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

#### STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, March 20, 1906, 1.30 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

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.
John J. Callahan.	Charles Hahn.	Cornelius D. Noonan.
William S. Clifford.	John J. Hahn.	George W. Olvany.
Charles P. Cole.	Patrick J. Hatton.	Francis J. O'Neill.
John J. Collins.	Casper Herold.	Henry Clay Peters.
John J. Cronin.	Leonard L. Jacobson.	Lewis M. Potter.
John R. Davies.	Patrick S. Keely.	James W. Redmond.
John Diemer.	William P. Kenneally.	David S. Rendt.
Thomas D. Dinwoodie.	Ardolph L. Kline.	Frederick Richter.
Frank J. Dotzler.	Joseph Krulish.	William Rowcroft.
Reginald S. Doull.	Charles L. Kuck.	Joseph Schloss.
Frank L. Dowling.	Charles Kuntze.	George J. Schneider.
Robert F. Downing.	James Lawlor.	James J. Smith.
Andrew J. Doyle.	Harry L. Leverett.	Michael Stapleton.
Joseph F. Ellery.	Frederick Linde.	Frank D. Sturges.
George Everson.	George Markert.	Joseph M. Torpey.
Joseph Falk.	James Cowden Meyers.	Moses J. Wafer.
John J. Farrell.	Thomas J. Moffitt.	William Wentz.
Clarence R. Freeman.		Richard Wright.

George Cromwell, President of the Borough of Richmond.

Joseph Bermel, President of the Borough of Queens, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works.

Louis F. Haffen, President of the Borough of The Bronx.

John F. Ahearn, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The President announced that Alderman Higgins was excused from attendance. The Clerk proceeded to read the Minutes of the Stated Meeting of March 13, 1906. On motion of Alderman Wentz, further reading was dispensed with, and the Minutes were approved as printed.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

No. 384.

City of New York—Office of the Mayor, March 16, 1906.

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

Gentlemen—I return herewith, with my disapproval, a resolution, entitled "resolution permitting Frank & Morris to keep show case, Borough of Manhattan."

This resolution, with the exception of the name of one of the licensees, is similar in all respects to the one which I returned to your Board with my disapproval on the 12th of March, 1906, and I refuse to approve of this resolution for the reasons stated at length in my former message.

Respectfully,  
GEO. B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

Resolved, That Frank & Morris be and they are hereby granted permission to erect and maintain a show case, twenty-five feet long, within the stoop line in front of their premises on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Eighth avenue, Borough of Manhattan; the work to be done at their own expense, under the supervision of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the Minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

#### PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 425.

The Garfein Company, Incorporated, Offices, No. 150 Nassau Street, New York, March 15, 1906.

Hon. PATRICK McGOWAN, President of the Board of Aldermen, New York City: Honored Sir—We are advised that the Board over which you preside has recently interested itself in the question of sanitary cuspidors, to be introduced in public establishments.

We have invented a sanitary cuspidor, very practical, in our judgment, and beg leave to submit models of our invention to you.

We are certain it is your opinion that the cuspidor in use now does not answer sanitary requirements or any other requirements of a modern community, and for this reason venture to hope that you will grant our Mr. Garfein an audience, appointing a time that he may call.

We beg to remain, Honored Sir,

Your obedient servants.

THE GARFEIN COMPANY,  
By Garfein.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

No. 426.

In the matter

of

The petition of James J. Lanigan to the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York.

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

The petition of James J. Lanigan respectfully shows:

1. That he is a citizen of the United States and an elector of the Borough of Brooklyn, City and State of New York, of the age of forty years, and resides at No. 211 Bush street, within the Fifty-fourth Aldermanic District of The City of New York.

2. That in or about the month of October, 1905, the date whereof is unknown to your petitioner, but which he alleges to have been long enough prior to Election Day, to wit, November 7, 1905, to comply with all statutory requirements, one Michael J. Monahan was duly and regularly nominated by a convention duly and regularly convened of the Democratic party for the office of Alderman for the Fifty-fourth Aldermanic District of The City of New York, and thereupon he accepted said nomination and became and was the candidate of the Democratic party for said office.

3. That your petitioner was duly and regularly nominated by the Municipal Ownership League as and for its candidate for the office of Alderman of the Fifty-fourth Aldermanic District, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and thereupon accepted said nomination and became and was the candidate of the said Municipal Ownership League for said office.

4. That, according to law, an election was duly and regularly held on the 7th day of November, 1905, in The City of New York, and that at said election so held an election was held for the office of Alderman of The City of New York for the Fifty-fourth Aldermanic District, and the said Michael J. Monahan received the highest number of votes cast therefor for the said office of Alderman for said district, to wit, two thousand seven hundred and seventy-six votes, and your petitioner received the next highest number of votes cast for said office at said election, to wit, two thousand five hundred and twenty-nine votes.

5. Thereafter, as your petitioner is informed and therefore avers, the said Michael J. Monahan was declared by the Board of Canvassers and the Board of Elections of The City of New York to be elected to the office of Alderman of The City of New York for the Fifty-fourth Aldermanic District, and a certificate of election was thereupon issued to him in conformity with the statute in such case made and provided, and thereafter, on the 1st day of January, 1906, said Michael J. Monahan took the oath of office as Alderman as aforesaid, and entered upon the performance of his duties as such, and ever since and now is the occupant and holder of said public office, to wit, the office of Alderman of The City of New York for the Fifty-fourth Aldermanic District.

6. Your petitioner alleges that said Michael J. Monahan usurps, invades and intrudes into and unlawfully holds and exercises the office of Alderman of The City of New York for the said Fifty-fourth Aldermanic District, and that your petitioner was duly and legally elected to said office by the highest number of legal votes cast for a legally qualified candidate. That said Michael J. Monahan is not now and never has been a citizen of the United States of America, being a native of Ireland in the Kingdom of Great Britain, never having been naturalized as a citizen of the United States, nor was his father nor mother ever naturalized as a citizen of said United States, but, on the contrary thereof, was a citizen of the Kingdom of Great Britain. That said Michael J. Monahan, for the ten years between 1894 and 1904, at each election voted and in each instance claimed to be a citizen of the United States, and was so registered and voted at each election during said years. That in the month of October, 1905, said Michael J. Monahan registered as a foreign born citizen, to wit, a native of Great Britain, and claimed the right to register and vote on the ground that he came to the United States before arriving at the age of eighteen years, and asserted that he voted upon his father's naturalization papers, when, in truth and in fact, his father was never naturalized and was never in the United States, and upon being called upon by the election officials to produce the naturalization papers of his said father he failed and neglected so to do, and he was nevertheless allowed to register and vote, as your petitioner is informed and believes.

7. That, by reason of the fact that said Michael J. Monahan was not then and never had been a citizen of the United States, the said votes cast for him for the office of Alderman as aforesaid, at the election held on the 7th day of November, 1905, were void and of no effect, and your petitioner was duly elected to said office and is entitled to take and hold the same and exercise the rights, powers, privileges and duties attaching thereto.

8. That under and by virtue of the laws of the United States and of the State of New York, all persons are excluded from holding public office except citizens of the United States, and the said office of Alderman of The City of New York is a public office.

Your petitioner therefore prays that your Honorable Board may immediately take steps to ascertain the truth of the matters herein alleged, and that your honorable body declare said Michael J. Monahan disqualified as an Alderman of The City of New York, and that your honorable body take further action looking to the installation of your petitioner as the duly qualified and regularly elected Alderman from the said Fifty-fourth Aldermanic District as the legally qualified person for whom the largest number of votes were cast at the last election.

Dated March 1, 1906.

JAMES J. LANIGAN, Petitioner.

State of New York, County of Kings, Borough of Brooklyn, ss.:

James J. Lanigan, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the petitioner in this action, that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof; and that the same is true of his own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

JAMES J. LANIGAN.

Sworn to before me this 1st day of March, 1906.

[Seal] Michael Leahy,

No. 521 Court street, Brooklyn,

Commissioner of Deeds for The City of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting ordinances:

No. 427.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 16, 1906.

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

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, March 16, 1906, authorizing an issue of Corporate Stock to an amount not exceeding \$220,000 for the use of the Topographical Bureau of the Borough of Queens, for the purpose of preparing and completing maps and monuments and monumenting of all territory within said Borough; together with copies of communication from the President of the Borough of Queens and report of the Principal Assistant Engineer, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

The City of New York,  
Office of the President of the Borough of Queens,  
Long Island City, February 26, 1906.

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

Dear Sir—Herewith please find resolution for the issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of \$224,705 for use of the Topographical Bureau in preparing and completing maps and monuments and monumenting of all territory in this Borough.

I would request that same be placed on the calendar of your Board for early consideration.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) JOSEPH BERMEL,  
President, Borough of Queens.  
March 7, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—Hon. Joseph Bermel, President of the Borough of Queens, in communication under date of February 26, 1906, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock in the sum of \$224,705, for the use of the Topographical Bureau in preparing and completing maps and monuments and monumenting of all territory in the Borough of Queens.

I would report that the payroll of the present force is about \$15,600 per month (including the monthly and weekly payrolls), or \$187,000 per annum; adding \$7,000 for monuments, \$12,000 for traveling expenses and \$4,000 for instruments and incidentals, gives a grand total of \$210,000, the required amount to carry on the work with the present force.

The Engineer in charge of the topographical work informs me that in order to continue the work properly the force must be increased, and he hopes to have about twenty (20) new men by the end of the year; \$10,000, in my opinion, will be sufficient to provide for this increase in force, making the grand total of \$220,000, which will be ample to carry on the work, including the additional force, to March 1, 1907, without any additional appropriation being provided for in the Budget for 1907.

I would note that the \$40,000 allowed in the Budget for 1906 for this work has practically all been expended.

I would therefore suggest that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorize the Comptroller, pursuant to section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$220,000 for the work of the Topographical Bureau, Borough of Queens; that is to say, for the making and completing of maps within said Borough.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) CHANDLER WITTINGTON,  
Principal Assistant Engineer.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of two hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$220,000) for the use of the Topographical Bureau of the Borough of Queens for the purpose of preparing and completing maps and monuments and monumenting of all territory within said Borough.

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 March 16, 1906, 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 two hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$220,000) for the use of the Topographical Bureau of the Borough of Queens for the purpose of preparing and completing maps and monuments and monumenting of all territory within said Borough, 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 two hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$220,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 428.  
Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 17, 1906.

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 March 16, 1906, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$50,000 for the use of the Topographical Bureau of the Bronx for the purpose of preparing and completing maps of all territory within said Borough.

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

Yours very truly,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) to provide means for the use of the Topographical Bureau of the Borough of The Bronx for the purpose of preparing and completing maps of all territory within said Borough.

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 March 16, 1906, 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 fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for the use of the Topographical Bureau of the Borough of The Bronx, for the purpose of preparing and completing maps of all territory

within said Borough, 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 fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 429.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 17, 1906.

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 March 16, 1906, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$130,000 for the use of the Topographical Bureau of the Borough of Richmond, for the purpose of preparing and completing maps of all territory within said Borough, together with copy of a report of the Principal Assistant Engineer, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.  
March 7, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—Hon. George Cromwell, President of the Borough of Richmond, in communication under date of February 16, 1906, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock in the sum of \$140,000, for the work of the Topographical Bureau, Borough of Richmond.

The Commissioner also states that he wishes to increase the force by about twenty (20) men as soon as they can be secured through the Civil Service Commission, whose salaries added to those on the present pay-roll, amounting to about \$8,300 each month, or about \$100,000 for twelve months, plus expenses of say \$15,000, making a total of increase force desired of, \$140,000, which sum is requested, that he may be able to draw upon same for the pay-roll commencing April 1, 1906. I would report:

As stated by the President, the present pay-roll amounts to about \$100,000 per annum, and \$15,000 estimated for traveling expenses, monuments, incidentals, etc., is not exorbitant, but the \$25,000 requested for an increase in the force, I consider more than it will be possible to expend during the year, on account of the great trouble in obtaining men; \$10,000 or \$15,000, I think, will be sufficient to provide for the increased force, making a grand total for the ensuing year of \$130,000; this amount, I estimate, will carry on the work from March 1, 1907, without any additional appropriation being provided for in the Budget for 1907.

I would therefore suggest that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorize the Comptroller, pursuant to section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$130,000, for the work of the Topographical Bureau, Borough of Richmond, that is to say, for the making and completing of maps within said borough.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) CHANDLER WITTINGTON,  
Principal Assistant Engineer.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one hundred and thirty thousand dollars (\$130,000) for the use of the Topographical Bureau of the Borough of Richmond, for the purpose of preparing and completing maps of all territory within said borough.

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 March 16, 1906, 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 thirty thousand dollars (\$130,000) for the use of the Topographical Bureau of the Borough of Richmond, for the purpose of preparing and completing maps of all territory within said borough, 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 thirty thousand dollars (\$130,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 430.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 17, 1906.

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, March 16, 1906, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of \$120,000, for the procurement of new hose wagons, aerial trucks and steam fire engines for the use of the Fire Department of The City of New York, together with copy of a report of the Investigations Division, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.  
March 8, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—In the matter of the request of the Fire Commissioner to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under date of January 4, 1906, for an issue of Corporate Stock in the amount of \$500,000 for the purchase of apparatus and hose for the Fire Department of The City of New York, together with copy of a report of the Investigations Division, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

The submitted copy of said request to his Honor the Mayor states that the estimated outlay of \$500,000 is for the purchase of fire apparatus and hose, viz.:

Ten (10) first size hose wagons.  
Three (3) 65-foot aerial trucks.  
Three (3) 75-foot aerial trucks.  
Three (3) 85-foot aerial trucks.  
Seven (7) first size steam fire engines.  
Five (5) second size steam fire engines.  
75,000 feet 2½-inch fire hose.  
50,000 feet 3-inch fire hose.  
10,000 feet 3½-inch fire hose.

The Commissioner further states that application was made on February 7, 1905, for an issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$200,000 for similar purposes, and that said application was concurred in to the extent of \$100,000. Said issue of Corporate Stock was authorized on March 16, 1905, and contracts executed to the full amount of said issue.

An analysis of the purchases made under contract for the years 1902 to 1905 inclusive shows that of the items specified by the Commissioner the following quantities were purchased during that period, viz.:

Hose wagons—

Manhattan and The Bronx, 33, at cost of..... \$25,975 00

Brooklyn and Queens, 38, at cost of..... 25,220 60

Aerial trucks—

Manhattan and The Bronx, 14, at cost of..... 73,143 00

Brooklyn and Queens, 6, at cost of..... 28,420 00

Steam fire engines—

Manhattan and The Bronx, 21, at cost of..... 110,000 00

Brooklyn and Queens, 12, at cost of..... 60,650 00

Richmond, 3, at cost of..... 13,500 00

Fire hose—

All boroughs, 319,850 feet, at cost of..... 287,235 00

\$624,143 60

Contract liability was incurred for the purchase of fire hose and said contract certified against the said Corporate Stock issue of \$100,000 under date of August 7, 1905. It appeared to me that, considering the extremely perishable character of fire hose and its liability to destruction in large quantities, there was a grave doubt as to the use of the proceeds of Corporate Stock for the purchase of such equipment, and in consequence of my report to you upon this subject, under date of January 30, 1906, a communication was addressed to the Corporation Counsel submitting for his consideration the advisability and legality of such use of the proceeds of Corporate Stock. The Corporation Counsel rendered his opinion under date of February 10, 1906, and copy of said opinion is transmitted herewith. In this opinion, as may be noted here, the Corporation Counsel holds that the latitude allowed by section 47 of the Charter is wide, and that, at any rate, the contract having been entered into, it should be completed on the present basis.

The cost of the new apparatus and hose, which the Fire Commissioner states is necessary to maintain the Department at a proper standard of efficiency, would seem to require the expenditure of approximately the sum of \$275,000, of which amount fire hose would be, say, \$155,000, leaving amount necessary for apparatus other than fire hose, \$120,000.

While there has been already a considerable curtailment, under instructions to department heads from his Honor the Mayor, in the employment of Corporate Stock, proceeds for uses which represent only a transitory value to the City in work done or purchases made, it would appear that there were still further curtailments required in this particular in many of the departments before a level of safety is reached which will guarantee to the purchasers of Corporate Stock that their investments in the same are represented by something of permanent value purchased by the City therewith, rather than, as in many instances is the present practice, to consume the proceeds of such Corporate Stock in expenses which good business judgment would demand should be paid out of the proceeds of the annual tax levy. I would respectfully suggest, because section 47 of the Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, premised this sort of thing, that this is no justification provided it will result, as it must before very long, in seriously impairing the market value of the City's Corporate Stock.

It is evident, from an examination of the demands which must be met out of the 1906 appropriation of the Fire Department for "Apparatus, Supplies, etc." that this appropriation will not be sufficient to permit the purchase therefrom this year of any considerable amount of hose.

If it is the judgment, therefore, of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that purchases of hose should not be made out of Corporate Stock, it will be necessary for the Fire Commissioner to request the issue of sufficient Special Revenue Bonds to purchase hose. The demands of the Commissioner in respect to the amount of hose required appear reasonable and should, it seems to your Examiner, be granted in the event of his request being made to purchase the same from the proceeds of Special Revenue Bonds.

In the matter of the Commissioner's request now under consideration for the issue of Corporate Stock, I would respectfully recommend that it be approved to the extent of \$120,000 for the purchase of apparatus, excluding the item of fire hose, the expense of which, as previously noted, should be met from appropriation account or from the proceeds of the sale of Special Revenue Bonds. I would therefore recommend the adoption of the resolution attached to this report.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) CHARLES S. HERVEY,  
Auditor of Accounts, Investigations Division.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000) to provide means for the procurement of new hose wagons, aerial trucks and steam fire engines for the use of the Fire Department 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 March 16, 1906, 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 thousand dollars (\$120,000), to provide means for the procurement of new hose wagons, aerial trucks and steam fire engines for the use of the Fire Department 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 one hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 431.  
Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 17, 1906.

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 March 16, 1906, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$50,000, for the purpose of providing means to pay for carefully studied plans of the completed museum building and accessories, etc., in connection with the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, Borough of Brooklyn, together with copies of communications from the Commissioner of Parks, Brooklyn and Queens, and report of the Principal Assistant Engineer, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens,  
Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park,  
Brooklyn, February 19, 1906.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—I hereby respectfully request that your Honorable Body, in its discretion, authorize the issuing of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the same to be expended for carefully studied plans of the completed museum building and accessories, etc., in connection with the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, Borough of Brooklyn, as herein specified.

I attach herewith correspondence from architects and the Director of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, which more fully explains the necessity for the employment of architects.

Respectfully submitted,  
M. J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioner, Department of Parks,  
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Specifications.

1. For furnishing carefully studied plans of the completed museum building and accessories, containing all the essential points of the construction necessary to enable the City to proceed to erect, from time to time, sections or parts of the building, and to be accompanied by a complete plaster model of the building on a scale sufficiently large to show the features of both the interior and the exterior ..... \$50,000 00

Brooklyn, February 13, 1906.

Hon. MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, Park Commissioner, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—The Board of Trustees of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences respectfully recommends that application be made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York for the issue

of Corporate Stock of the City to the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the proceeds from the sale of which stock shall be used as follows:

In the payment of the architects of the Museum Building, Washington avenue and Eastern parkway, Messrs. McKim, Mead & White, for furnishing carefully studied plans of the completed Museum Building and accessories, such plans to contain all the essential points of the construction necessary to enable the City to proceed to erect from time to time sections or parts of the building, and said plans to be accompanied by a complete plaster model of the building on a scale sufficiently large to show the features of both the exterior and the interior. Said amount to be 1 per cent. of the full architects' fee of 5 per cent. on the cost of the construction of the Museum Building from time to time up to the limit of five million dollars (\$5,000,000), leaving a balance of 4 per cent. to be paid to the architects from time to time as sections of the Museum Building may be erected until the entire cost of the work not heretofore undertaken shall equal five million dollars (\$5,000,000). This recommendation of the expenditure of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) is made by the Trustees of the Institute of Arts and Sciences after consultation with the architects and myself, with the belief that a better building can be secured by having the drawings of the completed structure made before any additional section of the Museum is undertaken, and that a saving to the City will be effected in preventing alterations and temporary constructions.

The only drawings now in existence for the complete Museum Building are those that were made in the original competition, and made necessarily without conference with the Department of Parks and Trustees of the Institute. They were intended to indicate only in a general way the plan and design of the building.

A copy of the letter of Messrs. McKim, Mead & White, under date of December 23, 1905, accompanying this communication, sets forth in detail the reasons why this recommendation is made.

Very respectfully submitted,  
(Signed) FRANKLIN W. HOOPER, Director.

December 23, 1905.

Prof. FRANKLIN W. HOOPER, No. 502 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—In answer to your letter of the 21st inst., we desire to repeat the recommendation contained in our letter of February 15, 1904, addressed to the Board of Trustees of the Institute, with reference to the preparation of preliminary plans and a model of the entire building.

Since the time that this work was awarded to us in competition, we have at various times expressed to you not only the advisability of the fuller development of these plans, but the danger of constructing parts of a plan which was not fully developed. After we were awarded the work upon competitive drawings, which, at their best, only represented a general scheme, we were immediately asked to prepare plans for and construct the west wing. Since that time we have undertaken the central wing and east wing. We congratulate ourselves that under the circumstances the result has been attended with so few embarrassments, but we feel sure that if in the beginning, instead of commencing the erection of one wing, proper time had been spent in the development of the plan, sufficient money would have been saved to have more than paid for these plans. We are still of the opinion that in view of the difficulties in regard to grades, etc., that this work of development should be taken up at once, and that in the end it would not only prove profitable to the Museum from an artistic, but to the City from an economic point of view. In the case of the proposed new Bellevue Hospital, an appropriation was obtained from the City for plans of the entire group of buildings before an appropriation was made for the erection of any portion of the building. The same applies to the plans for the new Police Headquarters, an appropriation for which was made separately from the appropriation for the erection of the building. In this instance we do not think that full plans are necessary, but we do think that full preliminary plans should be in the hands of the City, so that when the construction of any part is undertaken its relation to the whole may be seen and arranged for. Up to the present time the various engineering and architectural problems have been taken up in piecemeal, but with such a plan as we propose to develop, each section could be made a part of a complete whole.

The commission for such work as we propose, as laid down in the schedule of the American Institute of Architects, is 1 per cent. on the proposed cost of the building. In the present instance, of course, the cost would have to be assumed, but we should say that the sum of \$5,000,000 would be well within the actual cost, and a fee of 1 per cent. based on this sum would be \$50,000. This fee of 1 per cent. would be a charge against the full Architect's fee of 5 per cent. upon the work as carried out in parts, or, in other words, when an appropriation was made for the next wing, our charge would be 4 per cent. of the contract price, instead of 5 per cent. For this present commission we should expect to furnish a complete and carefully studied set of plans of the completed building and accessories, containing all the essential points necessary to proceed with the various parts, except the constructional features. They would involve the most careful study and would probably require two years of time before the last drawings were delivered. In view of our interest in the work and the assistance it would be to us in obtaining the best final result, we would, furthermore, undertake to furnish a complete plaster model of the building at a sufficiently large scale to show the features of both the exterior and the interior.

Trusting that this matter may meet with your early and favorable consideration, we are,

Yours very respectfully,  
(Signed) MCKIM, MEAD & WHITE.

March 13, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—Hon. Michael J. Kennedy, Commissioner, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in communication under date of February 19, 1906, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$50,000 to be expended for carefully studied plans of the completed Museum Building and accessories, etc., in connection with the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences.

Attached to the communication are letters from Mr. Franklin W. Hooper, Director of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, and from Messrs. McKim, Mead & White, architects, stating that this \$50,000 is to be one per cent. (1%) of the full architects' fee of five per cent. (5%) on the cost of the construction of additions to the Museum Building from time to time, up to the limit of \$5,000,000, leaving a balance of four per cent. (4%) to be paid to the architects from time to time as sections of the Museum Building may be erected until the entire cost of the work not heretofore undertaken shall equal \$5,000,000. The architects also agree to furnish without extra charge a complete plaster model of the building at a sufficiently large scale to show the features of both exterior and interior.

I would report that it is the purpose of the architects to prepare plans for the whole building in sufficient detail to determine the location of sewers and plumbing pipes, heating and ventilating pipes and apparatus and electric installation, so that each successive portion of the building may be erected as part of an accurately determined plan. Also it has become necessary in erecting the parts of the building already constructed to make many changes in the plan from the original competitive drawings, and it is claimed that better results can be secured if an entirely new plan of interior arrangement is prepared with the co-operation of the present Museum authorities.

As the expenditure of \$50,000 in the manner indicated above will probably result in a plan more satisfactory to the Museum authorities, I would recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding \$50,000 to be paid to McKim, Mead & White for carefully studied plans of the completed Museum Building and accessories, etc., in connection with the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, it being understood that the money is to be expended as a partial payment on account of the architects' fee of five per cent. (5%) for the designing and supervision of the remainder of the building and furniture of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, and I would suggest that the Board direct and authorize the Commissioner of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, to enter into a contract or agreement with McKim, Mead and White to the effect that if these architects draw plans and specifications for the erection and equipment of any additions to the Museum Building of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences to an amount not exceeding \$5,000,000 the

compensation will be four per cent. (4%) upon the cost of said improvements and equipments.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) CHANDLER WITHERINGTON,  
Principal Assistant Engineer.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for the purpose of providing means to pay for carefully studied plans of the completed Museum Building and accessories, etc., in connection with the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, Borough of Brooklyn.

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 March 16, 1906, 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 fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for the purpose of providing means to pay for carefully studied plans of the completed Museum Building and accessories, etc., in connection with the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid; and be it further

Resolved, That if the Architects who prepare the preliminary plans and drawings should prepare the final plans and specifications and detailed drawings for the erection and equipment of any addition to the said Museum Building, the cost of which is not to exceed five million dollars (\$5,000,000), the compensation is to be paid at the rate of 4 per cent. on the cost of the work.

No. 432.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 19, 1906.

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, March 16, 1906, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$10,000, subject to the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, to provide means for the purchase of two boilers to be used in the incinerating plant at Delancey street and East river, Borough of Manhattan, in accordance with a requisition made by the Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, together with copies of communication from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning and report of the Principal Assistant Engineer, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

I also inclose form of resolution for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence herein.

Yours very truly,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Street Cleaning,  
City of New York,  
New York, March 9, 1906.

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

Sir—Herewith request is made for an appropriation of \$10,000 for the purchase of two boilers to be used as reserve boilers at the incinerating plant at the Williamsburg Bridge. These boilers to be set up in connection with the rubbish trimming furnace and arranged so that if it be desirable to use coal as a reserve fuel underneath them this can be done, as is the case with the other boilers now located in this plant.

Respectfully,  
JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

March 13, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—Hon. John McGaw Woodbury, Commissioner, Department of Street Cleaning, in communication under date of March 9, 1906, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$10,000, for the purchase of two boilers to be used as reserve boilers at the incinerating plant at the Williamsburg Bridge, Borough of Manhattan.

I beg to report that, as I understand the matter, it is the intention of the Commissioner to install the new plant in substantial compliance with the recommendations of my report of February 21, 1906. Since that report was written, I have looked further into the operation of the present plant, and I am confirmed in the view stated in that report.

I am of the further opinion, however, that it may perhaps add to the efficiency of the entire plant if two new boilers be installed in place of the one recommended by me, provided they are arranged alongside the new rubbish burning furnace mentioned by the Commissioner in his letter, and so arranged that they may be used in alternation.

Such location would allow of repairs being made to either boiler without shutting down the furnace.

I would therefore recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$10,000, for the purchase of two boilers to be used as reserve boilers at the incinerating plant at the Williamsburg Bridge, Borough of Manhattan.

Respectfully,  
(Signed) CHANDLER WITHERINGTON,  
Principal Assistant Engineer.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 16, 1906:

Whereas, The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment dated March 9, 1906, has made requisition for the issue of bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), to provide means for the purchase of two boilers to be used in the incinerating plant at Delancey street and East river, Borough of Manhattan, as provided for 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 ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting resolutions:

No. 433.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 17, 1906.

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 December 22, 1905, approving of the establishment of the position of Attending Physician at the tuberculosis clinics, Department of Health, and recommending to the Board of Aldermen the fixing of the salaries of said position at the rates of \$300 and \$600 per annum.

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

Yours very truly,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held December 22, 1905, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of the position of Attending Physician at the tuberculosis clinics, Department of Health, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salaries of said position be fixed at the rates of three hundred dollars (\$300) and six hundred dollars (\$600) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the position of Attending Physician at the tuberculosis clinics, Department of Health, at the rates of three hundred dollars (\$300) and six hundred dollars (\$600) per annum.

No. 434.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 17, 1906.

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 March 16, 1906, approving of the establishment of the position of Stationary Engineman under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn and recommending to the Board of Aldermen the fixing of the salary of said position at the rate of \$4 per diem, together with copy of a communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

The City of New York,  
Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn,  
Brooklyn, March 13, 1906.

Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

Gentlemen—I request you herewith to recommend to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of Stationary Engineman in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and to fix their wages at \$4 per diem. This is the prevailing rate of wages for Stationary Enginemen and I am required, under the law, to pay that rate.

Yours very respectfully,

(Signed) BIRD S. COLER, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of the position of Stationary Engineman under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said position be fixed at the rate of four dollars (\$4) per diem."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Stationary Engineman, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at the rate of four dollars (\$4) per diem.

No. 435.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 17, 1906.

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 March 16, 1906, recommending the fixing of the salary of an additional grade of the position of Telephone Operator in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the rate of \$1,050 per annum, together with copy of report of the Investigations Division, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

March 13, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—In the matter of a communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan, requesting that the salary of the Telephone Operator in his office be fixed at \$1,200 per year, and referred to the Investigations Division for examination, I beg to report as follows:

The present salary of the Telephone Operator is \$900 per annum. The salary paid to Telephone Operators in the various City departments varies from \$750 to \$1,500 per annum.

It is stated by Borough Secretary Downing that the Telephone Operator for whom the increase in salary is desired has been in the Borough President's office for upwards of two years, is most attentive to her work, and that her hours of employment are much longer than in most City departments, being frequently obliged to remain in the office until a late hour.

The fact that the offices of the Borough President and the different bureaus under his jurisdiction are not located in the same building, renders necessary an unusual amount of telephoning, and calls for close attention to duty on the part of the Telephone Operator connected with the Borough President's office.

The Select Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, consisting of the Comptroller and the Board of Aldermen, to whom these facts were submitted at a meeting on March 7, 1906, approved of a recommendation to increase the salary of said Telephone Operator to \$1,050, instead of to \$1,200. I would therefore respectfully recommend the approval of the resolution attached hereto.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) CHAS. S. HERVEY,

Auditor of Accounts, Investigations Division.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Telephone Operator, in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, be fixed at the rate of \$1,050 per annum.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Telephone Operator in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said additional grade be fixed at the rate of ten hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,050) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of an additional grade of the position of Telephone Operator in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the rate of ten hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,050) per annum.

No. 436.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 17, 1906.

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 March 16, 1906, recommending the fixing of the salary of the position of Secretary to the Chamberlain at the rate of \$2,000 per annum, together with copy of report of the Investigations Division, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—In the matter of a communication from the City Chamberlain, requesting the establishment of the position of Secretary to the Chamberlain, with a salary of \$2,000 per annum, and referred to the Investigations Division for examination, I beg to report as follows:

The office of Chamberlain is next in importance to that of the Comptroller, in respect to the financial administration of the City Government. The Chamberlain receives all moneys paid into the treasury for City and County purposes, and pays all warrants drawn by the Comptroller in payment of the governmental expenses of the City and County. He gives a bond of \$300,000, and is liable for any official misconduct on the part of the employees of his office. He is compelled to make weekly reports to the Mayor and Comptroller of the transactions of his office.

The continuous and necessary increase in the amount of money required for the proper administration of the business of the City naturally involves a proportionate increase in the amount of work which must be attended to in the office of the Chamberlain. Notwithstanding this increase, the office force has been but slightly increased during the past few years, and the total amount paid out for salaries is small when the importance of the office and its responsibilities are taken into consideration.

The request of Chamberlain Keenan for the creation of the position of Secretary is based upon the steady increase in business of his office, and in view of the facts noted above, the request seems to be a reasonable one. I would therefore respectfully recommend the approval of the resolution attached hereto.

Yours respectfully,  
(Signed) CHAS. S. HERVEY,  
Auditor of Accounts, Investigations Division.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the creation of the position of Secretary to the Chamberlain, and that the salary of said position be fixed at the rate of \$2,000 per annum.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of the position of Secretary to the Chamberlain, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said position be fixed at the rate of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per annum.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Secretary to the Chamberlain at the rate of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) per annum.

No. 437.  
Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 16, 1906.

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 March 15, 1906, approving of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Engineman in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and recommending to the Board of Aldermen the fixing of the salary of said additional grade at the rate of \$4 per diem, together with copy of a communication from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, relative thereto.

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

Yours very truly,  
(Signed) JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,  
Commissioner's Office,  
City of New York, March 8, 1906.

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

Dear Sir—In connection with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on March 2, authorizing the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York, in the amount of \$4,672.50, to pay the prevailing rate of wages of Enginemen employed in this Department, I would respectfully call your attention to the fact that the prevailing rate of wages for Enginemen is \$4 per day.

This grade has not been established by this Department and, under the provisions of section 56 of the revised Greater New York Charter, I would ask that your Board provide for the establishment of this grade.

I inclose herewith form of resolution for adoption by your Board.

Very truly yours,  
(Signed) WILLIAM B. ELLISON, Commissioner.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Engineman in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said additional grade be fixed at the rate of four dollars (4) per day.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of an additional grade of the position of Engineman in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the rate of four dollars (\$4) per day.

No. 438.  
Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 16, 1906.

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

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 16, 1906, approving of the establishment of the position of Italian Interpreter in the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, and recommending the fixing of the salary of said position at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, together with copies of communications from the Committee of Justices of the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, and report of the Investigations Division, Department of Finance, relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,  
(Signed) JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Court of Special Sessions, Second Division,  
Justices' Chambers, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn.  
January 26, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller, Member of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in making provision in the budget for the Court of Special Sessions in the Second Division, set aside the sum of \$1,200 to pay for an Italian Interpreter. We are informed that it will be necessary for the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to establish such a position as "Italian Interpreter in the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum."

So as to enable us to secure the services of such Interpreter, may we ask your Honorable Board to establish this position in accordance with the provision already made to pay for the same?

If there is any further action necessary for our Committee to take, may we ask for instructions therein?

With great respect, we have the honor to remain,

(Signed) ROBERT J. WILKIN,  
GEO. J. O'KEEFE,  
Committee of the Justices of the Court of Special Sessions.  
Second Division.

March 14, 1906.

Court of Special Sessions, Second Division,  
Justices' Chambers, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn.  
March 7, 1906.

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

My Dear Sir—On the 22d day of January, 1906, the Justices of the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, addressed a communication to each member of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, requesting action on fixing the position of Italian Interpreter of the Court, and placing the salary at \$1,200 per annum.

I am informed that no action has been taken thereon, and I would respectfully request that you have the attention of the necessary officer drawn to the matter, so that action may be taken, as public business is suffering in the meantime.

The Board of Estimate has already set aside the necessary money in the budget, and all that is necessary is, as I understand it, to create the position and fix the salary as provided.

May I ask the favor of a line from you when action is taken, and, if necessary, one of the Justices will appear before the Board at your convenience.

With great respect, I am

(Signed) ROBERT J. WILKIN,  
Justice, Chairman Committee on Clerks and Officers.

February 26, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—In the matter of the application of the Justices of the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to establish the position of Italian Interpreter for that court, and to fix the salary at \$1,200 per annum, referred by you to the Investigations Division for examination, I beg to report as follows:

The Justices of the court are unanimously of the opinion that the services of an Italian Interpreter are necessary. Justice Wilken stated to an examiner of the Investigations Division that the business of the court is seriously hampered and trials delayed owing to the trouble in securing Italian interpreters. Justice Wilken further stated that the Justices are compelled every court day to request the volunteer services of an interpreter in a majority of the cases in which Italians are plaintiffs or defendants, and that an Italian who has no official connection with the court is generally called upon to act as interpreter. Justice Wilken says that although the members of the court have no reason to doubt this interpreter's integrity and reliability, they believe that it would be best to pay a salary for the services of a regular appointee, rather than to depend upon outside assistance.

The Court of Special Sessions of the Second Division holds court in Brooklyn Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; in Jamaica, Queens Borough, Tuesdays, and in Richmond Thursdays. The regular Interpreter of the court receives an annual salary of \$2,000. He is qualified to interpret the French, German, Swedish and Yiddish languages. He has no knowledge of the Italian language.

The recent calendars of the court show that the average number of cases disposed of every court day is 70, of which at least 15 per cent. are cases in which Italians are either plaintiffs, defendants or witnesses. On Friday, February 9, there were 17 cases known as "Italian cases" on the calendar. The calendars for February 14, 15 and 19 include 9, 6 and 15 "Italian cases," respectively.

