thence along the northerly line of said parcel and still continuing along the south property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company the following courses and distances: North 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 68 feet; thence on a curve of 1,466 feet radius to the left 395.9 feet, south 45 degrees 10 minutes west 246.9 feet, south 44 degrees 53 minutes east 33 feet and north 45 degrees 10 minutes east 308.6 feet; thence on a curve of 1,466 feet radius to the left 139.9 feet, north 66 degrees 08 minutes east 92 feet and on a curve of 1,009 feet radius to the right 22.5 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 173; thence along the northerly line of said parcel and still continuing along the south property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company, on a curve of 1,009 feet radius to the right 840.6 feet, south 64 degrees 54 minutes east 617 feet and on a curve of 1,113 feet radius to the right 156.7 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 171; thence along the northerly line of said Parcel No. 171, and still continuing along the before mentioned railroad property line, on a curve of 113 feet radius to the right 474.5 feet; thence on a curve of 1,400 feet radius to the right 214.4 feet; thence on a curve of 1,943 feet radius to the left 372.9 feet and south 34 degrees 35 minutes east 110.7 feet to the most northerly point of Parcel No. 166; thence along the easterly line of said parcel and the west property line of the before mentioned railroad south 34 degrees 35 minutes east 205.1 feet; thence on a curve of 1,670 feet radius to the left 1,138.1 feet and south 73 degrees 39 minutes east 380.3 feet to the most easterly point of the before mentioned Parcel No. 166; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 79 degrees 30 minutes west 344.1 feet and south 6 degrees 23 minutes west 650.4 feet to the southeast corner of said parcel; thence along the southerly line of said parcel the following courses and distances: North 52 degrees 39 minutes west 223.2 feet and north 88 degrees 31 minutes west 349.6 feet, crossing a road leading from Olive Bridge to Shokan; thence south 34 degrees 37 minutes west 281.3 feet, south 36 degrees 05 minutes west 521.1 feet, south 32 degrees 55 minutes west 152.6 feet, south 42 degrees 41 minutes west 164.6 feet, south 52 degrees 49 minutes west 334.9 feet, south 81 degrees 57 minutes west 158.4 feet and north 84 degrees 46 minutes west 108.7 feet to the centre of Esopus creek and the northeast corner of parcel No. 154; thence along the centre of said creek and the easterly line of said parcel, south 5 degrees 02 minutes west 202.9 feet and south 15 degrees 32 minutes east 223.5 feet to the northeast corner of parcel No. 143; thence along the easterly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre of said creek, south 15 degrees 32 minutes east 28.9 feet and south 37 degrees 56 minutes east 318.5 feet; thence south 51 degrees 48 minutes west 86.5 feet to the westerly shore line of the before mentioned creek; thence along the same, and still continuing along the easterly line of parcel No. 143, south 37 degrees 19 minutes east 139.2 feet and south 27 degrees 08 minutes east 139.6 feet; thence south 66 degrees 14 minutes west 396.6 feet to the centre of Tongore road; thence along the same and the easterly lines of the before mentioned parcel No. 143 and parcel No. 146, south 47 degrees 58 minutes east 132.8 feet to the most northerly point of parcel No. 145; thence along the easterly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre of said road, south 43 degrees 31 minutes east 153.8 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The fee is to be acquired by The City of New York in all the real estate parcels Nos. 140 to 180, inclusive, contained in the above description. Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid, in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken in fee, as above described.

In case any property above described is used for any public purpose, such as a highway, etc., such use shall continue until The City of New York shall have legal right to take possession of or change the same.

Dated March 30, 1907.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Corporation Counsel.  
Office and Post Office address:  
Hall of Records,  
Corner of Chambers and Centre Streets,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.

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### THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT—ULSTER COUNTY.

#### ASHOKAN RESERVOIR.

##### SECTION No. 5.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended. Such application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in and for the Third Judicial District, at the Court House in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, N. Y., on May 18, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and at least one of whom shall reside in the county where the real estate hereinafter described is situated, to act as Commissioners of Appraisal under said act and discharge all the duties conferred by the said law and the acts amendatory thereof upon such Commissioners of Appraisal, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York.

The real estate to be acquired herein is situated in the Town of Olive, and is to be acquired in fee for the purpose of furnishing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water to The City of New York.

The following is a statement of the boundaries of the lands to be acquired herein, with a reference to the date and place of filing of the map.

All the parcels herein described are to be acquired in fee and are colored pink on the map hereinafter referred to.