The Clerk of the court makes the further point that lawyers, plaintiffs, defendants and witnesses in Italian cases insist upon having an Italian interpreter, even when the persons interested have a fair knowledge of English, on the ground that some word or phrase might not be understood by them. It frequently happens that cases are postponed, much to the inconvenience of witnesses, because no disinterested Italian is at hand to act as interpreter.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment appropriated in the Budget for 1906 \$1,200 for the salary of an Italian Interpreter of that court.

Should the position be established it would be filled from a Civil Service eligible list.

I would respectfully recommend the approval of the request.

Respectfully yours,  
(Signed) CHAS. S. HERVEY,  
Auditor of Accounts, Investigations Division.

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of the position of Italian Interpreter in the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said position be fixed at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Italian Interpreter in the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

No. 439.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
March 16, 1906.

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

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 16, 1906, approving of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Stationary Engineman in the Department of Correction, and recommending that the salary of said additional grade be fixed at the rate of \$4 per diem, as of date February 1, 1906, together with copy of communication from the Commissioner of said Department relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,  
(Signed) JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Correction,  
Commissioner's Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street,  
New York, March 6, 1906.

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

Dear Sir—I would respectfully ask the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to establish the grade of Stationary Engineman in the Department of Correction, at wages of four dollars (\$4) per diem, this amount being the prevailing rate for Stationary Engineman in this locality.

Such action will involve no extra expense to the Department as the amount necessary to allow such increase was granted in the estimate of expenses for 1906. I would ask that the grade requested be fixed from February 1, 1906, and would appreciate your early action in the matter.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

A true copy.  
(Signed) John B. Fitzgerald, Secretary.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Stationary Engineman in the Department of Correction, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said additional grade be fixed at the rate of four dollars (\$4) per diem, as of date February 1, 1906.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of an additional grade of the position of Stationary Engineman in the Department of Correction at the rate of four dollars (\$4) per diem, as of date February 1, 1906.

No. 440.  
 Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
 Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
 March 17, 1906.

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 March 16, 1906, recommending the fixing of the salary of the position of Secretary of the Borough in the office of the President of The Bronx, at the rate of \$4,000 per annum, together with copy of report of the Investigations Divisions, Department of Finance, relative thereto.  
 I also inclose form of resolution for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,  
 JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.  
 March 13, 1906.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—in the matter of a communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, requesting the fixing of the salary of the Secretary to the President at the rate of \$4,000 per annum, and referred to the Investigations Division for examination, I beg to report as follows:

The proper title of the official in question is Secretary of the Borough and not Secretary to the President as stated in the communication of President Haffen.

The present salary of the Borough Secretary is \$3,500 per annum. The salary of the Borough Secretaries of the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn is \$4,000 per annum.

In addition to the ordinary work of his position the Borough Secretary also acts as Secretary to the Local Boards of the borough. The contemplated improvements of the Local Boards and attendance at their meetings adds greatly to the work of the Secretary and justifies the payment of a salary equal to that paid to the Borough Secretaries in the boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.

The Select Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, to whom these facts were submitted at a meeting on March 7, 1906, approved of a recommendation to increase the salary of the Secretary of the Borough of The Bronx to \$4,000 per annum. I would therefore respectfully recommend the approval of the resolution attached hereto.

Yours respectfully,  
 (Signed) CHAS. S. HERVEY,  
 Auditor of Accounts, Investigations Division.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Secretary of the Borough in the office of the President of The Bronx be fixed at the rate of \$4,000 per annum.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Secretary of the Borough in the office of the President of The Bronx be fixed at the rate of four thousand dollars (\$4,000) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Secretary of the Borough in the office of the President of The Bronx at the rate of four thousand dollars (\$4,000) per annum.

No. 441.  
 Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
 Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
 March 9, 1906.

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 March 9, 1906, approving of the establishment of an additional grade for two positions of Deputy Auditor of Accounts in the Department of Finance, and recommending the fixing of the salary of such additional grade at the rate of \$3,000 each per annum, together with copy of communication from the Comptroller relative thereto.

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

Very truly yours,  
 JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.  
 March 7, 1906.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—I am informed that the Committee on Salaries and Offices of the Board of Aldermen have determined not to report favorably upon any salary resolutions unless they contain the name of the incumbent of the position intended to receive the salary mentioned in said resolutions, or that said resolutions state the number of the incumbents of the position which it is proposed to establish. There are now before this committee several resolutions affecting my Department, and in view of this information, I would respectfully ask your Board to rescind the resolution adopted February 16, 1906, fixing the salary of an additional grade of Deputy Auditor of Accounts in the Department of Finance at \$3,000, and readopt a resolution to read as follows:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade for two positions of Deputy Auditor of Accounts in the Department of Finance, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of such additional grade be fixed at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) each per annum."

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 9, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade for two positions of Deputy Auditor of Accounts in the Department of Finance, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of such additional grade be fixed at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) each per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of said additional grade for two positions of Deputy Auditor of Accounts in the Department of Finance at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) each per annum.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 442.  
 Board of Estimate and Apportionment,  
 Financial Branch, No. 280 Broadway,  
 March 9, 1906.

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 March 9, 1906, rescinding resolution adopted February 16, 1906, which approved of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Deputy Auditor of Accounts in the Department of Finance, and recommended the fixing of the salary at the rate of \$3,000 per annum.

Very truly yours,  
 JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 16, 1906, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of an additional grade of the position of Deputy Auditor of Accounts in the Department of Finance, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that

the salary of said additional grade be fixed at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum."

—be and the same is hereby rescinded.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 9, 1906.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from President, Borough of Brooklyn:

No. 443.

The City of New York,  
 Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn,  
 Brooklyn, March 14, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—A very important work of my office is the cleaning of sewers in this borough, in order that they may be kept up to the proper standard of efficiency. This work is usually done by contractors, but I am informed by my Superintendent of Sewers, and I agree with him in this, that the work would be better done under the immediate supervision of his Bureau. I would therefore request of you, in order to pay for this work, an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$168,600, the proceeds to be used by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the following purposes:

The cleaning of brick sewers—

50 Laborers, at \$2.50 per diem.....	\$39,100 00
10 Foremen, at \$4 per diem.....	12,500 00
18 horses and carts, at \$3.50 per diem.....	18,900 00
2 Clerks, at \$1.25 per annum.....	2,500 00
Plants, machinery, tools, dumping privileges, etc.....	77,000 00
	\$150,000 00

Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning, Pay-rolls and Supplies—

15 additional Laborers, at \$2.40 per diem.....	\$11,737 50
5 horses and carts, at \$3.50 per diem.....	5,477 50
Tools and incidental expenses .....	1,385 00
	\$18,600 00

Total..... \$168,600 00

Yours very truly,  
 BIRD S. COLER, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 444.

The City of New York,  
 Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn,  
 Brooklyn, March 14, 1906.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—In order to properly carry out the duties of my office with relation to the construction of sewers in this borough, I find it necessary to increase the force in that Bureau very considerably. This is due to the fact that changes have had to be made recently and the form of contract and a better system of supervision instituted. Also to the fact that there has been appropriated recently for relief sewer purposes a very large sum of money which must be very carefully and intelligently expended. As the increase in the force of which I speak was not provided for in the Budget for 1906, I would respectfully request that your Honorable Board authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$7,850, the proceeds to be used by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the following purposes:

For the payment of one Bookkeeper at.....	Per Annum. \$1,500 00
For the payment of one Cashier at.....	1,500 00
For the payment of two Clerks at \$1,200 per annum.....	2,400 00
For the payment of one expert plumber at.....	1,250 00
For the payment of one Stenographer and Typewriter at .....	1,200 00

Yours very truly,  
 BIRD S. COLER, President, Borough of Brooklyn.  
 Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Chairman, Board of Parole:

No. 445.

Board of Parole of the New York City Reformatory of Misdemeanants,  
 No. 148 East Twentieth Street,  
 New York, March 16, 1906.

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

Dear Sir—I would respectfully ask that, pursuant to the provisions of section 188 of the Charter of The City of New York, your Honorable Board will request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of two thousand eight hundred dollars (\$2,800), to enable the Board of Parole to employ two (2) Probation Officers, in order to carry out the provisions of chapter 305 of the Laws of 1905, in relation to the establishment of the New York City Reformatory of Misdemeanants.

Very respectfully yours,

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
 Chairman, Board of Parole.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Docks and Ferries:

No. 446.

Department of Docks and Ferries,  
 Pier "A," North River,  
 New York, March 13, 1906.

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

Sir—I transmit herewith a copy of a resolution to be passed by the Board of Aldermen, authorizing the Commissioner of Docks to purchase in the open market, instead of by contract and under public letting, one Riehle Testing Machine, for testing iron, steel, granite, etc., of 200,000 pounds capacity, at an expense not to exceed \$2,000.

A machine of this character is absolutely necessary for the prosecution of the work of this Department, and after a very thorough investigation by our engineers it has been found that the Riehle machine is the only one suitable for the Department purposes. It is further the machine universally used by the Government in all testing laboratories, and in all colleges throughout the United States.

As the machine is covered by patents, it is not possible to purchase it by contract, and I therefore beg to request that the resolution be introduced and, if possible, favorably acted upon by the Board.

Yours respectfully,

J. A. BENZEL, Commissioner.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the power conferred upon it by the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen, deeming such course to be in the public interest, hereby authorizes and empowers the Commissioner of Docks to purchase in the open market, instead of by contract at public letting, one (1) Riehle Testing Machine for testing iron, steel, granite, etc., of 200,000 pounds capacity, at an expense not to exceed the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

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

No. 447.

Department of Correction,  
 Commissioner's Office, No. 148 East Twentieth Street,  
 New York, March 20, 1906.

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

Dear Sir—I would respectfully ask your Honorable Board to permit me to enter into a contract, without public letting, with the Westinghouse Electric and Manufac-

turing Company, to install electric motors, etc., in the workshops of the New York City Reformatory, Hart's Island, at a cost not to exceed two thousand three hundred and seventy-six dollars (\$2,376).

In this connection, I beg to transmit copy of a report submitted to me by the Supervising Inspector of this Department.

Trusting that your Honorable Board will grant this request, I am,  
Very respectfully yours,

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

Department of Correction,  
Commissioner's Office, No. 148 East Twentieth Street,  
New York, March 17, 1906.

Hon. FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner of Correction:

Dear Sir—I respectfully submit the following report for your further consideration in the matter of installing motive power to the shoe machinery, etc., in the new workshops of the New York City Reformatory, on Hart's Island, New York, under the appropriation allowed for that purpose.

In accordance with the report recently made by me suggesting the operation of the machinery in the above-named workshops with electric motors fitted to the individual machines to be supplied with electricity from the main generating plant now installed, the following is a synopsis showing why it is the safest, most practical and economical way to operate the machinery in this plant, especially with the inexperienced element that will run them (mostly young boys), viz.:

First—Does away with all shafting, hangers, etc., and a very large percentage of belting.

Second—Does away with any possible chance for the boy to become twisted up in belts or machinery, etc.

Third—Does away with the constant care of tightening and lacing belts, oiling bearings, counter shafting, etc., and does away with the splashing of oil on the surrounding floors, walls and ceiling, etc.

Fourth—Machinery directly connected with motors can be constructed for the given speed of each machine, and such speed will be uniform at all times. No attention is required to these motors save the oiling of the bearings at times which the operator can do.

Fifth—Each machine with motor will have a controller box attached close thereto for the purpose of starting and stopping such machinery, the motors to be so constructed that it will be impossible to tamper with any part thereof other than the starting bar of the controller.

Sixth—Economical, because only those machines that are in use will be running.

Seventh—It will save the City the cost of a machinist to keep the machines in proper order.

Eighth—We have a large generating plant now installed, and it is only necessary to run the feed wires from the main plant to the proposed motors for these machines.

I have carefully studied the conditions of this plant, being perfectly familiar with what is required and with a thorough practical experience with power transmission, I find that the machines we now have ready for motor connections require considerable remodeling and experienced mechanics in this particular line of work. As there are only a few who can do this class of work, which is very intricate and very difficult to construct properly, and public letting of a contract of this nature would be a detriment to the City, for this high class of labor will not compete, knowing that they cannot get the price for their labor and materials that this special work commands, hence the City will only get the general run of contractors to figure on this work and take a chance of carrying it through, the result is the City will be subjected to all kinds of experiments, and the possibility of ruin of this expensive machinery, and considerable loss of time, which, in the end, will cost the City twice as much.

Therefore would respectfully recommend that this contract be awarded, without public letting, to some reliable concern.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) CHAS. JAMER, Supervising Inspector.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Police Commissioner:

No. 448.

Police Department of The City of New York,  
No. 300 Mulberry Street,  
New York, March 17, 1906.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 13, 1906, requesting the Police Commissioner to inquire into and if need be therefor to establish ambulance service boundaries in the Borough of The Bronx, it being suggested that the district north of the Bronx and Pelham parkway be selected for one \* \* \* so that the purposes for which the Philanthropin Hospital was established may be practically applied.

This matter was referred January 16, 1906, to the Chief Surgeon for careful study of the question and recommendation as to action. I inclose a copy of the report of Police Surgeons Daniel J. Donovan, John J. Quigley, Frank R. Oastler and Edward T. Higgins, dated February 7, 1906, upon this subject.

Very respectfully,

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

Police Department of The City of New York,  
Board of Surgeons, No. 300 Mulberry Street,  
New York, February 7, 1906.

Dr. S. G. COOK, Chief Surgeon:

Sir—Your committee appointed to investigate the necessity and advisability of assigning an ambulance service to the Philanthropin Hospital at Williamsbridge, Bronx Borough, has the honor to report to you as follows:

1. The hospital is situated at Williamsbridge, 1 and 1/4 miles north in a direct line from the new Fordham Hospital. It is a wooden building of good proportions but old. The sanitary conditions are not first-class. Only the ground floor of the building is occupied, and this is divided into two parts, one for our patient work and the other for ward work. There are two wards, male and female, containing in all about twelve (12) beds, most of which were occupied at the time of inspection. The operating room is primitive, the instrument cabinet woefully lacking in suitable paraphernalia. The culinary department is small and not suitable for an institution of any size. The general atmosphere of the hospital is elementary in the extreme. The attending staff for the most part lives some considerable distance from the hospital. There is no interne staff. The hospital has no mortuary and no stable.

2. In conversation with the President of the Medical Board, Dr. Stone and Admiral West of the Board of Trustees, it was found that the members of the Board of Trustees had bonded themselves to the extent of \$14,000 yearly toward the support of the hospital. Subscribing members numbered one hundred and forty (140), each agreeing to pay from \$10 to \$250 annually toward the support of the hospital. There were no other tangible assets that could be discovered. The Board of Surgeons were partly local, but mostly composed of business men scattered throughout the City.

3. The district desired by the Philanthropin Hospital consists largely of unimproved land, especially to the east and south, the inhabited section being to the north.

4. The new Fordham Hospital will be ready to receive patients in September of this year. There will be four ambulances, each with two horses attached, to cover their present district. During the year 1905 but fifty-six (56) ambulance calls were received by the Fordham Hospital from the district in which the Philanthropin Hospital desires to maintain a service.

5. It was the opinion of Dr. Brannon, President of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, that the district was well enough covered by Fordham Hospital. He suggested, however, that the matter be left to the Committee on Hospitals recently appointed by the Mayor. Your committee is of the opinion that it is not advisable to give an ambulance district to the Philanthropin Hospital for these reasons:

1. The district does not require an additional ambulance service at present.

2. The Philanthropin Hospital is too near the new Fordham Hospital. The new Fordham Hospital will be better equipped to care for the district than the Philanthropin Hospital, and the service will be under the direct supervision of the City.

3. The Philanthropin Hospital in its present condition is not in condition to maintain an ambulance service.

4. The funds at present at the command of the Board of Trustees give no warrant for a future hospital of proportions suitable for the care of an ambulance service.

5. The committee appointed by his Honor the Mayor is about to investigate the ambulance question of New York City, and your committee respectfully suggest that the opinion of the committee be obtained before definite action be taken.

(Signed) DAN J. DONOVAN, M. D.  
JOHN J. QUIGLEY, M. D.  
FRANK R. OASTLER, M. D.  
EDWARD T. HIGGINS, M. D.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Corporation Counsel:

No. 449.

Law Department,  
Office of the Corporation Counsel,  
New York, March 16, 1906.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

Sir—I am in receipt of your communication dated March 5, 1906, asking for my advice in the matter of granting a certificate of service to a member of the Jamaica Volunteer Fire Department, and as to whether that duty is imposed upon you.

In 1855 (chapter 264, title 7, section 19 of the Laws) the Legislature, amending the Charter of the Village of Jamaica, among other things, provided:

"Every fireman who shall have faithfully served for the term of five years in said village as such shall thereafter be exempt from service in the militia, except in cases of war, invasion, riot or insurrection. The evidence to entitle the fireman to the exemptions provided in this section shall be a certificate, under the corporate seal of said village, signed by the president and clerk and the said board of trustees. No such certificate shall be given until the applicant shall have made and filed with the clerk an affidavit that for five years preceding he has regularly served as fireman and actually been present with his company at the fires in said village, except when detained therefrom by absence from the village, sickness or other unavoidable circumstances."

The provisions of the City Charter, sections 41 and 42, give the Board of Aldermen, the legal successor of all boards of trustees of incorporated villages, boards of supervisors and town boards within the limits of Greater New York, power to regulate and govern volunteer fire companies and to enforce all ordinances and laws, including ordinances relating to village fire departments in effect December 31, 1897.

I am of the opinion therefore that the duty of issuing the certificate in question devolves upon you as Clerk of The City of New York and as Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, upon the presentation of an affidavit by an applicant, which shall in all things conform to the requirements of the statute above referred to.

Respectfully yours,  
G. L. STERLING,  
Acting Corporation Counsel.

Which was ordered on file.

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 421.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices to whom was referred on March 13, 1906 (Minutes, page 1032), the annexed resolution in favor of appointing Eugene Hunt a City Surveyor, respectfully

#### REPORT:

The petition of Eugene Hunt is accompanied by the recommendations of other Engineers and Surveyors customarily required by the Board of Aldermen, and the Committee recommends the adoption of the resolution.

Resolved, That Eugene Hunt, of No. 82 West One Hundred and Fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, 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 resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Clifford, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Doull, Downing, Doyle, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Herold, Jacobson, Kenneally, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Markert, Meyers, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz and President Haffen—44.

No. 212.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on February 6, 1906 (Minutes, page 650), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries and establishing grades of employees in office of Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

#### REPORT:

The Committee has given careful consideration to this resolution, and has heard Mr. Murphy, the Superintendent of the Bureau of Buildings; Mr. Miller, the Chief Engineer of the Bureau, and Mr. Class, the Chief Clerk. The Committee has also received a communication from the Citizens' Union Committee on City Legislation, and a report from Superintendent Murphy in reply thereto. The Committee feels that the resolution as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is defective in that it provides for automatic increases of salary. An increase of salary should always be a reward for proper service rendered, and the head of the bureau or department should always be the judge of this matter, and should be held responsible for the conferring of such rewards. It is a matter of common knowledge that some of the Inspectors of the Bureau of Buildings do not have the confidence of the citizens whose business brings them in contact with them, and while it may well be that the Superintendent is not in a position to discipline or remove an Inspector, he should be left the authority to deny him an increase in salary. The Committee has confidence in the good intentions of Superintendent Murphy and wishes to aid him in the work which he has undertaken. In a similar case (the salaries of Prison Keepers in the Department of Correction) the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, recognizing this principle, added to the resolution the following: "Provided, however, that no increase of salary under this resolution shall become operative without the approval of the Commissioner of Correction of The City of New York." The Committee regrets that the Board of Aldermen does not have the power to make this amendment, and it therefore recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That resolution Introductory No. 212 be and it is hereby returned to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment with the request that the said Board amend the resolution by adding the words, "But no increase of salary herein provided for shall take effect without the express approval of the President of the Borough of Manhattan or the Superintendent of the Bureau of Buildings."

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held February 2, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of additional grades of the following positions in the office of the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salaries of said additional grades be fixed as follows:

	Per Annum.
Chief Engineer .....	\$4,000 00
Assistant Engineer .....	2,400 00
Chief Inspector of Buildings .....	4,000 00
Inspectors employed for three years or less .....	1,350 00
Inspectors employed over three years .....	1,500 00

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

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Meyers moved the adoption of this report. Which report was accepted and resolution embraced therein adopted.

No. 313—(G. O. No. 61).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 6, 1906 (Minutes, page 830), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salary of the position of Female Probation Officer in the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, respectfully

REPORT:

The Legislature of 1905 has authorized the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, to employ a Female Probation Officer, and this resolution fixes the salary for the position. The Committee has received a letter from Justice Robert J. Wilken, Chairman of Committee on Clerks and Officers, Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, urging the adoption of the resolution, and the Committee thinks the salary a reasonable one, and similar to that of Probation Officers in other courts.

The Committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held February 16, 1906, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the establishment of the position of Female Probation Officer in the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of said position be fixed at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Female Probation Officer in the Court of Special Sessions, Second Division, at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, ARTHUR H. MURPHY, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Docks and Ferries—

No. 286.

The Committee on Docks and Ferries, which by resolution on February 14, 1906 (Minutes, page 790), was instructed and directed to hold a public hearing on the matter of the acquisition of the Thirty-ninth Street Ferry, to enable the citizens of this City to be heard, and to report the result of such hearing at an early meeting of this Board, respectfully

REPORT:

That they held a public hearing, of which public notice was duly given, and heard the arguments and contentions of all who appeared and desired to be heard, including those who represented the owner of the ferry, those who oppose the purchase by the City on the terms proposed by the owner, and those who contend that the Brooklyn terminal of any ferry to be operated by the City between the southern end of Manhattan and South Brooklyn should be located at the foot of Fifty-second street, instead of at the foot of Thirty-ninth street. They have also sought and obtained competent and impartial expert opinion as to the actual present value of the ferry company's land, buildings, equipment and leasehold rights.

They find the following to be the facts:

1. That the equipment and service afforded by the ferry company have been for several years inadequate to the public need, which is increasing every year, and it is idle to hope for adequate equipment or service at the hands of the company.

2. That any substantial increase in assessed valuations of South Brooklyn waterfront property depends in a large degree on an improved ferry service between that shore and lower Manhattan. More boats on a quicker headway are needed to handle the increasing passenger and trucking traffic. The population resident in South Brooklyn and employed in Manhattan is increasing rapidly, the building of dwellings is going forward with increasing speed and volume, and freight terminals, warehouses, factories and a public market are built, building and planned, largely on the faith of the declared purpose of the City to acquire the ferry and operate an improved and adequate service.

3. That Thirty-ninth street is the logical Brooklyn terminal of such a ferry. It is central to the passenger and trucking traffic as it is and will be; it is adjacent to the planned Eighth Ward Public Market, the land for which has been acquired by the City, and the trolley companies have located there the terminal of four lines of cars at an expense which they would probably not care to duplicate elsewhere.

4. That the amendatory legislation enabling the City to acquire the ferries from Manhattan to South Brooklyn and Richmond resulted primarily and in the first instance from the efforts of the people of South Brooklyn to obtain relief from the inadequate service given by the ferry company and the inadequacy of which was and is obstructing the fair development of commerce on that water front. The ferry to Richmond has been acquired and improved and is in operation by the City. The need of South Brooklyn, especially at this season of the year, is daily growing more acute. Yet, because of the inability of the owner and the City to agree on a price for the ferry property, there is no promise of any immediate relief to the people of South Brooklyn.

5. That the owner has demanded eleven hundred thousand dollars as the price for the ferry property. That such price is excessive, exorbitant, and marks an attempt by the ferry company to make the public need its opportunity to sell at a fancy price.

6. That the actual present value of the company's property and rights in and to the ferry, land and equipment is about nine hundred and fifty thousand dollars, itemized as follows:

Land at Thirty-ninth street terminal (on the basis of award in condemnation proceedings for public market)..... \$500,000 00  
Structures and improvements at Thirty-ninth street terminal..... 150,000 00  
Leasehold rights at Whitehall street terminal..... 50,000 00  
Structures and improvements at Whitehall street terminal..... 150,000 00  
Two ferryboats ..... 100,000 00

They conclude that the delay in municipalizing the Thirty-ninth Street Ferry is resulting in hardship and obstruction to the people, arresting and hindering commerce and water-front development and delaying the legitimate increase of assessed valuations, and that the public need requires the immediate acquisition and operation of the ferry property and improvement of the ferry service by the City.

CHARLES L. KUCK, FREDERICK LINDE, HERMAN S. FRIED, WILLIAM ROWCROFT, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES AHNER, Committee on Docks and Ferries.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman Peters moved that this report be laid over. Alderman Linde moved as an amendment that this report be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Callahan, Collins, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Fried, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Kenneally, Kline, Kuck, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, Potter, Richter, Rowcroft, Schneider, Wafer, Wentz, Wright—33.

Negative—Aldermen Brown, Clifford, Cronin, Davies, Farrell, J. J. Hahn, Hatton, Herold, Jacobson, Krulish, Kuntze, Meyers, Moffitt, Mulligan, O'Neill, Peters, Rendt, Schloss, Sturges, Torpey and the Vice-Chairman—21.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 117 (G. O. No. 62).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on January 23, 1906 (Minutes, page 379), the annexed communication from the Commissioner of Correction, requesting an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$35,000, for Reformatory for Male Misdemeanants on Hart's Island, respectfully

REPORT:

That, as the annexed letter shows, this is an application for \$35,000, with which to buy material and carry on the workshop work, etc., at the new Boy's Reform School on Hart's Island. Your committee, in order to make proper investigations, in addition to hearings, personally visited Hart's Island and inspected conditions. The Department is conducting a most excellent work there in its policy of reforming youthful male misdemeanants into useful and intelligent men, and your committee feel that this

should be encouraged and aided by the Board of Aldermen as representatives of the people of this City.

The material to be purchased, besides being used for the instruction of the pupils, when made up are sold and the proceeds turned into the Sinking Fund.

Your committee believe this to be a proper expenditure, and report favorably upon this application, and recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied so as to enable the Commissioner of Correction to properly carry out the provisions of chapter 305 of the Laws of 1905, in relation to the establishment and maintenance of a Reformatory for Male Misdemeanants on Hart's Island.

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

Which was laid over.

No. 341—(G. O. No. 63).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 28, 1906 (Minutes, page 908), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds of which to be expended for the purpose of fitting up the new Court Rooms of the Twelfth District Municipal Court, respectfully

REPORT:

That Superintendent Walker, of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, attended before your Committee and itemized the said proposed appropriation as follows:

Necessary partitions, Judges' platform, jury box and bench.....	\$1,000 00
Partitions for Clerk's rooms, desks, etc.....	800 00
Carpets, rugs and linoleum.....	750 00
Document file and pigeon hole cases and shelving.....	600 00
Electrical work for buzzers system.....	600 00
State Prison furniture.....	1,200 00
Incidentals .....	50 00
Total .....	\$5,000 00

That your Committee have investigated the question and inspected the premises at No. 2555 Broadway and find that a more detailed statement may be rendered as follows: Build shelves from floor to ceiling on four sides of Record Room.

Linoleum for Court Room and Clerk's office.

Carpet or rugs for two small private offices.

Build bench, Clerk's desk and jury box in Court Room.

Build open work rail around bench and jury box.

Shades for all windows.

Signs on Court Room windows, on entrance door of Court Room, on entrance door of building on ground floor, sign in hall indicating location of Clerk's office, and sign on door of Clerk's office.

1 dozen benches for Court Room and hall.

2 dozen cane-seated arm chairs for jury box and jury room.

Build standing triangular desk around partition in Clerk's office.

Build standing desk against wall in public part of Clerk's office.

1 metal filing case.

1 metal document case for pending cases, and one metal docket case with flat top.

2 roll-top desks with revolving chairs.

1 oak table for jury room.

About 60 feet of sectional bookcase for Judges' library.

That there appears to be on hand of the above named articles and necessary material, the Judges' bench, Clerk's desk and jury box, two roll-top desks and about one dozen benches and necessary amount of chairs and partitions. Under the new lease, Mr. Jackson, the landlord, is required to partition the premises.

That the present Court was fitted up about three years ago at an expense to the City of \$3,750.

That from the investigation made by them, in the opinion of your Committee, with the amount of furniture, equipment and material now on hand, the furnishing and equipping of the present Court need not exceed the sum of \$3,000.

Your Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

SUBSTITUTE.

Resolved, That, pursuant to subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), the proceeds of which to be expended for the purpose of fitting up, furnishing and equipping the new Court Rooms of the Twelfth District Municipal Court, located at the corner of Ninety-sixth street and Broadway, and also for the purpose of the removal to the new quarters of the records, file cases, furniture and all the property belonging to the City, located in the present Court Room at No. 2628 Broadway.

ORIGINAL.

Resolved, That, pursuant to subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), the proceeds of which to be expended for the purpose of fitting up with carpets, furniture, partitions, etc., the new Court Rooms of the Twelfth District Municipal Court, located at the corner of Ninety-sixth street and Broadway, and also for the purpose of the removal to the new quarters of the records, file cases, furniture, etc.

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

Which was laid over.

No. 405.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on March 13, 1906 (Minutes, page 1014), the annexed resolution, in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$40,000, for additional salaries, Department of Correction, respectfully

REPORT:

That this resolution is to provide sufficient funds with which to pay the increased salaries of Prison Keepers, etc., in accordance with the resolution of the present Board of Aldermen.

Your Committee report favorably upon this application.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied or added to the appropriation for "Salaries" of the Department of Correction, Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, to enable the Commissioner of Correction to carry out the provisions of the resolution fixing the salaries of the position of Keeper in the Department of Correction, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, February 16, 1906, concurred in by the Board of Aldermen, March 6, 1906, and approved by the Mayor, March 13, 1906.

JOHN R. DAVIES, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JAMES W. REDMOND, A. L. KLINE, JOHN DIEMER, B. W. B. BROWN, 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, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Clifford, 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, Hatton, Herold, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Mulligan, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Potter, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Berney, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—64.

## Reports of Committee on Fire—

No. 344.

The Committee on Fire, to whom was referred on February 28, 1906 (Minutes, page 909), the annexed ordinance in favor of confirming Nicholas W. Hausman as a member of Excelsior Hose Company 2, Jamaica Fire Department, respectfully

## REPORT:

That while it will at all times be ready to take prompt action on all applications for confirmation similar to the above, it will, however, be absolutely necessary to show your committee that the applicant is a genuine and legal resident of the fire district from which he seeks confirmation, and one who does actual fire duty. Your committee recommends the adoption of the annexed ordinance.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, That the action of Excelsior Hose Company 2, Jamaica Fire Department, City of New York, in the election of Mr. Nicholas W. Hausman, be and is hereby confirmed as a member of said company.

JOHN J. HAHN, JACOB BARTSCHERER, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, JOHN HANN, Committee on Fire.

Under Rule 21, consideration of this report was deferred. Subsequently Alderman J. J. Hahn 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 Bartscherer, Callahan, Cronin, Davies, Dowling, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Jacobson, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Rendt, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—40.

No. 345.

The Committee on Fire, to whom was referred on February 28, 1906 (Minutes, page 909), the annexed ordinance in favor of confirming the resignation of Randolph White, Jr., as a member from Excelsior Hose Company, Jamaica Fire Department, respectfully

## REPORT:

That while it will at all times be ready to take prompt action on all applications for confirmations or resignations similar to the above, it will, however, be absolutely necessary to show your Committee that the applicant is a genuine and legal resident of the fire district from which he seeks such confirmation or resignation, and one who does or did actual fire duty.

Your Committee therefore recommends the adoption of the aforesaid ordinance.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York that the action of Excelsior Hose Company 2, Jamaica Fire Department, City of New York, in the matter of resignation of Mr. Randolph White, Jr., be and is hereby confirmed and his discharge granted.

JOHN J. HAHN, JACOB BARTSCHERER, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, JOHN HANN, Committee on Fire.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Clifford, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Rendt, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—52.

Alderman Davies, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, moved that said Committee be discharged from further consideration of document No. 400, and that the matter be referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

Which motion was adopted.

Alderman Meyers moved that the Committee on Buildings, Alderman Grifenhagen, Chairman, of said Committee consenting, be discharged from further consideration of document No. 159, and that the matter be referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Markets.

Which motion was adopted.

## SPECIAL ORDERS.

Alderman Dowling called up Special Order No. 12, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 316—(S. O. No. 12).

The Committee on Public Letting, to whom was referred on February 20, 1906 (Minutes, page 864), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Commissioner of Bridges to purchase two automobiles without public letting, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That, pursuant to the power conferred upon it by the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen, deeming such course to be in the public interest, hereby authorizes and empowers the Bridge Commissioner to purchase in the open market, instead of by contract at public letting, for the official use of the Department of Bridges, two (2) automobiles, at an expense not to exceed the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500) for both of said automobiles, viz.: One not to exceed the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000), and the other not to exceed the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500).

A. L. KLINE, JACOB BARTSCHERER, FRANCIS J. O'NEILL, 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 negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected failing to vote in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Jacobson, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Markert, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, Potter, Rendt, Richter, Schneider, Smith, Stapleton, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, President Ahearn, and the Vice-Chairman—49.

Negative—Aldermen Downing, Ellery, Freeman and J. J. Hahn—4.

On motion of Alderman Dowling, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was again laid over and made a Special Order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

## GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman Murphy called up General Order No. 46, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 256.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 14, 1906 (Minutes, page 731), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$3,872.54, to meet increase in the salaries of Attendants of the City Court, respectfully

## REPORT:

That this matter is necessary to provide for the increase of salaries of the Court Attendants of the City Court, as fixed by this present Board of Aldermen. Your committee therefore recommends the adoption of the resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of three thousand eight hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty-four cents (\$3,872.54), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to meet the increase in the salaries of the Attendants of the City Court of The City of New York for the year 1906, as authorized by resolution approved January 30, 1906.

JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, JAMES W. REDMOND, B. W. B. BROWN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, J. E. BUNTING, 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, Callahan, Clifford, Davies, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Potter, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—60.

Alderman Murphy called up General Order No. 55, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 264—(S. O. No. 15).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on February 14, 1906 (Minutes, page 740), the annexed communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, requesting an issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$200,000, for maintenance and construction, respectfully

## REPORT:

That Commissioner Walgrove appeared before your Committee and urged the adoption of the resolution, and while the sum of \$433,200 had been asked for in last year's estimate, only \$246,450 had been allowed for maintenance. This sum is only \$1,500 more than in 1900, in spite of the increase in the Department in those six years. As set forth in the accompanying letter, and from the Commissioner's statement, the increase in the Bronx Park system, of which the entire City is justly proud, seems to warrant a large increase. The Department was allowed \$70,000 additional last year in Revenue Bonds, and the Commissioner states that this was not enough for six months, and that upon this basis, and taking into consideration the many improvements contemplated, including the restoration of the park which his predecessor used for laying out a horse racetrack, etc., he believes that the sum of \$200,000 is necessary.

Your Committee make the same observation in this as in the Manhattan application with reference to compelling the issuance of revenue bonds to necessarily maintain City departments, but as this sum seems to be necessary, your Committee report favorably upon the application.

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 two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds to be applied to meet the deficiency in the appropriation for Maintenance and Construction, Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, A. L. KLINE, JOHN DIEMER, 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, three-fourths of all the members elected failing to vote in favor thereof.

Affirmative—Aldermen Ahner, Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Hatton, Herold, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, Potter, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel (by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works), President Haffen, President Ahearn, the Vice-Chairman and the President—59.

Negative—Aldermen Cronin and O'Neill—2.

On motion of Alderman Dowling, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper made a special order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

## MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 450.

## By the President—

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

## By the President—

Wm. V. Winchester, No. 77 West One Hundred and Fourth street, Manhattan. Phoebe R. Marks, No. 26 Union Square, Manhattan.

## By Alderman Bartscherer—

Francis J. Sullivan, No. 74 McDonough street, Brooklyn.

## By Alderman Clifford—

Jas. F. Barry, No. 729 DeBevoise avenue, Queens.

John A. Turner, DeWitt street and Jackson avenue, Corona, L. I., Queens.

## By Alderman Davies—

Valentine J. Hahn, No. 458 West One Hundred and Thirty-first street, Manhattan.

H. Louis Jacobson, No. 309 Broadway, Manhattan.

David G. McConnell, No. 501 West One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, Manhattan.

Emanuel Kraus, No. 217 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Manhattan.

## By Alderman Downing—

Richard R. Dikeman, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.

Chas. W. S. Rague, No. 144 Henry street, Brooklyn.

Dominick Cicco, No. 85 Clinton street, Brooklyn.

## By Alderman Dinwoodie—

Alfred F. Sims, Woodmansten Junction, Westchester, The Bronx.

John C. Stein, Bridge street, City Island, The Bronx.

## By Alderman Diemer—

Jacob Litwin, No. 154 Hopkins street, Brooklyn.

## By Alderman Dowling—

John H. St. Helens, No. 150 Nassau street, Manhattan.

Marcie Dunn, No. 150 Nassau street, Manhattan.

## By Alderman Ellery—

F. K. Waters, No. 57a Bainbridge street, Brooklyn.

Mabel Wilkes, No. 153 Decatur street, Brooklyn.

Theodore F. Wagner, No. 207 Lewis avenue, Brooklyn.

## By Alderman Everson—

H. N. Wieting, No. 11 Cambridge place, Brooklyn.

Thaddeus H. Quick, No. 295 Ryerson street, Brooklyn.

## By Alderman Farrell—

Edward K. Seel, No. 300 West Fifty-fifth street, Manhattan.

## By Alderman Fried—

Matthias Radin, No. 309 Broadway, Manhattan.

Julius J. Raphael, No. 297 Broadway, Manhattan.

Joseph H. Kutner, No. 270 East Broadway, Manhattan.

Samuel Markewich, No. 92 St. Nicholas avenue, Manhattan.

Samuel Chrein, No. 470 Grand street, Manhattan.

## By Alderman Falk—

Geo. T. Gertum, No. 213 Sunnyside avenue, Brooklyn.

G. W. Miller, No. 504 Hamburg avenue, Brooklyn.

## By Alderman Gunther—

Patrick F. Duggan, Martin avenue, Glendale, L. I.

John C. Sauter, No. 393 Sixth street, Brooklyn.

## By Alderman Hahn—

Edward C. Ripley, No. 287 Broadway, Manhattan.

John J. Donogue, No. 63 West One Hundredth street, Manhattan.

Arthur G. Freeland, No. 164 West Seventy-seventh street, Manhattan.

Will Gratz, No. 251 West Eighty-first street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Hann—  
 W. S. Woodenbury, No. 72 Albany avenue, Brooklyn.  
 Joseph V. Sculley, Borough Hall, Brooklyn.  
 L. M. Wygant, No. 330 Lincoln road, Brooklyn.  
 Walter P. Vining, No. 687 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn.  
 Alphonse G. de Riesthal, Jamaica, Queens.  
 Archibald Foote Clark, No. 413 East Seventeenth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Haggerty—  
 Charles J. Schneller, Elmhurst, Queens.  
 Frank M. Silver, No. 137 New York avenue, Queens.

By Alderman Hatton—  
 Thomas Duncan, No. 427 East Fiftieth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Higgins—  
 John L. Buckley, No. 66 Carmine street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kuntze—  
 Joseph A. Flanly, No. 601 East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, The Bronx.

By Alderman Kuck—  
 J. Frank Belford, No. 334 President street, Brooklyn.  
 A. L. Dusseldorf, No. 316 Union street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kline—  
 Robert Maynard, No. 209 Herkimer street, Brooklyn.  
 E. Kempton, Jr., No. 404 Adelphi street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Leverett—  
 Jas. B. O'Connor, No. 332 East Ninety-first street, Manhattan.  
 Frank Herwig, No. 602 East Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Levine—  
 Maurice Schlesinger, No. 350 East Houston street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Linde—  
 John Kaiser, No. 349 Forty-sixth street, Brooklyn.  
 Stuart S. Taylor, No. 8105 Thirteenth avenue, Brooklyn.  
 Henry F. Hunter, No. 315 Seventy-seventh street, Brooklyn.  
 Samuel Plumer, No. 230 Grand street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Lawlor—  
 John J. Kelly, No. 43 Green lane, Brooklyn.  
 Harry A. Logan, No. 153 Tillary street, Brooklyn.  
 Charles J. Hamilton, No. 751 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.  
 John M. O'Neill, No. 287 Hicks street, Brooklyn.  
 Thomas F. Clarke, No. 432 Perry street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Markert—  
 Samuel Borenstein, No. 398 South First street, Brooklyn.  
 Ernest J. Eisemann, No. 218 Maujer street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Morris—  
 John B. Gray, No. 2804 Third avenue, The Bronx.  
 Charles O'Sullivan, No. 633 Morris avenue, The Bronx.  
 Louis G. Friess, Woodycrest avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street, The Bronx.

By Alderman Murphy—  
 James Slattery, No. 724 Tremont avenue, The Bronx.

By Alderman Olvany—  
 Leon Cohen, No. 553 Herkimer street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman O'Neill—  
 S. Barnett, No. 1416 Prospect avenue, The Bronx.

By Alderman Peters—  
 Joseph W. Stray, No. 229 Division avenue, Brooklyn.  
 James J. Brooke, No. 854 Driggs avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Potter—  
 O. F. Finnerty, Sheepshead Bay, Coney Island, Brooklyn.  
 Noah F. Mason, Jr., Bay Eighth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Richter—  
 William Halsey Lee, No. 303 West Fifty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Redmond—  
 Henry S. Pettit, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Rowcroft—  
 Geo. H. Stietz, No. 196 Ralph street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Schloss—  
 Herbert C. Kahn, No. 52 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wentz—  
 Charles Saenger, No. 530 McDonough street, Brooklyn.  
 John O. Farrell, No. 408 Bergen street, Brooklyn.  
 Abraham L. Levin, No. 773 Monroe street, Brooklyn.  
 Martin McBride, No. 706 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wafer—  
 Edward A. Fleissner, No. 468 Court street, Brooklyn.  
 John Diemer, No. 36 Hopkins street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wright—  
 James H. Shevlin, No. 529 Grand street, Brooklyn.  
 Edward Glinnen, Nos. 47 to 64 Herbert 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 Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Davies, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Everson, Falk, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Jacobson, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, Potter, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—49.

No. 451.

By President Ahearn—

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in an amount not to exceed three thousand dollars (\$3,000), the proceeds to be used for the purpose of equipping rooms on the top floor of the Criminal Court Building, to be used as a courtroom for the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court.

Alderman Davies asked and obtained immediate consideration for this resolution.

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, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Jacobson, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, 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.

No. 452.

By President Coler—

Resolved, That, pursuant to the power conferred upon it by the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen, deeming such course to be in the public interest, hereby authorizes and empowers the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to purchase in the open market, instead of by contract at public letting, for the official use of his Department, one (1) automobile, at an expense not to exceed the sum of five thousand nine hundred dollars (\$5,900).

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

No. 453.

By President Cromwell—

March 19, 1906.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., Clerk, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:  
 Dear Sir—At the request of the Board of Directors of the Baron Hirsch Cemetery, a corporation duly organized under the laws of this State, I suggest the adoption by the Board of Aldermen of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Baron Hirsch Cemetery, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York, be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to maintain a cemetery on land, not exceeding seventy-six (76) acres, now owned by it in the Third Ward of the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, this consent being granted in place and stead of the consents heretofore granted to the Baron Hirsch Synagogue Corporation by the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York by two resolutions adopted respectively January 17, 1899, and June 6, 1899, which said two resolutions are hereby repealed.

The facts in the matter, as they have been explained to me, are as follows:

In the year 1899 authority was given by the Municipal Assembly to the Baron Hirsch Synagogue Corporation to maintain a cemetery in the Third Ward of this Borough. Subsequently the synagogue corporation transferred to the Baron Hirsch Cemetery all its right, title and interest to the cemetery property in question, and it has been believed by the Directors of the Baron Hirsch Cemetery that all the rights of the old corporations have been fully and legally transferred to them. Some technical question of this fact, however, has recently been raised, and the object of the resolution referred to above is to correct any possibility of mistake in this regard.

This resolution does not ask for any more ground for cemetery purposes than has heretofore been granted; it is simply for the purpose of straightening out a possible legal entanglement.

I accordingly recommend the adoption of the resolution.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

No. 454.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that a watering trough be erected and maintained and water supplied therein, on the sidewalk near the curb in front of No. 327 West Twenty-sixth street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted.

No. 455.

By Alderman Doyle—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Cornell & Underhill to place and keep a six-inch iron beam, as shown upon the accompanying diagram, on the Hudson street side of their premises, on the corner of Beach and Hudson streets, in the Borough of Manhattan; the said beam to be used for the purpose of transmitting merchandise to and from trucks of the aforesaid firm at the above location, to be securely fastened and so arranged that it will in no instance prove an impediment to traffic or pedestrians; 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.

Which was adopted.

No. 456.

By Alderman J. J. Hahn—

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and requested to number and renumber the buildings on both sides of West Seventy-ninth street, between Amsterdam and Columbus avenues, in such manner and to such extent as may be necessary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 457.

By Alderman Lawlor—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William H. Dooley to erect and maintain a watering trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front and on the Park avenue side of his premises at the southwest corner of Navy street and Park avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 458.

By Alderman Markert—

Whereas, The cars of the Graham and Flushing avenue line in the Borough of Brooklyn are maintained in a filthy and unhealthy state; and

Whereas, This condition of affairs is against the interests of the people who are compelled to use this line; therefore be it

Resolved, That the attention of the State Board of Railroad Commissioners and of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn be called to this state of affairs, and that they are hereby requested to take steps to better conditions therein.

Which was adopted.

No. 459.

By Alderman Meyers—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity is hereby requested to cause four lamp-posts to be erected and street lamps placed thereon and lighted, two in front of each entrance of the new Harlem Presbyterian Church on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-second street and Mount Morris Park, West, in the Borough of Manhattan, one entrance being upon each of said streets.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Meyers moved to return to the order of business of Reports of Standing Committees.

Which was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES, RESUMED.

Reports of Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers—

No. 319.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred, on February 20, 1906 (Minutes, page 865), the annexed petition for the designation of Lake Place, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the name of the street which now runs from Van Sicklan street to Eighty-sixth street, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, now known as Lake's lane, shall hereafter be known and designated as Lake place, and the President of the Borough of Brooklyn is hereby authorized and empowered to take such action in the premises as shall be meet and proper.

J. HANN, FRANK L. DOWLING, ROBERT F. DOWNING, LEWIS M. POTTER, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, HARRY L. LEVERETT, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Alderman Potter asked and obtained immediate consideration for 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 Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Dotzler, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Everson, Falk, Farrell, Freeman, Fried, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Jacobson, Keely, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Murphy, Olvany, O'Neill, Potter, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, 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.

No. 169.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on January 30, 1906 (Minutes, page 455), the annexed ordinance governing the width of sidewalks in the Borough of Queens, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

## AN ORDINANCE governing sidewalk widths in the Borough of Queens.

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

Section 1. In carrying out street improvements in the Borough of Queens, where the regulation of sidewalks and curbing is affected in all new streets and in old ones, where possible, unless serious difficulties interfere, to be then determined by the President of the Borough, the sidewalks between street lines and curbs shall be of widths as follows:

A—Where street is less than forty (40) feet wide, to be determined by the President of the Borough, as each special case may require, special.

B—Where street is forty (40) feet wide and less than fifty (50), 10 feet.

C—Where street is fifty (50) feet wide and less than sixty (60), 12.5 feet.

D—Where street is sixty (60) feet wide and less than seventy (70), 15 feet.

E—Where street is seventy (70) feet wide and less than eighty (80), 17.5 feet.

F—Where street is eighty (80) feet wide and less than one hundred (100), 20 feet.

G—Where street is one hundred (100) feet wide and over, to be determined by the President of the Borough as each special case may require, special.

Sec. 2. For all new sidewalk pavement, the footway shall be not less than five (5) feet in width, with either flagstone or artificial stone, in full accordance with or better than called for in the standard specification for this work, on file in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Sec. 3. All sidewalks shall be laid on a grade rising from top of the curb, one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of an inch to each foot, where only one five (5) foot width of pavement is laid; and one-third ( $\frac{1}{3}$ ) of an inch where the whole sidewalk width is to be paved.

Sec. 4. All ordinances, or parts thereof, now in effect conflicting with these, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

J. HANN, FRANK L. DOWLING, ROBERT F. DOWNING, LEWIS M. POTTER, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, HARRY L. LEVERETT, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Alderman Hann asked and obtained immediate consideration for this report.

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 Ahner, Bartscherer, Callahan, Cole, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dotzler, Dowling, Farrell, Fried, Grifenhagen, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Moffitt, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Murphy, Rendt, Richter, Stapleton, Sturges, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Cromwell, President Bermel, by Lawrence Gresser, Commissioner of Public Works, and the Vice Chairman—43.

## Report of Committee on Buildings—

No. 88—(G. O. No. 64).

The Committee on Buildings, which was directed by resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted January 23, 1906 (Minutes, page 417), respectfully

## REPORT:

That the Committee has given much consideration to the resolution of authority to undertake a revision of the Building Code, and, through the Chairman, has obtained the views of technical men and others familiar with the building industry. The Committee feels that the resolution adopted by the Board fixed an unscientific classification of experts. The Committee recommends the rescinding of the resolution and the adoption of the annexed substitute. It is the intention of the Committee to ask the proper authorities of the technical and trades associations to submit names for its consideration. It is the intention of the Committee to employ a lawyer whose practice has been such as to make him familiar with the Building Code and the laws affecting the subject. They therefore recommend that the resolution (Introductory, No. 88) adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 23, 1906, instructing the Committee on Buildings to prepare a Building Code, be rescinded and repealed, and that the annexed resolution be adopted in lieu thereof.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of section 407 of the Greater New York Charter, the Building Committee of this Board be and hereby is directed to prepare and report to this Board a Building Code, in amended and revised form, providing therein for all matters concerning, affecting or relating to the construction, alteration and removal of buildings or structures erected or to be erected in The City of New York; and it is further

Resolved, That for the purpose of properly preparing said Building Code the said Committee be and it is hereby authorized to engage the services of the following experts, each of whom shall be a resident of The City of New York, and shall have been engaged not less than five years in his respective calling, to wit:

Two (2) architects, one (1) structural engineer, one (1) sanitary engineer, one (1) engineer recommended by the Board of Fire Underwriters, two (2) master builders, two (2) mechanics skilled in building trades and one (1) lawyer, and such other clerical assistants as may be necessary.

MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, JOHN J. FARRELL, JACOB BARTSCHERER, J. HANN, CHARLES KUNTZE, WM. P. KENNEALLY, Committee on Buildings.

Which was laid over.

## MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS, RESUMED.

No. 460.

## By Alderman Moffitt—

Resolved, That the Interborough Company be and hereby is requested to erect a stairway on the northwest corner of Greenwich and Christopher streets, leading to the down-town platform of the Ninth Avenue L Road, as the stairway in use at present is entirely inadequate to accommodate the large number of passengers alighting at this station, especially in the rush hours of the morning, when the express trains are running.

Which was adopted.

No. 461.

## By Alderman Mulligan—

Whereas, It has been the custom of the heads of the various City Departments to advance the salaries of employees on the monthly pay-roll from time to time; and

Whereas, The same consideration has not been accorded to per diem or day Laborers; therefore be it

Resolved, That, owing to the increase in cost of rent and other necessities of life, this Board respectfully recommend that the pay of per diem employees be increased twenty-five per cent.

Resolved further, That a copy of this preamble and resolutions be forwarded to the heads of all City Departments and borough offices.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 462.

## By Alderman Potter—

AN ORDINANCE relative to frame buildings in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Section 1. That section 143 of the Building Code be and the same is hereby amended by adding in the section allotted to the Borough of Brooklyn, the following:

Any frame building erected hereafter in the territory included within the following boundary, all in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, namely:

Beginning at First avenue and Sixtieth street and along Sixtieth street to Fourteenth avenue; and along Fourteenth avenue, and including both sides of Fourteenth avenue, to Dyker Beach Park; along Dyker Beach Park to Seventeenth avenue; thence along Ninety-second street, including both sides of Ninety-second street, to Fort Hamilton parkway; along Fort Hamilton parkway to the Shore road; along the Shore road to the intersection of First avenue; along First avenue to the point of beginning; shall not occupy more than 80 per cent. in width of the lot on which said building is to be erected.

Which was referred to the Committee on Buildings.

No. 463.

## By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. J. MacLeod to conduct contests of clay pigeon shooting, under proper safeguards to be observed therefor, on his grounds known as Greenfield Park, situated on Coney Island avenue

and Avenue L, in the Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, any and all existing ordinances to the contrary notwithstanding; this permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 464.

## By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward B. Grossman to erect and maintain an awning or marquise of metal and glass over the sidewalk in front of his premises on Surf avenue, near Sherman's Walk (Resurrection Building), Coney Island, Borough of Brooklyn; provided said awning or marquise shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

No. 465.

## By Alderman Wafer—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of William H. McDonald for the sum of forty dollars (\$40), said sum to be payment in full for engrossing and framing resolutions to Hon. John L. Burleigh, in accordance with resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen November 28, 1905, the cost thereof to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled City Contingencies, 1906.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 466.

## By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commission of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that a watering trough be erected and maintained and water supplied therein, on the sidewalk near the curb on the northeast corner of Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Richter moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, March 27, 1906, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, March 12, 1906.

The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner Theodore A. Bingham:

Ordered, That all manuals, edition of 1901, now in the record room, be turned over to the Property Clerk, to be sold as old paper.

Ordered, That the following old records in the record room be gathered together for destruction, and when they have been concentrated in one place, that the First Deputy Commissioner be informed, and he will give instructions as to the method of destruction.

Inspectors' District Schedules, 1876-1879.

Record of Complaints, 1867-1894.

Record of Fines, 1864-1874.

Boat Licenses, 1858-1867.

Station House Lodgers, 1871-1884.

Memorandum Books (Commissioner's), 1870-1883.

Applications for Patrolmen (rejected), 1865-1894.

Daily Record of Force (duplicates), 1861-1887.

Record of Army and Navy Deserters, 1862-1864.

Excise License, 1887-1888.

Arrest Books (duplicate), 1849-1862.

Stenographer's Note Books, 1867-1894.

Violation of Corporation Ordinances, 1863-1894.

Steamboat Squad (Thirty-seventh Precinct), disbanded March 12, 1896, memorandum books of.

Broadway Squad (Seventeenth Precinct), disbanded March 12, 1896, memorandum books of.

Brooklyn Morning Returns, 1859-1869.

Independent Nominations for Public Office, 1893-1894.

Bicycle Squad, disbanded April 17, 1902, memorandum books of.

Eighty-first Precinct, disbanded November 10, 1902, records of.

Leave of Absence Record, 1884-1887.

Lost Time Record, 1864-1895.

Force Record (discontinued), 1897.

Masque Ball Permits, 1873-1897.

Property Clerk's Returns, 1885-1902.

Special Officers' Monthly Signature Books, 1890-1903.

Special Officers' Monthly Certificates, 1886-1903.

Central Office Squad Signatures, 1896-1904.

Parade Permits, 1873-1895.

Central Office Memorandum Books.

Telephone Signal Sheets, 1902-1903-1904.

Telephone Blotters, 1857-1894.

On reading and filing communications from George Hildebrand, contractor for the erection of the new station house for the Forty-first Precinct, under contract executed March 2, 1904, dated February 28, 1906, and March 9, 1906, and communication from Arthur A. Stoughton, architect for the construction of such building, dated March 12, 1906.

Ordered, That an extension of time for the completion of the work under such contract be and is hereby granted until February 26, 1906.

Ordered, That Walter B. Brouner, David D. Jennings and Albert W. Ford, three of the Police Surgeons of the Police Department of The City of New York, be and are hereby directed to examine Patrolman August Neumann, Forty-first Precinct, and report as to his physical and mental condition, and if found to be disabled, to certify to the Police Commissioner the cause, nature and extent of such disability; it is further

Ordered, That the said committee of Police Surgeons also examine Hugh Armstrong and Charles Metzger, on Wednesday, March 14, 1906, at 1 o'clock, as to their fitness for appointment as Doormen, and that the Chief Clerk notify the said Hugh Armstrong and Charles Metzger to present themselves for such examination.

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint thirty Patrolmen, and the said Commission is respectfully requested to include in such list the names of Edward M. Willi, Sydney S. Kramer and Edward T. Burke.

Trial having been had of charges of conduct unbecoming an officer, against Patrolman Frank P. Schlamp, Thirty-first Precinct, the Commissioner ordered that said complaint be dismissed.

Ordered to Be Paid.

Voucher No. 180, account Contingent Expenses, Central Department, etc., 1906, Charles L. Gott, for stamps, \$30.

The following special order was issued this day:

Special Order No. 62.

The following transfers and assignments are hereby ordered to take effect at 4 p. m., March 13, 1906:

Sergeant James B. Sennett, from Forty-first Precinct to Eighth Precinct.

Sergeant Francis Fuchs, from Eighth Precinct to Forty-first Precinct.

Mounted Roundsman Thomas O'Neill, from Third Precinct to Seventy-eighth Precinct, with horse "Boxer," No. 676, and equipments.

Mounted Roundsman Anson H. Weeks, from Seventy-eighth Precinct to Third Precinct, for duty at Third Sub-Precinct, with horse and equipments.

## Patrolmen.

Charles J. McCarthy, Twentieth Precinct, assigned to plain clothes duty in precinct. John H. Butler and Alexander Collinge, Twentieth Precinct, assigned to duty in plain clothes in precinct.

James Burke, Sixth Precinct, remanded from clerical duty to patrol in precinct.

Daniel T. Kelly, Sixth Precinct, assigned to clerical duty in precinct.

James J. Finn, Fifteenth Precinct, remanded from plain clothes duty and transferred to Eleventh Precinct.

Nathan Askt, Fifteenth Precinct, remanded from plain clothes duty and transferred to the Twenty-ninth Precinct.

Timothy Ryan, Fifteenth Precinct, remanded from plain clothes duty and transferred to the Fourteenth Precinct.

Joseph Penz, Fifteenth Precinct, assigned to duty in plain clothes in precinct.

Matthew J. Hogan, Eleventh Precinct to Fifteenth Precinct, and assigned to duty in plain clothes.

John H. Wagner, Twenty-ninth Precinct to Fifteenth Precinct, and assigned to duty in plain clothes.

William L. Meisterhagan, Eighteenth Precinct to Fourth Precinct.

Samuel W. E. Beckner, Fourth Precinct to Eighteenth Precinct.

P. J. Stack, Twenty-second Precinct to Fifth District Court Squad.

Daniel D. Sullivan, Fifth District Court Squad to Twenty-second Precinct.

Mounted Patrolman Frank H. Leary, Thirty-sixth Precinct to Thirty-seventh Precinct, with horse and equipments.

The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Sergeant James Kane, Thirty-third Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct, during the absence of Sergeant Robert R. Craig on sick leave.

Patrolman William G. Irwin, Fifty-fifth Precinct to the District Attorney's office, New York County, for two days, from 8 a. m. March 12, 1906.

The following temporary assignments are hereby discontinued:

Patrolmen William Mahoney, Twenty-second Precinct, and John Lenihan, Twenty-first Precinct, to duty in plain clothes in the Twentieth Precinct, from 4 p. m. March 13, 1906.

The following extensions of temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Patrolman Patrick Murray, Second Precinct, temporary assignment to New York Catholic Protectory, Westchester, extended seven days from 8 a. m. March 12, 1906.

Patrolmen Joseph F. Reichert, Sixth Precinct, and Daniel T. Scannell, Twenty-ninth Precinct, to the District Attorney's office, New York County, extended five (5) days from 4 p. m. March 11, 1906.

Patrolmen Charles J. Knoppel and Daniel McIsaac, Twenty-second Precinct, to duty in plain clothes in precinct, extended five (5) days from 4 p. m. March 12, 1906.

Patrolmen Joseph Hamilton and Joseph J. Ryan, Thirty-second Precinct, to duty in plain clothes in precinct, from 4 p. m. March 12, 1906.

Employed on probation as Doorman, March 12, 1906:

Frederick Plenge, assigned to the Twentieth Precinct.

Appointed Hostler, March 12, 1906:

James J. Reynolds (Shield No. 59), assigned to the Thirty-sixth Precinct.

The following leaves of absence are hereby ordered:

Sergeant Henry Murray, Sixth Precinct, one-half day, with half pay, from noon March 13, 1906, to midnight March 13, 1906.

Patrolman John J. Cox, Thirty-second Precinct, two days, without pay, from noon March 12, 1906, to noon March 14, 1906.

The following Captain is hereby excused for twelve hours from noon March 15, 1906:

Henry W. Burfeind, Seventeenth Precinct.

The following Special Patrolmen are hereby appointed:

Michael Kane for the Chelsea Exchange Bank, Thirty-fourth street and Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

Henry G. Wallace for the Pennsylvania, New York and Long Island Railroad Company, No. 1 West Thirty-fourth street, Manhattan.

Frim Ettinger, Frank H. Herman and Harry Abramson for United Patrol Company, No. 78 Delancey street, Manhattan.

Charles Blake for Surprise Vaudeville Company, No. 142 East Fourteenth street, Manhattan.

The following resignations of Special Patrolmen are hereby accepted:

Edmund L. Cooley, employed by the Long Island Railroad Company, Long Island City.

William Sheridan, employed by James Runzman, manager, Hotel Lucien, No. 201 West Seventy-ninth street, Manhattan.

Sylvester Tivers, employed by Monroe Steiner, No. 553 Fifty-fourth street, Brooklyn.

Fred Slough, employed by the Allied Iron Associations, No. 7 East Fourteenth street, Manhattan.

The following Patrolman, excused under Rule VI., paragraph U, has returned to duty from 11:30 a. m. March 12, 1906:

Michael Vogt, Third Precinct.

The following Patrolman was this day retired:

James H. Hamm, Fifty-third Precinct, on Surgeons' certificate, \$592. Appointed April 16, 1889.

The following Patrolman is hereby relieved from suspension and restored to duty:

John C. Shiffert, Fortieth Precinct, from noon March 12, 1906.

The following death is reported:

Patrolman Samuel Lloyd, Thirty-first Precinct, at 10:10 p. m., March 10, 1906.

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

Trial having been had of charges against members of the force, the following fines, etc., were imposed by the Commissioner:

Patrolman Henry Durnin, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined five days' pay.

Patrolman Thomas J. Bell, Sixteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined one day's pay.

Patrolman Joseph Calleghan, Seventeenth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined two days' pay.

Patrolman Maurice J. Convey, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined three days' pay.

Patrolman Daniel E. McKeever, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, fined one day's pay.

Patrolman Michael J. Toomey, Twenty-first Precinct, neglect of duty, fined five days' pay.

Patrolman Philip F. Faubel, Thirtieth Precinct, conduct unbecoming an officer, fined fifteen days' pay.

Patrolman Walter S. McClary, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty, fined one day's pay.

Patrolman Lester M. Washburn, Thirty-third Precinct, neglect of duty and violation of rules, fined one-half day's pay.

Patrolman Morris H. Bollas, Thirty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined two days' pay.

Patrolman Ellsworth E. Doty, Thirty-eighth Precinct, neglect of duty, fined three days' pay.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman William Ames, Second Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman George Paten, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman George C. Kessler, Thirteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Frank E. O'Harrow, Nineteenth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Patrick McNamara, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman John H. Butler, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman John Healy, Twentieth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman John F. Walsh, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman John J. McManus, Twenty-second Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Martin J. Fisher, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Michael H. Fitzgerald, Twenty-sixth Precinct, neglect of duty.

Patrolman Joseph J. Mealy, Thirtieth Precinct, neglect of duty.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, March 13, 1906.

The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner Theodore A. Bingham:

Ordered, That the Pension Investigating Bureau of the Police Department is hereby made a part of the Bookkeeper's office force.

The following special order was issued this day:

Special Order No. 63.

The following extensions are hereby ordered:

## Patrolmen.

Edward M. Carrette, Second Precinct, to plain clothes duty in the Thirty-first Precinct, extended five (5) days, from 4 p. m., March 14, 1906.

Joseph McNierney and Cornelius Glynn, Twenty-fifth Precinct, to duty in Central Office, extended five (5) days, from 8 a. m., March 13, 1906.

Walter F. Brogan and Walter J. Walsh, Seventh Precinct, to duty in plain clothes in precinct, extended five (5) days, from 4 p. m., March 13, 1906.

The following leave of absence is hereby granted:

Probationary Patrolman Harry Rohrs, three days, without pay, from 9 a. m., March 12, 1906.

The following Special Patrolmen are hereby appointed:

W. G. Harrison, for J. Valensi & Co., Nos. 143 and 145 Park row, Manhattan.

C. N. Watkins, Michael Donoho, Charles A. Victory, John McArthur, Charles R. Gleason and Charles McCartney, for American Bridge Company of New York, No. 42 Broadway, Manhattan.

Louis Herschbaum, for the People's Vaudeville Company, No. 2172 Third avenue, Manhattan.

E. B. St. John Henriques, for the Spanish-Portuguese Synagogue, Central Park, West, and Seventieth street, Manhattan.

Full pay is hereby granted to:

Patrolman Selig Whitman, Third Precinct, from noon January 3, 1906, to noon February 28, 1906.

Patrolman James A. Kiely, Twentieth Precinct, from noon February 3, 1906, to midnight February 16, 1906 (while under suspension).

Patrolman William E. Maguire, Twenty-eighth Precinct, having been absent without leave for more than five consecutive days, has ceased to be a member of the Police Force, and has been dismissed therefrom in accordance with section 303, Charter New York City.

On File, Send Copy.

Report of Sergeant John McDermott, in charge of Boiler Squad, dated March 12, 1906, relative to engineers' licenses granted. Copy to the CITY RECORD for publication.

Ordered, That Charles H. Terry, John D. Sullivan and Frank R. Oastler, three of the Police Surgeons of the Police Department of The City of New York, be and are hereby directed to examine Patrolman Maurice Colgan, Twenty-fourth Precinct, and report as to his mental and physical condition, and if found to be disabled, to certify to the Police Commissioner the cause, nature and extent of such disability.

Ordered, That consent be and is hereby given for the assignment of the final payment due George Hildebrand, contractor for the construction of new station house for the Forty-first Precinct, under contract bearing date March 2, 1904, in the amount of \$24,500, to the Empire Trust Company.

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, March 14, 1906.

The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner Theodore A. Bingham:

Ordered, That a copy of the communication from Luke D. Stapleton, Esq., dated February 26, 1906, addressed to Hon. Arthur J. O'Keeffe, Second Deputy Police Commissioner, asking that the matter of construction of the Seventy-second Precinct Station House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be taken up, respectfully referred to the Corporation Counsel, and attention called to the following proceedings in this matter, taken December 8, 1905, viz.:

"On reading and filing communication from Washington Hull, architect, dated December 6, 1905,

"Ordered, That a copy of this communication, together with a schedule of all papers relating to the construction of the new Seventy-second Precinct Station House and the controversy between the architect and the contractor be referred to the Corporation Counsel, and his opinion asked as to the course the Commissioner should now pursue under all the circumstances."

Ordered, That a copy of the schedule of all papers relating to the controversy between the architect and the contractor for the construction of the Seventy-second Precinct Station House be respectfully referred to the Second Deputy Commissioner.

Ordered, That the proceedings of March 12, 1906, relative to the destruction of certain old records be and are hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

Reports under Special Order No. 2, issued 1904, on blank No. 167, from March, 1904, to January, 1906.

General reports under Order No. 2, issued 1904, from March, 1904, to January, 1906.

Ordered, That the amount of the following-named pay-roll be paid from the Police Pension Fund, viz.:

Elmer B. Roth and forty-two (42) others, full pay granted for sick time lost, \$1,320.53.

Ordered, That the Municipal Civil Service Commission and the Comptroller be respectfully informed that James J. Canning, whose name appears upon the preferred eligible list for Deckhand, forwarded under date of March 12, 1906, and who was suspended for the reason that the steamer "Patrol" was not in commission, was ordered to report for duty on the 9th inst.

Concert License Granted.

Letizia Manganaro, Ferrando Music Hall, No. 184 Sullivan street, Manhattan, March 12 to June 12, 1906; fee, \$150.

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for a preferred eligible list to enable the Police Commissioner to restore to duty the following-named employees, who were suspended February 15, 1906, for the reason that the steamer "Patrol" was not in commission:

George Huyck, Chief Engineer.

William J. Johnston, Assistant Engineer.

William E. Bell, Fireman.

Michael J. Heelan, Fireman.

Michael J. McMorrow, Fireman.

John Reardon, Fireman.

John Flynn, Oiler.

Lawrence Kennedy, Oiler.

Charles Gifford, Cook.

Albert Moseley, Steward.

Theodore Morton, Cabin Boy.

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint an additional Deckhand on the steamer "Patrol," with compensation at the rate of \$60 a month.

Masquerade Ball Permits Granted.

Charles Wehrle

George Scheurmann, Tammany Hall, Manhattan, March 17; fee \$25.  
 Walter Flatz, Ebling's Casino, The Bronx, March 12; fee \$25.  
 Joseph Beer, Prospect Hall, Brooklyn, March 13; fee \$10.  
 Joseph Basch, Prospect Hall, Brooklyn, March 27; fee \$10.  
 Joseph J. Ruppel, New Assembly Hall, Brooklyn, March 17; fee \$10.  
 George H. Sweet, Saengerbund Hall, Brooklyn, March 19; fee \$10.

## On File, Send Copy.

Report of Sergeant John McDermott, in charge of Boiler Squad, dated March 13, 1906, relative to engineers' licenses granted. Copy to the CITY RECORD for publication.

Ordered, That Kate T. Sahm, widow of Louis E. Sahm, deceased Patrolman, be and is hereby granted an increase of pension of \$60 per annum, making the total pension \$180 per annum, to take effect this day.

Ordered, That a pension be and is hereby granted to the following-named persons, to take effect this day, as follows:

Katie F. McGlinchy, as guardian of Lillian E. Marion and Edna Conroy, infant children of Hugh F. Conroy, deceased Patrolman, \$40 per annum for each child until they shall have reached the age of eighteen years, respectively; total pension, \$120 per annum.

Emma L. Kroehler, widow of John Kroehler, deceased Roundsman, \$120 per annum.

Margaret Daily, widow of William J. Daily, deceased Patrolman, \$120 per annum.

Honor Kimple, widow of Thomas Kimple, deceased Patrolman, \$120 per annum.

Nettie L. Behr, widow of Frederick J. Behr, deceased Patrolman, \$120 per annum.

Ordered, That the petitions for pension of the following-named persons be and are hereby denied:

Mary McNamee, widow of Michael McNamee, deceased pensioner.

Henrietta Carpenter, widow of James M. Carpenter, deceased pensioner.

Margaret J. Byrnes, widow of Peter E. Byrnes, deceased Patrolman.

Pauline Weinkauf, widow of Otto Weinkauf, deceased pensioner.

Ida Humphreys, widow of James Humphreys, deceased pensioner.

Katherine Prosel, widow of Michael Prosel, deceased Patrolman.

Ordered, That the petitions for increase of pension of the following-named persons be and are hereby denied:

Caroline E. Bleil, widow of Philip C. Bleil.

Mary A. Lynch, widow of Michael H. Lynch.

Annie Hess, widow of George A. Hess.

George W. Travers, pensioner.

Elizabeth A. Burke, widow of Patrick J. Burke.

Lucy A. O'Connell, widow of James D. O'Connell.

Maria Delaney, widow of Martin Delaney.

Frank Empie, pensioner.

Wilhelmine Klein, widow of Adolph Klein.

Elizabeth A. Sheldon, widow of Norman Sheldon.

J. T. Brooks, pensioner.

Emmaline E. Fosdick, widow of William H. Fosdick.

Hannah Broderick, widow of Michael C. Broderick.

Lucy Kavanagh, widow of John Kavanagh.

Patrick Byrne, pensioner.

The following special order was issued this day:

## Special Order No. 64.

The following transfers and assignments are hereby ordered, to take effect at 4 p. m. March 15, 1906:

Sergeant George Hearle, from the Sixty-third Precinct to the Second Precinct.

## Patrolmen.

Joseph T. Bull, Third Precinct, remanded from duty at crossing, Canal street and Broadway, and transferred to the Nineteenth Precinct.

Francis Farrelly, Nineteenth Precinct, transferred to the Third Precinct and assigned to duty at crossing, Canal street and Broadway.

Henry Bruckman, John J. Foster, John T. McAndrews and John Ryan, attached to the Nineteenth Precinct, assigned to duty in plain clothes in precinct.

James Scott, Twenty-sixth Precinct, transferred to the Nineteenth Precinct, and assigned to duty in plain clothes.

Melville L. Reeder, Eighty-first Precinct, assigned as Driver of patrol wagon in precinct.

Peter F. Meyer, Fourth Precinct, transferred to the Third Precinct and assigned to duty at City Paymaster's office.

Joseph Gilkinson, Central Office Squad, remanded from duty in the office of the Third Deputy Police Commissioner and transferred to the Ninth Precinct.

The following temporary assignment is hereby ordered:

Doorman Thomas McMurray, Twenty-fifth Precinct, assigned to the Thirty-second Precinct during the absence of Doorman Joseph E. Maher, on sick leave, to take effect at 6 p. m. March 14, 1906.

The following leaves of absence are hereby granted:

Surgeon Mark Williams, Fourteenth Surgical District, 20 days, with full pay (vacation). Surgeon Daniel J. Donovan, Fifth Surgical District, to attend to the duties of the Fourteenth Surgical District during the absence of Surgeon Mark Williams in addition to his own district.