All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster and State of New York, shown on a certain map entitled "Reservoir Department, Section No. 5, Board of Water Supply of The City of New York. Map of real estate, situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster and State of New York, to be acquired by The City of New York under the provisions of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended, for the construction of Ashokan Reservoir, and appurtenances, in the vicinity of Brown's Station, north of railroad," which map was filed in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, at Kingston, New York, on the 4th day of March, 1907, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the north property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company, where the same is intersected by the lines between the Towns of Hurley and Olive, which point is also the most easterly point of parcel No. 181, and running thence along the southerly line of said parcel and the northerly line of said railroad, south 52 degrees 28 minutes west 1,179.7 feet to the most easterly point of parcel No. 182; thence along the southerly line of said parcel and the northerly line of the before-mentioned railroad, south 52 degrees 28 minutes west 1,219.9 feet, and on a curve of 2,898 feet radius to the left 118.9 feet to a point in the southerly line of parcel No. 183 in the centre of Beaver Kill; thence along the said southerly line on a curve of 2,898 feet radius to the left 24.1 feet, to the most easterly point of parcel No. 184; thence along the easterly lines of said parcel and parcels Nos. 183 and 185, on a curve of 2,898 feet radius to the left 1,346.6 feet and south 22 degrees 59 minutes west 761.4 feet; thence on a curve of 1,877 feet radius to the right 1,025.5 feet; thence on a curve of 2,259 feet radius to the right 625 feet to the centre of a road leading from Stone Church to Olive; thence still continuing along the north property line of the before mentioned railroad and along the southerly line of parcel No. 194, on a curve of 2,259 feet radius to the right 361 feet, and on a curve of 5,697 feet radius to the right 894.9 feet; thence south 88 degrees 17 minutes west 208.6 feet to the centre of a road leading from Brodhead and Shokan to Stone Church; thence still continuing along the north property line of the before mentioned railroad and running along the southerly lines of parcels Nos. 198, 199, 200, 206, 205, 212, 213, 218, 219 and 221, the following curves, courses and distances: South 88 degrees 17 minutes west 1,291.7 feet, north 40 degrees 00 minutes east 97 feet, north 7 degrees 00 minutes west 95 feet, south 87 degrees 30 minutes west 342 feet and south 12 degrees 15 minutes west 145.1 feet; thence on a curve of 1,877 feet radius to the right 259.4 feet and north 73 degrees 39 minutes west 2,779.6 feet; thence on a curve of 1,604 feet radius to the right 1,093.1 feet and north 34 degrees 35 minutes west 315.8 feet; thence on a curve of 1,877 feet radius to the right 360.1 feet; thence on a curve of 1,466 feet radius to the left 224.7 feet; thence on a curve of 1,179 feet radius to the left 668.9 feet and north 64 degrees 54 minutes west 617 feet; thence on a curve of 1,075 feet radius to the left 919.4 feet and south 66 degrees 08 minutes west 92 feet; thence on a curve of 1,400 feet radius to the right 75 feet; thence north 4 degrees 34 minutes east 17.6 feet, north 18 degrees 35 minutes west 112.7 feet and south 4 degrees 34 minutes west 40.2 feet; thence on a curve of 1,400 feet radius to the right 469.1 feet, and south 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds west 2,118.4 feet, crossing Esopus creek, to the west side of a road leading from Olive City to West Shokan; thence along the same and the westerly line of parcel No. 221, north 36 degrees 00 minutes west 262.3 feet to the northwest corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same, north 85 degrees 16 minutes east 528.3 feet, crossing Esopus creek, to the easterly shore line of same; thence along the said shore line and the westerly line of Parcel No. 220, north 42 degrees 58 minutes west 188.1 feet; north 16 degrees 38 minutes west 241.1 feet and north 6 degrees 7 minutes east 309.7 feet to a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 220; thence along the said westerly line north 86 degrees 29 minutes east 376.6 feet and north 3 degrees 25 minutes east 813.8 feet to the northwest corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same, north 84 degrees 49 minutes east 135.2 feet, north 86 degrees 55 minutes east 909.9 feet and north 60 degrees 1 minute east 42.8 feet to the centre of a road leading from Shokan to Brown's Station; thence along the centre of said road south 22 degrees 53 minutes east 33.4 feet; thence along the centre of a road leading to Olive, and still continuing along the northerly line of the before-mentioned Parcel No. 220, the following courses and distances: North 87 degrees 17 minutes east 71.9 feet, north 86 degrees 24 minutes east 342.2 feet, north 85 degrees 39 minutes east 280.4 feet, north 68 degrees 30 minutes east 202.9 feet, south 74 degrees 30 minutes east 165.4 feet, north 83 degrees 37 minutes east 164.4 feet and north

69 degrees 49 minutes east 144.7 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 217; thence along the northerly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre line of the before-mentioned road north 69 degrees 50 minutes east 198 feet, north 73 degrees 15 minutes east 681.7 feet and north 79 degrees 5 minutes east 438 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 216; thence along the northerly line of said parcel north 79 degrees 5 minutes east 20.1 feet, to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 15 degrees 57 minutes east 500 feet and south 78 degrees 3 minutes east 817.9 feet to a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 213; thence along the said westerly line north 21 degrees 19 minutes west 518.8 feet to the northwest corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same north 80 degrees 3 minutes east 716.2 feet to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence along the easterly line of same south 7 degrees 19 minutes east 423.2 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 215; thence along the northerly line of said parcel north 69 degrees 34 minutes east 1,136.2 feet to the most westerly point of Parcel No. 203; thence along the northerly line of said parcel the following courses and distances: North 66 degrees 30 minutes east 395.2 feet, north 42 degrees west 207.3 feet, north 74 degrees 19 minutes east 1,825.1 feet, south 50 degrees 55 minutes east 1,241.4 feet, south 40 degrees 39 minutes west 122.7 feet, south 46 degrees 21 minutes east 193 feet, north 53 degrees 56 minutes east 142.5 feet and south 52 degrees 39 minutes east 506.8 feet to a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 183; thence along the said westerly line north 39 degrees 16 minutes east 3,299.5 feet to the most northerly point of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same south 52 degrees 41 minutes east 3,950.6 feet; partly along the line between the Towns of Hurley and Olive, to the centre of Beaver Kill, and the most northerly point of Parcel No. 181; thence along the northerly line of said parcel south 53 degrees 18 minutes east 416.2 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The fee is to be acquired by The City of New York in all the real estate parcels Nos. 181 to 222, inclusive, contained in the above description.

Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid, in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken in fee, as above described.

In case any property above described is used for any public purpose, such as a highway, etc., such use shall continue until The City of New York shall have legal right to take possession of or change the same.

Dated March 30, 1907.

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### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

#### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York, 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, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

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

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, 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 Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.