Surgeon Daniel J. Donovan, Fifth Surgical District, 20 days, with full pay (vacation). Surgeon Mark Williams, Fourteenth Surgical District, to attend to the duties of the Fifth Surgical District during the absence of Surgeon Daniel J. Donovan in addition to his own district.

Patrolman Louis Lorch, Twelfth Precinct, one-half day, with half pay, from 12 midnight March 13, 1906, to 12 noon March 14, 1906.

The following five-day assignments are hereby ordered:

Patrolmen William Beckendorf and William P. Martin, Thirtieth Precinct, to the Second Precinct, for duty in plain clothes, for five days from 4 p. m. March 13, 1906.

The following Special Patrolmen are hereby appointed:

Jasper Causio for Messrs. Jacobs & Sons, No. 510 Pearl street, Manhattan.

Edward Stack for St. Vincent's Hospital of The City of New York.

Edward Williams for John C. Keegan, No. 1580 Fulton street, Brooklyn, and others.

James Harden for Charles Knudsen, No. 101 Grand street, Brooklyn.

Charles A. Jackson for the Williamsburg Savings Bank, Broadway and Driggs avenue, Brooklyn.

Gustave Weir for A. Siegfried, No. 180 Suffolk street, Manhattan.

Ralph W. Boyer for the Typothetae of The City of New York, No. 320 Broadway.

Thomas Edward Jones for John W. Wallace Company, No. 394 South Second street, Brooklyn.

Harry W. Ahrens for the Eastern District Messenger Company, No. 153 Broadway, Brooklyn.

Albert Temmi for H. & A. A. Chapel, Nos. 387 to 401 Flushing avenue, Brooklyn.

The resignation of the following Special Patrolman is hereby accepted:

W. A. Vaughn, employed by the Allied Iron Associations, No. 16 East Thirteenth street, Manhattan.

The appointment of the following Special Patrolmen is hereby revoked:

Nicholas C. Martin, employed by the Holmes Electric Protective Company, Cortlandt, Church and Dey streets.

Abraham Lang, employed by Jacob J. Velton, No. 183 Meserole street, Brooklyn.

Joseph Crovo, employed by the Lager Beer Board of Trade, No. 109 East Fifteenth street, Manhattan.

The following applications for full pay are hereby granted:

Roundsman William J. Dougan, Eightieth Precinct, from 12 noon January 30, 1906, to 12 noon February 22, 1906.

Patrolman Thomas S. Martin, Thirty-seventh Precinct, from 12 noon February 14, 1906, to 12 noon February 23, 1906.

The following death is reported:

Patrolman Joseph Oliva, Seventy-fifth Precinct, at 9:45 p. m. March 13, 1906.

THEO. A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner.

## BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

Board of Armory Commissioners, }  
 March 14, 1906. }

A meeting of the Armory Board was held this day at 2 o'clock p. m., at the office of the Mayor.

Present—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

The Secretary presented printed copies of the minutes of meetings held January 20, 31, and February 8 and 20, which were approved.

Mr. Marsh, representing the Comptroller, was present, and, in response to advertisements of date March 2, 1906, bids and proposals were received for an extension to the Thirteenth Regiment armory, in the Borough of Brooklyn and for alterations and furnishings to the Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, in the Borough of Manhattan, as follows:

## Extension to the Thirteenth Regiment Armory.

Thomas G. Carlin, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.....	\$112,800 00
F. W. Carlin Construction Company, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.....	119,000 00
Kelly & Kelly, No. 45 East Forty-second street, Manhattan.....	113,000 00
Charles H. Peckworth, No. 415 Hudson street, Manhattan.....	121,952 00
J. D. Murphy Construction Company, No. 1178 Broadway, Manhattan.....	111,947 00
Buckhey Realty Construction Company, Times Building, Manhattan.....	117,600 00
Guidone & Galardi, No. 1 Madison avenue, Manhattan.....	108,900 00
J. & L. Moreland Company, No. 1910 Park avenue, Manhattan.....	122,000 00
J. Kennedy & Son, Nos. 175 and 177 Front street, Brooklyn.....	120,995 00

## Iron Railing Around Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, Borough of Manhattan.

Merritt & Co., No. 141 Broadway, Manhattan.....	\$1,670 00
John B. Malatesta, No. 3170 Jerome avenue, Borough of The Bronx.....	1,495 00
J. W. Fiske Iron Works, Nos. 39 and 41 Park place, Manhattan.....	2,400 00
Springstead & Adamson, No. 424 East One Hundred and Seventh street, Manhattan.....	2,127 00
Binney & Godfrey, No. 40 Rodney street, Brooklyn.....	3,585 00
Louis Weschler, No. 1133 Broadway, Manhattan.....	2,300 00
J. D. Murphy Construction Company, No. 1178 Broadway, Manhattan.....	1,937 00
William Horne Company, No. 245 West Twenty-sixth street, Manhattan.....	2,370 00
Eagle Iron Works, No. 850 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.....	1,750 00
Patrick Sullivan, No. 230 Grand street, Manhattan.....	1,967 00
Northeastern Construction Company, Fuller Building, Manhattan.....	1,698 00
Cooper & Evans, No. 220 Broadway, Manhattan.....	1,990 00

## Lighting Fixtures for the Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, Borough of Manhattan.

Alternate Schedule "A."	
L. Plaut & Co., No. 432 East Twenty-third street, Manhattan.....	\$15,887 00
Mitchell-Vance Company, Nos. 29 to 33 East Nineteenth street, Manhattan.....	14,054 80

## Alternate Schedule "B."

L. Plaut & Co., No. 432 East Twenty-third street, Manhattan.....	\$13,865 00
Mitchell-Vance Company, Nos. 29 to 33 East Nineteenth street, Manhattan.....	11,872 05

## Lockers in the Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, Borough of Manhattan.

Merritt & Co., No. 141 Broadway, Manhattan.....	\$17,846 00
Art Metal Construction Company, No. 346 Broadway, Manhattan.....	13,919 00
Louis Weschler, No. 1133 Broadway, Manhattan.....	24,600 00
The Van Dorn Iron Works, Cleveland, Ohio.....	21,636 00
General Fireproofing Company, Youngstown, Ohio.....	23,087 35
John Wanamaker, No. 784 Broadway, Manhattan.....	22,704 00

## Gun Racks in Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, Borough of Manhattan.

Springstead & Adamson, No. 424 East One Hundred and Seventh street, Manhattan.....	\$2,055 00
Louis Weschler, No. 1133 Broadway, Manhattan.....	2,980 00
J. D. Murphy Construction Company, No. 1178 Broadway, Manhattan.....	2,0

To the James D. Murphy Company, on account of the main staircase work in the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the sum of \$2,500.

The Mayor offered the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to the James D. Murphy Company the sum of \$2,500, as per accompanying voucher, on account of ornamental plaster work in the main staircase hall of the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, in the Borough of Manhattan, as authorized by resolution of the Armory Board, September 29, 1904, and by resolution of the Board of Aldermen November 29, 1904.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

To the James D. Murphy Company, for extra work on partitions in the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the sum of \$493.

The Mayor offered the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to the James D. Murphy Company the sum of \$493, in full, as per accompanying voucher, for work and materials in the transposition of partitions in the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, Borough of Manhattan, as authorized by resolution of the Armory Board July 31, 1905.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

To the James D. Murphy Company, in the sum of \$469, for work and materials in making changes in the wagon entrance to the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, in the Borough of Manhattan.

The Mayor offered the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to the James D. Murphy Company the sum of \$469, in full, as per accompanying voucher, for work and materials in making changes to the wagon entrance in the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, Borough of Manhattan, in accordance with resolution of the Armory Board dated July 31, 1905.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

To the James D. Murphy Company, in the sum of \$145, for setting bluestone coping around the open areas of the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, Borough of Manhattan.

The Mayor offered the following:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to the James D. Murphy Company the sum of \$145, in full, as per accompanying voucher, for work and materials in setting bluestone coping around the open areas of the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, Borough of Manhattan, in accordance with resolution of the Armory Board dated September 21, 1905.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

The Secretary presented vouchers for payments to Hunt & Hunt for professional services, and the Mayor offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be directed to pay to Messrs. Hunt & Hunt, architects, the sum of \$125, as per accompanying voucher, for professional services rendered in preparing plans and specifications and the supervision of the ornamental plaster work in the main staircase hall of the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, in the Borough of Manhattan, as authorized by resolution of the Armory Board, September 29, 1904, and by resolution of the Board of Aldermen, November 29, 1904.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to Hunt & Hunt, architects, the sum of \$24.65, in full, as per accompanying voucher, for professional services rendered in preparing plans and specifications and the supervision of the work of transposing partitions in the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to pay to Hunt & Hunt, architects, the sum of \$23.45, in full, as per accompanying voucher, for professional services rendered in preparing plans and specifications and the supervision of the work of making a change in wagon entrance of the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

The Secretary presented also a voucher for payment to the Title Guarantee and Trust Company for examination to the title of additional land for Troop "C" armory in the Borough of Brooklyn for \$30.

The Mayor offered the following:

Resolved, That the Armory Board does hereby approve the bill and expense of the Title Guarantee and Trust Company, amounting to \$30 in full, as per accompanying voucher, for professional services rendered in examining title to property for an addition to Troop "C" armory, N. G., N. Y., in the Borough of Brooklyn; that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be requested to concur therein and authorize the Comptroller to issue bonds to provide therefor.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

The Secretary requested the transfer of \$28.01 from account Contingencies, in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, 1905, to account entitled, Care and Maintenance of Armories, Supplies and Contingencies, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, 1905.

The Mayor offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to transfer the sum hereinafter named, from the appropriation made to the Armory Board for the year 1905, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, Contingencies, \$28.01, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said Board for the year 1905, to account entitled Care and Maintenance of Armories, Supplies and Contingencies, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

A communication was received from Messrs. Stoughton & Stoughton, asking to be considered in the naming of competitive architects for the Second Battery armory, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Ordered filed.

A communication was received from Messrs. Hunt & Hunt advising a change in the position of the radiators in the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory.

The Mayor offered the following:

Resolved, That the proposition of Messrs. Hunt & Hunt, architects, for the Sixty-ninth Regiment armory, Borough of Manhattan, to amend the contract of the J. D. Murphy Company by making a change in the position of the radiators in the galleries, by grouping the same and constructing over them a galvanized deflector to throw the heat out into the room, without additional cost to the City, be and is hereby approved and authorized.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

A communication was received from Messrs. Pilcher, Thomas & Tachau, architects for Troop "C" armory, Borough of Brooklyn, advising the addition of a new skylight over the hospital stable of that building, at an expense of \$215.

The Mayor offered the following:

Resolved, That the proposition of Messrs. Pilcher, Thomas & Tachau, architects for Troop "C" armory, Borough of Brooklyn, to add to that building a skylight 4 feet 6 inches by 20 feet in size on the easterly stable room of that armory, supplying the same with a 4-inch terra cotta curb and glazed with wire glass similar to that used in other portions of the building, be and is hereby approved, and John Kennedy & Son, contractors, be awarded the work at the sum of \$215.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—The Mayor, the President of the Board of Aldermen, Brigadier-General James McLeer and Colonel Daniel Appleton.

A communication was received from Clinton & Russell, architects for the Seventy-first Regiment Armory, Borough of Manhattan, proposing numerous changes in the contract of the Fleischmann Realty Company for the erection of that building.

Referred to the Committee on Armories for Manhattan and The Bronx.

The Secretary presented a lien filed by Rudolph Busch on the moneys of Thomas J. Buckley, due him for alterations to several armories, in the sum of \$737.95, which was referred to the Comptroller.

A motion to adjourn was adopted.

E. A. FORNES, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

### REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS FEBRUARY 26 TO MARCH 4, 1906.

#### Communications Received.

From the Comptroller—Returning the following proposals for supplies, for substitution of sureties of John W. Buckley, Edward G. Shepard and F. H. Leggett & Co. Substitutions approved.

From the Comptroller—Certificates indorsed on the following, which are now valid contracts:

Contract of February 14, 1906, of Joseph Bauer for new window sash, etc., at female prison, City Prison, indorsed on February 26, 1906. Contractor notified that working days will be counted from March 1, 1906.

Contract of Wm. Horne Company of February 15, on February 27, 1906. Contractor notified that working days will be counted from March 5, 1906.

Notices filed with contracts.

From the Comptroller—Asking if work under the contract of the James Reilly Repair and Supply Company for Repairs to steamer "Massasoit" was completed within the ten days named in contract, or if time was extended. Contract was completed within the time limit, as extended by the Commissioner.

From the Sheriff of New York County—Stating that receipts for prisoners taken by the Sheriff's guards from the City Prison to the Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, have heretofore been sent by mail. Sheriff asks that such receipts be given to the guards on delivery of such prisoners. Warden of the Penitentiary to comply with request.

From the Department of Public Charities—Asking for a detail of prisoners to unload a barge of salt at storehouse dock, Blackwell's Island. Request granted.

From Rev. E. B. Linde of Jewish Bible Mission—Asking for statistics regarding number of Hebrew prisoners in institutions of Department during the years 1903, 1904 and 1905. Copies of letter sent to Wardens. Reports of Wardens sent to Rev. Mr. Linde.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting that meats, fish, bread, milk, etc., for week ending February 24, 1906, agreed with specifications of the contracts. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reports, census, labor, punishments, etc., for week ending February 24, 1906. On file.

From City Prison—Fines received during week ending February 24, 1906: From City Magistrates' Court, \$30. On file.

From District Prisons—Fines received during week ending February 24, 1906: From City Magistrates' Courts, \$323. On file.

From District Prisons—Reporting the escape from Third District Prison on the early morning of February 25, 1906, of Frank Dugan, a Workhouse prisoner, employed as Fireman, whose time would have expired in a few days. On file.

From District Prisons—John Hughes, Messenger at Fourth District Prison, who was suspended pending investigation of charges made by Max Steinert, an attorney, is hereby again authorized to act as Messenger, said Steinert having failed to appear and to sustain the charges made, though urged to do so, if he were able to verify his assertions.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—List of prisoners received during week ending February 24, 1906: Men, 9; women, 1. On file

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Report of prisoners to be discharged during the month of March, 1906: Men, 82; women, 13. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Fines paid at Workhouse during week ending February 24, 1906, amounted to \$25. On file.

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

On February 26, 1906, of John Schmidt, aged 70 years. Friends unknown.

On February 28, 1906, of John Murphy, aged 59 years. Friends notified.

On file.

From Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island—Time for the removal of employees' families from Hart's Island extended to April 15, 1906.

From Reformatory, Hart's Island—Overseer of Reformatory states that he has made requisition for apparatus for a "School for Telegraphy," as requested by the Commissioner, and which will be established at Reformatory. On file.

From City Cemetery—List of interments made during week ending February 24, 1906. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Warden states that Borough President can make use of the broken stone now at the Penitentiary for Highways in that borough. President Coler asked to make request in writing, so that it will be a record in this Department, and stone will be furnished.

From Kings County Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending February 24, 1906: Men, 33; women, 5. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Prisoners to be discharged February 26 to March 3, 1906: Men, 37; women, 5. On file.

From Kings County Penitentiary—Reports, census, labor, supplies, etc., for week ending February 24, 1906. On file.

#### Communications Transmitted.

To Civil Service Commission—List of appointments, after examinations by Departmental Board, for February, 1906.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

### BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

City of New York, March 12, 1906.

Operations for the Week Ending March 10, 1906.

Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost of new buildings, \$2,173,100).....	22
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost for alterations, \$624,975).....	99
Buildings reported as unsafe.....	48
Buildings reported for additional means of escape.....	9
Other violations of law reported.....	128
Unsafe building notices issued.....	106
Fire-escape notices issued.....	15
Violation notices issued.....	239
Unsafe building cases forwarded for prosecution.....	1
Iron and steel inspections made.....	3,660

EDW. S. MURPHY, Superintendent.

William H. Class, Chief Clerk.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

## SPECIAL MEETING.

Saturday, January 13, 1906.

A special meeting of the Board of Education was held at the Hall of the Board, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, at 9 o'clock a. m., on Saturday, January 13, 1906, in response to the following call:

Department of Education,  
Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street,  
New York, January 11, 1906.

A special meeting of the Board of Education will be held at the Hall of the Board, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, at 9 o'clock a. m., on Saturday, January 13, 1906, to take suitable action in reference to the death of Hon. M. Dwight Collier, which occurred very suddenly on the 10th instant; after which the members are respectfully requested to attend the funeral, which will be held at Grace Church, Broadway and Tenth street, at 10 o'clock a. m.

By order of the President.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary.

After announcing the death of Mr. Collier, which occurred suddenly on January 10, the President said:

It is with a sense of deep personal loss that we assemble at this time. Mr. Collier was not a product of the public school system, but he gave himself unsparingly to his duties as a member of this Board. He became a member of the Board on February 3, 1902, and was at once assigned to the Committee on Elementary Schools and the Committee on High Schools and Training Schools. In February, 1903, he became a member of the Committee on Supplies. A year later he was made Chairman of the Committee on Finance and relieved from membership in the Committee on High Schools and Training Schools. His service as a member of the Committee on Finance, the Committee on Elementary Schools and the Committee on Supplies continued until his death. In all fields of activity connected with this Department he was absolutely and unqualifiedly true to his trust. We all miss him.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Greene:

Resolved, That a Committee of three be appointed by the President to prepare appropriate resolutions in reference to the death of Hon. M. Dwight Collier, and present the same at the next meeting of the Board.

In presenting this resolution, Mr. Greene addressed the Board as follows:

Mr. President: I am not unmindful of the fact that there are others among the members of the Board of Education who, by reason of closer and more personal relations with our deceased fellow member, are better qualified to speak with adequate appreciation of the many fine characteristics of Mr. Collier. I would not seem to wish to stand in the place of one of them for a moment, but it may perhaps not be deemed unfitting that in this official presence the formal initiation of our expressions of regret as a Board should come from the membership of the Standing Committee of which he was Chairman. On behalf of that Committee and representing its feelings, and, as I well know, those of every member of this Board, I respectfully ask that in accordance with decent and well-approved precedent the resolution just submitted be adopted.

It may perhaps not be out of place for me to say that I have enjoyed the privilege of serving on two of the Standing Committees of the Board and upon more than one of the special committees with which his name will be linked in its records. It is not long since I had occasion to speak to President Tiff in terms of high commendation of Mr. Collier's service upon the Committee on Finance—of his painstaking scrutiny of the financial interests of the Board and of the City, of the sense of trusteeship that was ever present to control his action. Of the high value of his service upon the Committee on High and Training Schools the President was, while a member himself, a witness, and it was gladly recognized by his colleagues. His work upon the special committees with which he was associated either as Chairman or as simple member was characterized by energy, intelligence and faithfulness. We shall all miss in him a most helpful force in the labors of the Board—a type of unswerving integrity—a personality marked by dignity and courtesy, and a geniality which seemed to have escaped the habitual incrustation of time. He was not of those of whom it has been said that Heaven showed its favor toward them by relieving them in early years of their labors here. He lived, as the days of man are numbered, a long life in usefulness and honor, and ripeness of years enabled him to bring to the work to which he devoted himself the counsels of maturity. Yet speaking under the spell of my memories of Dwight Collier, I feel that I can best close this brief and hasty tribute with two lines from the deathless threnody dedicated by one of the youngest and greatest masters of English song to a still younger chorister—lines written under a sky which bends above the Eternal City and seems to beckon forever with the promise of immortality:

"Peace, peace! he is not dead, he doth not sleep—  
He hath awoken from the dream of life."

In seconding the resolution offered by Mr. Greene, Mr. Harrison said:

Mr. Collier and I were personal friends for many years. There was no subject that was too small for his mind to grasp in relation to our public schools. I have talked with him often about the necessity of primary education, as well as that of the high school, and in his relations with this Board I dare say that there is no member who was more conscientious in the discharge of the duties that were imposed upon him. Some time ago it happened to be my fortune to be Chairman of a Committee of Investigation. In that investigation Mr. Collier came before the Committee at our request, and his examination disclosed a degree of conscientiousness which I had never supposed any member of the Board would go through with in order to get at the facts in the case. It required the visiting of every school—not one here and there, but every school—in some half-dozen districts, and he knew the Principal and he knew the Teachers, and it seemed to give him the greatest pleasure to go around among them to find out what was the truth about Teachers and Principals, and thus get at one of the underlying principles of our public schools. I heard one of the members of this Board say of Mr. Collier that he never wanted an excuse to visit a school—that he only needed the slightest invitation of some sort or other in order to enter it and find out what was going on. And I am glad to testify also to the affectionate relations which he had with each member of this Board. I do not believe that there was ever in his heart the slightest feeling upon any question which was discussed, and in which he might have differed—as he very frequently did—from other members. There was a broad charity in the man and in every thing he did. Therefore, Mr. President, with these few imperfect words I desire to second the resolution most heartily.

The resolution was also seconded by Mr. Dix, who said:

No remarks can add to the force of what has been said. I can only, as Chairman of the Committee on Supplies, of which Mr. Collier had been for years a devoted member, add my testimony to the unswerving loyalty, to the earnestness and devotion which he manifested in his relations with the schools and in his Board work. He was a man of peculiarly broad and gentle disposition, and his heart was warm even when sometimes his words were hot, and he had the most delightful attributes as a man.

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote, and the President appointed Messrs. Greene, Harrison and Dix as the committee of three provided for therein.

The Secretary presented a letter from Hon. D. J. McDonald, M. D., expressing regret at his inability to attend the meeting, as he was prevented from doing so by an imperative engagement.

The Board thereupon adjourned, and the members proceeded to Grace Church, where the funeral services were held at 10 o'clock.

The members of the Board who attended the special meeting and the funeral services were the following:

Henry N. Tiff, President, and Messrs. Adams, Aldcroft, Barrett, Barry, Cunnion, Dix, Greene, Harrison, Haupt, Higgins, Ingalls, Jonas, Kelley, Man, O'Donohue, Partridge, Renwick, A. Stern, M. S. Stern, Vandenhoff, Warburg, Wilmer, Wilsey, Wingate and Winthrop.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

## STATED MEETING.

Wednesday, January 24, 1906.

A stated meeting of the Board of Education was held on Wednesday, January 24, 1906, at 4 o'clock p. m., at the Hall of the Board, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

Present—Henry N. Tiff, President, and the following members:

Mr. Adams, Mr. Aldcroft, Mr. Backus, Mr. Barrett, Mr. Barry, Mr. Cosgrove, Mr. Cunnion, Mr. Dix, Mr. Donnelly, Mr. Everett, Mr. Francolini, Mr. Freifeld, Mr. Greene, Dr. Hamlin, Mr. Harrison, Dr. Haupt, Mr. Ingalls, Mr. Jonas, Mr. Kanzler, Mr. John C. Kelley, Mr. March, Mr. May, Dr. McDonald, Mr. O'Donohue, Mr. Partridge, Mr. Renwick, Mr. Schmitt, Mr. Sherman, Mr. A. Stern, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Vandenhoff, Mr. Warburg, Mr. Wilbur, Mr. Wilmer, Mr. Wilsey, Mr. Winthrop—29.

Also City Superintendent Maxwell.

Absent—Mr. Babbott, Mr. Higgins, Mr. Man, Mr. Payne, Mr. Schaeble, Mr. M. S. Stern, Mr. Weir, Mr. Wingate—8.

The President announced for consideration the minutes of the meetings held on December 27, 1905, and January 10, 1906, and, on motion, they were approved as printed.

Mr. Warburg moved that the minutes of September 13, 1905, be amended on page 1576 by inserting the following between the twelfth and thirteenth lines from the bottom of the page:

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Association Hall	Hollis	One	\$5
Astoria Assembly Rooms	50 Flushing avenue, Astoria	One	10
L. I. City Turn Hall	345 Steinway avenue, L. I. City	One	10

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Curry's Hall	New Dorp	One	5
Knights of Pythias Hall	Tottenville	One	5
Adopted.			

Communication from the Superintendent of School Buildings, dated January 24, 1906, submitting a report as provided by section 29, subdivision 11, of the By-Laws, showing new buildings in course of construction, buildings for which proposals have been solicited, the contracts for which have not been executed and new buildings and additions for which plans are completed, or which are in an advanced stage.

Ordered to be printed in the minutes.

Contracts were awarded as follows:

From the proceeds of Corporate Stock, sections 47 and 169 of Revised Charter:

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

For the Sanitary Work and Gasfitting at New Public School 66. James Fay's Son.....	\$19,437 00
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For the General Construction, Etc., of Addition to Public School 83. P. J. Walsh.....	\$173,990 00
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From the proceeds of Corporate Stock, sections 47 (as amended by Chapter 409, Laws of 1904) and 169 of Revised Charter:	
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BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

For Alterations of Heating and Ventilating Apparatus of Public School 20. United Heating Company.....	\$13,300 00
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From the proceeds of Corporate Stock, sections 47 and 169 of Revised Charter:	
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## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

For the General Construction, Etc., of Additions to and Alterations in Public School 121. Harry Berry & Co.....	\$96,635 00
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For Item 2, Heating Work of Additions to and Alterations in Hall of the Board of Education. Daniel J. Rice.....	\$1,796 00
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## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

For the General Construction, Etc., of Addition to and Alterations in Public School 66. Joseph Ohlhausen.....	\$77,982 00
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From the proceeds of Corporate Stock, sections 47 (as amended by Chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904) and 169 of the Revised Charter:	
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## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

For Forming Bathroom, Etc., on First Story of Public School 120. John Spence, Jr.....	\$1,694 00
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Special School Fund, 1906, "General Repairs:"

Repairs to Temperature-Regulating Systems in Various Schools.

The Bronx. Manhattan. Brooklyn.

Item 1—Johnson Service Company.....	\$922	\$2,075	.....
Item 2—Johnson Service Company.....	.....	495	\$3,492 00

At this point the President presented a communication from Associate City Superintendent Higgins, as follows:

January 24, 1906.

To the Board of Education:

I hereby make application to be retired as Associate City Superintendent of Schools, to take effect at the pleasure of the Board.

Respectfully yours,

ALGERNON S. HIGGINS.

Mr. Kelley moved that Associate City Superintendent Higgins be retired, to take effect on September 1, 1906.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Backus.

Mr. A. Stern moved to amend the motion offered by Mr. Kelley by making the date February 1, 1906, instead of September 1, 1906.

The motion was seconded, and discussion ensued, section 21 of the By-Laws being suspended, on motion of Mr. Harrison, for the purpose of considering the matter.

The President put the question on the amendment offered by Mr. A. Stern, and it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Yeas—The President, and Messrs. Adams, Aldcroft, Barrett, Barry, Cosgrove, Cunnion, Dix, Donnelly, Francolini, Greene, Harrison, Haupt, Jonas, Kanzler, March, May, McDonald, O'Donohue, Renwick, Schmitt, Sherman, A. Stern, Vandenhoff, Warburg, Wilbur, Wilmer, Wilsey and Winthrop—29.

Nays—Messrs. Backus, Everett, Freifeld, Hamlin, Ingalls, Kelley, Partridge and Sullivan—8.

The motion offered by Mr. Kelley, as amended, was then adopted.

On behalf of the Special Committee appointed by the President on January 13, 1906, to prepare suitable resolutions in reference to the death of Hon. M. Dwight Collier, Mr. Greene asked for and obtained permission to present the following:

Resolved, That the following minute be spread upon the records of the Board:

It is with a deep feeling of regret that the Board here stays for the moment its ordinary activities to place upon record this all too brief recognition of its loss in the passing from the scene of his public labors of Commissioner Maurice Dwight Collier. Mr. Collier's final summons came suddenly on the day of the last stated meeting of the Board, whose interests formed the subject of his thought and of communication from his bedside almost till the end.

Appointed to membership in the Board of Education at the beginning of the year 1902, he rendered most valuable service on some of the most important committees of the Board. He served as a member of the Committee on Elementary Schools, on High Schools, and on Supplies, and was early last year appointed Chairman of the Committee on Finance. In addition, he devoted much time to the work of the Board on a number of special committees, among which may be particularly named the Committee on the Public School Centenary, of which he served as Chairman, the Joint Committee on the Revision of the Course of Study, and the Committee on Bookkeeping Revision and on the Central Supply Depository. The services of the deceased Commissioner on these committees was assiduous and unremitting. His counsels were dictated by a steady devotion to the best interests of the public school system, and his high abilities rendered his part in the deliberations of his fellow members always a leading one. He gladly assumed assignments demanding special labor, and discharged those duties in a helpful and self-forgetting spirit. As a committee chairman, he was keenly regardful of the opinions of his fellow members, and labored with particular zeal and courtesy to arrive at a possible common ground with those whose agreement with his suggestions was not instant. Of a temperament not lacking in ardency, training and tradition led him to gentle courses, and with qualities of decision and positiveness he exercised a diplomacy such as can never be wholly divorced from a natural kindness of temper. A man of years and of large interests, he seemed to find a congenial atmosphere in the schoolroom, whose light, reflected in the faces of the children of whatever age, he seemed to find ever gladsome, and which he delighted constantly to revisit. Opportunity represented to him a call to duty, and he leaves behind him in the memory of his colleagues the recollection of characteristics which won, in largest measure, their confidence and esteem, while gaining the affectionate regard of the wider audience in the school system to which it seemed ever his pleasure, in fitting ways, to appeal.

JOHN GREENE,  
R. L. HARRISON,  
S. M. DIX,  
Special Committee.

The report of the Special Committee was, on the suggestion of Mr. Greene, adopted unanimously, by a rising vote.

Reports and resolutions were adopted as follows:

Retiring the following-named persons, submitted by the Board of Retirement under date of January 22, 1906, pursuant to the provisions of the Act known as the Amended Retirement Law, being chapter 661 of the Laws of 1905, such retirement to take effect February 1, 1906, the annuity in each case to be one-half of the salary at date of retirement, unless otherwise provided for by law; and directing the Auditor of the Board of Education to compute the amount of annuity to which each of such persons is entitled, respectively:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Name.	Public School.	Date of Appointment.	Inside Experience.	Outside Experience.
Bailey, Anne S. ....	72	December 2, 1873.....	32 yrs. 1 mo.	
Hunt, Cora E., Mrs. ....	119	April 1, 1871; resigned September 1875; reappointed January 1, 1882.....	28 " 6 mos.	
Martin, Annie L. ....	45	April 1, 1868.....	37 " 10 "	
Weiss, Emilie. ....	144	October 1, 1869.....	36 " 4 "	
Alling, Emma H., Mrs. ....	135	October, 1877.....	28 " 4 "	2 yrs. 7 mos.
McEvily, Mary T. ....	29	February 1, 1881; suspended February 25, 1903, for one year; leave of absence from March 1, 1904, to September 12, 1904; from September 12, 1904, to September 12, 1905.....	25 "	May, 1870-Dec., 1872
Koch, Elizabeth (Spl. Tr. Ger.) ....	46 and 186	February 1, 1891.....	15 "	9 yrs., Oct., 1875-Nov., 1884
Kennedy, Ellen G. ....	144	October 19, 1868.....	37 " 3 "	
Murphy, Margaret B. ....	29	May 1, 1877.....	28 " 9 "	2 yrs., Sep., 1875-July 30, 1877
Barrows, Louise E. ....	150	March 1, 1865; resigned April 1, 1868; reappointed March, 1870; resigned November 1, 1886; reappointed March, 1888.....	37 " 6 "	
Corrigan, Mary L. ....	190	February 11, 1876.....	30 "	
Burnett, Emma. ....	69	October 4, 1876.....	29 " 4 "	
Hill, Belle. ....	41	November 5, 1885; leave of absence November 16, 1903, to November 16, 1904; from November 16, 1904, to September 11, 1905; from September 11, 1905, to February 1, 1906.....	20 " 3 "	
Ziegler, Julia C. ....	105	February 7, 1876.....	30 "	
Wells, Elizabeth M. ....	16	October 1, 1874.....	31 " 4 "	
Smith, Emma L. ....	77	November 4, 1872.....	33 " 3 "	
McCarthy, Mary E. ....	171	January 4, 1886.....	20 " 1 mo.	
Sullivan, Eliza A. R. ....	106	November 1, 1860; resigned December 24, 1868; reappointed November 1, 1873.....	40 " 5 mos.	
Jones, Sarah A. ....	39	October 1, 1875.....	30 " 4 "	

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Gibbs, Harriet Dayton. ....	2	May 1, 1875.....	30 " 11 "
Bailey, Mary M. ....	28	September 7, 1880.....	25 " 5 "

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Archer, Margaret M. ....	3	March 12, 1882.....	23 " 11 "
Hamburger, Isabella. ....	141	September 1, 1874.....	31 " 5 "
Sands, Bertha Pineo. ....	3	March 1, 1885.....	20 " 10 "
Williamson, Bertha A. ....	111	December, 1870.....	35 " 2 "
Brower, Ida L. ....	70	September 18, 1871.....	34 " 4 "

Appropriating the following sums from the funds of the current year hereinafter specified, for expenditure under the direction of the Committee on Buildings:

Special School Fund, 1906.

General Repairs.

Manhattan	.....	\$80,000 00
The Bronx	.....	20,000 00
Brooklyn	.....	70,000 00
Queens	.....	40,000 00
Richmond	.....	15,000 00

Furniture and Repairs of.

Manhattan	.....	20,000 00
The Bronx	.....	5,000 00
Brooklyn	.....	15,000 00
Queens	.....	15,000 00
Richmond	.....	3,000 00

Pianos and Repairs of.

Manhattan	.....	1,000 00
The Bronx	.....	500 00
Brooklyn	.....	1,000 00
Queens	.....	650 00
Richmond	.....	500 00

Fire Alarms.

Manhattan	.....	800 00
The Bronx	.....	200 00
Brooklyn	.....	1,000 00
Queens	.....	500 00

Approving and ratifying the awards of contracts by the Committee on Supplies for conveying pupils as hereinafter mentioned, said stages to commence on January 8, 1906:

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Item No. 4—Herwig & Son, two stages at \$3.40 per stage, per school day, Item No. 5—Joseph J. Bible, one stage at \$3.50 per school day. Item No. 6—Herwig & Son, one stage at \$3.60 per school day.

Appropriating the sum of six hundred and one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven and 96-100 dollars (\$601,867.96) from the proceeds of Corporate Stock, to be issued by the Comptroller pursuant to sections 47 and 169 of the Revised Charter, application for the issue of which is hereby made; said sum to be applied to the payment of the awards (and interest thereon), costs, charges and expenses, as confirmed by the Court, in the proceeding for the acquisition of lands in the block bounded by Hester, Eldridge, Canal and Forsyth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, as a site for school purposes; requisition for said sum being hereby made upon the Comptroller.

Appropriating the sum of two hundred and forty-nine thousand seven hundred and seventy-six and 96-100 dollars (\$249,776.96) from the proceeds of Corporate Stock, to be issued by the Comptroller, pursuant to sections 47 and 169 of the Revised Charter, application for the issue of which is hereby made; said sum to be applied to the payment of the award (and interest thereon), costs, charges and expenses, as confirmed by the Court, in the proceedings for the acquisition of lands on West Houston and Clarkson streets, between Varick and Hudson streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, as a site for school purposes; requisition for said sum being hereby made upon the Comptroller.

Appropriating the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) from the proceeds of Corporate Stock, to be issued by the Comptroller pursuant to sections 47 and 169 of the Revised Charter, application for the issue of which is hereby made; said sum to be applied to the purchase, as a site for an athletic field, of lands and premises bounded and described as follows:

Orchard and Monson streets and East River, Astoria, Borough of Queens: Beginning at the northwesterly corner of Orchard and Monson streets, as said streets are laid down on a map made and filed by the Commissioners for laying out streets, avenues, roads and parks in Long Island City; running thence northerly along the westerly side of said Monson street four hundred and ninety-four (494) feet eleven and three-eighths (11 3/8) inches, more or less, to the original high water line of the East River; thence westerly and southerly, as the river runs, to the northerly side of said Orchard street; thence easterly along said Orchard street three hundred and ten (310) feet two and three-quarters (2 3/4) inches, more or less, to the point or place of beginning. Together with all the right, title and interest of the said vendor in and to Monson street and Orchard street lying in front of and adjoining the premises above described to the centre lines of said streets; also the riparian rights, if any, of the said vendor pertaining to the above-described property.

Subject, nevertheless, to the effect, if any, of the reservations contained in a certain grant by the People of the State of New York to Stephen Bolles Halsey, dated the 15th day of May, 1863, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens in Liber 1303 of Conveyances, page 357.

Also subject to a certain lease made by the said vendor to M. R. S. MacKenzie, Captain U. S. Navy, Inspector of Third Lighthouse District, which will expire on the 30th day of June, 1906.

Also subject to the privilege to B. A. & G. N. Williams, tenants, to have until the first day of March, 1906, to remove the derrick owned by it, and the guys and cables supporting the same; also certain stone and marble.

Also the said vendor expressly reserves the right to remove from the above-described property, at any time within three months from the delivery of the deed, the double frame building now occupied by Zimmer and Hoell, respectively; also the frame building occupied by Warner; and so much of the stone heretofore placed upon said property as it may desire to remove within the period aforesaid.

And also subject to certain other existing monthly tenancies.

Also subject to all unpaid taxes imposed on lands under the waters of the East River in front of and adjoining the above-described property between the original high water mark and the Pier and Bulkhead line.

The said sum to be paid by said Comptroller out of the proceeds of said Corporate Stock, requisition therefor being made, for the said lots of lands and premises, upon the presentation to him of the deed or deeds therefor, together with a certificate of the Corporation Counsel that the title thereto is satisfactory and fully free from all incumbrances and is vested in The City of New York.

Approving bills of William H. Waite, aggregating \$92.50 for payment; and suspending section 29 of the By-Laws, subdivision 4, for said purpose.

Requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize a lease of St. Veronica's School, on the south side of Leroy street, between Hudson and Greenwich streets, Borough of Manhattan, as an annex to Public School 3, for a period of one year from February 1, 1906, with the privilege of renewal for one year, at an annual rental of \$4,000 and taxes, payable quarterly; the owners, Church of St. Veronica, Incorporated, Rev. Joseph F. Flannery, Secretary, No. 657 Washington street, Manhattan, to keep the roof in repair; the Board of Education to make interior repairs and alterations and furnish light, heat and Janitor's service.

Requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize a lease of the vacant land directly opposite Public School 67, Glendale, Borough of Queens, beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Webster avenue with the southerly line of Central avenue, and running thence westerly along the southerly line of Central avenue one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet; thence southerly and parallel with Webster avenue one hundred (100) feet; thence easterly and parallel with Central avenue one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet to the westerly line of Webster avenue, thence northerly along the westerly line of Webster avenue one hundred (100) feet to the southerly line of Central avenue, the point or place of beginning, for a period of three years from March 1, 1906, at an annual rental of \$300, payable annually, with the privilege of renewal for an additional period of three years at an annual rental of \$400; the Board of Education to have the right to remove from the premises, at any time,

any and all buildings or improvements whatsoever placed thereon. Owner, Edward Christian, Glendale Station, Borough of Queens.

Approving the action of the Committee on Buildings in authorizing the Superintendent of School Buildings to designate William O. Hoffman as Chief of Construction, and fixing the salary of William O. Hoffman at three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum, to take effect February 1, 1906, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

Appropriating the sum of four hundred and sixty-two dollars (\$462) from the proceeds of Corporate Stock, to be issued by the Comptroller pursuant to sections 47 and 169 of the Revised Charter, application for the issue of which is hereby made; said sum to be applied in full payment for extra cost to Thomas Cockerill & Son and James Harley, contractors, for additional work in connection with their contracts, as hereinbefore stated; requisition for said sum being hereby made upon the Comptroller.

Appropriating the sum of seven hundred and eighty-one dollars and forty-seven cents (\$781.47) from the proceeds of Corporate Stock, to be issued by the Comptroller pursuant to sections 47 and 169 of the Revised Charter, application for the issue of which is hereby made; said sum to be applied in full payment for extra cost to Reis & O'Donovan, contractors, for additional work in connection with their contract, as hereinbefore stated; requisition for said sum being hereby made upon the Comptroller.

Approving and ratifying the action of the Committee on Supplies in appointing Abraham Savitch, of No. 100 Forsythe street, Borough of Manhattan, as Office Boy in the office of the City Superintendent of Schools, at a salary of \$300 per annum, subject to the rules and regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, said appointment taking effect January 15, 1906.

Amending section 36 of the By-Laws of the Board of Education by adding thereto a new subdivision, to be known and designated as subdivision 6, as follows:

6. No retirement of a member of the teaching or supervising staff recommended by the Board of Retirement shall be made by the Board of Education without a statement, furnished by the Board of Retirement, of the length of service entitling such member to retirement.

Amending section 15 of the By-Laws of the Board of Education by inserting therein a new subdivision, to be known and designated as subdivision 6, as follows:

6. It shall apportion to the high schools and elementary schools the moneys appropriated by the State from the common school library fund and from the academic fund in accordance with the provisions of Title 13 of Chapter 556 of the Laws of 1894, as amended, and of Chapter 498 of the Laws of 1901, and of Chapter 699 of the Laws of 1905, upon the following basis, to-wit:

For High Schools: (a) A sum equal to \$250 for each high school maintained during the preceding school year (for books and apparatus); (b) a further sum equal to \$100 for each of said high schools; (c) a sum equal to \$2 for each teacher employed in said high schools for the legal term during the preceding school year; and (d) the amount received from the State upon the basis of the aggregate days of attendance of pupils in said high schools.

For Elementary Schools: For libraries the sum of \$18, and a further sum equal to \$2 for each teacher employed in elementary schools for the legal term during the preceding school year.

It shall apportion, upon a like basis, to the high schools and elementary schools, the appropriation or appropriations made by the city for the purposes mentioned in this subdivision.

Directing the Committee on By-Laws and Legislation to take such action as it deems proper to defeat the passage of Assembly bill No. 147.

Reaffirming the action of the Board of Education taken on September 27, 1905 (see Journal, page 2051), in selecting and determining as a site for school purposes a strip of land, 22 by 100 feet, on Concord street and Nutria alley, adjoining Public School No. 1, Borough of Brooklyn.

Acquiring title to the premises known as No. 183 Norfolk street, subject to the easement of the owner of the adjoining property on the south, known as No. 181 Norfolk street, in and to said party or division wall, so long as said wall shall stand, and requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to adopt a resolution similar to the foregoing, in accordance with the advice of the Acting Corporation Counsel.

Approving the recommendation of the Board of Superintendents that on the retirement of Miss Mary White from the Principalship of Public School 34, Primary, Manhattan, on February 1, 1906, said school be consolidated with the boys' school now in the same building, the resulting organization to be under the supervision of the present Principal of the boys' school and to be known as Public School 34, Manhattan.

Approving the recommendation of the Board of Superintendents, that Public School 9, Grammar Department, and Public School 9, Primary Department, Borough of The Bronx, containing twenty-one and twenty-eight classes respectively, be consolidated into one school, to take effect February 1, 1906.

Finding Joseph Curren, Jr., Clerk, in the Bureau of Supplies of the Department of Education, guilty of deceit and falsehood, misconduct and neglect of duty, and dismissing him from the service.

Approving the recommendation of the Board of Superintendents that Public School 94, Primary, and Public School 94, Girls, Borough of Manhattan, be consolidated into a single school having grades from the kindergarten through the 6B, under the supervision of the present Principal of the primary department, said consolidation to take effect from and after February 1, 1906.

Excusing the following-named Teachers for absence, with pay, for the time indicated opposite their names:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Personal Illness.

School.	Name.	Days Excused Since September, 1905.	When Absent.	Days Excused.
2	Max Kufeld.....	....	December 4 to December 22.....	15
2	Alice I. Keeney.....	....	September 8 to December 22.....	73
2	Oscar Birnbaum.....	....	September 21 to December 22.....	64
144	Mary E. Mack.....	....	December 14 to December 21.....	6
144	Emilie Weiss.....	....	September 8 to December 22.....	72
177	Jeannette Halperin.....	....	September 8 to December 22.....	73
177	Mary E. LeGallez.....	....	October 3 to December 22.....	56
177	Katherine R. Oates.....	....	September 8 to December 22.....	73
177	Jessie Siegel.....	....	December 4 to December 8; November 29.....	6
177	Mary T. Stevens.....	....	December 18 to December 22.....	5
177	Eveline F. Reed.....	....	December 11 to December 15.....	5

Death in Family.

School.	Name.	Days Excused Since September, 1905.	When Absent.	Days Excused.
177	Jessie Siegel.....	....	November 24 to November 28.....	3
177	Emma M. Corrigan.....	....	December 18 to December 22.....	3

Approving the application of the principal of Public School 92, Brooklyn, for permission to hold the graduating exercises of said school in the Lenox Road Baptist Church, the school not being provided with an Assembly room.

Promoting the following-named Teachers as indicated below, said promotions to take effect on commencement of service subsequent to occurrence of vacancies:

From Schedule VI. to Schedule VII.

Name.	District.	School.
Frederick F. Crooker.....	15	6B
Frederick Schoedel.....	6	25
Christopher D. Collins.....	6	79
George L. Hentz.....	17	171
Orry H. Hoag.....	26	13
Thomas J. Donohue.....	26	36

From Schedule IV. to Schedule V.

Name.	District.	School.
Lydia Christlein.....	5	13G
Amelia A. McCready.....	9	41
Mary Holmes.....	8	50
Evelyn B. Stanley.....	31	16
Gertrude Forrest.....	35	74
Amelia B. Foote.....	28	78
Helen A. Findlay.....	38	89
Emily A. Goodwin.....	40	108
Grace H. Lessing.....	38	119
Margaret A. Carr.....	39	125
Georgie M. Francis.....	38	130
Marie A. O'Connell.....	37	131
Abigail Young.....	37	140
Mildred P. Dobson.....	35	145
Eloise Pounding.....	46	3

From Schedule III. to Schedule IV.

Name.	District.	School.
Mary H. Williams.....	1	1G
Mary L. Merdian.....	9	3
Eva Lazinski.....	5	13G
Josephine H. Jost.....	8	19Gr
Mary Delavan.....	6	25
Margaret Simpson.....	11	28G
Jessie B. Goetschius.....	11	28G
Louise F. Marsh.....	9	41
C. Mathilde Klees.....	8	50
Elizabeth L. Healy.....	8	50
Mary E. Davies.....	12	73
Julia Doyle.....	11	80
Hattie Blatt.....	15	96G
Emily F. Walsh.....	4	110
Bertha R. Spring.....	14	87
Elizabeth Clarke.....	4	147
Millie S. Brown.....	4	147
Ella C. McNair.....	17	171
Frances E. Duffy.....	7	188G
Blanche Cohen.....	24	25
Fannie C. Fulton.....	23	30
Sarah McNamee.....	27	4
Mary E. Holberton.....	27	12
Lulu N. Roberts.....	31	16
Mary M. Reardon.....	36	17
Josephine L. Burggraf.....	33	18
Katherine C. Lovas.....	31	19
Annie E. Spears.....	34	23
Annie J. Carey.....	28	58
Martha M. Wilson.....	40	72
Florette M. Thatford.....	28	78
Jane V. Sheely.....	38	92
Cora A. Howard.....	36	106
Amy L. Hobbs.....	36	106
Bertha G. Nason.....	40	108
Edith M. McCabe.....	38	130
Anne Warford.....	35	145
Zinnia P. Wood.....	41	4
Anna R. Mooney.....	42	6
Caroline R. Seaman.....	44	52
Mabel Heslan.....	44	59
Evalyn B. Gatchell.....	44	81
Miriam F. Selby.....	46	3
Dora B. Dodge.....	46	12
Clara V. Fach.....	45	16
Addie M. Gaylord.....	45	16

Promoting and transferring the following-named teachers from Schedule III to Schedule IV to the schools indicated opposite their names, said promotions and transfers to take effect February 1, 1906:

Name.	From District.	School.	To District.	School.
Sarah I. Wilson.....	2	2	3	62Gr
Elizabeth F. Wandelt.....	16	86B	24	23
Alice G. Connolly.....	35	53	33	43
Jane A. English.....	44	81	32	25
Constance W. Fuller.....	37	101	37	103
Frances M. Quinlan.....	38	89	37	140

Transferring Emma L. McGrury, Teacher in Public School 58, Borough of Manhattan, at her own request, from the rank and pay of Schedule II (a) to the rank and pay of Schedule III, from February 1, 1906.

Extending the appointment of May H. Barrett, a Teacher in Public School 125, Borough of Brooklyn, which expires on January 31, 1906, without limit as to time.

Transferring John F. Reigart from the principalship of Public School 89, B., District No. 21, to that of Public School 2, District No. 2, Schedule I (b), said transfer to take effect February 1, 1906.

Transferring Ellen C. Phillips from the principalship of Public School 94, G., Manhattan, to that of Public School 141, Manhattan, Schedule I (a), said transfer to take effect February 1, 1906.

Appointing the following-named persons as principals of elementary schools in districts designated (to be assigned to the schools indicated opposite their names), said appointments to take effect February 1, 1906, except where otherwise specified:

## Schedule I. (a).

Name.	District.	(Public School 124, Manhattan)
Eugenie C. Levie	9	(Public School 124, Manhattan)
Mary McSwyny	30	(Public School 39, Brooklyn)
*Anna A. McNulty	35	(Public School 53, Brooklyn)

## Schedule I. (b).

Thomas C. Halligan	21	(Public School 89B, Manhattan)
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Disagreeing with the nomination by the Board of Superintendents of the following-named person for the position of Principal in the district designated, the appointment to take effect February 1, 1906, and rejecting the nomination upon the ground that the nominee was found, upon investigation, not to be qualified for the position of principal:

Anna E. Perham, Sixth District.

Appointing Emma Sylvester as Principal of an elementary school in District No. 6, Schedule I. (a) (to be assigned to Public School 35, Borough of Manhattan), said appointment to take effect February 1, 1906.

Transferring the following-named teachers as indicated below, said transfers to take effect February 1, 1906, except where specified to take effect on assignment by the City Superintendent:

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

## Schedule II. (a)

Name.	From District.	From School.	To District.	To School.
Miriam Roeder	12	49Gr	12	73
Marcelia McKeon	13	76	14	94

## Schedule IV.

Name.	From District.	From School.	To District.	To School.
Rebecca McElhinney	14	94G	18	9
Viola Yoerg	20	57G	18	9
Helen S. Fletcher	14	94G	8	50
Mary E. Nesbitt	14	94G	20	57G
Maria P. Mendes	Tr. School		4	110
Louise Jacobs	14	94G	14	141

## Schedule VI.

Name.	From District.	From School.	To District.	To School.
Simon Bachrach	39	84B	2	2
George Haupt	42	11	4	22B
Leo I. Kearney	11	51	6	25
Arthur G. Mulligan	14	87	14	58
Edward W. Kelly	2	2	3	62Gr
Abraham M. Tobias	37	2	3	75
Alexander Rosen	19	43Gr	4	147
Eugene B. Gartlan	21	24	22	169
Charles C. Rubens	11	67	22	192

## Schedule III.

Name.	From District.	From School.	To District.	To School.
Mary E. C. Franklin	1	23	22	5B
Emma L. McGrory	14	58	18	9
Clara H. Wellner	24	25	19	10B
Edith L. Hamilton	23	37	19	10P
Emily A. Leddy	31	33	10	11
Rosalie E. Bartsch	5	140	5	13G
Mary E. Danihy	27	8	9	16
Frances L. Wheat	8	104	8	19P
Mary T. Thomas	4	31	6	25
Mary A. Neville	6	20B	6	25
Bertha P. Lyon	6	20B	6	25
Nettie Sprung	5	13P	6	25
Emma F. Files	11	67	11	28G
Helen Keeney	1	21	11	28G
Elizabeth Riseley	23	29	9	41
Caroline L. Losche	9	16	9	41
Martha H. Curran	46	8	3	42
Mabel E. Conway	4	31	10	45P
Norma Romann	18	93G	8	50
Mary J. Candler	12	27	8	50
Carolyn L. Frances	23	1	8	50
Aline I. McDonald	3	92	22	52
Alice L. Kircher	17	121	15	53G
Harriet A. Belmont	9	16	10	56
Anna M. O'Bryan	9	3	10	56
Mary W. Moore	6	20B	20	57P
Maude Kilpatrick	6	79	6	63
Anna F. Meister	11	67	6	63
Grace Lieblein	9	38	6	63
Mary M. Musselwhite	18	9	6	63
Mary Burchill	6	79	6	63
Beatrice H. King	6	35	11	67
Margaret McCorken	16	151	17	72P
Nellie B. E. Franck	2	144	14	84
Jessie A. G. Harrower	10	11	20	85
May Palmer	23	30	20	85
Mary V. Burg	14	141	14	94

\* To take effect on assignment by the City Superintendent.

Name.	From District.	School.	To District.	To School.
Louise H. Connell	14	141	14	94
Florence R. Casey	6	35	12	99
Anna Pollock	21	39B	20	103
Julia F. O'Beirne	8	19P	8	104
Lillian M. Webber	8	19P	8	104
Emma E. Gould	9	124	9	113
Eva Kosminski	20	57P	21	119P
Alice E. Landru	6	35	9	124
Belle Palmer	3	62G	7	126
Adelaide Mott	19	10B	1	130
Minnie B. Lente	14	94G	14	141
Henrietta Saxe	14	94G	14	141
Ada M. Butler	14	94G	14	141
Elizabeth A. Coughlan	3	75	4	147
Laura M. Leining	25	4	16	151
Amy I. Bottome	4	98	16	151
Elizabeth A. Gibney	22	52	19	157G
Martha F. Guy	3	92	18	165P
Louise A. Wohlstetter	3	34P	17	168P
Mary G. McMackin	16	30	22	169
Mary E. Mahoney	22	5B	19	170P
Mary G. Landy	12	18G	17	171
Gertrude M. Farrell	3	92	17	171
Essie L. Mahoney	16	109	17	171
Caroline H. Smith	6	25	7	188G

## Kindergartners—Schedule III.

Name.	From District.	School.	To District.	To School.
Dorothea N. McNulty	23	29	11	17
Julia D. Tarbell	46	13	16	150

## Schedule VI.

Name.	From District.	School.	To District.	To School.
Gilbert Brinckerhoff	17	83B	25	6
Kenneth W. Wright	24	23	25	6
John F. Harper	14	58	26	8
James H. McDonald	25	33	26	13

## Schedule III.

Name.	From District.	School.	To District.	To School.
Mary C. Kelly	23	27	26	5
Urlaville L. Smallen	26	17	25	6
Mary B. Weeks	23	27	23	9
Deborra Isaacs	24	25	24	10
Genevieve N. Dougine	26	21	26	13
Alice E. Savage	26	21	26	13
Annie E. Bigelow	26	34	24	25
Ruby F. Simpson	23	9P	24	25
Natalie F. Hodgman	23	9P	23	30
Martha Muller	24	38	23	30
Marguerite Fegan	23	30	23	31
Estelle G. Mente	5	140	25	33
Lucy Gregory	23	9Gr	26	34
Mary H. Fayan	24	25	23	37
Margaret Holscher	25	33	23	37

## Schedule VI.

Name.	From		To	
	District.	School.	District.	School.
John D. Moffett.....	34	23	27	1
John J. Loftus.....	38	128	30	10
Lorentious C. Anderson.....	33	36	27	15
Henry A. Quinn.....	30	107	32	25
Herman Bergoffen.....	35	53	33	43
Israel K. Rolands.....	25	6	32	55
William L. Carroll.....	41	2	38	80
Jacob Milsner.....	22	46	39	83
Edward Cassin.....	27	133	37	118
*Edward A. Sweeney.....	34	34	33	147
*Marius A. Carpenter.....	33	43	33	147
*Raymond Chamberlain.....	35	123	33	147
Roswell Corwin.....	42	6	39	83

## Schedule III.

Name.	From		To	
	District.	School.	District.	School.
Edna S. North.....	37	127	27	1
Mary K. Hawxhurst.....	34	34	29	3
Blanche M. Egan.....	40	65	27	8
Lena McLaren.....	14	58	27	8
C. Maude Thorne.....	30	146	30	10
Kate H. Roberts.....	27	5	29	11
Anastasia G. Marshall.....	33	21	31	16
Leonora C. Cusimano.....	39	83	33	18
Pauline A. Enderlin.....	33	141	31	19
Katharine W. Egbert.....	46	14	34	23
Katherine G. Mahoney.....	33	21	28	27
Elizabeth C. Conley (addl. teacher).....	27	67	30	39
Daisy E. Battison.....	31	16	29	41
*Alice G. Connolly.....	35	53	33	43
*Otilda C. Meyn.....	35	53	33	43
Mabel E. Foy.....	40	63	29	45
Kathryn Matthews.....	33	49	31	50
Irene M. Nealis.....	34	132	34	51
Mary A. Buckley.....	2	7	29	54
Mary J. Donnell.....	39	144	28	58
Mary E. O'Brien.....	40	108	40	61
Jennie T. McLaughlin.....	35	86	32	70
Betty F. Jackson.....	35	123	32	70
Annie J. Wolf.....	40	108	31	71
Mary P. Scott.....	32	26	35	74
Maureen Elder.....	34	31	28	78
Cora Coila.....	39	28	32	78
Mabelle H. Kogge.....	39	84B	32	79
Blanche M. Sentell.....	27	8	30	82
Florence N. Tyler.....	24	38	39	84G
Emily A. Mangan.....	27	1	33	88
Doretta C. Hilmer.....	31	33	38	91
Cornelia A. Teal.....	35	123	38	91
Lillian A. Cronin.....	5	160P	38	98
Hanna Beswick.....	42	14	40	108
Susie Y. McMurray.....	40	61	40	108
Honorina A. Briody.....	34	59	34	110
Dora M. Jessup.....	34	59	34	110
Florence A. Nelson.....	34	59	34	110
Cora M. Reynolds.....	34	59	34	110
Angeline Brumme.....	31	122	34	110
Effie J. Phyne.....	38	100	34	110
Anna F. Eggers.....	34	31	34	110
Emma G. Jenness.....	38	100	34	110
Elizabeth J. Dunham.....	38	92	37	118
Christine G. Goodenough.....	34	20	35	123
Johanna A. Murphy.....	38	91	39	125
Anna McGarry.....	33	88	37	127
Julia H. Plump.....	31	33	32	129
Eleanor I. O'Connor.....	3	42	38	130
Rosa F. Robin.....	29	54	37	131
Katherine M. Millard.....	33	141	38	134
Lizette Metcalfe.....	31	33	38	134
Margaret M. Mullaly.....	38	91	38	139
Pauline V. Bernstein.....	4	31	39	144
Lilian J. Weiss.....	5	13P	39	144
*Mary E. Timlin.....	4	22B	33	147
*Mary A. Dixon.....	33	18	33	147
*Lillie Garrett.....	33	21	33	147
*Sophie E. Pezzoni.....	33	21	33	147
*Jessie Christian.....	33	21	33	147
*Jennie P. Cahill.....	33	21	33	147
*May L. Coombs.....	33	21	33	147
*Anna E. Reybert.....	33	21	33	147
*Minnie A. Jones.....	33	21	33	147
*Clara A. Wild.....	33	43	33	147
*Mabel B. Smith.....	33	43	33	147
*Ida V. Cecil.....	33	43	33	147
*Mary E. Golden.....	33	43	33	147
*Fannie A. Wilson.....	33	43	33	147
*Annie R. Thomas.....	33	43	33	147
*Dora Newby.....	33	43	33	147
*Nettie K. Post.....	33	43	33	147
*Anna M. Wolsen.....	33	43	33	147
*Charlotte R. Smith.....	33	43	33	147
*Lydia A. Creighton.....	33	43	33	147
*Emily F. Rowland.....	33	43	33	147
*Florence E. Smith.....	33	43	33	147
*Rebecca E. Creighton.....	33	43	33	147
*Emma P. Elwert.....	33	43	33	147
*Edith C. Berrian.....	35	52	33	147
*Mary B. Thornton.....	35	53	33	147
*Susie B. Harris.....	35	53	33	147
*Jessie A. Dunn.....	33	88	33	147
*Anna C. Dougherty.....	33	88	33	147
*Anna M. Merz.....	33	88	33	147
*Minnie L. Williams.....	35	123	33	147
*Catherine M. Secor.....	33	141	33	147
*Helen T. Maher.....	33	141	33	147
*Nellie M. Hughes.....	33	141	33	147
*Aileen V. Fahey.....	33	141	33	147
*Katherine S. Greene.....	35	145	33	147
*Cora E. Bowen.....	35	145	33	147

\*To take effect on assignment by the City Superintendent.

Name.	From	District.	School.	To	District.	School.
*Lillian E. Warner.....	35	145		33	147	
*Helen A. McMahon.....	35	145		33	147	
*Mary E. Mulhearn.....	35	145		33	147	
*Marie R. Henderson.....	35	145		33	147	
*Maud E. Mason.....	35	145		33	147	

## Kindergartners—Schedule III.

Name.	From	District.	School.	To	District.	School.
Mary L. Carey.....	31	17		35	24	
Nell McNeil.....	38	119		38	80	
*Helen R. Foster.....	37	105		33	147	
*Nell H. Choate.....	33	43		33	147	

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

## Schedule VI.

Name.	From	District.	School.	To	District.	School.
Thomas F. Delaney.....	41	4		42	84	

## Schedule III.

Name.	From	District.	School.	To	District.	School.
Gertrude E. Bond.....	44	58		44	52	
Maude A. Slocum.....	43	47		44	57	

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

## Schedule V.

Name.	From	District.	School.	To	District.
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## Schedule III.

Name.	District.	School.
Rose Wagner.	1	1G
Sophie C. Ensko.	9	3
Jennie A. Hayes.	2	7
Florence F. Farrell.	9	8
Anna F. Hencken.	19	10B
Mary C. Neafsey.	10	11
Margaret J. Thomas.	10	11
Caroline L. Cheever.	4	12
Jennie I. Goldenberg.	4	12
Ruth Beekman.	5	13G
Henrietta M. Schilsky.	8	14
Margaret F. Conroy.	7	15
Cecilia R. Tarrt.	12	18G
Kathryn M. Laffan.	8	19P
Agnes L. Smith.	4	22B
Ilma Miehling.	4	22P
Mary Levin.	4	22P
Sina Buse.	1	23
Rose C. Mallon.	6	25
Mary A. McGrath.	6	25
Mollie E. Ehrlich.	6	25
Sophie Greenberg.	6	25
Fannie Fishkin.	6	25
Oliva A. Virgil.	6	25
Gertrude M. Gray.	6	25
Ellen F. Allen.	6	25
Charlotte Gehler.	6	25
Margaret L. Hamilton.	6	25
Mary E. Barrett.	10	26
Frieda A. Glanz.	12	27
Pauline L. Kahn.	12	27
Lola P. Kalman.	11	28G
Anna L. Whearty.	1	29
Marie F. Cosgrove.	4	31
Loretto B. Kenehan.	4	31
Caro Jennys.	3	34
Mary F. Ryan.	7	36B
Mary E. C. Scanlon.	7	36G
Ethel A. Butler.	9	38
Emilia F. Sinopoli.	9	38
Edna L. Robertson.	9	38
Georgie B. Sweitzer.	9	38
Ina R. Marvin.	9	38
Emma E. Pfeiffer.	21	39P
Elizabeth R. Walters.	9	41
Margaret A. Sloan.	9	41
Mabel Hanaway.	9	41
Hattie Gluck.	3	42
Eva M. Willmann.	3	42
Marguerite D. Ruggeri.	3	42
Loretta R. Carley.	3	42
Evelyn Feil.	10	48
Cecilia Kelly.	10	48
Vera Sagor.	8	50
Lena Press.	15	53P
Genevieve S. Crowell.	10	55
Sara E. Hutton.	10	55
Florence S. Gross.	20	57P
Margaret A. Cullinan.	20	57P
Lillian Ganong.	14	58
Marguerite L. Lind.	14	58
Maude M. Coleman.	3	62G
Dorothy Lerner.	3	62G
Evangeline D. Rose.	6	63
Ivy S. Asensio.	6	63
Isabel S. Cooper.	11	67
Mabel D. Price.	14	69P
Hiltrud Stager.	7	71
Amelia Muller.	12	73
Margaret L. O'Connor.	12	73
Elizabeth Bradstreet.	12	73
Mary E. Rose.	3	75
Esther Stern.	13	76
Mabel Conelison.	11	80
Irene M. Branigan.	17	83P
Anna M. O'Connell.	17	83P
Mary Wiechers.	17	83P
Minnie Neugass.	20	85
Dollie Goldstein.	20	85
Susan K. Weber.	20	85
Louise H. Rosenthal.	20	85
Minuet Brekstone.	20	85
Eleanor F. Grant.	20	85
Hulda T. Johnson.	20	85
Florence R. Lytle.	20	85
Mary E. Gafney.	14	87
Wilhelmina Markley.	14	87
Edna I. Druding.	14	87
Rebecca London.	4	88
Lena Housman.	4	88
Catherine C. Cleary.	21	89B
Sarah C. O'Donnell.	21	89B
Goldie Monsky.	3	92
Cecelia Lepetes.	3	92
Elsinore A. Des Maret.	18	93G
Susie M. Rose.	18	93G
Grace F. Jimerson.	14	94
Eleanor E. McMillan.	14	94
Janet M. Hood.	15	96P
Anna McCluer.	4	98
Mary C. Nelson.	4	98
Mary C. McGann.	4	98
Violet A. Whittemore.	4	98
Margaret G. Kenny.	8	104
Annie W. Shields.	8	104
Ethel L. Fritz.	7	105
Ray Rosenberg.	1	106
Esther Leinkram.	1	106
Edna A. Digby.	9	107
Ella Brainin.	16	109
Sophie Landy.	4	110
Helen Weisz.	9	113
Harriet K. Lippe.	13	117
Clara V. Bernstein.	17	121
Eleanor F. Malone.	17	121
Helen M. Lyons.	17	121

## Name.

Name.	District.	School.
Lavinia Littell.	9	125
Sara Mitchell.	7	126
Minnie Mandel.	7	131
Irma J. Baumgarten.	12	135
Anne V. Russell.	5	140
Mary E. Sullivan.	16	151
Anna R. Druskin.	5	160P
Elizabeth M. Featherstone.	5	160P
Agnes Hayes.	5	161P
Sara A. Wilks.	5	161
Loretta D. Owens.	17	168P
Goldie R. Hosch.	17	168P
Beatrice LeCato.	22	160P
Mary H. Fay.	19	170P
Violet A. Swain.	19	170P
Lillian Grabkowitz.	19	170P
Anna Shaine.	17	171
Mary C. Pickett.	5	174
Diana Kopciowsky.	5	174
Gussie Greenberger.	5	174
Pauline Weiner.	13	183
Constance J. Delmar.	22	186
Mary A. Regan.	7	188B
Josephine V. Nivison.	7	188B
Frances H. Altman.	7	188B

## Kindergartners—Schedule III.

Name.	District.	School.
Grace L. Gee.	11	17
Catherine E. Hickey.	11	32P
Alice A. Pugh.	3	62G
Isabel J. Hayes.	6	63
Edna Linn.	3	75
Irene H. Bates.	15	77G
Rita Fanning.	15	77G

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

## Schedule II (a).

Name.	District.	School.
Loretta M. Rochester.	24	23
Elizabeth C. Rottger.	24	38

## Schedule VI.

Name.	District.	School.
Henry Steindler.	23	9
Frank A. Allmuth.	26	13
John J. Leonard.	24	23
Maurice J. McCarthy.	24	23
Jacob Margon.	23	29
Samuel S. Marcus.	25	33
Thomas McGreevy.	26	36

## Schedule III.

Name.	District.	School.
Victoria M. Carson.	25	4
Cecilia Seideman.	25	4
Marguerite M. Travis.	23	9
Ida Miller.	23	9
May E. Wiley.	25	11
Elizabeth R. Murray.	26	12
Elsie S. Medl.	26	13
Alicia L. McCormick.	26	13
Lillian M. Downing.	26	13
Elsie K. Clinch.	26	16
Violet Robinson.	24	25
Ruby C. McIntire.	24	25
Lily McSorley.	23	27
Lauretta G. Paris.	23	29
Elizabeth W. Lewis.	23	29
Elfriede E. Zeigler.	23	31
Elsa A. Sibbel.	26	32
Josephine C. Russell.	26	32
Susan H. Hutchinson.	25	33
Rebecca Bebarfald.	26	34
Alice Glennon.	26	34
Leonora C. Wenigman.	26	36
Albina Brand.	24	38

## Kindergartners—Schedule III.

Name.	District.	School.
Emily E. Underwood.	25	11
Florence E. Van Note.	26	13
Juliet C. Leech.	24	23
Urlaville L. Smallen.	26	36

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

## Schedule VI.

Name.	District.	School.
James J. Clarke.	32	25
Joseph V. Waring.	28	27
Jacob H. Dealy.	34	31
Charles C. Germann.	34	31

Name.	District.	School.
Michael J. McEvoy	36	56
George Lewis	40	72
Isaac M. Lipfield	39	84B
Wallace T. Stock	38	90
Abraham Stachs	39	109
Albert M. Van Wagenen	34	110
Austin R. Coulson	37	118
Rudolph P. Ellis	38	119
George A. Clegg	35	123
James E. Smith	27	133
Orville V. Stacy, Jr.	35	145
Samuel P. Abelow	33	147

## Schedule III.

Name.	District.	School.
Mary A. Flanagan	27	1
May Sharp	37	2
Marietta M. Smith	37	2
Lida T. Priest	27	8
Agnes V. Connolly	27	8
Senta Maddaus	27	9
Harriet E. Davies	30	10
May G. Craft	29	11
Marie S. Hurd	31	17
Catherine C. Kelly	33	18
Amy Madden	34	20
Elizabeth M. Brown	39	28
Edna M. Marschalk	39	28
Anne C. Savage	28	30
Helen C. Murtagh	34	31
Mary L. Graham	28	32
Alice F. Eubank	31	33
Jessie L. Titus	31	33
Margaret V. Maher	31	33
Edna K. Rogers	30	39
Lulu H. Burke	29	42
Eleanor Robinson	27	46
Helen V. Oldden	29	54
Ethel R. Hall	40	62
Jennie C. Gunning	40	64
Nellie J. McHenry	32	79
Mary E. Warner	39	84B
Julia Davis	38	92
Paula Freudenthal	39	109
Margaret M. Hynes	39	109
Alice G. Hill	39	109
Mary K. Brick	37	112
Helen A. Cowen	39	115
Lillian Sharp	39	115
Florence Hasbrouck	36	116
Elizabeth R. Gleeson	33	117
Gertrude S. Storms	35	123
Emily L. Haase	35	123
Ellen F. Kinsella	39	125
Elsie Myers	39	125
Helen L. Stratton	38	128
Marie A. Ott	34	132
Margaret G. Greene	34	132
Jessie C. Guisnard	34	132
Edna M. Kershaw	27	133
Margaret Oestreicher	27	133
Felicia M. Reis	28	142
Anna M. Roche	39	144
Margaret E. Cardell	39	144
Katharine L. Norris	35	145
Cecilia R. Langfur	35	145
Laura M. Skidmore	35	145
Alberta E. Pasch	30	146
Janet A. Pyle	30	146
Aimee F. McDonough	30	146
Olgan E. Petersen	33	147
Anna Martin	33	147
Loretta G. McHugh	33	147
Ella M. Wilson	33	147

## Kindergartners—Schedule III.

Name.	District.	School.
Anna W. White	27	8
Katherine Carlin	30	39
Ada M. Milne	36	56
Ida M. Dresser	32	57
Delia L. Davis	38	91
Mildred E. MacInnes	37	105
Margaret McCleary	31	122
Jeannette Bedell	37	140
Belle R. Faulkner	35	145
Jean G. Amos	33	147
Blanche H. Sherry	33	147
Frances M. Vaughan	33	147

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

## Schedule II. (a).

Name.	District.	School.
Evie Corney	43	27

## Schedule VI.

Name.	District.	School.
Eliakim R. Pierce	43	20

## Schedule III.

Name.	District.	School.
Isabella Herz	41	1
Mabel Davis	41	4
Hilda Gamon	42	6
Ellen I. Santry	42	7
Laura A. Grant	43	22
Catherine V. Willis	43	27
Anna E. Collins	43	27
Olive M. Corbett	43	37
Katherine Murphy	43	47
Florence L. Tompkins	43	47
Leonora Pedley	43	47
Maude A. Clayton	44	57
Anna G. Deehan	44	57
Pearl G. Schaubhuth	44	58
Daisy L. Ketcham	44	58
Daisy S. Tucker	44	59
Anna M. Pritchard	44	67
Rosella G. McSherry	44	68
Mabel Young	41	72
Celestine E. Frances	41	72
Cora A. Hare	42	78
Effie M. Smith	42	78
Mary B. James	44	81
Anna J. Fagan	41	83
Elizabeth Redmond	41	83
Alberta Van Cleft	41	83

## Kindergartners—Schedule III.

Name.	District.	School.
Mabel L. Sanford	41	2
Netta G. Biggart	42	17
Mabel D. Denham	44	57

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

## Schedule VI.

Name.	District.	School.
Henry W. Van Allen	45	18
Rufus E. Corlew	45	18

## Schedule III.

Name.	District.	School.
J. Lela Brown	46	1
Gertrude Ostrander	46	9
Gertrude E. Magner	46	12
Elizabeth G. Diman	46	14
Elizabeth Holbert	45	17
Mary B. C. Byrne	45	18
Bessie F. Skinner	45	18
Elizabeth M. O'Neill	45	21

Appointing the following-named persons as Teachers of German for the elementary schools of The City of New York, said appointments to take effect February 1, 1906:

Martha Tumpson.

Francisca C. Lantry.

Appointing the following-named persons as Teachers of the subjects indicated opposite their names for the elementary schools of The City of New York, said appointments to take effect February 1, 1906:

Hugo Felsner; subject, German.  
Harriet M. B. Johnson; subject, Sewing.  
Florence Green; subject, Sewing.  
Elizabeth Yager; subject, Drawing.  
Mary S. Booth; subject, Drawing.

Appointing the following-named persons to the positions for which they have been respectively nominated in high schools, to take effect February 1, 1906:

Stuyvesant High School.  
Earl S. Augsbury; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Mathematics.  
Clifford B. Griswold; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Forge-work.

Wadleigh High School.

Lawrence J. Gallagher; rank, Laboratory Assistant.

Girls' Technical High School.

Ernestine Molwitz; rank, Junior Teacher; subject, German.

De Witt Clinton High School.

Mary J. Quinn (vice Abraham Fischlowitz, who has resigned); rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Freehand Drawing.

Morris High School.

Isabel L. Merchant (vice Stuart C. Gager, who has resigned); rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Biology.

High School of Commerce.

William C. Langdon (vice Harry G. Paul, who has declined appointment); rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, English.

Oscar R. Flynn; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Chemistry.

Alexander L. Pugh; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Commercial Branches.

Melville S. King; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Commercial Branches.

Boys' High School.

William W. Fisher (vice Harold E. Buttrick, who has resigned); rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, English.

Nathaniel Pasternak; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Mechanical Drawing.

Eastern District High School.

Eunice F. Faulkner (vice Dee Beebe, who was transferred to Manual Training High School); rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Drawing.

Beatrice Stepanek; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Latin.

Eloise B. Santee (vice Anna S. Kitchell, who has resigned); rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, German.

Commercial High School.

Alfred L. Hoffmann; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Commercial Branches.

Manual Training High School.

Carleton M. McCall; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Mechanical Drawing.

**Jamaica High School.**  
 S. Lewis Ammerman; rank, Laboratory Assistant.  
 George D. Luetscher; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, History.  
 John P. Cahill; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, Commercial Branches.  
 Louis Fennebresque; rank, Assistant Teacher; subject, French.  
 Appointing the following-named persons to the positions for which they have been respectively nominated, to take effect February 1, 1906:

## High School of Commerce.

Guy M. Carleton (vice Joseph V. Flynn, who was transferred to Commercial High School); rank, Junior Teacher; subject, English.

## Boys' High School.

Jaxon Knox; rank, Junior Teacher; subject, English.

Appointing Adelaide Gould as a Model Teacher in the New York Training School for Teachers, to take effect February 1, 1906.

Appointing Alfred L. Parrott as Assistant Teacher of French in the Stuyvesant High School, to take effect February 1, 1906.

Appointing Sarah E. Webster as Assistant Teacher of Drawing in the New York Training School for Teachers, vice Gertrude E. Tiffet, who has resigned, said appointment to take effect February 1, 1906.

Promoting the following-named persons from the rank of Junior Teachers to that of Assistant Teachers in the subjects and high schools designated, to take effect February 1, 1906:

Helena Evans; subject, Biology; Girls' Technical High School.

Winifred M. Snow; subject, English; Wadleigh High School.

Mabel Elting; subject, English; Wadleigh High School.

William Hance; subject, Mathematics; High School of Commerce.

Irene Corcilius; subject, Latin; Jamaica High School.

Bertha Rosenstadt; subject, German; Jamaica High School.

Isabelle G. Robertson; subject, Biology; Eastern District High School.

Promoting Jesse E. Whitsit from the rank of Assistant Teacher to that of First Assistant Teacher of Physics, Chemistry and Physiography, in the De Witt Clinton High School, to take effect February 1, 1906.

Transferring Henry F. Clark, Assistant Teacher of Chemistry, from the Eastern District High School to the Curtis High School, to take effect February 1, 1906.

Designating the Normal and Training School in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, formerly in the village of Jamaica and County of Queens, which has been transferred to The City of New York in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 524 of the Laws of 1905, as the Jamaica Training School for Teachers; and constituting the Elementary School now conducted in the building by said school as the model school of the Jamaica Training School for Teachers.

Granting permission to the Board of Superintendents to withdraw the nomination of Felix Arnold as Assistant Teacher of English in the Commercial High School, Brooklyn, which was made on January 18, 1906, and appointing Felix Arnold as Assistant Teacher of English in the Stuyvesant High School, Manhattan, to take effect February 1, 1906.

Appointing Catherine C. Eastmond to the position of Principal in Evening Recreation Centres for the season 1905-1906, or for such part thereof as may be deemed necessary, to take effect upon assignment to duty by the City Superintendent of Schools and to continue for such time as her services may be required.

Amending the course of study for all high schools, except commercial high schools, as follows:

"In the third year, substitute for geometry and algebra (second course), algebra, two periods a week, as a required subject, and geometry, two periods a week, as an elective subject.

"In the fourth year, add geometry, two periods a week, as a required subject, and a footnote to the effect that this is required only of those who have not taken it in the third year."

Approving the recommendations of the Board of Superintendents relative to the catalogue of books for public school libraries for 1904-1907.

Appropriating the sum of ten hundred and thirty-seven and 50-100 dollars (\$1,037.50) from premiums derived from the sale of Corporate Stock, heretofore issued by the Comptroller pursuant to sections 47 and 160 of the Revised Charter; said sum to be applied in payment of the following bills, to be incurred by the Committee on Buildings, for and on behalf of the Board of Education, with the Superintendent of State Prisons, for desks, seats, etc., as per our specifications and at prices fixed by the State Board of Classification, for the following schools:

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

1 dozen chairs, style A.....	\$24 00
Public School 8.	
1/2 dozen chairs, style A.....	12 00
Public School 20.	
53 style B chairs.....	159 00
Public School 26.	
1 style D chair.....	\$6 00
1 dozen chairs, style A.....	24 00
20 style B chairs.....	60 00
Public School 28.	
1 dozen style A chairs.....	\$24 00
32 style B chairs.....	96 00
Public School 37.	
1 dozen style A chairs.....	\$24 00
1 dozen style B chairs.....	36 00
Public School 46.	
16 style B chairs.....	48 00
Public School 58.	
14 style B chairs.....	42 00
Public School 59.	
1 style B chair.....	3 00
Public School 74.	
1 style B chair.....	3 00
Public School 82.	
1 dozen style A chairs.....	24 00
Public School 83.	
Chairs for lunch room.....	452 50
Manual Training High School.	
	\$1,037 50

Appropriating the sum of five thousand four hundred and nineteen and 78-100 dollars (\$5,419.78) from premiums derived from the sale of Corporate Stock, heretofore issued by the Comptroller pursuant to sections 47 and 160 of the Revised Charter; said sum to be applied in payment of bills to be incurred by the Committee on Buildings, for and on behalf of the Board of Education, with the Superintendent of State Prisons and the following-named contractor for new furniture, as per our specifications and at prices fixed by the State Board of Classification, for the following schools:

## Public School 87, Borough of Queens.

1 quartered oak roll-top desk.....	\$37 00
1 revolving chair, style D, No. 255½.....	5 00
2 revolving chairs, style C, casters.....	8 00
4 dozen chairs, style A.....	96 00
10 chairs, style B.....	30 00

18 chairs, style E.....	63 00
5 chairs, style No. 27.....	9 38
10 teachers' desks.....	120 00
12 tables, No. 402.....	60 00
2 tables, No. 404.....	15 00
2 tables, No. 406, two drawers.....	56 00
3 tables, No. 52, 5 feet long.....	15 00
560 pieces Capitol desks and seats.....	2,037 00

\$2,551 38

Addition Public School 52, Borough of Manhattan.	
4 Teachers' desks.....	\$48 00
12 chairs, style A.....	24 00
4 chairs, style B.....	12 00
1 chair, style D.....	6 00
170 pieces Capitol adjoining desks and seats.....	637 75

727 75

Addition Public School 45, Borough of Brooklyn.	
297 pieces adjoining desks and seats.....	\$1,086 90
5 Teachers' desks.....	60 00
1 table, No. 405, with two drawers.....	20 00
12 chairs, style A.....	24 00
5 chairs, style B.....	15 00

\$1,205 90

Two plan books, Richard Evans (Hall of the Board).	
	\$5,419 78

918 95

15 80

Requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to approve the following transfers:

\$3,000 from the Special School Fund for the year 1905, and from the item contained therein entitled "Salaries of Officers, Clerks and Other Employees," Board of Education, which item is in excess of its requirements, to the item also contained within the Special School Fund for the same year entitled "Incidental Expenses," Board of Education, which item is insufficient for its purpose.

\$150 from the Special School Fund for the year 1905, and from the item contained therein entitled "Fuel," Borough of The Bronx, which item is in excess of its requirements, to the item also contained within the Special School Fund for the same year entitled "Fuel," Borough of Queens, which item is insufficient for its purposes.

Requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to approve the transfer of seven hundred dollars (\$700) from the General School Fund for the year 1900, Borough of Manhattan, which fund is in excess of its requirements, to the General School Fund for the same year, Borough of Queens, which fund is insufficient for its purposes.

Approving and ratifying the action of the Committee on Buildings in rejecting the one bid received January 15, 1906, for installing electric elevators in the Manual Training High School, Borough of Brooklyn, for the reason that the same was deemed excessive.

Suspending section 30 of the By-Laws, subdivision 2, for the purpose of paying the following bill incurred under circumstances of an emergency nature: Donegan & Swift, Public School 93, Manhattan, grates, etc. .... \$85

(This work was very urgent and had to be done during the Christmas holidays without the delay incident to procuring competitive bids.)

Approving and ratifying the action of the Committee on Buildings on January 15, 1906, in fixing at \$33 per week, each, the salaries of George H. Wessel and Thomas O'Neil, Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, who have completed three years of continuous and meritorious service in said position.

Approving the action of the Committee on Buildings in accepting the resignation of H. P. Connor, Draughtsman in the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, to take effect January 1, 1906.

Approving and ratifying the action of the Committee on Buildings in granting the loan of old kindergarten tables and chairs for the use of the kindergarten established in St. Pascal's Day Nursery, No. 334 East Twenty-second street, Manhattan.

Amending so much of the resolution adopted January 10, 1906 (see Journal, page 52), as applies to increasing the salary of F. C. Cheney, Chief of the Furniture Division, Bureau of Buildings, from \$40 per week to \$42.50 per week, so as to read from \$40 per week to \$45 per week.

Requesting the Secretary to notify the owners of the following-named premises, occupied as annexes to the Commercial High School, Brooklyn, that the leases, which will expire on the dates mentioned, will not be renewed, for the reason that the probable completion of the new building for this school on February 1, 1906, eliminates the necessity for further occupancy:

Nos. 1216 and 1218 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn; date of expiration, February 1, 1906.

No. 1191 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn; date of expiration, February 1, 1906.

No. 1187 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn; date of expiration, February 1, 1906.

No. 1189 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn; date of expiration, March 1, 1906.

Approving and ratifying the action of the Committee on Supplies in granting to William B. Bromell, Inspector of Fuel in the Bureau of Supplies, a leave of absence without pay, on account of personal illness, for three months from January 1, 1906.

Approving the recommendation of the Board of Superintendents that when the main building on Bedford avenue, now occupied by the Commercial High School, is vacated, one floor, or so much thereof as is not needed for the accommodation of pupils of Public School 3, be given over to the use of the Boys' High School, Brooklyn.

Approving the action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in accepting the resignation of Charles Flohr, Janitor-Engineer of the Depository for School Supplies, Nos. 418 to 424 East Sixty-Eighth street, Borough of Manhattan, to take effect January 12, 1906.

Approving and ratifying the action of the President in suspending Thomas R. Brown, Janitor of Public School 113, Borough of Manhattan, on January 16, 1906, pending the trial of charges to be preferred against him.

Approving and ratifying the action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in transferring the following-named Janitors and Cleaners to the schools indicated, said transfers to take effect on the dates mentioned:

Patrick Fox, Janitor, from Public School 28 Annex, The Bronx, to Public School 126, Manhattan; annual salary, \$1,392; from February 1, 1906.

Charles Corwin, Janitor, from Public School 42, Brooklyn, to Public School 86, Brooklyn; annual salary, \$1,184.40; from February 1, 1906.

James F. Conley, Janitor, from Public School 28, Queens, to Public School 12, Brooklyn; annual salary, \$1,404; from February 1, 1906.

William Dunn, Janitor, from Public School 12, Richmond, to Bridge No. 2, Manhattan; annual salary, \$900; from February 1, 1906.

Frederick W. Helbig, Janitor, from Public School 30, Richmond, to Supply Depository; annual salary, \$1,080; from January 20, 1906.

John Knab, Jr., Cleaner, from Public School 27, Queens, to Public School 81, Queens; annual salary, \$480; from January 20, 1906.

Edward E. Dunlap, Cleaner, from Public School 84, Queens, to Public School 27, Queens; annual salary, \$480; from January 22, 1906.

Approving and ratifying the action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in making the following appointments of Janitors and Cleaners, said appointments hav-

ing been made from eligible lists submitted by the Municipal Civil Service Commission:

Soren Thomassen, Janitor, to Public School 4, Manhattan; annual salary, \$1,968; from February 1, 1906.

Patrick J. McLaughlin, Janitor, to Public School 111, Manhattan; annual salary, \$1,200; assignment.

Patrick A. McGann, Janitor, to Public School 16, The Bronx; annual salary, \$1,599; assignment.

Raffaele Cammarato, Cleaner, to Public School 188, Manhattan; annual salary, \$480; from January 10, 1906.

William Lynch, Cleaner, to receiving pier, Manhattan; annual salary, \$480; from January 10, 1906.

Considering the following-named persons, who have absented themselves from duty without leave for more than five days, as having resigned, in accordance with subdivision 2 of Rule XIII. of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, which provides that absence without leave for a period of five days shall be construed as a resignation:

Joseph F. Hall, Cleaner, Public School 12, Richmond.

Albert E. Pechette, Stoker, Public School 81, Queens.

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

John Gross, to Public School 4, Manhattan; from January 10, 1906.

William Kenney, to Public School 113, Manhattan; from January 16, 1906.

Raymond Dyer, to Commercial High School (old), Brooklyn; from January 16, 1906.

John Whiteside, to Public School 12, Brooklyn; from January 16, 1906.

Matthew McGrath, to Public School 37, Brooklyn; from January 11, 1906.

William M. Gavin, to Public School 11, Richmond; from November 14, 1905.

Requesting the Municipal Civil Service Commission to transfer John Knab, Jr., Cleaner in Public School 81, Borough of Queens, to the position of Stoker, in accordance with subdivision 13 of Rule XIX. of the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance respectfully reports that it has received a communication from the President in reference to the transfer from the State of New York to The City of New York of the Normal and Training School in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, formerly in the village of Jamaica and County of Queens, in accordance with Chapter 524 of the Laws of 1905. Said Chapter is as follows:

#### "CHAPTER 524.

"An Act to transfer to the City of New York the normal and training school in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, formerly in the village of Jamaica and County of Queens.

"Accepted by the city.

"Became a law, May 17, 1905, with the approval of the Governor. Passed, three-fifths being present.

"The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

"Section 1. The normal and training school heretofore established in the former village of Jamaica, in the County of Queens, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter five hundred and fifty-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three entitled 'An act to establish a normal and training school in the village of Jamaica and County of Queens,' including all the lands, buildings and appurtenances thereto belonging, shall be transferred and conveyed to the City of New York, for the use of the said city as a training school and public school on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and six, upon terms to be fixed and agreed upon by a commission consisting of the Mayor, Comptroller and President of the Board of Education of The City of New York and the Commissioner of Education and the Comptroller of the State of New York.

"§2. Upon the transfer of the said school under the terms fixed by the said commission the conduct, management and support thereof shall be regulated by chapter three hundred and seventy-eight of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, as amended by chapter four hundred and sixty-six of the laws of nineteen hundred and one, known as the Greater New York Charter, and the Board of Education shall have and exercise the same rights and powers in respect to said school as said Board possesses in respect to other public schools in the City of New York.

"§3. The principals, teachers, janitors and other employees of the said school shall be transferred from the service of the State to the service of the city in the respective positions to which they have been appointed, and shall be entitled to such compensation as is now provided or may hereafter be provided for similar positions in the schools of the City of New York by the lawful authority, subject to change of title and to transfer, reassignment or removal for cause, as may be provided by law; and all such principals, teachers, janitors and other employees shall be eligible for reappointment, subject, however, to the right of the Board of Education of the City of New York to abolish unnecessary positions, and subject also to their complying, in the case of teachers, with the provisions of the Board of Education of the City of New York with regard to renewal and permanence of license, and, in the case of janitors, with the provisions of the law relating to the civil service, that are applicable to the City of New York.

"§4. Provision for the maintenance of said school and the payment of salaries shall be made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in the budget for nineteen hundred and six.

"§5. All acts or portions of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed."

It appears that the Commission constituted in pursuance of the foregoing act held a number of meetings and agreed upon terms for the transfer of the above-mentioned Normal and Training School as set forth in the following agreement:

"IT IS HEREBY AGREED by and between the undersigned, respectively the Mayor, the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Education of the City of New York, and the Commissioner of Education and the Comptroller of the State of New York, that the terms fixed and agreed upon by said Commission provided for by an act entitled 'An Act to transfer to the City of New York the Normal and Training School in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, formerly in the village of Jamaica and County of Queens,' and known as Chapter 524 of the Laws of 1905, be, and they hereby are, the sum of Eighty-two thousand five hundred and fifty-seven and 65-100 dollars (\$82,557.65), which sum shall be paid to the State of New York, without interest, upon the execution and delivery of all papers deemed necessary by the Attorney-General of the State of New York and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York for the transfer to the City of New York of all the right, title and interest of the State of New York in and to the real and personal property connected with said school, and that said transfer and conveyance to the City of New York take effect on and from January 1, 1906.

"GEO. B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

"H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

"HENRY N. TIFFT, President, Board of Education.

"A. S. DRAPER, Commissioner of Education.

"OTTO KELSEY, Comptroller."

It is understood that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will provide the funds for the payment of the sum of \$82,557.65 above mentioned without applying to that purpose any funds heretofore appropriated for the purposes of the Department of Education.

A communication has been received by the President, under date of January 17, 1906, from the Deputy Comptroller, suggesting that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to approve of the action of the Commission constituted as above stated, and to authorize the acquisition of the lands, buildings, fixtures, furniture, library and books at the price of \$82,557.65.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to approve of the action taken by the Commission constituted in pursuance of Chapter 524 of the Laws of 1905, as hereinbefore set forth, and to authorize the acquisition of the lands, buildings, fixtures, furniture, library and books of the above-mentioned Normal and Training School at the price of \$82,557.65; and be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be, and it is hereby requested to provide the necessary funds for the payment by The City of New York of the sum of Eighty-two thousand five hundred and fifty-seven and 65-100 dollars (\$82,557.65) from funds not heretofore appropriated for the purposes of the Department of Education to the State of New York, without interest, upon the execution and delivery of all papers deemed necessary by the Attorney-General of the State of New York and the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York for the transfer to The City of New York of all the right, title and interest of the State of New York in and to the real and personal property connected with the Normal and Training School in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, formerly in the village of Jamaica and County of Queens.

The report was approved and the resolutions adopted by a unanimous vote.

The following report was presented and ordered to be printed in the Minutes: To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance respectfully reports that, in accordance with the authority conferred upon it June 14, 1905 (see Journal, pages 1120 and 1121), the sum of \$15,000, trust funds (comprising \$5,000 of the Holbrook Fund and \$10,000 of the Grosvenor Fund), has been invested in a bond and mortgage on premises No. 231 East Seventy-third street, Manhattan, principal payable June 30, 1908, interest at five per centum (free of mortgage tax), payable each first day of January and July; payment of principal and interest guaranteed by New York Mortgage and Security Company; title to property guaranteed by the Title Insurance Company of New York. The bond, policy of title guarantee, and policy guaranteeing payment of principal and interest have been received and filed; the mortgage is at present in process of being recorded.

The following was also presented, and action taken thereon as indicated:

New York, January 24, 1906.

To the Board of Education:

Gentlemen—The Committee on Buildings respectfully submits for approval plans for the new Parental School to be located on the road from Flushing to Jamaica, about seventeen hundred feet south of the North Hempstead turnpike, in the Borough of Queens.

The plot of land has a frontage of sixteen hundred feet on the highway, is somewhat irregular in shape, and contains about one hundred and seven acres.

It presents a rolling surface, with a commanding ridge parallel with the longer axis and about six hundred feet distant from the southerly or side line, with its highest point about three hundred feet back from the highway, towards which there is quite a sharp fall. Advantage was taken of this in laying out the group of structures which will comprise the Parental School, the principal building, being for administration and school purposes, having been located on the highest point, with the dormitory buildings or cottages extending back on either side of a court or campus about two hundred and ten feet in width and nine hundred and sixty feet in length, there being a transverse court near the lower end of somewhat smaller proportions.

In order to plan the work intelligently it was necessary to lay out the completed scheme, which runs into these large dimensions, but the present plans provide only for the administration and school building, three dormitory buildings, power-house and farm buildings, additional buildings to be erected from time to time as funds are available for the purpose.

The administration building, being nearest to the public highway, will provide offices for the superintendent or principal and his clerks, together with a waiting or reception room for the general public, accessible directly from the main entrance, thus isolating the public portion of the executive offices from the school, which occupies the balance of the structure.

The first floor, in addition to the executive offices, will provide for four classrooms and an assembly hall, 60x66 feet, with entrances directly from the campus as well as from the school rooms.

The second floor will provide seven classrooms, teachers' rooms, etc., while the attic has been laid off for storerooms and dormitories for the female help.

The basement will provide three manual training shops, a gymnasium, 60x66 feet, storerooms, toilets, etc., and space for the ventilating apparatus.

The dormitories or cottages present some rather unusual features, having been designed only after examination of similar institutions in various parts of the country, made upon the declaration of this Board in favor of the adoption of the cottage system.

The Committee on Special Schools, in considering the cost of the structures, as well as that for maintenance, finally recommended the double cottage or dormitory building, and the plans for these provide for a structure one hundred and twenty-one feet in length, divided on its center line by a fireproof wall running through to the roof, thus forming two distinct structures, as far as internal arrangements go, the only connection being through the fire-escape which serves both portions.

The building in its entirety will accommodate sixty boys, divided into two equal groups, each in its own portion of the building and under its own master and matron.

The boys on entering their cottage from the school, farm work or play, pass through a door direct from the playground, which is provided at the rear of each cottage, through a hallway into the basement, where their outdoor clothing will be removed in a large, light dressing room, wherein are provided lockers with seats. If the clothing or shoes be damp, they may be readily dried in a room especially designed for the purpose. At the rear of the dressing room there has been placed a lavatory, leading from which are two compartments, one for shower baths and the other for toilets.

Each locker has a compartment for shoes, which the boys remove and replace with house slippers or moccasins before they pass into the dining room or the dormitories. This not only reduces the noise which thirty boys must necessarily make, but also permits of the cottage being kept scrupulously clean.

One of the important things is a large, light open indoor playroom, which figures not only for recreation purposes in the daytime, but also for that portion of the inmates of the cottage, consisting of the active, restless boys, who do not care to sit and read during the evening, but would rather have their recreation in play.

The first floor is entered both from the playground of the boys and from the campus, the hallway running directly across the building, with the dining-room, pantry, etc., on one side and the living room, reception room and matron's room on the other.

The dining-room is designed especially with reference to the seating of thirty boys, the master and matron and instructor, the pantry adjoining being fitted with china closets, refrigerator, sink, serving table and a bainmarie, the under side of which will be fitted as a plate warmer.

On the opposite side of the hall the living room, about 28x32 feet in size, will afford ample space for the boys to be gathered about the tables in small groups, reading or playing games, being at the same time directly under the eye of the matron, whose room adjoins and is in direct connection therewith.

The second story is really the key to the building, since it must provide a dormitory for exactly thirty beds of the regulation size and with the requisite distance for aisles and passageways. Each boy will be provided with an individual locker, placed as near his bed as possible, in which his clothing removed at night before retiring is placed and locked.

In order to afford adequate escape in case of fire, an additional fireproof staircase, enclosed in a brick shaft, is provided at the rear of the building, connecting with the other dormitory, so as to afford ample escape for each, although the possible total destruction of one portion of the building might take place without in any way endangering the inmates of the other.

The dormitory is provided with toilets through a special passageway, in order that the boys may have free access thereto at night without going into the open hallway.

Adjacent to and overlooking the dormitory are the master's quarters, consisting of two rooms and a bath, clothing closets, etc., having also an entrance direct from the hallway.

One of the important matters is the sewing and locker-room located on this floor, in which is provided a locker for a supply of clothing for each boy.

The attic has two stairways. On this floor the servants' room and bath, extra store room for the boys' clothing, also store room for house linen and bedding and the solitary room.

In order to prevent the overlooking of the occupant of this room in case of fire or other danger, it has been provided with a device whereby the door can be unlocked from the Master's room on the floor below, a lever arm being placed directly alongside the Master's bed.

In an endeavor to obtain as far as possible a home atmosphere and influence in the cottage life of the boys some parental schools have placed a kitchen in each cottage, but the cost of maintenance in such cases is very great, and the Committee thereupon decided to follow the plan adopted by the authorities of the New York Juvenile Asylum in the erection of its new buildings at Dobb's Ferry, New York, as well as several other institutions, having a central kitchen placed in the power house, from which the food is distributed to each cottage.

Experience has shown that the only economical method by which an institution comprising isolated buildings can be heated and lighted is by a central power plant.

In order to obtain economical results the power plant should, if possible, be so located that the returns from the heating surfaces of the other buildings should flow back to the boiler plant without the employment of energy for pumping, and we have, therefore, placed it at the most advantageous position both from a topographical and economical standpoint.

The boiler room occupies the lower level on the side hill, so that the coal may be delivered direct from the bunkers, which are filled from a roadway at a higher level; the size being sufficient to accommodate the boiler, engines, dynamos, pumps, hot-water apparatus, tanks, etc., necessary to care for the buildings which are now to be erected and for some future growth. The boiler stack is planned, however, to take the products of combustion from the total number of boilers which may be required when all the contemplated buildings are constructed and in use.

The topography of the land has been followed in the forming of a road from the highway back to the power-house on as nearly uniform grade as possible, in order to facilitate the delivery of supplies and the delivery of coal at the top of the bunkers, while the supplies are unloaded on a covered platform from which they may be trucked directly into a light, airy and dry fireproof storeroom, in which can be placed flour, sugar and other groceries required by the institution. To the right of the entrance is placed the bakery, with a brick oven, proving room and space for bread storage for a two or three days' supply. To the left is placed a large kitchen with its cooking ranges, soup kettles and refrigerators divided into three spaces for meat, vegetables and milk, butter and eggs; also space for the preparation of vegetables and meats, a scullery, etc.

Mention has been heretofore made of the delivery of food from a central plant, and this has been accomplished by some through the use of wagons, others have employed hand-carts, but all are anxious to abandon these in favor of the subway which the authorities in some places have been wise enough to install.

It is necessary, in order to heat buildings from a central power plant, to extend the piping from one building to another, buried in the ground, thus rendering it inaccessible for repairs and causing great trouble especially if breaks occur therein during winter with frost deep in the ground. All piping and the insulated covering surrounding the same deteriorate very rapidly and need to be renewed within a few years.

This applies also to the lighting conduits and hot and cold-water lines.

It was found, after careful study of the topographical features of the property, that it was possible to run a subway from the power-house around the entire proposed group of buildings, so as to be on a level with the basements of each. This will not only afford space for the pipes of the cold and hot-water lines, gas and electric lighting, but will also afford access to the piping at all times, besides providing a way by which the food can be conveyed from the central kitchen to each dormitory regardless of the weather.

Further, the subway will afford a means of passage for the boys from their dormitory buildings to the schoolhouse for instruction during heavy storms without being obliged to go out of doors.

The subway has therefore been brought in on a level with the floor of the kitchen, arrangements being made for the delivery of food direct to the hot wagons, which two boys can easily haul along to their own cottage.

The second floor of the power-house has been fitted up as a large laundry, adjacent to which is a dormitory for the Engineer and his Assistants. The power-house is of fireproof construction throughout, there being no wood used therein with the exception of the tables and similar fittings.

The design of the group of buildings has been along the modified mission type, which lends itself very readily to the general scheme. These are to be rough brick, covered with stucco, and have red tile roofs, the idea being to provide buildings which will need but a minimum of repairs.

The farm buildings have not as yet been taken up, but, being extremely simple, they can be planned and completed in very much less time than will be required for the other work.

The question of water is a very serious one, and negotiations are now under way with the water companies to obtain their rates for a supply, which, if unfavorable, will necessitate the sinking of artesian wells and the erection of a standpipe, or the installation of some system whereby an ample supply may be had at all times.

Disposal of the sewage is of very great importance, and it has been finally determined, inasmuch as there are no public sewers within several miles of the premises, to install a purification sewage system with precipitation tanks and contact beds located at the extreme rear of the property, away from all buildings.

The working drawings for the administration and school building, dormitories and power-house are completed and have been approved by the Building Department, and the specifications can now be finished and forwarded to the printers at once, so that contracts may be let very shortly.

Respectfully submitted,

RICH'D H. ADAMS,  
SAM'L B. DONNELLY,  
FRANK H. PARTRIDGE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
S. M. DIX,

Committee on Buildings.

It was ordered that the foregoing report be laid over, and that printed copies be sent to all members of the Board.

The following preambles and resolutions were also adopted:

Whereas, The salaries of sundry employees were increased by the Board of Education, to take effect January 1, 1906; and

Whereas, The Secretary of the Municipal Civil Service Commission has stated in writing that certain of said employees would be required to pass a promotion examination in order to obtain the increase in salary granted them, and has further stated in writing that examinations for promotion will be ordered only at stated periods during the months of May and November of each year; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Auditor of the Board of Education be, and he is hereby, authorized to prepare payrolls in the cases of all employees whose salaries have been or may be increased and who are required to take a Civil Service examination for promotion, for such amounts within the increased rates of salary as may be permitted by the rules and practice of said Commission.

Whereas, The oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the matter of the condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of certain lands and premises on James, Oliver and Oak streets, adjoining Public School 114, Borough of Manhattan, as a site for school purposes, were filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on December 9, 1905; and

Whereas, The said lands and premises are urgently required for school purposes, and title thereto should be acquired by the City at as early a date as possible; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be, and it is hereby, requested to adopt a resolution in accordance with the provisions of Section 1,439 of the Revised Charter, as amended, directing that title to said lands and premises, and all interests therein, vest in The City of New York ten days after the passage of such resolution.

Whereas, The oaths of the Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the matter of the proceeding for the acquisition of certain lands and premises on Clinton, Cherry and Water streets, Borough of Manhattan, as a site for school purposes, were filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on January 23, 1906; and

Whereas, The said lands and premises are urgently required for school purposes, and title thereto should be acquired by the City at as early a date as possible; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be, and it is hereby, requested to adopt a resolution in accordance with the provisions of Section 1,439 of the Revised Charter, as amended, directing that title to said lands and premises, and all interests therein, vest in The City of New York ten days after the adoption of such resolution.

Whereas, In printing the last edition of the Manual of the Board of Education the word "not" was by inadvertence omitted in the seventh line of clause (b) of Section 82 of the By-Laws; therefore be it

Resolved, That clause (b) of Section 82 of the By-Laws of the Board of Education be, and it is hereby, amended by inserting the word "not" between the word "must" and the word "be" in the seventh line of said clause.

Whereas, The Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association meets in Louisville, Ky., on February 27, 28, and March 1, 1906; and

Whereas, It is fitting that the Board of Education should be represented at this meeting; therefore

Resolved, That Associate City Superintendent Edward L. Stevens and District Superintendent Julia Richman be and they hereby are authorized to represent the Department of Education at the meeting of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association to be held in Louisville, Ky., on February 27, 28, and March 1, 1906, and that their expenses be paid.

Whereas, A request has been received from the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the transfer of Charles J. Aufferth, Janitor-Engineer of Public School 111, Borough of Manhattan; be it

Resolved, That consent is hereby given to the transfer of Charles J. Aufferth, Janitor-Engineer of Public School 111, Borough of Manhattan, to the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

Whereas, The Acting Corporation Counsel, in a communication dated January 23, 1906, advises that an offer of judgment be made in the action brought by Frank M. Bogert against the Board of Education for a balance of \$1,000, with interest on \$3,882, from January 1, 1904, besides costs; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby authorized to sign and verify an offer of judgment in accordance with the foregoing, provided that the Auditor, on examination, verifies the figures submitted by the Acting Corporation Counsel.

The following preamble and resolutions were presented and referred to the Committee on Elementary Schools:

Whereas, The Hebrew Technical School for Girls has made application for leave to obtain the addresses of girls graduating from the elementary schools, for the purpose of sending them the accompanying circulars.

Resolved, That such permission be and the same is hereby granted, and that the City Superintendent is hereby instructed to afford said institution proper facilities for obtaining such information at such times and in such manner as he may deem reasonable and proper.

Resolved, That any resolution heretofore adopted inconsistent with the foregoing is for this purpose modified and suspended.

Referring all matters relating to the fixing or the increase of salaries of officials or employees of the Board of Education, in cases where such fixation or increase is within the discretion of the Board, to the Committee on Finance.

On motion all absent members were excused for non-attendance at this meeting.

On motion the Board adjourned at 5:55 o'clock p.m.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary.

#### CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

##### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Borough of The Bronx.

March 21—Appointed, under emergency clause, Civil Service Rule XIX., of the following Tree Climbers and Pruners, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 per diem, to take effect March 22:

Charles Speckman, Throggs Neck.

Gerald Carey, No. 372 Rider avenue.

John Bolen, Williamsbridge.

March 20—Appointment, under emergency clause, Civil Service Rule XIX., of the following Tree Climbers and Pruners, at a compensation at the rate of \$2.50 per diem, to take effect March 21:

Patrick Chapman, No. 1021 East One Hundred and Thirty-third street.

Joseph Benyon, No. 2620 Third avenue.

William C. Blair, No. 619 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, care of Kuhn.

Michael Joyce, No. 618 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

Matthew Colford, Jr., Westchester.

Lawrence Shanley, Westchester.

Louis Rapp, No. 686 East One Hundred and Fifty-third street.

Lawrence Sichtling, No. 615 East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

March 20—Employed under emergency clause, Civil Service Rule XIX., for climbing and pruning trees, at \$2.50 per day, March 20, 1906:

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

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

William Nolan, No. 201 West Sixtieth street.

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

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

Eugene Sanders, No. 251 West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

John Gillis, No. 1546 First avenue.

Wm. A. Dwyers, No. 247 West Sixty-eighth street.

Sylvester Ryan, No. 223 East Fifty-eighth street.

James Shortell, No. 1331 Third avenue.

Thomas Hurst, No. 74 East Ninety-fourth street.

James Gaff, No. 1335 Third avenue.

Michael Nolan, No. 311 East Seventy-fifth street.

Timothy F. Buckley, No. 344 East Sixtieth street.

John J. Sullivan, No. 44 Jane street.

James Walker, No. 226 East Eighty-first street.

William Hannigan, No. 534 West Fifty-third street.

James Troy, No. 600 West Forty-third street.

Benjamin Reilly, No. 1665 Park avenue.

George F. Burns, No. 1880 Second avenue.

James Hanavie, No. 369 West Fifty-second street.

Thomas F. Hart, No. 942 Eighth avenue.

Edward Vollmer, No. 108 East Ninety-sixth street.

George Taggart, No. 223 East One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

Fred. Lack, No. 217 East Eighty-fifth street.

Died, March 15, 1906, James Keenan, Laborer, No. 488 Eleventh avenue.

#### TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

March 19—Anna G. Hagan, No. 372 West Fifty-fifth street, Stenographer and Typewriter, salary \$900 per annum, transferred to a similar position in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. This transfer to take effect on March 19, 1906.

Resigned, J. G. H. Harlach, No. 419 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Inspector of Tenements, salary \$1,200 per annum. This resignation to take effect at the close of business on March 12, 1906.

#### BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

March 20—Notice was given recently of the appointment of Harold W. Horne as Assistant Engineer, at a salary of \$1,350 per annum, also Eliot N. Smith as Assistant Engineer, at a salary of \$1,350 per annum. Their salaries should each be \$1,650 per annum, instead of \$1,350.

The Board of Water Supply has made the following appointment:

Charles M. Conover, Hughsonville, N.Y., Laborer, \$2 per diem, March 17.

#### PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

March 19—Appointed Anna R. Mullins, No. 13 Cliff street, Rosebank, a female Cleaner, in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, to take effect Wednesday, March 21, 1906, compensation to be at the rate of \$400 per annum.

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

March 12—William J. Kelly, No. 664 Ninth avenue, Manhattan, a City Marshal, to fill the position vacated by Luigi A. Rocca.

March 19—John J. Glennon, No. 415 West Forty-eighth street, Manhattan, an Executive Clerk in the office of the Mayor, vice Charles L. O'Reilly, resigned.

March 20—George J. Gillespie, No. 146 East Sixty-second street, Manhattan, a member of the Board of Education, vice Henry Schmitt, deceased.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Assembly Bill, Printed No. 399, Int. No. 375, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled:

An Act to amend the Greater New York Charter so as to enable the city of New York to obtain the services of a training school for nurses of the sick in connection with Bellevue and other hospitals.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's office in the City Hall in The City of New York on Thursday, March 22, 1906, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Dated, City Hall, New York, March 19, 1906.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor.

#### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Railroads of the Board of Aldermen will hold public hearings in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Friday, March 23, on the following matters:

Ordinance in relation to car transfers in The City of New York at 2 o'clock p. m.

Resolution to compel Brooklyn Rapid Transit Railroad Company to place drip pans underneath structure in High street, Borough of Brooklyn, at 2:30 p. m.

Resolution in relation to subway station at One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Resolution instructing the Committee on Railroads to investigate the matter of ventilation of the subways and tunnels, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

All persons interested in any of the above matters are respectfully invited to attend.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, and  
Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Public Buildings and Markets of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Friday, March 23, 1906, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., on the following matter:

Communication from Harriette A. Keyser in relation to municipal model dwelling houses.

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.

##### CITY OFFICERS.

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:

##### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

*Mayor's Office.*  
No. 5 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Telephone, 2000 Cortlandt.  
GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.  
Frank M. O'Brien, Secretary.  
William A. Willis, Assistant Secretary.  
James A. Rierdon, Chief Clerk and Board and Warrant Clerk.

*Bureau of Weights and Measures.*  
Room 7, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 to 12 M.  
Telephone, 2000 Cortlandt.  
Patrick Derry, Chief of Bureau.

*Bureau of Licenses.*  
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Telephone, 2000 Cortlandt.  
John P. Corrigan, Chief of Bureau.

*Principal Office.* Room 1, City Hall. Gastano D'Amato, Deputy Chief, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Daniel J. Griffin, Deputy Chief, Borough of Brooklyn.

Branch Office, Richmond Building, New Brighton, S. J. William R. Wolfe, Financial Clerk, Borough of Richmond.

Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, Charles H. Smith, Financial Clerk, Borough of Queens.

##### THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

*Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.*  
Supervisor's Office, Park Row Building, No. 21 Park Row. Entrance Room 803, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
Telephone, 2505 and 2506 Cortlandt. Supply Room, No. 5 City Hall.  
Patrick J. Tracy, Supervisor; Henry McMillen, Deputy Supervisor; C. McKemie, Secretary.

##### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.  
Telephone, 2500 Cortlandt.  
P. J. Scully, President.  
P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

##### CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

City Hall, Rooms 12, 13; 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.  
Telephone, 2500 Cortlandt.

P. J. Scully, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.  
Thomas Murphy, First Deputy City Clerk.  
Michael F. Blake, Chief Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

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Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first 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 trial causes, 9 a. m.

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Trial days and Return days, each Court day.

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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, south on Fifty-ninth street to Seventh avenue, west on Seventh avenue to Fifty-third street, north on Fifty-third street to Eighth avenue, west 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.

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. Court-room, No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court convenes daily at 9 a. m.

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

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

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

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

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

Court-room, No. 264 Madison street.

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

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

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

#### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

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

Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, closing at 2 p. m.

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

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

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards 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 of Hudson and Johnson 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 Twenty-first 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 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.

Court-room, No. 495 Gates avenue.

Gerard B. Van Wart, Justice. William H. Allen, 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 and the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the centre line of Wiloughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.

Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.

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

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

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 Wiloughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.

Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and the Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic to Washington avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson 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. 145 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.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 M. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

#### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

The amount of security required will be thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of bid. Total amount of material to be furnished in cubic yards is as follows:

To Be Delivered Throughout the Borough of Queens.

10,000 cubic yards of trap rock screenings. 3,000 cubic yards of broken stone of trap rock, size one and one-half inches (1 1/2"). 5,000 cubic yards of broken stone of trap rock, size three-quarters of an inch (3/4").

To Be Delivered in the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Queens.

2,000 cubic yards of broken stone of trap rock, size one and one-half inches (1 1/2").

No. 20. TO CONSTRUCT A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WASHINGTON AVENUE, FROM FIFTH AVENUE TO NINTH AVENUE, IN THE FIRST WARD.

800 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe for house connections.

880 linear feet 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe for house connections.

6 manholes, complete.

10 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.

1,600 feet, B. M., timber for foundation.

20,000 feet, B. M., timber for bracing and sheet piling.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 60 days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

No. 21. TO CONSTRUCT A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN THIRTEENTH AVENUE, FROM BROADWAY TO GRAHAM AVENUE, IN THE FIRST WARD.

950 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe for house connections.

30 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe for house connections.

900 linear feet 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe for house connections.

6 manholes, complete.

1 receiving basin, complete.

10 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.

2,000 feet, B. M., timber for foundation.

3,000 feet, B. M., timber for bracing and sheet piling.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 60 days.

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

No. 22. TO CONSTRUCT A CATCH BASIN ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF FIFTH AVENUE AND GRAHAM AVENUE, AND ONE ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF FIFTH AVENUE AND GRAHAM AVENUE, IN THE FIRST WARD.

6 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

2 receiving basins, complete.

5 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.

2,000 feet, B. M., timber for bracing and sheet piling.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedules hereto annexed, per square yard, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

JOSEPH BERMEL,  
President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated MARCH 19, 1906.

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

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

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

MONDAY, APRIL 2, 1906.

No. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BLACKWELL STREET, FROM GRAND AVENUE TO FLUSHING AVENUE, IN THE FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for the construction and completion of the work is ninety (90) working days. The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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

1,580 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.

1,856 linear feet 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe, for house connections.

11 manholes, complete.

20 cubic yards rock, excavated and removed.

5,000 feet, B. M., timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN CRESCENT STREET, FROM JANE STREET TO PAYNTAR AVENUE, IN THE FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for the construction and completion of the work is sixty (60) working days. The amount of security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

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

1,205 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.

50 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

1,055 linear feet 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe, for house connections.

7 manholes, complete.

10 cubic yards rock, excavated and removed.

5,000 feet, B. M., timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN CRESCENT STREET, FROM FREEMAN AVENUE TO PAYNTAR AVENUE, IN THE FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for the construction and completion of the work is sixty (60) working days. The amount of security required will be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

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

930 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.

5 linear feet 15-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.

5 linear feet 18-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.

1,152 linear feet 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe, for house connections.

8 manholes, complete.

10 cubic yards rock, excavated and removed.

5,000 feet, B. M., timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING A CATCH BASIN ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF

HAMILTON STREET AND WASHINGTON AVENUE, ONE ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF HAMILTON STREET AND WASHINGTON AVENUE, AND ONE ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF HAMILTON STREET AND WASHINGTON AVENUE, IN THE FIRST WARD.

Time allowed for the construction and completion of the work is thirty (30) working days. The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

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

75 linear feet 12-inch vitrified, salt-glazed culvert pipe.

3 receiving basins, complete.

10 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.

1,500 feet (B. M.) timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 300 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE NEWTOWN DISPOSAL PLANT, SECOND WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 475 GROSS TONS BITUMINOUS COAL TO THE FAR ROCKAWAY DISPOSAL PLANT, FIFTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 8. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 475 GROSS TONS BITUMINOUS COAL TO THE FAR ROCKAWAY DISPOSAL PLANT, FIFTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 10. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 11. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 12. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 13. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 14. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 15. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 16. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 17. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 18. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 19. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 20. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 21. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 22. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 23. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 24. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 25. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 26. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PLANT, FOURTH WARD, TO BE DELIVERED AT SUCH TIMES AND SUCH QUANTITIES AS MAY BE DIRECTED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1906.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

No. 27. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 215 GROSS TONS PEA COAL TO THE JAMAICA DISPOSAL PL

Broadway, New York, on or before April 24, 1906, 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, March 22, 1906. m22,a2

**P**UBLIC 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 April 3, 1906, 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 or demands upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 8723. One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, West, from Edgecombe avenue to Amsterdam avenue.

List 8724. One Hundred and Ninety-third street, West, from Audubon avenue to Fort George avenue.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 8739. Belmont street, from Topping avenue to Weeks avenue.

List 8740. Clay avenue, from Webster avenue to East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.

List 8741. Cypress avenue, from the Bronx Kill to East One Hundred and Forty-first street.

List 8744. One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, East, from Jerome avenue to the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and from the approach of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Webster avenue.

List 8754. Dongan street, from Westchester avenue to Intervale avenue.

List 8755. Elsemere place, from Prospect avenue to Southern Boulevard.

List 8756. Macomb's road, from Jerome avenue at Marcy place to Inwood avenue.

List 8757. Marmon avenue, from Crotona Park, North, to the Southern Boulevard.

List 8758. Norwood (Decatur) avenue, Hull avenue and Perry avenue, from Moshulu parkway, North, to Woodlawn road.

List 8759. Oakland place, from Belmont avenue to Prospect avenue.

List 8760. Ryer avenue, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-third street.

List 8761. Spofford avenue, from Hunt's Point road to Logwood avenue.

List 8762. Two Hundred and Third street, East, from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Briggs avenue.

List 8774. Freeman street, from Southern Boulevard to Bronx river.

List 8775. One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, East, from Third avenue to Bronx river.

List 8791. Avenue St. John, from Dawson street to Timpson street (place).

List 8792. Grant avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

List 8794. Leggett avenue, from Dawson street to the Southern Boulevard.

List 8795. Moshulu parkway, South, from Webster avenue to Van Courtlandt avenue, thence to Jerome avenue.

List 8796. One Hundred and Seventy-second street, East, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

List 8797. One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, East, from Washington avenue to Third avenue.

List 8798. Two Hundred and Fortieth street, East, from Webster avenue to Vireo avenue.

List 8819. Evelyn place, from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue, East.

List 8820. Grote street, from Belmont avenue to Southern Boulevard.

List 8821. One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from the Harlem river to the east side of River avenue.

List 8822. One Hundred and Sixty-third street, West, from Ogden avenue to Woody Crest avenue.

List 8823. One Hundred and Eighty-second street, East, from Arthur avenue to Boston road.

List 8818. Concord avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-first street to Kelly street.

List 8825. Walton avenue, east side, from One Hundred and Fiftieth to One Hundred and Fifty-first street, and both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-first street to the Port Morris Railroad.

List 8834. Hoe street, from West Farms road to Boston road.

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

List 8696. Blackwell street (Seventh avenue), from Graham avenue to Broadway.

List 8697. Crescent, from Grand to Newtown avenue.

List 8698. Ely avenue, from Jamaica to Grand avenue.

List 8699. Elm street, from Sherman to Academy street.

List 8700. Goodrich street, from Flushing to Hoyt avenue.

List 8701. Eighth avenue, from Graham avenue to Broadway.

List 8702. Nott avenue, from Jackson to Van Alst avenue.

List 8703. Ninth street, from West to Vernon avenue.

List 8704. Pomeroy street, from Graham avenue to Broadway.

List 8789. Temple street, from the Boulevard to Crescent.

List 8817. Lockwood street, from Broadway to Grand avenue.

ANTONIO ZUCCA,  
PAUL WEIMANN,  
JAMES H. KENNEDY,  
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,  
Secretary,  
No. 320 Broadway.  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, March 16, 1906. m16,a2

**P**UBLIC 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 8576. No. 1. Grading, paving with asphalt pavement, curbing and laying cement sidewalks in Gunther place, from 45 feet north of Atlantic avenue to Atlantic avenue.

List 8639. No. 2. Sewers in Fifty-second street, between Seventh avenue and Fort Hamilton avenue; Ninth avenue, from Fifty-second street to Fifty-fourth street; Tenth avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; Fifty-second street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to New Utrecht avenue; Fifty-third street, from Tenth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue, and in Fort Hamilton avenue, westerly side, from Fifty-third street to Fifty-fourth street.

List 8773. No. 3. Paving with asphalt pavement East Eleventh street, between Beverley road and Cortelyou road.

List 8836. No. 4. Paving with asphalt pavement Church avenue, from Flatbush avenue to New York avenue.

List 8839. No. 5. Sewer in East Nineteenth street, between Albemarle road and Beverley road.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Gunther place, from Atlantic avenue to a point distant about 168 feet northerly, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Atlantic avenue.

No. 2. North side of Fifty-fourth street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to about 487 feet west of Ninth avenue; both sides of Fifty-third street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Eighth avenue; both sides of Fifty-second street, from New Utrecht avenue to Seventh avenue; both sides of Fifty-first street, from Tenth avenue to about 387 feet west of Ninth avenue; both sides of Fifty-third street, from Tenth avenue to about 285 feet west of Ninth avenue; both sides of Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth streets, from Eighth to Tenth avenue; both sides of Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets, from Eighth to Ninth avenue; west side of Fort Hamilton avenue, from Fifty-third to Fifty-fourth street; both sides of Twelfth avenue, from Fifty-first to Fifty-third street; both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street; both sides of Tenth avenue, from Forty-seventh to Fifty-third street; both sides of Ninth avenue, from Forty-fourth to Fifty-fourth street.

No. 3. Both sides of East Eleventh street (Stratford road), from Beverley road to Cortelyou road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Church avenue, from Flatbush avenue to New York avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Albemarle road, from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street; both sides of Tennis court, from Eighteenth street to Ocean avenue; both sides of Nineteenth street, from Beverley road to Church avenue, and both sides of Eighteenth street, from Albemarle road to Church avenue; south side of Church avenue, from East Seventeenth to East Nineteenth street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before April 17, 1906, 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, March 15, 1906. m15,a2

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**S**EALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock a.m. on

TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 1906,  
Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. 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 10 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, except the bids on lumber, which will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump 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 Twenty-first street.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner.

Dated MARCH 19, 1906. m21,a3

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**S**EALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock a.m. on

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1906.

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 10 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 VEGETABLES, FRUITS, ETC.

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

The amount of security required 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 total for each item, and the Police Department reserves the right to award the contract at the entire schedule or to award for each item.

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 Twenty-first street.

bound, 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 and vegetables, etc., 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 Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twenty-first street.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner.

Dated FEBRUARY 28, 1906.

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**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.

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

MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1906,

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL FOR USE IN THE BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO THOUSAND TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL FOR THE USE OF THE STEAM-BOAT "PATROL" AND OF STEAM LAUNCHES OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The amount of security required will be as follows:

No. 1. .... \$10,000.00

No. 2. .... 4,000.00

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

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

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

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,  
Police Commissioner.

Dated MARCH 13, 1906.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

**O**WNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 3

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 MARCH 20, 1906.

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

#### SALE OF OLD MATERIAL.

B RYAN L. KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER, will sell on behalf of the Department of Docks and Ferries, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1906, commencing at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at the Wallabout Basin, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the following lots of OLD MATERIAL:

At the Wallabout Basin—Brooklyn.

Lot No. 1. Raft of 3" by 10 and 4 by 10 timber, 45 feet long, 20 feet wide and 3 feet deep.

Lot No. 2. Raft of 3 by 10 and 4 by 10 timber, 20 feet long, 10 feet wide and 1 foot deep.

Lot No. 3. 29 yellow pine pile butts, 25 feet long.

Lot No. 4. 38 yellow pine pile butts, 25 feet long.

Lot No. 5. Old float stage one side of old boat, 20 feet long, 8 feet wide.

Lot No. 6. 57 yellow pine pile butts, 25 feet long.

Lot No. 7. Bottom of old catamaran, containing 70 pine and spruce piles, about 40 feet long—chain now on raft not to be sold.

Lot No. 8. Bottom of old catamaran, with about 80 pine and spruce piles, about 40 feet long—chain now on raft not to be sold.

Lot No. 9. Raft of 12 by 12 white pine and 12 by 12, 4 by 12 yellow pine, 52 feet long, 48 feet wide and 5 feet deep.

Lot No. 10. 14 yellow pine pile butts, 25 feet long.

Lot No. 11. 15 yellow pine pile butts, 25 feet long.

Lot No. 12. Lot of wrought-iron columns and trusses, purlins, angle irons, column braces, armature plate, pipe, etc.; about 16 trusses, 30 feet long and 5 feet wide; about 18 columns, 22 feet long; 20 struts, 14 feet long; 19 pieces of 3 by 5 angle iron, 5 to 25 feet long; 80 purlins, 25 feet long; 23 column braces; 1 armature plate; 3 post guards; lot of square wrought-iron washers; 2 wire window screens; lot of galvanized iron pipe.

Lot No. 13. About 38 old skylights, with heavy glass.

Lot No. 14. Raft of 3 by 10 and 4 by 10 plank, 25 feet long, 20 feet wide and 3 feet deep.

Continuing at the Department Yard at the Foot of East Twenty-fourth Street, East River—Manhattan.

Lot No. 15. 28 diver's dresses; 14 pairs diver's mitts; 1 diver's pump.

Lot No. 16. About 80 pairs of rubber boots.

Lot No. 17. About 2,000 pounds of car wheels; about 3,000 pounds of scrap wrought iron; about 1,200 pounds of scrap cast iron; about 1,300 pounds of armature plates.

Lot No. 18. 1 concrete mixer and oil engine.

Lot No. 19. 30 "D" handle shovels.

Lot No. 20. 4 charging barrows.

Lot No. 21. 1 pile screen.

Lot No. 22. 1 lot of old bunting flags.

Lot No. 23. 1 engineer's Wye level and tripod, F. Eckel, maker.

Continuing at the Marginal Street, Foot of Canal Street, North River—Manhattan.

Lot No. 24. 19 pieces of 12-inch channel iron, averaging about 40 feet in length, about 19,000 pounds in all.

Continuing at about the Foot of West Seventy-second Street, North River—Manhattan.

Lot No. 25. 1 ferry bridge, about 70 feet by 36 feet over all, in the water at about the foot of West Seventy-second street; has two bow trusses, 60 feet long with rise of about 6 feet, and two rectangular trusses, about 68 feet by 3 feet; all the timbers in the bridge are in fair condition.

#### TERMS OF SALE.

The sale will commence at 10:30 o'clock a. m. Each of the above lots will be sold separately and for a sum in gross.

The estimated quantities stated to be in the several lots are believed to be correct; but the Commissioner of Docks will not make any allowance from the purchase money for short deliveries on any lot, and bidders must judge for themselves as to the correctness of the estimate of quantity when making their bids.

If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to effect removal of the material within ten days from the date of sale, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money or moneys and the ownership of the material.

Terms of sale to be cash, to be paid at the time of sale.

An order will be given for the material purchased.

Dated THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 6, 1906.

J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

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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, 30 per cent. of the estimated cost.

JOSEPH W. SAVAGE,  
Secretary.

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

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

FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1906,

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 990.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SPRINKLING CERTAIN NEW-MADE LAND ON THE NORTH AND EAST RIVERS.

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 Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

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

Sprinkling 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 and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.  
J. A. BENSEL,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated MARCH 2, 1906.

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

#### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, March 20, 1906.

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

CHEMIST, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1906, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, April 4, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 6

Experience ..... 4

Arithmetic ..... 3

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

Candidates must have a knowledge, gained by actual experience, of general chemistry and quantitative analysis. Some of the questions in the technical paper will call for a knowledge of calculations of analytical chemistry. Candidates for appointment in the Board of Health should have a sufficient acquaintance with French and German to enable them to consult easily books of reference in those languages. This knowledge will not be required of those who wish to qualify for appointment in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. The latter may be called upon to show their knowledge of analysis of coal, cement, asphalt, lubricants, etc.

At present vacancies exist in the Board of Health and the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The salary attached to the position is \$1,200 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,  
ALFRED J. TALLEY,  
Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, March 14, 1906.

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

JUNIOR ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN (MEN AND WOMEN), THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 1906, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on March 28 at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special ..... 6

Experience ..... 3

Arithmetic ..... 3

Seventy is the required percentage on all.

At present there are vacancies in the Queens Borough Library. The salary attached to the position is \$300 per annum.

The minimum age is 18.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,  
ALFRED J. TALLEY,  
Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, March 19, 1906.

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

OCULIST, FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1906, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Tuesday, April 3, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 6

Experience ..... 4

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

Candidates must be residents of and licensed to practice medicine in the State of New York.

There are vacancies in the Department of Health at \$1,200 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,  
ALFRED J. TALLEY,  
Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, February 23, 1906.

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

ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGTSMAN (DESIGNER), WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, APRIL 18 AND 19, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, April 18, 1906, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 5

Mathematics ..... 2

Experience ..... 2

Neatness ..... 1

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

The salary attached to this position is from \$900 and up.

The minimum age is 18.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
President;

R. ROSS APPLETON,  
ALFRED J. TALLEY,  
Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, February 28, 1906.

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

TELEPHONE OPERATOR (MEN ONLY), FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1906, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Friday, March 30, 1906, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical ..... 5

Arithmetic ..... 1

Experience ..... 3

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

The salary

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, February 20, 1906.

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

ATTENDANT (FEMALE), FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1906, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Tuesday, March 6, at 4 p. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special paper on duties..... 6

Experience ..... 3

Arithmetic ..... 1

The percentage required is 70 on all.

A physical examination preceding the mental will be required of all applicants.

Certification from the eligible list will be made to fill vacancies in the recreation piers, public baths, park cottages, public comfort stations, etc.

Proof of naturalization must accompany application; your own, parent's or husband's papers.

The salary attached to this position is \$2 to \$3 per diem.

The minimum age is 21.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,  
President;  
R. ROSS APPLETION,  
ALFRED J. TALLEY,  
Civil Service Commissioners.

FRANK A. SPENCER,  
Secretary.

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### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 12 o'clock m. on

FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1906,

FOR DECORATIVE MOSAIC CEILINGS IN CHAMBERS, CENTRE AND NEW STREET VESTIBULES AND SUCH OTHER PLACES AS OUTLINED ON PLANS FOR THE NEW HALL OF RECORDS BUILDING.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be one hundred and eighty-five (185) calendar days.

The security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

Bidders will 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 contract and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Architects, Messrs. Horgan & Slattery, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,  
President, Borough of Manhattan.  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 23, 1906.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1906,

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN CEDAR STREET, BETWEEN WEST AND GREENWICH STREETS.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

303 linear feet of brick sewer of 4 feet by 2 feet 8 inches interior diameter.

12 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified stone-ware pipe culvert of 12 inches interior diameter.

15,000 feet, B. M., of timber and planking, for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed to complete the whole work is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of the security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET, BETWEEN AMSTERDAM AVENUE AND ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

36 linear feet of brick sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameter.

690 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified stone-ware pipe sewer of 15 inches interior diameter.

45 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified stone-ware pipe culvert of 12 inches interior diameter.

2 receiving basins of the circular pattern with new style grate bars and blue-stone heads.

800 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

25,000 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for bracing and sheet piling.

2,100 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for foundation.

The time allowed to complete the whole work is one hundred and twenty-five (125) working days.

The amount of the security required is Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 1906,

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR BUILDING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, BETWEEN HARLEM RIVER AND LENOX AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

220 linear feet of brick sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameter, Class I.

645 linear feet of brick sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameter, Class II.

40,000 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed to complete the whole work is one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

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

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR BUILDING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET, BETWEEN HARLEM RIVER AND LENOX AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

200 linear feet of brick sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameter, Class I.

100 linear feet of brick sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameter, Class II.

455 linear feet of brick sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameter, Class III.

35,000 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed to complete the whole work is one hundred and twenty-five (125) working days.

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

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR BUILDING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN AMSTERDAM AVENUE, EAST SIDE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST AND ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIXTH STREETS.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

300 linear feet of brick sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameter, Class I.

826 linear feet of brick sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior diameter, Class II.

50 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified stone-ware pipe culvert of 12-inch interior diameter.

3 receiving basins of the circular pattern with new style grate bars and blue-stone heads.

2,175 cubic yards of rock, to be excavated and removed.

26,000 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed to complete the whole work is three hundred (300) working days.

The amount of the security required is Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

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

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

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

JOHN F. AHEARN,  
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 16, 1906.

FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1906,

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING THE WORK OF BUILDING A STEEL FOOT BRIDGE FROM THE FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH (155TH) STREET, ACROSS AND OVER THE TRACKS OF THE NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD, TO THE WESTERLY SIDE OF AFORESAID TRACKS, TOGETHER WITH THE STAIRWAYS AND FOUNDATIONS, AND ALL OTHER WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

40,000 pounds of steel in bridges and stairs, etc.

70 cubic yards of excavation, earth and old fill.

18 piles in foundation.

40 cubic feet of granite in pedestals.

30 cubic yards of concrete in foundation.

3,000 feet, B. M., timber in flooring and stairs, etc.

115 linear feet of gas pipe railing, complete, with standards, etc.

4 cast-iron newel posts.

Time allowed for doing and completing above work is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

NO. 3. FOR REBUILDING RETAINING WALL, CURBING AND FLAGGING ALONG THE WESTERLY SIDE OF FORT WASHINGTON AVENUE, COMMENCING AT A POINT KNOWN AS THE "LOOP" AND EXTENDING SOUTHERLY FOR A DISTANCE OF ABOUT 377 FEET.

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

5,150 cubic yards of excavation, including removal of old wall.

3,450 cubic yards of filling to be furnished (exclusive of that secured from excavation).

1,700 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry for retaining walls and culverts.

380 linear feet of guard rail.

70 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

310 linear feet of old curbstone, redressed, rejoined and reset.

500 square feet of new flagstone, furnished and laid.

1,010 square feet of old flagstone, retrimmed and relaid.

400 square yards of telford macadam pavement to be restored.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work is 100 working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand 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 foot, yard or other unit of measure or article, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.

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

JOHN F. AHEARN,  
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 13, 1906.

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

### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, CORN EXCHANGE BANK BUILDING, JAY STREET, NEW BRIGHTON, S. I.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, Corn Exchange Bank Building, until 12 o'clock m. on

TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1906,

NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) FEET, B. M., YELLOW PINE AND THIRTY THOUSAND (30,000) FEET, B. M., SPRUCE LUMBER 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 delivery of the materials and the performance of the work is until November 30, 1906.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

NO. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TEN THOUSAND (10,000) FEET, B. M., SPRUCE LUMBER 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 delivery of the materials and the performance of the work is until November 30, 1906.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150).

Blank forms of bids may be had and the contracts, specifications and plans may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

GEORGE CROMWELL,  
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 26, 1906.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 60 days. The amount of security required is Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION CASTLETON AVENUE, FROM BURGHER AVENUE TO BARD AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

7,400 square yards asphalt block pavement.  
1,400 cubic yards concrete.  
5,100 linear feet 16-inch curbstone, furnished and set.

2,350 square feet old sidewalk relaid.  
so cubic yards reinforced concrete.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 90 days.

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

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND REPAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ON PRESENT FOUNDATION LAFAYETTE AVENUE, FROM RICHMOND TERRACE TO HENDERSON AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

6,200 square yards bituminous concrete pavement.  
140 cubic yards concrete.  
2,900 linear feet 16-inch curbstone, furnished and set.

3,960 square feet sidewalk relaid.  
6,200 square yards old foundation prepared.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 45 days.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$5,500).

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON SAND LAFAYETTE AVENUE, FROM HENDERSON AVENUE TO PROSPECT AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

2,250 square yards granite block pavement.  
400 square feet new bridgestone, furnished and laid.

1,150 linear feet 20-inch curbstone, furnished and set.

1,100 square feet sidewalk relaid.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 40 days.

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

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE AND GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE AND ON SAND SARAH ANN STREET, VAN DUZER STREET AND RICHMOND ROAD, FROM RICHMOND TUNPIKE TO WRIGHT STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material, and the nature and extent, as near as possible, of the work required is as follows:

710 square yards granite block pavement.  
13,000 square yards asphalt block pavement.  
2,755 cubic yards concrete.  
7,000 linear feet 16-inch curbstone, furnished and set.

460 linear feet 20-inch curbstone, furnished and set.

10,300 square feet sidewalk relaid.

2 cubic yards brickwork.

350 square feet 3-inch flagstones in place.

24 linear feet 12-inch cast iron pipe culvert.

22 cubic yards reinforced concrete.

150 square feet 3-inch flagstone, recut and reset.

60 linear feet 12-inch cast iron pipe, relaid.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 150 days.

The amount of security required is Nineteen Thousand Dollars (\$19,000).

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 thereunto and drawings may be seen and other information obtained 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, March 10, 1906.

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

#### OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

**BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**  
"North Side News," "Westchester Independent," "Bronx Sentinel," "Harlem Reporter and Bronx Chronicle," "Bronx Borough Record."

**BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**  
"Staten Islander," "Staten Island Star," "Richmond County Herald," "Richmond County Democrat," "Staten Island World."

**BOROUGH OF QUEENS.**  
"Long Island Daily Star," "Flushing Daily Times," "Flushing Evening Journal," "Queens Borough Advertiser," "Jamaica Standard," "Rockaway News," "Long Island Farmer," "Long Island Democrat."

**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**  
"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard Union," "Brooklyn Freie Presse," "Brooklyn Weekly News," "Flatbush Weekly News."

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

"Harlem Local Reporter" (Harlem District), "Manhattan and Bronx Advocate" (Washington Heights, Morrisania Heights and Harlem Districts).

Designation by Board of City Record April 26, 1904.

Amended July 22 and September 15, 1904, and February 7, 1905.

#### DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

##### CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO OF CITY REAL ESTATE.

**A**T THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Manhattan, 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 the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines and on property owned by The City of New York, acquired for an interior public bath in the

##### Borough of Manhattan.

All the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to the buildings thereunto belonging acquired for the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and erected upon land described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Rutgers place distant 52 feet 6 inches easterly from the northeasterly corner of Rutgers place and Jefferson street; running thence northerly parallel with Jefferson street 130 feet; thence easterly parallel with Rutgers place 53 feet; thence southerly again parallel with Jefferson street 130 feet to the northerly side of Rutgers place 53 feet to the point or place of beginning; premises being known as Lots Nos. 3 and 4, in Block 270, Section 1, on the tax maps.

By direction of the Comptroller, the sale of the above-described property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue on

##### MONDAY, APRIL 2, 1906,

at 11 a. m., on the premises, and will be sold for the highest marketable price at public auction on the following

##### TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must give either a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the proper performance of the work of removal, which must be completed within thirty working days thereafter.

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Rutgers place distant 52 feet 6 inches easterly from the northeasterly corner of Rutgers place and Jefferson street; running thence northerly parallel with Jefferson street 130 feet; thence easterly parallel with Rutgers place 53 feet; thence southerly again parallel with Jefferson street 130 feet to the northerly side of Rutgers place 53 feet to the point or place of beginning; premises being known as Lots Nos. 3 and 4, in Block 270, Section 1, on the tax maps.

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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 beam-holes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel.

H. A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, {  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 16, 1906. }  
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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

**I**N PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

#### TENTH AND THIRTEENTH WARDS, SECTION 2.

**D**ELANCEY STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Clinton street to the Bowery, 100 feet from the old southerly line of Delancey street to the new line of Delancey street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Delancey street, from Clinton street to the Bowery, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

#### NINETEENTH WARD, SECTION 5.

**E**AST SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET—REGULATING, REGRADING, CURBING AND RECURBING, FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, from Avenue A to the East river. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, from Avenue A to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

#### TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

**W**EST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING AND CURBING, from Seventh avenue to Bradhurst avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Seventh avenue to Bradhurst avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

#### TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

**S**EWERS IN ACADEMY STREET AND HAWTHORNE STREET, between Broadway and Seaman avenue, and in EMERSON STREET, between Cooper street and Seaman avenue, and in COOPER STREET, between Academy and Isham streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Cooper street, from Academy street to Isham street; east side of Seaman avenue, from Academy street to Emerson street; both sides of Academy street and Hawthorne street, from Broadway to Seaman avenue; both sides of Emerson street, from Cooper street to Seaman avenue.

**S**EWERS IN BROADWAY, east and west sides, between Dyckman street and summit north of Hawthorne street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Broadway, from Dyckman street to about 250 feet north of Hawthorne street; both sides of Cooper street, from Academy street to Isham street; both sides of Seaman avenue, from Academy street to Emerson street; both sides of Emerson street, from Cooper street to Seaman street; both sides of Hawthorne street and Academy street, from Broadway to Seaman street;—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on March 15, 1906, and entered on March 15, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessment 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 on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 1019 of this act."

Section 1019 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 14, 1906, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, {  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 15, 1906. }  
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#### TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

**E**AST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS from Boston road to Southern Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Boston road to Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments March 15, 1906, and entered on March 15, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears

of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 May 14, 1906, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
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CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, {  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 15, 1906. }  
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#### FIRST WARD.

**F**IFTH AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Graham avenue to Pierce avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifth avenue (Brill street), from Graham avenue to Pierce avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on March 15, 1906, and entered on March 15, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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HERMAN A. METZ,  
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CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, {  
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Interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

HERMAN A. METZ,  
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#### TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 11.

**C**LARKE PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse. Area of assessment: Both sides of Clarke place, from Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors March 13, 1906, and entered on March 13, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of this act."

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HERMAN A. METZ,  
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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

**I**N PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

#### EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

**T**HIRTY-NINTH STREET—GRADING LOTS, south side, and FORTIETH STREET—GRADING LOTS, north side, between Sixth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: South side of Thirty-ninth street and north side of Fortieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, on Block 914, Lots Nos. 15, 58, 59 and 60.

**F**ORTY-SECOND STREET—GRADING LOTS, north side, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Area of assessment: North side of Forty-second street, 100 feet west of Fifth avenue, Block 710, Lot No. 51.

**F**IFTH AVENUE—GRADING LOTS, west side of, between Forty-first and Forty-second streets. Area of assessment: West side of Fifth avenue, between Forty-first and Forty-second streets, Block 719, Lot Nos. 41 and 48.

**E**IGHTH WARD, SECTION 3; TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4; TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 6; TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11, AND THIRTY-FIRST WARD.

**F**LAGGING SIDEWALKS, northwest side of HARMON STREET, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues; south side of GATES AVENUE, between Tompkins and Throop avenues; northeast side of HAMILTON AVENUE, between Second and Prospect avenues; southwest side of HAMILTON AVENUE, between Gowanus canal and Third avenue; both sides of SHEEPSHEAD BAY ROAD, between Emmons and Voorhees avenues. Area of assessment:

North side of Harmon street between Wyckoff and Irving avenues, Block 3280, Lots Nos. 1, 53 and 54; south side of Gates avenue, between Throop and Tompkins avenues, Block 1815, Lots Nos. 15 and 21; northeast side of Hamilton avenue, between Second avenue and Prospect avenue, Block 1045, Lots Nos. 75 and 76, and Block 1050, Lots Nos. 3, 6, 7 and 41; southwest side of Hamilton avenue, between Prospect avenue and Seventeenth street, Block 625, Lot No. 84; southwest side of Hamilton avenue, from Gowanus canal to Prospect avenue, Block 1037, Lots Nos. 26, 29, 31, 38, 45 and 52; both sides of Sheepshead Bay road, between Emmons avenue and Voorhees avenue, Block 492, Lots Nos. 11, 13 and 15, and Block 493, Lots Nos. 16, 17, 38, 39, 7 and 8.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on March 15, 1906, and entered on March 15, 1906, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 1019 of this act."

Section 1019 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."

HERMAN A. METZ,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, {  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 15, 1906. }  
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#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

**I**N PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

#### TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.

**M**ONTAUK AVENUE—CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Pitkin avenue and New Lots road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Montauk avenue, from Pitkin avenue to New Lots road.

**A**SHFORD STREET—PAVING, between Liberty avenue and Glenmore avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ashford street, from Liberty avenue to Glenmore avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

**T**WENTY-SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 11.

**S**TARR AVENUE—PAVING, between Irving avenue and Knickerbocker avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Starr street, from Irving avenue to Knickerbocker avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

**T**WENTY-EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 11, AND THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

**L**AYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on THIRD AVENUE, east side, between Sixty-first and Sixty-third streets; on THIRD AVENUE, east side, between Sixty-fifth and Seventy-second

ings, etc., standing within the lines and on property owned by The City of New York, acquired for street purposes, in the

**Borough of The Bronx.**

All of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of property acquired for the widening of Third avenue, at East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, which is more particularly described on a map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan. The sale will take place on

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 1906,**

at 12 m., on the premises, and will be sold for the highest marketable price at public auction on the following

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS.**

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of said streets, from the streets by the purchaser or purchasers immediately after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fail to effect removal within thirty days, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., and The City of New York will cause the same to be removed without notice to the purchaser.

Purchasers to be liable for any and all damages of any kind whatsoever by reason of the occupation or removal of said buildings, parts of buildings, etc.

The bidder's assent and agreement to the above terms and conditions are understood to be implied by the act of bidding.

By direction of the Comptroller, sales of the above-described property will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue at the time stated herein.

Full particulars of sale can be obtained at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

**H. A. METZ,**

Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 8, 1906. }  
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**CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO OF CITY REAL ESTATE.**

**A**T THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, 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 the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines and on property owned by The City of New York, acquired for street purposes in the

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

All of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of property acquired for the widening of Roebling street, from the Bridge Plaza at South Fourth street to Union avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn. A map showing the property to be sold is filed in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, and bidders should acquaint themselves with the extent and portions of the buildings to be sold and owned by the City.

By direction of the Comptroller, the sale of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue. The sale will take place on

**FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1906,**

at 11 a. m. on the premises, and will be sold for the highest marketable price at public auction on the following

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS.**

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must give either a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the proper performance of the work of removal, which must be completed within thirty working days thereafter.

All the buildings, structures 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 any structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler settings, etc., and all stoops and area walls shall also be torn down to the same level. All tin from roofs, cornices, sides of buildings or partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studding, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken lath and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away.

Failure to remove the said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within said period will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be 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 the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against and from all suits and actions, claims and demands, of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which 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 appliance used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder, and the bidder's assent and agreement to the above conditions are understood to be implied by the act of bidding.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold shall not be taken down, but all 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.

**H. A. METZ,**

Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 7, 1906. }  
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**INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.**

**T**HE INTEREST DUE ON APRIL 1, 1906, on the Registered Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 37).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 15 to April 1, 1906.

The interest due on April 1, 1906, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on April 1, 1906, on coupon bonds of other corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

**HERMAN A. METZ,**

Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 3, 1906. }  
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**DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK,**  
March 26, 1903.

**U**NTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case, one surety company will be accepted as sufficient upon all contracts for supplies for furniture, and for gas and electric lighting to any amount, and upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

For supplies and furniture with patented articles.....	\$5,000
Regulating, grading, paving (other than asphalt).....	15,000
Over 2 years.....	5,000
School building repairs.....	10,000
Heating and lighting apparatus.....	5,000
New Buildings—New docks.....	25,000
Sewers—Dredging and water-mains—	
Not over 2 years.....	10,000
Over 2 years.....	5,000

**HERMAN A. METZ,**

Comptroller.

**CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO, OF CITY REAL ESTATE.**

**A**T THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, 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 the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines and on property owned by The City of New York, acquired for street purposes in the

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

All of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of property acquired for the extension of Grand street, from the intersection of Havemeyer street and South Fourth street to Hooper street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

A map showing the property to be sold is on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, and bidders should acquaint themselves with the extent and portions of the buildings to be sold and owned by the City.

By direction of the Comptroller, the sale of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be made under the supervision of the Collector of City Revenue. The sale will take place on

**TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 1906,**

at 11 a. m. on the premises, and will be sold for the highest marketable price at public auction on the following

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS.**

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay immediately cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must give either a cash bond or an approved bond of a surety company in the amount of the purchase price as security for the proper performance of the work of removal, which must be completed within thirty working days thereafter.

All the buildings, structures 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 any structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler settings, etc., and all stoops and area walls shall also be torn down to the same level. All tin from roofs, cornices, sides of buildings or partitions, sheds and fences shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in mortar, all floor beams, joists, studding, flooring, ceiling, roofing, boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken lath and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the contractor and burned or carried away.

Failure to remove the said buildings and appurtenances, or any portion thereof, within said period will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings or appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be 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 the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against and from all suits and actions, claims and demands, of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which 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 appliance used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder, and the bidder's assent and agreement to the above conditions are understood to be implied by the act of bidding.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold shall not be taken down, but all 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.

**H. A. METZ,**

Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1906. }  
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**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

**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, MARCH 26, 1906,**

**Borough of Richmond.**

**NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 350 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL FOR COMPANIES IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before May 1, 1906.

The amount of security required is Eleven Hundred Dollars (\$1,100).

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. 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.

**JOHN H. O'BRIEN,**

Fire Commissioner.

Dated MARCH 14, 1906.

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

**HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE FIRE COMMISSIONER AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 10:30 O'CLOCK A. M., ON**

**MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1906,**

**Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.**

**NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CARPET, RUGS AND LINOLEUM.**

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

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Three Hundred Dollars (\$2,300).

**NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PACKING, STEAM AND CROTON HOSE, ETC.**

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

**NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAINTER'S SUPPLIES.**

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

**Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.**

**NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GENERAL SUPPLIES.**

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

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

**JOHN H. O'BRIEN,**

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 17, 1906.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Health of the Department of Health, held March 14, 1906, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 96 of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 96. The owners, lessees, tenants, occupants, and managers of every building, vessel or place in or upon which a locomotive or stationary engine, furnace or boilers are used, shall cause all ashes, cinders, rubbish, dirt and refuse to be removed to some proper place, so that the same shall not accumulate; nor shall any person cause, suffer or allow smoke, cinders, dust, gas, steam or offensive or noisome odors to escape or be discharged from any such building, vessel or place to the detriment or annoyance of any person or persons not being therein or thereupon engaged.

Every furnace employed in the working of engines by steam in any building shall be constructed so as to consume the smoke arising therein or therefrom.

Respectfully,  
EUGENE W. SCHEFFER,  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, CITY OF NEW YORK, March 19, 1906.

## TREE PLANTING NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 253 of the Laws of 1903, notice is hereby given that the Park Board of the City of New York will, on Thursday, April 5, 1906, at 3 o'clock p.m., at its office in the Arsenal Building, Central Park, Manhattan, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may there and then be offered in reference to the planting of trees on the east side of Broadway, between West One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, and also on the west side of Broadway, between West One Hundred and Fifty-seventh and West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets.

Property owners and all persons interested in the proposed work are hereby notified that full opportunity will be afforded at this hearing to present their views respecting the planting contemplated.

The act above cited provides that the cost of the planting shall be assessed upon the property benefited in the same manner as assessments for other local improvements.

MOSES HERRMAN,  
President;  
GEORGE M. WALGROVE,  
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, MARCH 29, 1906,  
Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAINTS AND OILS (No. 1, 1906) FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is before September 1, 1906.

The amount of security shall be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

MOSES HERRMAN,  
President;  
GEORGE M. WALGROVE,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated MARCH 16, 1906.

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

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

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 1906,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE MATERIALS AND LABOR NECESSARY TO LAY CEMENT SIDEWALK ON PROSPECT PARK, WEST, BETWEEN FIFTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS.

The time stipulated for the completion of the above contract is within 30 working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contracts 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;  
GEORGE M. WALGROVE,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

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

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

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

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1906,  
Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING ALL MATERIALS AND PERFORMING ALL LABOR REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION, SO FAR AS SPECIFIED, OF A NEW WING TO THE WEST FACADE AND A PERMANENT CELAR PASSAGEWAY RUNNING THEREFROM IN NORTHERLY AND EASTERN DIRECTION, FOR THE AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY IN MANHATTAN SQUARE.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be fourteen calendar months.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$120,000).

The attention of bidders is called to (M) and (V) of the contract, requiring that the work must be completed in instalments as therein set forth; failure to do so will cause a declaration of abandonment of the contract. See paragraph (Q).

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, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan.

MOSES HERRMAN,  
President;  
GEORGE M. WALGROVE,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated MARCH 8, 1906.

The time stipulated for the completion of this contract is within fifteen working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MASON'S SUPPLIES.

The time stipulated for the completion of this contract is, as required, before December 31, 1906.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

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, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

MOSES HERRMAN,  
President;  
GEORGE M. WALGROVE,  
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,  
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated MARCH 8, 1906.

The amount of security shall be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOP-COCKS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days.

The amount of security will be Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000).

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DOUBLE-NOZZLE HYDRANTS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is until September 1, 1906.

The amount of security will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING GRATE BARS, BLOWERS, ETC., AT THE RIDGEWOOD AND SPRING CREEK PUMPING STATIONS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be seventy-five (75) working days.

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

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN FORT HAMILTON, GRAVESEND, FIRST, EIGHTH, STILLWELL AND TWENTY-FOURTH AVENUES; IN TWENTIETH, FORTY-FOURTH, SIXTIETH, SIXTY-FIFTH, SEVENTY-FIFTH AND WEST SIXTH STREETS, IN KINGS HIGHWAY, AND IN THE PARK PLAZA.

The time allowed for doing and completing the whole work will be one hundred and seventy-five (175) working days.

The security required will be One Hundred and Forty Thousand Dollars (\$140,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, per stop-cock, per hydrant, per linear foot, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

As to Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, the bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum, and by items in No. 1.

All goods must be delivered as directed. The weight, measure, etc., will be allowed as received at points of delivery.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities and places as may be directed by the Commissioner, or by the Deputy Commissioner of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, and at Rooms 25 and 28, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Commissioner.

Dated MARCH 20, 1906.

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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, APRIL 4, 1906,

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PIG LEAD.

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The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) calendar days.

The amount of security shall be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TAPPING COCKS, TAPPING-COCK BOXES, TWIST AND PLUG DRILLS AND HYDRANT NOZZLES, WASTE COCKS, CAPS AND CHAINS, HANDLES, SCREWS AND BRIDGES.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is to be fully completed on or before one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days.

The amount of security shall be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CAST-IRON WATER PIPE, BRANCH PIPE AND SPECIAL CASTINGS, ETC.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days.

The amount of security will be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOUR THIRTY-SIX (36) INCH GATE VALVES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is one hundred (100) calendar days.

The amount of security will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN JEROME AND DAVIDSON AVENUES AND IN ONE HUNDRED AND NINETIETH (ST. JAMES) STREET.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be three hundred and fifty (350) working days.

The amount of security will be One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000).

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN CROTONA, PROSPECT AND JACKSON AVENUES, IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, AND IN CROTONA PARK, SOUTH.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of security will be Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000).

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING 48-INCH WATER MAINS ON SEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREETS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and eighty (180) working days.

The amount of security will be Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, per tapping cock, per ton, per linear foot, per hydrant or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump sum for all the 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 as may be directed by the Engineer.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
Commissioner.

Dated MARCH 20, 1906.

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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, APRIL 4, 1906,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 375 GROSS TONS ANTHRACITE COAL, 60 GROSS TONS BITUMINOUS COAL AND 54 CORDS VIRGINIA PINE WOOD.

Delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract to be fully completed on or before March 30, 1907.

The amount of security shall be fifty per centum of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bids will be compared and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PIG LEAD.

The time for delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety (90) calendar days.

No. 3. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars.  
No. 8. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

2,393 linear feet of fence.

The 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 Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

1,066 linear feet of fence.

The 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 Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 10. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF SIXTIETH STREET, BETWEEN THIRD AND FOURTH AVENUES, KNOWN AS NOS. 11, 12 AND 13, BLOCK 5781.

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

1,337 cubic yards of earth excavation.

10 cubic yards of filling, not to be bid for.

The 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 Hundred Dollars.

No. 11. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF EASTERN PARKWAY, BETWEEN BEDFORD AND FRANKLIN AVENUES, AND ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF DEGRAW STREET, BETWEEN BEDFORD AND FRANKLIN AVENUES, KNOWN AS NO. 17, BLOCK 1259.

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

2,226 cubic yards of earth excavation.

The 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 Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 12. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF MYRTLE AVENUE, BETWEEN LEWIS AVENUE AND BROADWAY, KNOWN AS NO. 14, BLOCK 1586.

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

7,482 cubic yards of earth excavation.

The 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 Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

No. 13. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF ST. MARKS AVENUE, BETWEEN KINGSTON AND BROOKLYN AVENUES, KNOWN AS NO. 33, BLOCK 1229.

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

26 cubic yards of earth excavation.

439 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

The 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 Hundred Dollars (\$100).

No. 14. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE NORTHEAST SIDE OF IRVING AVENUE, BETWEEN STARR STREET AND WILLOUGHBY AVENUE, AND ON THE NORTHWEST SIDE OF WILLOUGHBY AVENUE, BETWEEN IRVING AND WYCKOFF AVENUES, KNOWN AS NO. 1, BLOCK 3199.

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

33 cubic yards of earth excavation.

397 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

The 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 Hundred Dollars (\$100).

No. 15. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF WINDSOR PLACE, BETWEEN EIGHTH AVENUE AND PROSPECT PARK, WEST, KNOWN AS NO. 47, BLOCK 1109.

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

18 cubic yards of earth excavation.

121 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars (\$100).

No. 16. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTHEAST SIDE OF MEEKER AVENUE, BETWEEN STEWART AVENUE AND GARDNER AVENUE, KNOWN AS NOS. 1 TO 6, INCLUSIVE, BLOCK 99, EIGHTEENTH WARD MAP.

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

2,566 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

The 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 Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

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, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

BIRD S. COLER,  
President.

Dated MARCH 16, 1906.

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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 12 o'clock a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 1906.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FURNITURE, RUGS, CARPETS, LINOLEUM, SHADES, ETC., TO THE SEVENTH DISTRICT MUNICIPAL COURT.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FURNITURE, CARPET, CORK CARPET, SHADES, ETC., TO THE SIXTH DISTRICT MUNICIPAL COURT.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) 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 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 Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,  
President.

Dated MARCH 5, 1906.

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### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

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

No. 92. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Laconia avenue to Hutchinson river.

No. 93. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for East Two Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Laconia avenue to Bronxwood avenue.

No. 94. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Ten Broeck avenue, from Pelham parkway, South, to Pierce avenue.

No. 95. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Lydia avenue, from Williamsbridge road, East, to Neill avenue.

No. 96. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Two Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Bronxwood to Eastchester avenue.

No. 97. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Hering avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway, South, to Sackett avenue.

No. 98. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Grace avenue, from Nereid avenue to Edenwald avenue.

No. 99. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Ely avenue, from Laconia avenue to Barnes avenue.

No. 100. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Furman avenue, from Nereid avenue to Baychester avenue.

No. 101. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Bissell street, from Barnes avenue to City line.

No. 102. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Adee avenue, from Boston Post road to Eastchester road.

No. 103. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Burke avenue, from Boston Post road to Eastchester road.

No. 104. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Burke avenue, from Boston Post road to Gun Hill road.

No. 105. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Paulding avenue, from Burke avenue to Tilden street.

No. 106. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Bartholdi street, from White Plains road to Bronxwood avenue.

No. 107. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Bouck avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to Boston Post road.

No. 108. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Young avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to Gun Hill road.

No. 109. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Throop avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to Gun Hill road.

No. 110. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Corsa avenue, from Burke avenue to Oakley street.

No. 111. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Hammersly avenue, from Gun Hill road to Hutchinson river.

No. 112. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Wilson avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to Boston Post road.

No. 113. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for opening and widening Williamsbridge road, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to West Farms road.

No. 114. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Edson avenue, from Nereid avenue to Barnes avenue.

No. 115. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Barnes avenue, from Nereid avenue to Baychester avenue.

No. 116. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Bronxwood avenue, from Burke avenue to Gun Hill road.

No. 117. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Magenta street, from White Plains road to Golden avenue.

No. 118. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Paulding avenue, from East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street to East Two Hundred and Twenty-second street.

No. 119. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Pearsall avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to Gun Hill road.

No. 120. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Deyo street, from Fenton avenue to Eastchester road.

No. 121. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Mace avenue, from Bronx Park, East, to Eastchester road.

No. 122. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Morgan avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to Gun Hill road.

No. 123. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Seymour avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to Gun Hill road.

No. 124. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Fenton avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to Gun Hill road.

No. 125. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Lurting avenue, from Mace avenue to Gun Hill road.

No. 126. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Yates avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to Gun Hill road.

No. 127. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Fish avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to Gun Hill road.

No. 128. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Arnow avenue, from White Plains road to Eastchester road.

No. 129. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for East Two Hundred and Twelfth street, from Tilden street to Boston Post road.

No. 130. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Allerton avenue, from Bronx Park to Eastchester road.

No. 131. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Byron avenue, from Nereid to Baychester avenue.

No. 132. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Laconia avenue, from Bronx and Pelham parkway to East Two Hundred and Thirteenth street.

No. 133. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Neill avenue, from Williamsbridge road to Pelham parkway, South.

No. 134. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Pelham parkway, South, from New White Plains road to Pelham Bay Park.

No. 135. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Tieman avenue, from Needham avenue to Laconia avenue.

No. 136. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for East Two Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Laconia avenue to Bronxwood avenue.

No. 137. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for East Two Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Laconia avenue to Bronxwood avenue.

No. 138. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for East Two Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Laconia avenue to Bronxwood avenue.

No. 139. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Westervelt avenue, from Gun Hill road to Laconia avenue.

No. 140. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Needham avenue, from Eastchester road to Boston Post road.

No. 141. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Eastchester road, from Boston Post road to Laconia avenue.

No. 142. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Crawford avenue, from Laconia avenue to Eden terrace.

No. 143. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for East Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Laconia avenue to Bronxwood avenue.

No. 144. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Lodovick avenue, from Bronx and Pelham avenue to Gun Hill road.

No. 145. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for East Two Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Laconia avenue to Bronxwood avenue.

No. 146. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Creuger avenue, from Williamsbridge road to South Oak drive.



Wards, City of New York, filed in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York on December 16, 1895, in the office of the Register of the County of New York on December 17, 1895, as Map No. 1065, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on December 17, 1895.

The land to be taken for West Two Hundred and Twenty-ninth street is located in Blocks 3259 and 3260 of Section 12 of the land map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 15, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the purpose of opening and extending GARRISON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Longwood avenue to Hunt's Point road, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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 Wednesday, the 28th day of March, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the purpose of opening and extending of Garrison avenue (although not yet named by proper authority), from Longwood avenue to Hunt's Point road, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

##### Parcel "A."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Lafayette avenue distant 255.14 feet westerly from intersection of said line with the western line of Tiffany street;

1. Thence southwesterly along the southerly line of Lafayette avenue for 105.39 feet;

2. Thence southwesterly deflecting 49 degrees 22 minutes 50 seconds to the left for 407.24 feet to the northern line of Longwood avenue;

3. Thence southeasterly along last-mentioned line for 80.15 feet;

4. Thence northwesterly for 480.68 feet to the point of beginning.

##### Parcel "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Lafayette avenue distant 151.91 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of Tiffany street;

1. Thence westerly along the northern line of Lafayette avenue for 109.90 feet;

2. Thence northeasterly deflecting 133 degrees 17 minutes 20 seconds for 310.58 feet with the southern line of Tiffany street;

3. Thence southeasterly along last-mentioned line for 86.76 feet;

4. Thence southwesterly for 201.64 feet to the point of beginning.

##### Parcel "C."

Beginning at a point in the western line of Barretto street distant 525.38 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Lafayette avenue;

1. Thence northwesterly along the western line of Barretto street for 86.09 feet;

2. Thence southwesterly deflecting 111 degrees 40 minutes 45 seconds to the left for 400.78 feet to the northern line of Tiffany street;

3. Thence southeasterly along last-mentioned line for 80.30 feet;

4. Thence northeasterly for 375.93 feet to the point of beginning.

##### Parcel "D."

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Barretto street distant 577.63 feet northwesterly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Lafayette avenue;

1. Thence northwesterly along the eastern line of Barretto street for 83.45 feet;

2. Thence northeasterly deflecting 73 degrees 27 minutes 25 seconds to the right for 472.88 feet;

3. Thence northerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 51.27 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 71.83 feet to the western line of Hunt's Point road;

4. Thence southeasterly along last-mentioned line for 111.92 feet;

5. Thence southeasterly and still along last-mentioned line for 38.97 feet;

6. Thence westerly curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 15 feet radius and tangent to the preceding course for 30.93 feet;

7. Thence southwesterly for 496.64 feet to the point of beginning.

Garrison avenue is shown on Sections 3 and 4 of the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, filed respectively in the office of the Commissioner of Street Improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards on January 18, 1894, and July 6, 1893, and in the office of the Register of the County of New York on January 19, 1894, and July 12, 1893, as Map No. 355, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York on January 20, 1894, and July 18, 1893.

The land to be taken for Garrison avenue is located in Blocks 2731, 2732, 2733, 2734, 2735, 2736 and 2740 of Section 10 of the Land Map of The City of New York.

Dated New York, March 15, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
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City of New York.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the purpose of opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Exterior street to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river, as laid out July 14, 1905, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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 Wednesday, the 28th day of March, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the purpose of opening and extending of West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street (although not yet named by proper authority) from Exterior street to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river, as laid out July 14, 1905, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river distant 1,168.57 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Fordham road.

1. Thence northerly along said bulkhead line curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 5,623.14 feet radius for 60.42 feet;

2. Thence easterly on a line deflecting 6 degrees 26 minutes 55.4 seconds northward and to the left from the easterly prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity for 212.72 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet;

4. Thence westerly for 219.83 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the closing and discontinuing of West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Harlem River terrace and Exterior street; Exterior street, between West One Hundred and Ninety-first street and West One Hundred and Ninety-first street; West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Exterior street and Harlem river; the laying out of Exterior street, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river distant 1,168.57 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Fordham road.

1. Thence northerly along said bulkhead line curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 5,623.14 feet radius for 60.42 feet;

2. Thence easterly on a line deflecting 6 degrees 26 minutes 55.4 seconds northward and to the left from the easterly prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity for 212.72 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet;

4. Thence westerly for 219.83 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Ninety-first street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the closing and discontinuing of West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Harlem River terrace and Exterior street; Exterior street, between West One Hundred and Ninety-first street and West One Hundred and Ninety-first street; West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Exterior street and Harlem river; the laying out of Exterior street, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river distant 1,168.57 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Fordham road.

1. Thence northerly along said bulkhead line curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 5,623.14 feet radius for 60.42 feet;

2. Thence easterly on a line deflecting 6 degrees 26 minutes 55.4 seconds northward and to the left from the easterly prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity for 212.72 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet;

4. Thence westerly for 219.83 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Ninety-first street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the closing and discontinuing of West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Harlem River terrace and Exterior street; Exterior street, between West One Hundred and Ninety-first street and West One Hundred and Ninety-first street; West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Exterior street and Harlem river; the laying out of Exterior street, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river distant 1,168.57 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Fordham road.

1. Thence northerly along said bulkhead line curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 5,623.14 feet radius for 60.42 feet;

2. Thence easterly on a line deflecting 6 degrees 26 minutes 55.4 seconds northward and to the left from the easterly prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity for 212.72 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet;

4. Thence westerly for 219.83 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Ninety-first street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the closing and discontinuing of West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Harlem River terrace and Exterior street; Exterior street, between West One Hundred and Ninety-first street and West One Hundred and Ninety-first street; West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Exterior street and Harlem river; the laying out of Exterior street, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river distant 1,168.57 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Fordham road.

1. Thence northerly along said bulkhead line curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 5,623.14 feet radius for 60.42 feet;

2. Thence easterly on a line deflecting 6 degrees 26 minutes 55.4 seconds northward and to the left from the easterly prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity for 212.72 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet;

4. Thence westerly for 219.83 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Ninety-first street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the closing and discontinuing of West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Harlem River terrace and Exterior street; Exterior street, between West One Hundred and Ninety-first street and West One Hundred and Ninety-first street; West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Exterior street and Harlem river; the laying out of Exterior street, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river distant 1,168.57 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Fordham road.

1. Thence northerly along said bulkhead line curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 5,623.14 feet radius for 60.42 feet;

2. Thence easterly on a line deflecting 6 degrees 26 minutes 55.4 seconds northward and to the left from the easterly prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity for 212.72 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet;

4. Thence westerly for 219.83 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Ninety-first street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the closing and discontinuing of West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Harlem River terrace and Exterior street; Exterior street, between West One Hundred and Ninety-first street and West One Hundred and Ninety-first street; West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Exterior street and Harlem river; the laying out of Exterior street, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river distant 1,168.57 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Fordham road.

1. Thence northerly along said bulkhead line curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 5,623.14 feet radius for 60.42 feet;

2. Thence easterly on a line deflecting 6 degrees 26 minutes 55.4 seconds northward and to the left from the easterly prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity for 212.72 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet;

4. Thence westerly for 219.83 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Ninety-first street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the closing and discontinuing of West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Harlem River terrace and Exterior street; Exterior street, between West One Hundred and Ninety-first street and West One Hundred and Ninety-first street; West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Exterior street and Harlem river; the laying out of Exterior street, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river distant 1,168.57 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Fordham road.

1. Thence northerly along said bulkhead line curving to the left on the arc of a circle of 5,623.14 feet radius for 60.42 feet;

2. Thence easterly on a line deflecting 6 degrees 26 minutes 55.4 seconds northward and to the left from the easterly prolongation of the radius of the preceding course drawn through its northern extremity for 212.72 feet;

3. Thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 60 feet;

4. Thence westerly for 219.83 feet to the point of beginning.

West One Hundred and Eighty-first street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing the closing and discontinuing of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, between Harlem River terrace and Exterior street; Exterior street, between West One Hundred and Ninety-first street and West One Hundred and Ninety-first street; West One Hundred and Ninety-first street, between Exterior street and Harlem river; the laying out of Exterior street, between Fordham road and Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly bulkhead line of the Harlem river distant 1,168.57 feet northerly from the intersection of said line with the northern line of Fordham road.

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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 26th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of March, 1906, at 12 o'clock m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 5th day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Grand street with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Goerck street; running thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Rachel lane and Broome street; thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Margin street; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly line of Grand street; thence westerly along the northerly line of Grand street to the point or place of beginning, as such area is shown on our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of May, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 28, 1906.

ARTHUR D. TRUAX,  
Chairman;  
JAMES F. McGOWAN,  
LOUIS N. WHEALTON,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

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#### FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

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 all the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Piers, old Nos. 2 and 3, 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 piers, or any portion thereof, not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property on or near the southerly line of South street, in said borough and City, between the easterly side of Pier, old No. 2, and the westerly side of Pier, old No. 3, East river, and also beginning at the easterly side of said Pier, old No. 3, East river and extending easterly therefrom a distance of 106.4 feet, more or less, to property now owned by The City of New York for public purposes.

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 District, to be held in Part III. thereof at the County Court House in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 30th day of March, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition, in the name of and for the benefit of The City of New York, of all the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges not now owned by The City of New York, and appurtenant to the following-described piers and bulkheads situated on the East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, viz.:

#### Parcel "A."

Pier, old No. 2, East river, as it formerly existed, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of South street distant 15.41 feet easterly from a point where a line drawn at right angles with the northerly line of South street at the north-easterly corner of Whitehall street intersects the same, and running thence southerly and along the line of Pier, old No. 2, as it formerly existed, 218 feet;

Thence easterly and at right angles with the preceding course 50 feet;

Thence southerly and at right angles with the preceding course 31 feet;

Thence westerly and parallel with the second-mentioned course 50 feet;

Thence southerly and still along the line of Pier, old No. 2, at it formerly existed, 254.6 feet to the outer end of said pier;

Thence westerly and along the outer end of said pier 41 feet;

Thence northerly and along the westerly side of said pier about 222 feet;

Thence northeasterly and still along the westerly side of said pier about 7 feet;

Thence northerly in a line parallel with the first-mentioned course about 241 feet to the southerly line of South street;

Thence easterly and along the southerly line of South street and along the inner end of said pier 31 feet, more or less, to the point or place of beginning, be said several distances more or less.

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.

#### Parcel "B."

Pier, old No. 3, East river, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly side of Pier, old No. 3, where it intersects the present bulkhead at the inshore end of said pier, and running thence southerly and along the easterly side of said pier 458.4 feet;

Thence westerly and along the outer end of said pier 40.4 feet;

Thence northerly and along the westerly side of said pier 457.4 feet to the inshore or north-easterly end of said pier;

Thence easterly and along the present bulkhead at the inshore end of said pier 40.9 feet to the point or place of beginning.

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.

#### Parcel "C."

The bulkhead, dock or wharf property between Piers, old Nos. 2 and 3, East river, extending along the southerly line of South street, from the easterly side of said pier, old No. 2, to the westerly side of said Pier, old No. 3, a distance of 116.61 feet, more or less.

#### Parcel "D."

The bulkhead, dock or wharf property extending along the southerly side of South street, beginning at the easterly side of Pier, old No. 3, East river and extending easterly therefrom, a distance of 106.4 feet, more or less, to property now owned by The City of New York.

Parcels "A" and "C" are, and each of them is, to be acquired for ferry purposes, and Parcels "B" and "D" are and each of them is to be acquired for 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, as altered and amended by the Board of Docks on the 3d day of November, 1899, which alteration and amendment was approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 6th day of December, 1899, and which said plan and alteration and amendment thereof are on file in the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

Dated NEW YORK, March 15, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening VANDERBILT AVENUE, WEST, although not yet named by proper authority, from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street to Pelham avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

**I**N RE APPLICATION OF ELIZABETH Ransford for damage to Lot No. 65, Block 3028, by reason of the destruction of her private easements caused by the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Old Quarry road or Valentine avenue or East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Webster avenue to Vanderbilt West.

We, the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding, having been directed by order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, dated the 17th day of June, 1904, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the 15th day of July, 1904, to ascertain and determine the compensation that should justly be made to Elizabeth Ransford, by reason of the destruction of her private easements caused by the closing, discontinuance and abandonment of Old Quarry road or Valentine avenue or East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Webster avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, West, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of April, 1906, at 12 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 10th day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, and being that part of Old Quarry road or Valentine avenue or East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, Block 3028, bounded by Webster avenue, Vanderbilt avenue, (Park avenue), West, East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and known as Lot No. 1.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, December 7, 1905.

JOHN J. QUINLAN,  
FREDERICK M. MELLERT,  
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 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Teller avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, of The City of New York.

**W**E, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of March, 1906, and that

we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 27th day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our supplemental and amended 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 3d day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street and the centre line of the block between Macomb's road and Inwood avenue; running thence northeasterly along said centre line of the block to its intersection with the southwesterly line of Macomb's road; thence easterly in a straight line to a point of intersection of the northeasterly line of Macomb's road with the centre line of the block between Jerome avenue and Inwood avenue; thence northeasterly along said centre line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; thence easterly and southeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation easterly to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence southeasterly in a straight line to a point of intersection of the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; thence southwesterly and northwesterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our supplemental and amended report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 27th day of April, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, November 28, 1905.

WILLIAM TAIT,  
JOHN O'CONNELL,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

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#### FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the widening of WEST TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Ninth avenue and River avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**W**E, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate 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 28th day of March, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of March, 1906, at 4 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 9th day of April, 1906.

Third—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, March 2, 1906.

JAS. F. HIGGINS,  
Chairman;  
EDWARD ISNER,  
GEORGE C. NORTON,  
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 northerly side of Avenue T, between East Twelfth street and Homecrest avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

**N**OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 3d day of April, 1906, at the calling of the calendar on

that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of three discreet and disinterested citizens, residents of the Borough of Brooklyn, as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in certain property situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Avenue T with the westerly line of Homecrest avenue, and running thence northerly along the westerly line of Homecrest

City of New York, and Griffin street, from the intersection with the above-described unnamed street to the northerly line of Hannah street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, viz.:

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED,** notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the Village of Richmond, in the County of Richmond, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 29th day of March, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of certain streets or avenues known as Stuyvesant place, from the southerly line of the United States Government lighthouse property to the southerly line of Weiner place, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York; unnamed street (an extension of Stuyvesant place), from the southerly line of Weiner place to its intersection with the easterly line of Griffin street, in the First and Second Wards, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, and Griffin street, from the intersection with the above-described unnamed street to the northerly line of Hannah street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, viz.:

The widening of Stuyvesant place, extending from the southerly line of the United States Government lighthouse property to the southerly line of Weiner place, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the southerly line of the United States Government lighthouse property with the easterly line of Stuyvesant place as widened:

1. Thence southerly along said easterly line of Stuyvesant place as widened 374.93 feet;

2. Thence still southerly deflecting 21 degrees 58 minutes 17 seconds to the right, 53.49 feet to the easterly prolongation of the southerly line of Weiner place;

3. Thence westerly deflecting 68 degrees 12 minutes 43 seconds to the right along said easterly prolongation of the southerly line of Weiner place, 29.99 feet to a line parallel to and distant 50 feet easterly from the westerly line of Stuyvesant place;

4. Thence northerly along said line parallel to and distant 50 feet easterly from the westerly line of Stuyvesant place 421.43 feet to the present or late southerly line of the United States Government lighthouse property;

5. Thence easterly along said property line 50.09 feet to the point of beginning.

An unnamed street (an extension of Stuyvesant place), extending from the southerly line of Weiner place to its intersection with the easterly line of Griffin street, in the First and Second Wards, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

*Parcel "A."*

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Weiner place 172.30 feet easterly from the intersection of the easterly line of Central avenue and the southerly line of Weiner place;

1. Thence easterly along the easterly prolongation of the southerly line of Weiner place 107.69 feet;

2. Thence southerly deflecting 111 degrees 47 minutes 17 seconds to the right 637.06 feet to the northerly line of Arrietta street;

3. Thence westerly along the northerly line of Arrietta street 41.24 feet to the easterly line of Central avenue;

4. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Central avenue 282.35 feet;

5. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right 49.82 feet;

6. Thence northerly 325.14 feet to the point of beginning.

*Parcel "B."*

Beginning at the point of intersection of the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of the above-described Parcel "A" with the southerly line of Arrietta street;

1. Thence southerly along the said southerly prolongation of the easterly line of the above-described Parcel "A" 263.90 feet to the easterly line of Griffin street, as widened;

2. Thence northerly along said easterly line of Griffin street, as widened, 261.17 feet to the southerly line of Arrietta street;

3. Thence easterly along said southerly line of Arrietta street 150.13 feet to the point of beginning.

The widening of Griffin street, from its intersection with an unnamed street (an extension of Stuyvesant place), to Hannah street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Richmond, being the following-described lot, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Hannah street 130 feet easterly from the intersection of the westerly line of Griffin street, with the said northerly line of Hannah street;

1. Thence westerly along the northerly line of Hannah street 32 feet;

2. Thence northerly deflecting 89 degrees 44 minutes 11 seconds to the right along a line parallel to and distant 98 feet easterly from the westerly line of Griffin street 576.48 feet to the westerly prolongation of the southerly line of Arrietta street;

3. Thence easterly deflecting 105 degrees 36 minutes 42 seconds to the right along said westerly prolongation of the southerly line of Arrietta street 33.22 feet to the easterly line of Griffin street, as widened;

4. Thence southerly along said easterly line 567.69 feet to the point of beginning.

Griffin street and Stuyvesant place and unnamed street (an extension of Stuyvesant place), are shown on "Plan and Profile showing location, laying-out, widening and grades of Griffin street, Stuyvesant place, South street, Jay street, Hyatt street, Richmond turnpike and First avenue, in the First and Second Wards, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York," dated March 19, 1903, which map was filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Richmond, the Clerk of the County of Richmond and the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York on or about the 4th day of August, 1903.

Dated New York, March 15, 1906.

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Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.

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**SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired,

the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of HATFIELD AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Nicholas avenue to a point about 100 feet easterly where Hatfield avenue is fully improved, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED,** notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the Village of Richmond, in the County of Richmond, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 29th day of March, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of a certain street or avenue known as Hatfield avenue, from Nicholas avenue to a point about 100 feet easterly where Hatfield avenue is fully improved, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Nicholas avenue 207.20 feet, more or less, southerly from the point of intersection of the southerly line of Harrison avenue and the easterly line of Nicholas avenue;

1. Thence southerly along said easterly line of Nicholas avenue 60 feet;

2. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the left 104.33 feet to the portion of Hatfield avenue that is fully improved;

3. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left 60 feet;

4. Thence westerly 104.33 feet to the point of beginning.

Hatfield avenue is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing layout and grades of Hatfield avenue, Harrison avenue and connecting streets in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, The City of New York," dated September 4, 1903, which map was filed in the offices of the President of the Borough of Richmond, the Clerk of the County of Richmond and the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, December 4, 1903.

Dated New York, March 15, 1906.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
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Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.

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**SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the widening of JAY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), at its intersection with Richmond terrace, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED,** notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the Village of Richmond, in the County of Richmond, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, on Thursday, the 29th day of March, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to the lands and premises required for the widening of JAY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), at its intersection with Richmond terrace, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED,** notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term 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 25th day of May, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 21, 1906.

JOHN W. WARD,  
Chairman;  
PETER A. SHEIL,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

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**SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the widening of JAY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), at its intersection with Richmond terrace, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED,** notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term 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 25th day of May, 1906, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 23, 1906.

DAVID B. VAN NAME,  
Chairman;  
WM. J. WELSH,  
WM. A. GALLOWAY,  
Commissioners.

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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 bid required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be enclosed 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.

**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 BROOK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hatfield place to Charles avenue, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK,** in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 2d day of April, 1906, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 4th day of April, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 12th day of April, 1906.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 300 feet easterly from the easterly line of Bronxdale avenue (Bear Swamp road) with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 650 feet northerly from the northerly line of Morris Park avenue; running thence southerly along